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Max Fitzgerald and family of Adrian, spent Sunday in North Adams.

Jack Wertz received a broken collar bone Wednesday Dec. 31st the result of a fall.

Miss Eugenia Densmore of Kalamazoo College visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fowler this week.

Mrs. Cora Clay of Harbor Springs who has been the guest of Charles Stranger and wife, has gone to Osseo.

The next meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Bertha Young Monday afternoon, January 5th.

Nathaniel Daniels, father cf Mrs. Mae Mallory fell on the ice on Friday, breaking his hip. Mr. Daniels is over 90 years of age, and his recovery will be necessarily slow.

The North Adams Epworth League elected officers last Sunday evening as follows: Pres. Ethel Brewer; 1st vice, Paul Wells; 2nd vice, Anna Lawrence; 3rd vice, Ione Young; 4th vice, Lorita Wertz; sec. Russell Wattles; treas. Gordon Walworth; organist, Mrs. Bertha Wattles; chorister, Cleve Crater.

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Local News

Rev. Hutton and family spent New Years with relatives in Flint.

Mrs. Grace Williams went to Ypsilanti to visit her sister Mrs. Will Bell, on Friday.

C. J. Knapp and wife are spending the week with their daughter Mrs. Lena Stoner, in Adrian.

Russell Snow and wife of Flint spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Snow's aunt Mrs. J. Jones.

—Wanted 300 people to hear the County Brotherhood Chorus at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Frank Foster who is working in Detroit has been spending a few days with his family in this village.

Born on Sunday Dec. 28th at the Hillsdale hospital a son, to Ernest Fuller and wife of Churches Corners.

W. W. Clingerman and wife returned home on Saturday from a Xmas visit with relatives in Toledo Ohio.

Miss Murel Owen is in Detroit visiting her brother, William and family from Wednesday until Monday.

Clement Schilling and wife who planned to go to California to spend the winter have given it up and will remain in Michigan.

Town Line Grange held a special meeting on Saturday. Following the potluck dinner a business meeting and social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. Edna Garlinghouse Hill and son who have been visiting her father, Daniel Garlinghouse, left North Adams on Friday.

The Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Kempton, Wednesday Jan. 7th at 2:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cheever and son George of Detroit have been holiday visitors at the home of Mr. Cheever's sister Mrs. Edna Hewitt.

Giles Stevens, Reid Shepard, J. M. Williams and Darwin Carney were in Somerset on Wednesday to attend the funeral of W. W. Mercer.

The S. E. class of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Ed Blackmer Tuesday evening Jan. 6th. Refreshments will be served consisting of apples and pop corn. There will be a program.

Mr. and Mrs. George Holocomb entertained for Christmas; Frank Holcomb, wife and sister Mrs. Joanna Large, Lester Daniels and family, Roy Squires and family of Hillsdale and Oray Holcomb and family.

W. W. Clingerman has sold the meat market and business to E. J. Benge who has conducted the shoe store in this village for a short time. Mr. Benge took possession on Friday and expects to conduct the business along the same line as formerly.

A pleasant social affair in fraternal circles was held at Masonic Hall on Saturday evening when Past Masters of the Lodge conferred the M. M. degree on a candidate A fine potluck supper was served at 6:30 to a large number. Following the ritualistic work cards and a smoker were pleasant diversions.

The January meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Fridsy Jan. 9 at 2:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. M. Kempton. Owing to bad weather the program for last month was not given, so the topic assigned then will be used at the meeting. Those on the December program please take notice and be prepared. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. L. D. Ford entertained at a "500" party Saturday evening in honor of Miss Ruth Ford. Three tables were in play, the high scores going to the guest of honor, after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess The out-of-town guests were Miss Ruth Ford of Trempealeau, Wisconsin, Miss Elizabeth Graves, Clyde Graves and Lyle Ford of Jonesville.

Dr. Midgely, whose term of office began January 1st, has appointed Chester Alpaugh as deputy sheriff for Adams township, for the ensuing term. H. W. Helmick who has held the office for eight years, under four sheriffs, declined to take the job again on account of his age. Mr, Helmick says the officer business is not a snap at best, and after a man becomes old enough, its good policy to quit with honors.

The Sorosis club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Laura Walworth on Tuesday afternoon the 23rd. Sixteen members answered to roll call by giving a Christmas quotation. The following program was given; Christmas story, Grace Kempton; Musical reading, Mayme Pendell. A Christmas grab bag was one of the pleasant features of the afternoon. The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Clara Shambaugh Jan. 27.

W. W. Clingerman

Wishes to announce that he has sold his Meat Market to E. J, Benge and all who know themselves to be indebted to Mr. Clingerman will confer a favor by settling the account at the market at once.

We wish to extend thanks to all who have patronized us during our stay in North Adams and also commend you to our successor, Mr. Benge who will be glad to serve you in the business.

W. W. Clingerman and wife

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—Don't fail to hear the County Brotherhood Chorus at the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ann Voorhees is spending the week in Detroit visiting her son, James Voorhees and family.

George Combs, Jr., of Romeo, Mich., called here to visit relatives the first of the week. He was returning from a teachers' meeting at Grand Rapids.

Orville French and wife of Valentine, Indiana, who came here the first of the week to spend New Years with her grand-mother, Mrs. Wamsley, returned home on Friday.

The North Adams High School basket ball squad left last Tuesday on a three-game trip in northern Indiana. This trip, it is thought, will help to put the boys in condition for the opening of the M. I. A. A. season with Waldron on Jan. 9th at North Adams. This will be the opening game on their season schedule.

The girls of the North Adams sewing club honored Mrs. J. M. Williams by a surprise party which was held at the home of Ruth Williams on Tuesday afternoon Dec. 30. Stunts and games in keeping with the New Year were the features of the afternoon, after which dinner was served. Covers being laid for twenty guests. Mrs. Williams was presented with three silver spoons as a remembrance of the girls of the 1924 club.

Again on The "Blink"

We don't know why, but the lighting system which we are supposed to get from the Southern Light and Power Company at Hudson again went bad on Wednesday evening long enough to cause the Advocate considerable damage and to delay publication for one day. Sometimes we believe a most serious blunder was made when our little local plant was ripped out and sold for junk prices. But of course its a mere bagatelle to worry over.

We don't know who the big noise behind the lights is, but he could just "waller" in glory if he could repair these little breaks in the current 15 minutes after they occur. If this continues we shall carry a lantern.

Mud Lake School Notes

Recent visitors have been Helen Foust, Marian Dietz, Frances Ambler, Ruth Quarton and Harold Gordon.

School began Monday Dec. 29th after having one week vacation. There will be no school Jan. 1st and 2nd.

The following New books have been added to our library, "The Hoosier School Master", "The Swiss Family Robinson", "Hans Brinker" and "Adventures of Pinocchis". At present we are reading "The Five Little Peppers."

Our Christmas entertainment held Dec. 22nd was well attended despite the icy roads. A program consisting of recitations, songs, exercises, dialogues, tableaux and special music was given after which Santa took presents from a heavily loaded tree.

Mr. Matthias of Hillsdale and Miss Wilkes of Lansing were at our school week before last to help us organize a Sewing club for the girls of Mud Lake and and Bross Districts. The club met at the leader's Mrs. Addie Wyman, Dec. 27th for election of officers.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor
Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

The subject for morning worship will be "The significance of the Eucharist."

The evening service will consist of music and singing by the County Brotherhood chorus, and speaking by outside members of the brotherhood. Don't fail to hear them.

We will soon have the Banquet as the result of the contest between the two classes in sabbath school. The B. B. and the S. P. I. classes. Come and line up.

A very inspirational feature is about to be launched for the League Choir. The members are advised to be regular and dependable.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR
Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

The Theme for our morning worship will be "Come Unto Him." This is the time for our quarterly communion service and there will be a Baptismal service for all who wish it and reception of several new members. We will have special music and a splendid, inspirational service. Feel your responsibility at the beginning of this New Year to help these young lives as they enter into our Christian fellowship.

Sunday school immediately following the morning service, and you are urged to stay and show your interest in the contest which is now on. Remember the Chicken pie dinner that comes at the close of the contest the last of March.

Our new S. S. officers will take their places this Sunday. Come and give them your best support this ensuing year. There will be no evening service this Sunday.

Remember the Annual Business meeting to be held Saturday (tomorrow) afternoon in the church parlors, the time is 2:30 p. m. Every member is asked to be present at this important meeting.

Don't forget choir practice Saturday evening at Mrs. Wamsley's. Everybody come! Start the New Year right!!! 7:30

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Come in and get a Calendar.

Adams Tax Notice

I will be at the Citizens Bank in North Adams each Friday until further notice and at Hillsdale Savings Bank each Saturday to collect taxes for Adams Township
Merton Wolcott
Treasurer Adams Township
28t4

Lecture Course at Opera House

The Seniors of the High school announce the next number on the Lecture Course which will occur next Wednesday evening at the Opera House January 7th. The famous Marko Magicians is the attraction and you cant afford to miss it. These mystifiers will do the impossible apparently and do it so quickly before your eyes that you will be entertained and wonderfully surprised. Remember the High school needs your patronage and you need the diversion. Next Wednesday evening under the auspices of the high school. The Markos are the latest in magic science and we are certain they will furnish you a galaxy of good amusement. Come all!

Death of Mrs. Don Iveson

Mrs. Lucille Knapp Iveson of near Hoxie, passed away at the Addison Hospital on Tuesday at 6:30 from hemorrhages following an operation sustained on December 17th. She had been ill for some time and no serious results were feared until quite recently. She was born thirty years ago on the farm south west of this village and spent her life in this vicinity. She was the mother of three children, who with the husband, mother, two sisters and one brother, step-father, three step-brothers and three step-sisters survive besides a number of other relatives.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, January 2nd, 1925 from the Methodist church in this village, Rev. Hutton officiating, assisted by Rev. Hunt of the Congregational church, and interment was in the local cemetery north of town.

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"I honestly do," answered Uncle Bill Bottletop. "When I was a youngster there was always some boy in the neighborhood who wanted to be a smuggler or a pirate. But I don't believe there's a boy today with romantic aspirations to be a rum-runner or a hijacker."—Washington Star.

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Starting the New Year

WIDE WORLD PHOTO

Ma and Pa Decide Old Home Is O. K.

Aged Parents, Anticipating Happiest Year, Refuse New Bungalow.

By EMILY BURKS ADAMS

THE train was later than usual. Mrs. Owen often looked at her watch and asked the conductor if they were making up any time.

"New Year's Day, and still on the train, when we were due at Oklahoma City last night! Mother will be so disappointed that we're not there, Bob."

"Well dear, she knows the train is late."

"Yes, Bob, but the knowledge of a thing doesn't keep it from being disappointing; I'm so tired, too; I can hardly wait until I get there."

"Just think of the wonderful gift we have for them and how happy we are going to make them, dear—a nice little home by us. We'll have them always with us, Madge."

"Oh! Bob, you're just wonderful! Father will be delighted with Chicago and mother will enjoy her new home."

The train puffed into Oklahoma City. The first person Madge and Bob saw was Father Canton, leaning on his cane, looking up and down the vast throngs as they gayly hurried by.

Oh, there he is, Bob! I can't wait to tell him of our plans. This will be my happiest New Year—taking them home with us.

"Father, so glad to see you! How is mother?" Madge shouted.

"Howdy, Bob. Howdy. Oh, mother's as fine as a fiddle; dinner's all on the table. Don't think she went to bed last night; she was just sure you'd had a wreck."

"I knew, dad, she'd be uneasy. Oh! we have the best present for you. We—"

"I hope it's a suit of clothes—I need one," interrupted Mr. Canton.

All laughed. They took a cab and were soon at the old home.

"My, mother, how good the turkey smells! We're so hungry and travel weary, but before we eat, or anything, I want to tell you about your new home Bob and I bought for you—right next to us. We're going to take you back with us. You can sell this place later. Bob and I have it all furnished for you.

"Bob, you carve the turkey," said Mr. Canton; "Madge has taken my breath. What's the matter? I think you're crazy instead of wild, Madge! How long has she been this way, Bob?"

"But, father, you'll go; of course you will. This place is old, and we want to take care of you."

"Now, see here, children; not while I have two feet and this cane to lean on. Ma and I were never happier in our lives. We'll take you and Bob in. We're able to take care of ourselves."

"You won't go, mother, father?"

In one voice they said—"No."

A happy week was spent together but Bob and Madge returned alone to see the new bungalow instead of the old home place.

"Well, Bob, I don't know but that the folks are right and as they said: This may be the happiest year of their lives. Happiness comes from within, and now that I know they are so attached to that place I shall not worry about them. I just hope that when we are in our eighties we'll love each other and our home just as much as they love theirs—I have an idea we'll tell our children just as they told us—that they are crazy. True, I suppose, you can't transplant old people."

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Things We Forgot During Past Year

Let Others Remember Our Good Deeds—It Is the Better Way.

By MARTHA BANNING THOMAS

VERY likely many of the things we have forgotten during the past year, are the things that other people remember best. It generally works by the law of opposites.

Thus: "I never got so much comfort out of anything in my life as that warm waist you gave me; cold mornings it's as good as a fire."

"What warm waist?" you answer, puzzled. "Why, that dark blue one you gave me; don't you remember?" says the young married woman who has four children and lives up the back road from your village.

No, you can't remember, but you're glad she's got it.

And thus: "Say, you saved my life that day when you picked me up on the road."

"What day?"

"That drizzling, cold, raw afternoon last winter. I'd been shopping downtown and started to walk home, because it's an actual fact I'd spent every cent before I knew it, and hadn't even a car fare. I was just about done up, when you hailed me and asked me to get in your car. I never was so glad to see anyone in my life!"

And thus: "I've read that book you gave me five times and now I'm on my fifth."

"What book?"

"That book of poems you sent me when I was so sick. I like poetry but don't feel as though I ought to spend money on it; sort of selfish when there's so much want in the world. But I tell you, those lovely lines keep singing in my head and are like meat and drink to me."

You can't recollect to save your life about that book, but you are grateful for the dear old lady's words.

WHY NOT STRIVE TO MAKE 1925 A YEAR OF GOOD DEEDS FORGOTTEN BY OURSELVES AND REMEMBERED BY OTHERS?

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Doubtful

"Some folks," said Uncle Eben, "will have a happy New Year, and others will jes' barely manage to git over Christmas."

The New Year

By Edith Livingston Smith

THE New Year—where it leads and
whom concerning
We cannot see,
We scan the path and full our
hearts of yearning
And mystery—
What will it yield, this lane of sudden
turning,
To you and me?

Grant we may find our share of sunlight streaming—
Come tears—come mirth;
Where faith in man shall make life's
good deeds seeming
Of noble worth;
Give days our toil and give our nights
sweet dreaming,
God of the earth.

Give us the heart to tread the way, not
knowing
A vale or height;
Give us of cheer that God, His grace
bestowing,
May guide us right;
Grant we may love the others with us
going—
Old Year—Good night!

Long, Long Ago

In the heyday of its popularity New Year's day was the day of the year on which all gentlemen were expected to call and offer congratulations to each of their lady acquaintances. Clergymen were at home on this day; likewise bridegrooms, who on the first New Year's after marriage received callers with their respective brides. It was the spirit of the day to offer hospitality lavishly and to receive it equally lavishly. Even the employees of a gentleman were permitted to pay their respects and to eat and drink with the ladies of the household. On principle the old-fashioned New Year's was beautifully democratic.—New York Times.

The Tables Turned

"Does your wife still give you Christmas cigars?"

"No," answered Mr. Meekton. "I overheard Henrietta making fun of the cigarettes with which I presented her."

Self-love offended never forgives.

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Foreign—

On St. Patrick's day the Irish Free State will become bone dry, says a Dublin dispatch. This decision was reached as a compromise between Dail Eireann and the senate on the liquor control bill.

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About 1,400 army officers will be discharged from the service within the next year, under the drastic retrenchment scheme approved by the Japanese government at Tokyo.

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An unarmed Japanese youth was arrested when found wandering around the old American embassy grounds in Tokyo, insisting that he wanted an interview with the American ambassador.

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King Alfonso was obliged to remain in bed owing to a slight cold, says a Madrid dispatch. Usual audiences were cancelled.

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Fritz Haarmann of Hanover, Germany, wholesale murderer of 26 persons, was sentenced to death on the decapitating block.

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It is reported at Belgrade that the Albanian premier has fled and that the insurgents have overthrown the Noli government.

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The ministry of finance at Warsaw, Poland, confirmed reports that Poland is seeking an American loan in the neighborhood of $30,000,000 or $40,000,000.

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Germany will be informed by the council of ambassadors that the first zone, the Cologne bridgehead, cannot be evacuated because "Germany cannot be considered as having filled the Versailles disarmament provisions." Such was the opinion reached by the interallied military committee, with Marshal Foch presiding, at Paris.

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Pope Pius XI is suffering from a slight attack of influenza, says a Rome dispatch. His holiness is not in a serious condition, papal physicians say, but he is being confined to his bed.

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Abdel Melligui, wanted in connection with the assassination of the Egyptian sirdar, surrendered to the British at Cairo.

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President Calles of Mexico withdrew the authorization of J. L. Arlitt, banker of Austin, Texas, to contract a loan of $50,000,000 for the Mexican government.

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Domestic—

William Green of the miners was elected president of the American Federation of Labor by the executive council at New York. He will serve until next convention ten months hence.

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Judge Frank S. Dietrich of Idaho has been assigned to preside at the trial of Senator B. K. Wheeler of Montana, it was announced at Portland, Ore.

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The plants of the Ford Motor company in the Detroit district, with the exception of a few departments, will be closed from December 24 until January 5, for the annual inventory.

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A mob overpowered Sheriff B. B. Jackson in his office at Charleston, Mo., dragged Roosevelt Grigsby twenty-year-old negro who had been identified as the man who attempted to attack a white girl, across the courtyard and hanged him to a tree.

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Prohibtion agents intercepted two freight cars of assorted vegetables at Chicago, when the vegetable barrels were found to contain liquor valued at $111,000. The vegetable consignment came from New Orleans.

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An unidentified man, a girl, fifteen, and two women were killed when the driver of an automobile in which they were riding lost control and the car plunged off a 50-foot embankment onto the tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad near Landingville, Pa.

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Five persons were killed and two injured when a tree fell across an automobile bus near Chehalis, Wash.

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A. E. Sartain, deposed warden at the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., and L. J. Fletcher, deputy warden, were served with warrants charging the acceptance of bribes. Sartain said he was the victim of "petty politics."

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Osborne Wood, son of Gen. Leonard Wood, is about to face a suit for divorce. Confirmation of the divorce plans came from Mrs. Wood at Wilmington, Del. She stated that Wood had lost practically all of his fortune.

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Sought on a statutory charge as a result of his alleged assault on a negress, Frank Myler, a negro, barricaded himself in his shack at Omaha, Neb., seriously wounding Chief of Detectives Ben Danbaum and Detective Ryan, and then was killed by the police.

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Canadian flu was found among poultry along South Water street, Chicago. Infected birds were immediately killed. No embargo is planned at present.

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Wage increases totaling $600,000 have been granted to 9,000 Erie railroad shopmen under an agreement to become effective January 1. The increase amounts to two cents an hour.

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Five deaths in Chicago and 24 in other parts of the country were attributed to the extreme cold.

An attempt to blackmail Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Philip K. Rhinelander, father of Leonard Kip Rhinelander, who is seeking to annul his marriage to Alice Jones, was frustrated by the New York police. Bern Surro, a young Finn of Fresno, Cal., sought by means of threatening letters to extort $50,000 from Mrs. Vanderbilt and $20,000 from Rhinelander. He was arrested.

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Clarence O. Gilbert, air mail pilot, was killed near Kaneville, Ill., when his airplane and his parachute failed him. His body was found in a corn field by farmers.

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The Farmers and Merchants' State Bank of Lancaster, Minn., with deposits of $106,000,000, was closed.

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The city board of estimate of New York appropriated more than $19,000,000 for new subway construction.

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More than $20,000,000 in cash out of the gift of George Eastman to educational institutions was raised through the sale of Eastman common stock in Wall street, New York.

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Lester Kahl, wife murderer, died on the scaffold at Carlinville, Ill. Kahl paid the penalty for the murder of his second wife, formerly Margaret Schlaufer of Gilman, 18 days after he had married her.

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Mrs. Florence P. Kahn, widow of the late Congressman Julius Kahn, announced at San Francisco she would accept nomination to succeed him.

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Personal—

Frank A. Vanderlip is ill at his home in Scarborough, N. Y., with typhoid fever.

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Rear Admiral William K. Van Reypen, retired, former surgeon general of the navy, died in Washington. He was born at Bergen, N. J., in 1840. He retired in 1902.

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A slight cold caused John D. Rockefeller to cancel his plans to depart from Tarrytown, N. Y., for his winter home at Ormond Beach, Fla., it was announced.

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Robert R. Rose, fifty-six, formerly private secretary to William Jennings Bryan and foreign trade adviser under the Wilson administration, died at Los Angeles, Cal.

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Ruth Chatterton, the actress, was married in New York to Ralph Forbes, an English actor.

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Julius Kahn, for 24 years representative in congress from the Fourth California district and chairman of the house military affairs committee, died at San Francisco after an extended illness. He was sixty-three years old.

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Washington—

Grain exports from the United States last week amounted to 5,283,000 bushels, as compared with 5,344,000 bushels the previous week, says Washington announcement.

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In the senate the naval committee at Washington shelved a resolution by Senator King (Dem., Utah) proposing an inquiry into the status of the navy, but will seek data from the Navy department to learn whether the United States is maintaining its 5-5-3 basis.

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At the White House in Washington it was said that the State department had received a note from Great Britain setting forth that government's views on gun elevation.

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The house at Washington received a supply bill, introduced by Fred Britten (Rep., Ill.), member of the naval committee, which provides $101,400,000 for additional construction.

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Provisions in the navy appropriation bill for maintenance of the navy at its present strength of 86,000 enlisted men were approved by the house at Washington.

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Ceremonies on Capitol hill at Washington inaugurating President Coolidge as the nation's chief executive will be identical with those held four years ago for Harding. Mr. Coolidge will take the oath of office on the steps of the Capitol and then deliver his inaugural address, which will be broadcast. The cost of the ceremony is estimated at $35,000.

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Inferiority in number, but superiority in material, design and efficiency distinguishes the American air service compared with those of other countries, Secretary of Navy Wilbur and Rear Admiral Moffett, chief of the bureau of aeronautics, told the special house aircraft investigating committee at Washington.

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The Post Office department at Washington ruled that offerings of prizes by newspapers for solution of cross-word puzzles in the order solutions are received is a violation of the postal law.

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Plans for the expenditure of $5,000,000 in the improvement of water transportation on the Mississippi and Warrior rivers are recommended in a report to the War department at Washington.

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President Coolidge created an oil conservatism board to study the government's responsibilities in the matter of oil conservation and to recommend safeguards against shortage of production in the face of the ever-increasing demands of industry and the national defense for fuel oil.

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In a territory containing 87.6 per cent of the population, deaths totaling 86,754 from cancer in the United States increased 5,816 over 1922 says the census bureau at Washington.

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Congress at Washington appropriated $100,000 to finance a fight against the outbreak of poultry diseases.

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The projected merger of a number of West Virginia and Ohio natural gas companies is under investigation by the Department of Justice at Washington.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Kalamazoo—Mrs. S. C. Chamberlain, of Decatur, died here of burns suffered when her clothing caught fire as she was attempting to light a fire in her kitchen stove.

Detroit—Three armed men took $2,500 in payroll cash from Joshua Nuttall, cashier, and Peter J. Clarkin, bookkeeper, after locking them in a store room in the George H. Soffel Co., 561 Jefferson avenue.

Kalamazoo—Frank Beckwirth, 40 years old, met almost instant death here when he was thrown 20 feet to the frozen ground when a board he was prying off the roof of his ice house gave way.

Detroit—Steve Mago, 18 years old, was killed while working under his automobile. He had jacked up the car and was doing some repair work when the jack slipped. His neck was broken.

Grand Rapids—The representative assembly of the Michigan State Teachers' association, holding its third annual meeting here, elected Superintendent E. E. Fell, of Holland, as president to succeed F. E. Ellsworth, of Kalamazoo.

Flint—Petitions are being circulated by the Corunna Road Community Club and the Flint Federation of Labor asking that a special election be called to vote on the proposition of establishing a commission form of government in Flint.

Traverse City—Douglas Fortine, Empire high school student, and basket ball star, while hunting, was buried and killed under an avalanche of snow which slipped off Sleeping Bear Point, a giant sand dune which towers 200 feet above Lake Michigan. His body was recovered.

Menominee—Fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, on the docks in the lumber yard of the J. W. Wells Lumber company, caused a loss of lumber and docks of $400,000. More than four million feet of maple block and birch lumber were destroyed and 600 feet of dock was added to the loss.

Escanaba—The Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co. has purchased the coal dock here owned by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. The new owners plan to remodel the dock and have it in operation by spring. This will permit them to supply their mines with coal. The dock has a capacity of 100,000 tons.

Battle Creek—When a bandit held up Sam Jordan, a tailor of Battle Creek, Sam took the bandit's revolver away from him, slapped his face and ordered him to move on. While the hold-up man was running away Sam, who admitted he was "afraid of guns," tossed the revolver into a pond.

Marine City—William Bowers, an undertaker, who is chief of the fire department, had a busy time when his own place of business caught fire. Bowers temporarily resigned his job as fire chief, turning the task of directing the firemen over to his assistant while he carried out coffins and supplies.

White Cloud—Sheriff Noble McKinley has returned from Detroit with Mrs. Alice Dudgeon, who recently was granted a retrial by the state supreme court. Mrs. Dudgeon was convicted in circuit court here of the murder of her son-in-law, Romie Hodell. She has been serving a life sentence in the Detroit house of correction.

Ann Arbor—Dr. A. E. Pohle, of Cleveland, who attained a national reputation while at Frankfurt, Germany, as an authority on X-Ray measurements, will come to the University of Michigan as teacher of X-Ray therapthy with the opening of the new University hospital, it has been announced here by Dr. Preston M. Hickey, head of internal medicine.

Lansing—Mandamus action to prevent the City of Lansing from enforcing an ordinance designating routes over which buses may travel in the city has been started by the Michigan Highway Transportation association in Circuit Court here. The case would test the power of cities to control buses operating on streets in cases where routes have received the sanction of the State Public Utilities Commission.

Munising—Carliss Rudd, 22 years old, of Eben Junction, a village near here, voluntarily surrendered to the authorities after killing his six-months-old baby. He refused to say how he committed the deed or give a motive. Mrs. Rudd, who is 21 years old, told the officers that she did not know how the child was killed. She declared her husband brought the baby to her while she was sleeping, awakened her and placed it in her arms. The baby died a few minutes later.

Lansing—The State Administrative Board has directed the Attorney-General and Public Utilities Commission to be represented in a hearing set for Feb. 4, before the Interstate Commerce Commission, when a proposal to increase freight rates between Central Freight Association territory in which Lower Michigan is located, and Eastern Trunk Line territory, embracing the Atlantic seaboard states, will be considered. The advances asked for by the carriers would boost rates in the first, second, third and fourth classifications.

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The Automobile Tax Question

The question of 1925 auto taxes is getting on the nerves of the public to the extent that they want to know what they have got to put up for the use of a car to finance the program of road building which is taking the attention of most of the country today.

At Lansing there is not much doing and chances are good for a deadlock same as before on the law when it comes up for consideration. Gov. Groesbeck has not quite explained his attitude on the gas tax—in fact he talks one way and then he talks the other way for a while and nobody seems to be getting anywhere.

The levying of a horsepower tax and a weight tax has disadvantages, because there is no unit of use that applies equally to any motor vehicle as a basis for the distribution of taxes. One may own a heavy car or a high powered car and pay a tax thereupon which is so disproportionate to that levied upon a lighter and lower powered car that individual members of either class of owners may beat other individual members of either class in the amount of value that they get out of their tax. The heavy car owner may do less driving and accumulate less mileage on his ponderous vehicle to furnish wear for the roads than the owner of the lighter powered car, in which event he is paying more than his share of the tax; or, he may keep his heavy machine going all the time and get more than his share of the wear on the roads.

So far as the gasoline tax is concerned, we have, heretofore, in this paper, maintained that gasoline used in the arts and industries other than that used for motive power, should not be taxed for road support; but later statistics on the proportion between the volume of gasoline used in the arts and that used for motive power on the roads shows that it is negligible and that no very great harm is going to come to anybody using gasoline in the arts even if it is taxed. That question aside, really the most equable distribution of burdens of road building and maintenance can be worked out by a gasoline tax, provided it is the sole tax, producing great revenue, and is not an addition to other taxes based upon weight and horse power.

Although the Detroit Automobile Club has been recorded as planning to take action to force the state into issuing the 1925 license plates at once, Gov· Alex J. Groesbeck announces that the differences have been ironed out and that the club instead will cooperate with the state and not oppose the delay in selling the licenses until after the legislature meets

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Dr. Olin Repudiates Sajous

In "Analytic Cyclopedia of Practical Medicine" by Sajous occurs the following in regard to immunizing infants. Dr. Olin takes exception to the following recommendation for treatment of infants:

"All infants below 12, and if possible below 18 months of age should, the writer thinks, be actively immunized with 3 doses, each 10 c. c. of toxin-antitoxin. These injections should be given irrespective of the Schick test the infants may show at the time of immunization. The injections are given subcutaneously in the arm or below the angle of the scapula, and repeated every seven days. The toxin-antitoxin is well tolerated by young infants, and for that reason the dose advised is the same as that given to older children. The relatively larger dose of toxin-antitoxin will, of course, also give rise to a better immunizing response. All children over 18 months of age, as well as all youths and adults, should be tested with the Shick reaction first, and only those giving a positive reaction immunized with toxin-antitoxin. Three injections, each 10 c. c. are given subcutaneously, one week apart."

The doctor says:

"Under no circumstances should the toxin-antitoxin mixture, which is now distributed, be given in the doses recommended as it would be a dosage of more than one M. L. D. of diphtheria toxin, which would cause severe reactions and in all probability necrosis of the tissue, and might open the way for secondary infections.

The United States Public Health Service, to our knowledge has approved no toxin-antitoxin to be given in 10 c. c. doses. The weekly intervals until three doses have been given,"

M. A. C. Soil Testing Outfit Is Improved

The Soiltex outfit for testing the acidity of soils, known to thousands of Michigan farmers as a practical means of making a survey of their agricultural lands from the point of view of lime needs, has been simplified and improved by the soils department at the M. A. C.

The outfits, which are said to contain enough material for 100 tests, are distributed to the farmers of the state at cost, which is now but twenty five cents.

The history of the development of the modern Soiltex equipment by Prof. C. H. Spurway, of M. A. C. forms an interesting chapter in the annals of agricultural improvement. The first commercial sets for soil testing cost around twenty dollars, according to specialists at the college. Use of the Soiltex equipment enables a farmer at very low cost to determine exactly whether or not his soil needs lime, and how heavy an application is necessary, thus saving much blind and expensive treatment.

Cleaning Tourist Camps

An exceedingly large portion of the population of Michigan are known to be nomadic in their habits, as soon as summer begins inasmuch as they travel from place to place by automobile during the season, and as it is not always possible to give these tourist camps a sewage system, non sanitation often develops serious conditions. In the course of a few weeks these camps become polluted with all kinds of filth, and in view of so many different classes of folks who travel the roads and those following are more or less apt to suffer diseases of both contageous and infectious nature. Michigan has devised a splendid scheme of sending out a traveling laboratory mounted on a truck chassis which visits the different summer resort camps during the season and analizes their condition, thus ferreting out all dangerous epidemics before they have a chance to become general.

Before the advent of the automobile, many resorts were maintained for people who liked the wilderness, and these were kept in fair sanitary condition. To meet the present demand, however permanent camps of every description have been erected, some, it is true complying with regulations concerning tourists or auto camps. safe to say, however, that no state has sufficient machinery to cope with the existing situation.

In this report, it is taken for granted that the prevalent unsanitary conditions of resorts and camping places is admitted, and that a wide spread menace exists to the health of the people who take their vacations via auto camps or at unsanitary resorts, and also to the people who live in the communities to which filth is brought and left uncared for.

Each state and province was asked to send your chairman its laws and regulations regarding tourists, vacations and resorts. The usual reply was that there were no specific laws or regulations. As has already been stated, only 16 states have such codes and most of these specify merely what sanitary precautions should be used. The specifications of only a few states are adequate,—the state of Florida having perhaps the best.

Dr. Luckett of New Mexico suggests traveling inspectors who would go from state to state camping with the tourists. Several states, he thinks, might cooperate in paying their expenses with the assistance also of the U. S. Public Health service on the grounds that we have to do with an inter-state problem.

Information and instruction given to all tourists on entrance into the state, either by inspectors or state police.

Resorts may be divided into five main classes: 1st. The modern summer hotel. 2nd. The summer cottage colony. 3rd. Permanent tent colony. 4th. Temporary camps. 5. Auto tourist camp. Resorts in the first class are usually managed by individuals who realize the importance and value of sanitary conditions and are glad to take advice from health department officials. They may be readily kept in good condition by surveys, advice and follow-up visits, such as are made by Connecticut and Indiana, or by visits from a traveling laboratory, such as is employed in Michigan. Scoring of resorts is thought to be an aid in some states

State Fights Chicago's Drainage Canal Grab

Attorney General Daugherty, of Michigan, presented the State's argument against the Chicago drainage canal water diversion policy at the hearing before the U. S. Supreme Court at Washington this week. He declared that the levels of all the Great Lakes except Superior, had been disastrously affected by the 10,000 foot diversion at Chicago.

Calling attention to the fact that the diversion at Chicago was almost equal to the combined volume of water brought into Lake Michigan by three of its chief tributaries, he said that the rights of all the citizens in the lake states outside of Illinois has been flouted by the city of Chicago for the sole benefit of its own citizens.

"The state of Michigan claims every foot of water along its coast subject only to federal control for navigation purposes," he said. Chicago is usurping the rights of the citizens of Michigan when it takes 10,000 cubic feet of water per second from Lake Michigan through the drainage canal.

Mr. Daugherty told the court that traffic had already been greatly damaged on the Great Lakes and that the iron ore industry had been seriously affected by the lowering of the lake levels.

James D. Beck, U. S. solicitor general, presented the arguments against the diversion in behalf of the government.

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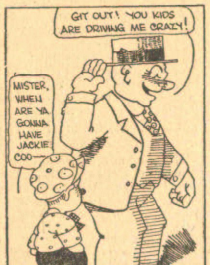

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Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place for holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by said mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's as provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, described as follows to wit: Two acres off the south east corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of Section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

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COOLIDGE BACKS MELLON SCHEME

Would Regard Republican Success in November as "Mandate" to Repeal Present Law.

WOULD FAVOR MILLIONAIRES

President Still Wants Reduction of Surtaxes on Big Incomes, and Opposes Estate Taxes and Publicity of Returns.

Washington, D. C. — Republican success at the polls on November 4 would be regarded by President Coolidge as a "mandate" to substitute the "Mellon plan" of taxation for the present Democratic law and thus deprive small taxpayers of the generous reduction in taxes they now enjoy and instead give most of the benefits to the millionaires and billionaires Mr. Coolidge and his Secretary of the Treasury have frankly favored in the past.

Partisan Republican newspapers, evidently speaking with inspiration from the White House, have repeatedly published the statement that Mr. Coolidge's election and Republican control of Congress will be the signal for a revision of the new Democratic tax law and the enactment in its stead of the Mellon scheme. The President's own language in his statement accompanying his approval of the Garner-Simmons (Democratic) bill is taken to justify the prediction made by Republican newspapers.

Mr. Coolidge declared his opposition to the surtax rates, running to 40 per cent, to the estate tax of 40 per cent., and to publicity for income tax returns, among other provisions of the bill, and asserted that the measure did not "represent a sound and permanent tax policy." In all the objections he raised against the new law, Mr. Coolidge explained, Secretary Mellon concurred with him.

Harvey's Paper Hints Plan

The Washington Post, whose editor in chief is George B. Harvey, is regarded as the most knowing spokesman of the White House on political subjects. This paper on June 4, two days after President Coolidge reluctantly signed the new bill, published a news article in which appeared the following paragraph:

"The statement [sent to Congress by Mr. Coolidge] is accepted as a declaration by the President of an election issue, and in this regard it is considered likely that if a Republican Congress is elected and Mr. Coolidge is returned to the White House, he will call a special session of the new Congress after next March 4."

What President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon demanded of Congress was a reduction of the surtaxes on the incomes of millionaires from a maximum of 50 per cent. to a maximum of only 25 per cent., thus cutting the taxes of those with incomes of $60,000 and more by many thousands a year at the expense of the smaller taxpayers. This is shown by the fact that the "Mellon Plan," if adopted as its author and Mr. Coolidge urged, would have benefited 610 income taxpayers more than the Democratic bill, while the latter has actually brought substantial relief to 6,656,067 persons more than the Mellon scheme would have benefited.

Scheme President Favors

The reduction of 50 per cent. in the surtaxes on an income of $5,000,000, advocated by President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon, would have meant a saving of $1,300,000 to that lone taxpayer. At the same time, had their plan been adopted, the saving to 1,666 taxpayers with an average income of $3,000 a year each, aggregating $5,000,000, would have been only $25,000. The Mellon scheme with which the President wants Congress to replace the present Democratic law, would have saved more money to a taxpayer with an income of $100,000 a year—and there are upwards of a thousand in this class—than it would have saved to 60 taxpayers whose incomes averaged $10,000 each.

Small taxpayers who are now getting the benefit of tax reductions given to them by the Democrats of Congress have a special interest in defeating President Coolidge and Republican Senators and Representatives at the election in November. The powerful interests which have been attempting to force the Mellon plan on the people will succeed if Mr. Coolidge and a Republican majority in the Senate and the House are chosen. It was only the Democrats, with assistance from certain western Progressives, that prevented the enactment of the Mellon scheme in the recent session of Congress.

These millionaires and billionaires for whom President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon have fought so hard in the last fourteen months could well afford to spend millions to control the elections in November. The saving they could thus obtain through the reduction of their normal and surtaxes at the expense of thousands of smaller taxpayers would make their contributions to Republican success a fine investment.

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A bogus check scheme that was so original, sound and business-like that it became known in detective circles as "the one perfect forgery," but finally, like all of them, led to its own inventor being trapped, is described by Reuben A. Lewis, Jr., in the American Bankers Association Journal. The article, which says forgeries cost the banks and business concerns at least $150,000,000 a year, deals with the ways of forgers and the relentless warfare being conducted against them by the bankers.

"Crime does not pay," Mr. Lewis says. "Soon the law reaches out and seizes the misguided operator who thinks he can get away with it. For one of the peculiar things about the forger is that, while he may devise a clever scheme that brings a rich return on its initial trial, he continues to work it until caught.

"Fortunately, there appears to be a weak spot in the best laid scheme. And just as soon as this weak spot is uncovered, it is broadcast to all the banks in the land. So the banks, informed as to the method of approach that the forger will make, and the little peculiarities of the job, are on the alert to nab him when he makes his next reappearance.

The King of Forgers

"The 'master forger' is William Hamilton Harkins, probably the most dangerous operator known to the banking world. Several times in the toils of the law, Harkins has managed to escape. The daring 'king' of the forgers made a confession that he had defrauded banks of more than $300,000 during the years of his career.

"His scheme follows a certain set pattern. The key to Harkins' plan is obtaining a blank check from the checkbook of a well known firm. Recently Harkins sauntered into the office of a granite dealer. He ordered a monument and tendered a check for a substantial part of the memorial. He requested the proprietor of the store to permit him to dash off a letter to his folks at home. Seizing a propitious moment, Harkins spotted his checkbook, noted the exact balance, tore out a sheaf of checks and disappeared.

"Reproducing the proprietor's signature, Harkins drew up a sizeable check. On the reverse side he inscribed his alias as the payee and then added after 'O. K.' the facsimile of the depositor's signature. This acted as an identification indorsement, so when he presented the check at the bank it was readily cashed.

The Weak Spot

"The weak spot in Harkins' scheme is the identification indorsement. If the teller, before cashing any check bearing this alleged indorsement, telephoned to the depositor and checked up on its issuance, the scheme would have short shrift."

Banks throughout the country have been put on guard against Harkins and his plan and it is believed he cannot operate long without again falling into the net. The scheme that was pronounced unbeatable was devised by a forger known as F. Mayer and centered around the certified check fraud, Mr. Lewis says, continuing:

"F. Mayer would open accounts with four or five banks in a sizeable city. The largest account ran around $5,000. By kiting checks back and forth between the several banks, he would establish his identity with the tellers and become known as a man accustomed to deal in large figures.

"After conducting these preliminaries for a few weeks, Mayer would go to the bank where he had his largest account and ask that a certified check be issued to him for substantially all of the money remaining to his credit. From the genuine check, he would make four or five duplicates.

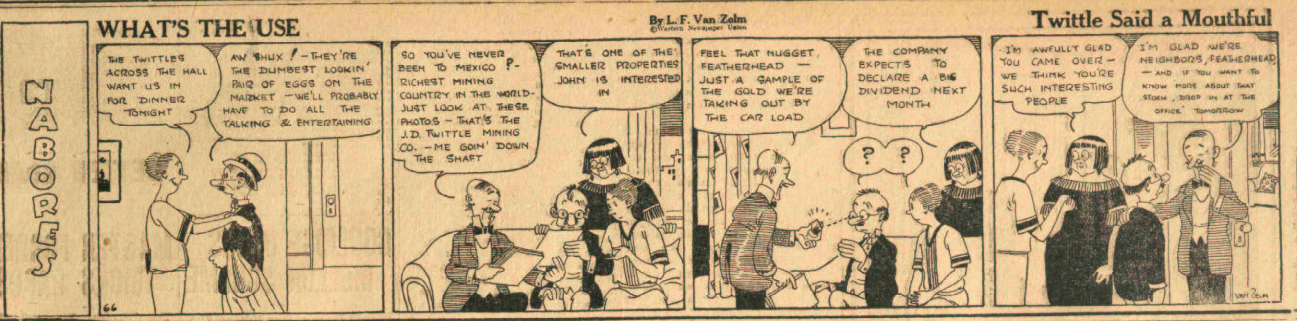
"In turn, Mayer would visit the other banks, where he had established small accounts. Inasmuch as he had cashed checks for some time, Mayer generally had little trouble in getting the banks to honor the certified checks. If a teller took the precaution of calling the issuing bank on the telephone to inquire if it had made out such a certified check, he would gain confirmation.

The Forger Caught

"But even the 'perfect' forgery scheme cannot be worked with impunity. Mayer succeeded in defrauding Kansas City banks out of $27,000 and made his escape. A few months later he was walking down the streets of Los Angeles when a teller who had honored one of the bogus checks in the middle western city recognized him. Mayer took to his heels with the former teller in hot pursuit, and the criminal lost."

The losses sustained through forgeries by banks may be mainly attributed to the failure of the tellers to observe the rules against cashing checks for strangers or allowing depositors to draw on uncollected items.

"A relentless, sustained hunt is conducted to apprehend the forgers. The new twists, the variations in the methods, the latest ruses used are followed by the detectives. The modes of operation are broadcasted throughout the country," the article declares. "The American Bankers Association alone, through its Protective Division, spends more than $100,000 a year to check depredations against banks."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THE ADVOCATE

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Knocking Down the Fences

(Continued from last week)

I am tempted to repeat another incident, because it happened in a parsonage, a Methodist parsonage in my own state. The mistress of the manse told me that the one thing her husband was then fighting, was the Roman Catholic Church; because he knew and everybody knew, that the Pope was building a palace in Washington, that he would leave Rome and rule America from the District of Columbia. She was greatly puzzled when I told her that President Coolidge was having a palace built in Peking, and that the future White house would be in China.

When her husband came in, and caught the drift of the conversation, he informed me that the Chicago Tribune was edited by two men who were sent by the Pope to Chicago, to "run that paper." I am a reader of the Chicago Tribune, and I find it as religious as a Sears-Roebuck catalogue, and on the whole, as pro-Catholic as the Dearborn Indedendent is pro-Jewish.

These fulminations which rise from angered hearts are worse than useless. One cannot build a kingdom of truth which is the Kingdom of God, with lies, or even with gross exaggerations.

The greatest difficulty in making mankind think straight in the sphere of human relations. I find, lies in the fact that people mistake their prejudices for vital convictions, and they prefer to have their appendix cut out to having their prejudices removed. Peoples' protective instinct is great, and they think that if they lose their prejudices they have slipped from the rock of their salvation.

The prime duty of every Christian man today is, is to endeavor to get rid of his prejudices where they interfere with the right functioning of the laws which bind people together; so that even if they differ one from another in the profoundest matters, they may yet be good neighbors.

ARE WE ENTERING the DARK AGES?

If I am not mistaken, we in America are entering into a darker middle age than those which left behind them so much unpenetrated gloom, and nothing will save us from confusion, from bitter and lasting enmities, if not civil wars, but the virtue of clear thinking, the abstinence from the vice of judging by our prejudices and acting upon them, rather than upon the facts where they are obtainable.

To know both sides of a case and be too lenient, is not nearly so bad as to know only one side of the case and be unjust; to realize that all of truth is not the monopoly of any church or group and not be dogmatic, is not so bad as to believe that one knows it all and then be intolerant. One can have deep convictions, yet be open to more, and more, and more light.

This is an age of scientific achievement and of a dearth of prophesying; a splendid age for the body a hard one for the soul. I cannot believe that God is not eager to lead mankind into clearer and clearer knowledge of His Will, and to give it greater control of those moral forces which we so greatly need in this mechanical and materialistic age.

If the pulpit is sterile and the fountains of inspiration are dried up, is it not at least in part due to the fact that we are moved in our thinking by accumulated prejudices which reach back into the unreasoning days of our ancestors? We are not willing enough, or courageous enough to cut loose from these impediments and learn how to think boldly, no matter if the truth we discover is not the truth we want to know; no matter if it turns profit into loss, or if it reveals the fact that our own institutions and ideals are still incomplete and not necessarily the best.

Yet I am very sure that straight thinking alone will not save the world from the doom toward which it seems to be traveling. Logic alone will not save us; there must be deep feeling, our emotions need to be educated, and thus far no college curriculum deals with these problems adequately, and but few pulpits guide us toward their purification.

Three things make up the sum of true religion: "To do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with our God," which is clear thinking, deep feeling, and wise acting. And the hardest of these, is clear thinking.

(The end)

The Avocado

Avocadoes are a wonderful fruit which grows and ripens in south Florida. "Somebody is stealing my avocadoes," complained a Mr. Scull at breakfast one morning. "One is missing everyday. I certainly must catch the thief, for avocadoes are selling at 75 cents a pound."

The next morning Mr. Scull went to his orchard early, and there and then he caught the culprit in the act. It was a puppy that had recently come into his possession. An avocado seems a queer fruit for a dog to steal, but both cats and dogs are very fond of this rich, buttery fruit.

Many of the large avocadoes grow rather low on the tree, and when they are ripe they weigh the limbs down until the fruit rests on the ground, making it an easy matter for a dog to get them.

One avocado makes a satisfying meal. A little salt or lemon or lime juice is all that is needed to make them more palatable. The pulp may be removed from the thick rind and spread on bread or eaten with a fork.

The growing of avocadoes is said not to have yet been established in California on a commercial basis, but fine ones are produced in south Florida. The fruit originated in Mexico and Guatemala—the Mexican variety being thin skinned, while the Guatemalan has a thick and leathery skin. The leaves of the Mexican have the odor of anise.

The tree itself is beautiful, with leaves somewhat resembling the magnolia's, although they are not so glossy, nor so smooth.

Seedling trees have grown from 60 to 70 feet high, with a 50 foot spread. The bedded trees bear in from two to eight years. according to variety. With a little planning different varieties may be planted, so that the orchard will supply fruit throughout the year. The blossoms are small and inconspicuous, Although all varieties flower at about the same time, some of the fruit matures in six months; some not for a year.

The fruit is allowed to ripen on the tree, but it should be kept a few days after picking before eaten The size varies from a few ounces to three pounds. The single seed is as large as a plum and often sells for five cents.

The trees will stand as much frost as citrus trees, which, of course, is not a great deal, and they do not seem to require highly specialized soil. Prof. Ira J. Condit of the college of agriculture, the University of California, says that about 300 marketable fruit may be expected from a 15 year old tree in a year.

In order to solve the problems involved in producing avocadoes in great numbers and to bring the desirability of the fruit before the public the "Avocado" of California has been formed, and with its backing the avocado will probably become a common fruit of commerce before long.

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Canners Growers To Cooperate In Tests

Fruit and vegetable growers on the one hand, and state canners on the other, will join forces to aid in formulating a program of experimental work for the horticultural forces at the M. A. C., according to announcement made here this week by Prof. V. R. Gardener, head of the M. A. C. horticultural department.

A joint committee of growers and canners will meet at East Lansing during the coming Farmers Week, the first week in February, to work out the details of the recommendations, it is understood. These recommendations will later be taken up by the college and incorporated into its experimental program.

The movement is expected to serve two ends, bringing the canners and growers of the state into closer relationships and at the same time furnishing M. A. C. with "straight dope" from the field as to just what problems are of vital importance to the fruit and vegetable interests of Michigan.

The college but recently completed successful tests to develop a "Michigan" variety of canning tomatoes which will better meet the needs of both growers and canners. Similar work of adaptation along other lines will be attempted on a larger scale in the future, the recommendations which will be drawn up by the joint committee serving as a basis for the planning of this work.

Farmers Own School To Open January 5.

A half dozen special agricultural short courses, planned especially for the farmer, will start at M. A. C. on Monday, January 5.

Open to every one in the state over 16 years of age, and offering opportunity for intensive study in special lines of practical agricultural work, these courses are expected to draw a large enrollment from among the young men in the state who are already on the farms or who plan to get into agricultural fields. The "short courses" are planned to meet the needs of those who cannot or who do not care to take the four year agricultural courses at the college. They are condensed to the limit, as much practical work as time will permit being crowded into the short terms offered. Demand for men to fill positions where special agricultural training is required (official cow testers, for intance) is met very largely by graduates of the winter farm courses.

The courses starting on January 5 are as follows: general agriculture, eight weeks; dairy production, ten weeks; dairy manufactures, eight weeks; horticulture, eight weeks; poultry, four weeks; farm engineering, eight weeks.

The Ford Motor Car Company has purchased the Bell lease on the Red Bird lead mine, near Makay, Idaho. Several carloads of equipment have been taken to the mine which the Ford company has already begun to operate, Roads to Mackay, the shipping point will be kept open during the winter by snow plows using Ford equipment.

The Coldwater Gas Light and Fuel Company, Grand Haven Gas Company, Hillsdale Light and Fuel Company, and Monroe Gas Light and Fuel Company have consolidated into one corporation, known as Central States Utilities Company, with main offices in Detroit. It is capitalized for $250,000 preferred stock and $75,000 non par shares.

RECORD OF BANK FAILURES GROWS

Suspensions Since January, 1924, Exceed Number in Three Years of Wilson Administration.

BUSINESS SUFFERS EQUALLY

Total of 13,290 Commercial Bankruptcies Reported Up to Sept. 1, Against 25,314 in Period from 1918 to 1920.

Washington, D. C.—Bank failures in the first six months of 1924 were nearly three times as numerous as the bank failures during the entire last three years of the second Wilson administration, it is revealed by statistics recently compiled by the R. G. Dun Mercantile Agency. The liabilities involved in the bank failures between January 1 and August 31, this year, were more than eight times greater than those incident to all the failures during the thirty-six months of 1918-20, both inclusive.

The story of commercial failures in the first eight months of the present year (January to August, inclusive) is even more dismal. The total of these failures in these eight months was 13,920 and the liabilities $396,427,178. The number of these failures in three fourths of a year was more than half as great as the number reported in the three years from 1918 to 1920—during the second Wilson administration. The liabilities in the same eight months were within two-fifths as much as those for the three years of the Wilson administration cited.

Story Of Disaster

The figures from the records of R. G. Dun's agency show the following with regard to bank failures:

Wilson Administration

	Bank Failures	Liabilities
1918	20	$ 5,131,587
1919	50	16,520,862
1920	119	50,708,300
Total 3 years...	189	$ 72,361.049

Harding Administration

	Bank Failures	Liabilities
1921	404	173,027,776
1922	277	77,735,551
1923	540	196,790,000
1924 (1st 6 mos.).	428	153,228,720
Total 3½ years.	1,669	$600,782,047

Commercial Failures
(Second Wilson Administration)

		Liabilities
1918	9,982	$163,019,979
1919	6,451	113,291,237
1920	8,881	295,121,805
Total 3 years.	25,314	$571,433,021

The following are Dun's figures on commercial failures during three years of the Wilson administration and three and a half years of the Harding-Coolidge administration:

(Harding-Coolidge Administration)

1921	19,652	$627,401,883
1922	23,676	623,896,251
1923	18.720	530,532,000
1924 (1st 8 mos.).	13,920	91,957,219
Total 3½ years.	75,968	$2,178,247,212

Condition Worse In West

That panicky conditions have been particularly bad in the farm and stock raising States of the West, for which the Republican leaders promised a panacea for all ills in the emergency tariff act, subsequently replaced by the Fordney-McCumber law, one or the other of which has been in effect since the spring of 1921, is indicated by Treasury figures, published in the press in July, 1924, showing that of the bank failures recorded, 342 were in the States west of the Mississippi River. They included 267 State and 75 national banks—the latter number being greater than the total of all national banks failing throughout the entire country in the seven years of the Wilson administrations from 1914 to 1920, inclusive.

This appalling record of distress in the Western States shows a total of 66 failures in South Dakota alone during the first six months of 1924; 48 in North Dakota; 40 in Montana. Of all the States west of the Mississippi, only Nevada was not in the casualty list. And as this is written, reports are still coming in, one press dispatch relating the closing of six banks in Wyoming within two days.

Business men who were promised flush times with a Republican victory in 1920 have had an awakening equally sad, for bad as is the record of bank failures, it is no more disastrous than that of commercial failures.

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FARMERS SUFFER ANNUAL NET LOSS

New York.—Farmers of the United States pay about $301,000,000 more in tariff each year than they get back from the "protection" given to agricultural products by the present Fordney-McCumber law, according to economists of the Farm Bureau Federation. As there are about 30,000,000 people engaged in agriculture—counting men, women and children—the loss they suffer through the tariff equals about $10 per capita a year.

As a fitting expression to its Commander-in-Chief, over ten thousand Odd Fellows and Rebekahs from Michigan and Ontario gathered in the City of Detroit, Oct. 4. Among the events was a complimentary banquet at the Hotel Statler at which more than five hundred sat down to a banquet to its honored fellow member. A monster parade was held in the evening, followed by a mass meeting at which Grand Master, John A. Wilde; Grand Patriarch, W. H. Bennetts; Governor Alex Groesbeck and others made addresses of welcome, which were responded to by Grand Sire Thompson in a very eloquent and masterly manner. At the session of the Grand Lodge held at Alpena, Oct. 20 to 24, the new Grand Sire was received in a manner befitting the occasion of honoring one whose authority extends to the furthermost parts of the earth. The reception was in every way expressive of the keen appreciation Michigan Odd Fellowship felt.

Mr. Thompson is the self-made type of man. He was born on a farm at Stockbridge, Ingham County, Michigan, on July 26, 1872. He was educated in the public schools and colleges of Michigan, and was actively engaged in educational work for six years. He then purchased The Williamston Enterprise at Williamston, Michigan, and later The American Odd Fellow, a fraternal magazine of national reputation, and has continued as the editor and publisher until the present time, his son, Theodore A. Thompson, being in active charge of the plant. During that time he became and is now actively affiliated with several financial and insurance companies, as well as other business interests. He has always taken an active part in public matters, and as a public speaker is known all over the state where his friends are legion. In politics he is a republican, and has served on the state central committee for a number of years. He has served

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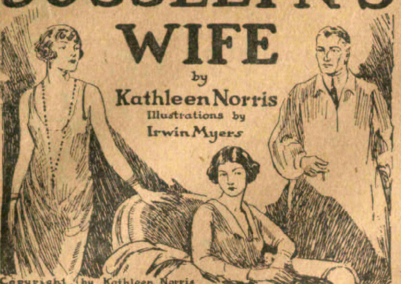

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CHAPTER XVI—Continued

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In the warden's office she found George and the district attorney.

"Good afternoon, Mrs. Josselyn," Ryan said. Ellen, smiling faintly, tried to read his rosy, complacent face. "This is a most extraordinary turn of events," he said. "This little fellow had the secret up his sleeve all the time, eh?"

Ellen felt almost faint with the revulsion this change in his manner gave her. Ryan had always been sharp, suspicious, menacing, before. She wanted to ask: "You believe it, then?" but quick intuition told her that that must wait. So she asked instead:

"Tommy talked, did he? He answered your questions?"

"He is an extremely intelligent child," Ryan remarked. "Gave his testimony like a little man. Nothing that we could say could shake him. We put him, through a pretty sharp half-hour. He stuck to it. I—I won't deny that I think this changes the entire aspect of affairs, Mrs. Josselyn. I've already advised the sheriff to delay the—the transfer of Mr. Josselyn."

"There may be a new trial?" Ellen asked, trembling. For answer Daniel Ryan smiled at her, and there was something so kindly, so reassuring, in that red face, when it smiled, that she felt a melting, a breaking up of coldness and hate, in her heart. Hate changed suddenly to love, and fear changed to confidence. Ellen experienced the most poignant of all human emotions.

"We may not even have it go to trial," George supplied.

"May not?" she echoed, choking.

"No," Ryan confirmed it. "There is no question for a jury. I don't know of a parallel case," he said thoughtfully. "But I should suppose that it would only be necessary to put this evidence before the court, with suitable testimony to its genuineness, to have the whole case dismissed!" He turned to the warden. "May we see Mr. Josselyn?" he asked, with the quiet manner of a man making a request sure to be granted.

Gibbs, followed by the inevitable guard, came in, and they turned to him. His silver crest was, as always, as smooth as satin, but he looked ill-groomed and haggard; worst of all, he looked beaten. There were lead-colored circles about his dark, anxious eyes, and his manner had uncertain nervous apprehensiveness that was unlike its old imperial certainty.

"Mr. Josselyn," Ryan said, "has your wife informed you that we have found some most important testimony bearing upon your case?"

"You regard it so, Mr. Ryan?" Gibbs said lifelessly.

"I regard it as more than important. I regard it as so vital that I feel free to congratulate you upon it, Mr. Josselyn, upon a miraculous escape from an error of the law. And I hope to God," Ryan added, "that we will soon find means to get you out of here!"

"I thank you," Gibbs answered briefly. But Ellen saw his lip tremble.

"Gibbs—my dear, dear boy!" George stammered, taking both his hands.

Ellen had a quick sensation of faintness and nausea. She looked bravely at George, and smiled waveringly.

"We—we mustn't be too sure—" she stammered. A moment later the harsh, whitewashed walls and the rodded doors, the warden's desk, and the tall, bare windows, vanished. She saw them all blur together, like a picture in a bubble, and, like the bubble, suddenly become flecked with widening black spots. Then everything was black.

CHAPTER XVII

On a quiet September morning, about a year and a half later, a young man, his pretty wife and their very small baby got out of the long train of dusty pullman coaches at the dry, sleepy little California town of Los Antonios.

After a smiling survey of the scene, during which they were apparently entirely unnoticed, the man crossed the street to the bank, and asked a question of the teller.

"Sure you can; you can phone from here," said that delicate, blonde, mustached official pleasantly. "Phone Murphy's garage, and they'll take you up there. The Josselyns who have the old Perry place, isn't it? Sure, it's about six miles out of town, up in the hills." He meditated a second, and then, with a burst of interest, he added. "Say, Mrs. Josselyn was in here about a minute ago! Know her car? It must be right outside here."

And he obligingly stepped to the door with the newcomer, and looked up and down the street.

"That's the car," he said, indicating one that had been left empty before the post office door. "If you get in there and wait for Mrs. Josselyn she'll be right out of somewhere."

Joe Latimer went across the street again, and took the baby from its mother's arms.

"That's Ellen's car, there!" he said, smiling nervously. Lizzie did not speak. Her cheeks were burning with excitement. "I can't believe we're here!" Joe echoed her thought. "In a few minutes we'll see her!"

"Oh, don't!" Lizzie said, faintly. With the baby on one arm, and the big suitcase in his free hand, Joe went to the waiting motor, and Lizzie, carrying the little suitcase, followed. He put his wife and baby in the tonneau, but was too nervous himself to join them there, and walked up and down the sidewalk instead, turning his head whenever a screen-door banged, to look for Ellen.

Suddenly they saw her, in a doorway a hundred feet away, talking to some other marketing woman. The same Ellen, with her blue honest eyes and her sensitive, sweet mouth. There was some new quality in her face and manner: what was it?—responsibility, gravity, tenderness, Joe could not tell.

He walked up to her, and she raised surprised eyes.

"Mornin', Mis' Josselyn!"

The puzzled look in her eyes changed swiftly, and she put her hands out and caught at him vaguely, as if to hold a dream.

"Joe Latimer! Joe!" She groped for her handkerchief, laughing as she wiped her eyes; tears of joy stood in his own. "But Joe dear, what brings you here! I simply can't believe it! I can't believe my eyes!" she said.

"Lizzie brought me!" Joe grinned. Ellen dropped his hand to go swiftly to the motorcar.

"Lizzie!" she echoed radiantly. Her eyes fell upon the bundle in Lizzie's arms, across which Lizzie must lean to return her kiss. "But—but—what!" Ellen stammered. "You—you two haven't got a baby?"

Joe thought that one moment was worth all the fatigue of the long trip.

"Haven't we?" he said, as Ellen, standing on the curb with the precious bundle in her arms, opened the tissues that screened the tiny face, and bent her own cheek against the warm, unresponsive little cheek.

"Well, I have never had such a delicious surprise in my life!" Ellen exclaimed. "You darling!" she crooned to the baby. 'What did you name him, Joe?"

"We thought a good name for him would be Ellen," grinned Joe. It was good to hear her old laugh again, and see the pleasure in her eyes as she glanced from face to face.

"Named for me? My own tiny niece! Ah, Joe, you make me proud!" She gave the baby back to Lizzie, and stood for a moment, resting her hands on the car door, and still trying to regain her breath after the surprise. "Well, now, I'll take you home! I may have something else to do while I'm in town, but it has gone completely out of my head, if I have! I can't wait to get home, to show Gibbs what I've brought with me!"

Talking of little, inconsequent things, as those who love each other, and who meet after years, always must do at first, they drove through the dusty street, and past flat fields where great oaks threw blots of shade on the shining brown grass, and so climbed a curving road into the hills.

Here and there on the slopes a brown bungalow clung, half-hidden in trees. Ellen pointed at a sloping roof, halfway between the ridge and the shore.

"That's the house," she told them. "It belonged to a Mr. Perry, who knew Gibbs, you know, and he loaned it to us at first. But we loved it so we couldn't think of moving away, and a year ago Gibbs bought it."

"It's a wonderful life to me," Ellen admitted thoughtfully. And as she made no motion to start the car, but sat twisted about in her seat, looking down vaguely at the sea, Joe wondered again what that new look in her eyes meant. "We can't get enough of it," she added. "It's all so deliciously simple, and so free: like being children again. It's taken us back to our summers in Brittany. George and Harriet were here in—in July, I think it was. Gibbs' friends are always going and coming through San Francisco, and they come down!"

"Lord, what air!" Joe said, with a deep breath. The sweet odor of the pines was drifting through the still warmth.

"Oh, it's marvelous, Joe. December is apt to have days like this, and February is a great month for picnics!" Ellen said, eagerly. "What I wanted to say to you," she added, a little uncertainly, "was—I thought I would just tell you—"

They were appalled to hear a sudden thickening in her voice, and to see that her utmost effort could not keep her eyes from watering.

"You know that Gibbs hasn't been well, don't you?" she asked, hastily.

"You wrote that he wasn't well, some time ago—" Joe began hesitatingly.

"You'll see—a change," Ellen added. "And of course you mustn't let him see that you see it." She lost control of her voice again.

"I should think this climate would build him up again," Lizzie ventured, a little timidly. Joe looked at her gratefully, and Ellen quickly grasped the thread of comfort.

"Oh, Lizzie, it will—they all say it will!" she said, eagerly, wiping her eyes. But immediately they brimmed again, and the dark head and the crushed white hat went down on the back of the seat; she burst into tears. "Oh, Joe—Joe—Joe! He's not going to get well!" she sobbed.

"Ellen!" Joe said, aghast.

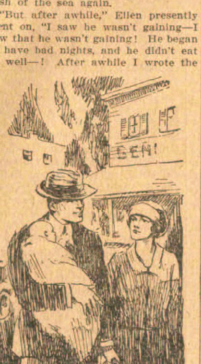
"Oh, I know it," Ellen said presently, lifting her head, and resolutely regaining her self-control. "I know it! I am sure he does, too. I'm sorry to break down this way, but I don't often have a chance," she added penitently, with a watery smile. "I never let him see that—that it's killing me, too."

"But, Ellen, what is it?" Lizzie asked, fearfully.

"Well, he was sick, after that terrible two months, you know," Ellen said, reflectively. "He looked—don't you remember how he looked? And then one day Doctor Cutter said, just casually, "I'd go somewhere where it's hot and dry, Ellen. He's been under a terrible mental and physical strain and he's managed to get a heavy cold, and there's a little affection of the lung." Joe, how could I ever dream it was that! We came to Santa Barbara, and the Perrys wrote us about Los Antonios, and Gibbs did seem better; he ate well, and usually slept pretty well—"

Her voice dropped to utter silence, and they could hear the steady, soft rush of the sea again.

"But after awhile," Ellen presently went on, "I saw he wasn't gaining—I saw that he wasn't gaining! He began to have bad nights, and he didn't eat so well—! After awhile I wrote the Santa Barbara doctor, and he wrote back that just before we left Gibbs had been in to see him, and that he thought he could not improve upon his instructions then: to sleep in the open air, and live simply, and not catch cold. So Gibbs knows, but he never spoke of that call to me.



"I Can't Believe We're Here!" Joe Echoed Her Thought. "In a Few Minutes We'll See Her!"

"Lately," she finished, "he has been keeping to his couch a good deal; he doesn't join us in gardening or picnics, as he did last year. Well! I only wanted to warn you. Perhaps it is my own fancy, partly. And, Joe—what a year we have had! A whole year of paradise, nothing but each other, and Tom, music, and books and the garden, and the ocean! It has blotted out all the bitterness—wiped out the past. The Perrys called the house 'Arcady,' and we've kept the name—at first for convenience with the tradespeople, but now because we know it fits!"

She started the car down the grade, presently turning in at an opening in a stone wall that was so smothered in vines, so closely surrounded with the color scheme of greens and browns about it as to be almost invisible.

"Oh, pretty!" Lizzie said, involuntarily.

"This is the house," Ellen smiled. "Welcome, you darlings! Give me that angel, Lizzie, I want to show her to Gibbs!"

She led them through the wide side hall, where great logs waited in a stone fireplace, and bowls of flowers glowed in a tempered light.

A glass double door gave upon the great front veranda, and here Ellen ran with the baby.

"I want you to meet Ellen Latimer, Gibbs—!"

It was well that they had been warned of what change they might find in him, for Lizzie caught a quick breath as she saw him, and it required all Joe's presence of mind to go forward and greet him naturally.

He was still handsome—Gibbs would always be that. But he was painfully thin, and seemed strangely aged. His dark, splendid eyes shone in a thin face whose temples blazed sometimes with an uneasy color. The ring he always wore was loose on the fine long hand. His hair was an even silvery white.

His manner was changed, too. There was a gravity, a sweetness and a certain heroic serenity about him that seemed to lift them all into the plane of simple endurance and renunciation. Lizzie and Joe knew, as they settled laughing into porch chairs to talk to him, that Ellen's worst fears were none too grave.

Like Gibbs himself, they must accept the thing as a finality. There was no dispute. They found themselves suddenly confident and gay, as human beings, forced to accept their own helplessness, usually become. This was in the nature of a catastrophe; it was almost as if they had come to California to find that Gibbs was dead.

The exquisite hours went on. Below the dark, cool space of the porch the Pacific spread in glittering band. The little crescent of white sand that was their own beach was bared by a lazily receding tide. The garden odors and the resinous smell of the pines were permeated by the bracing salt breath of the sea.

When Pong, the house-boy, in his plum color and pale green, came noiselessly to the porch to announce luncheon, Tommy burst in, sturdy brown Tommy, frantic with excitement at seeing his adored uncle and aunt again. He was with difficulty persuaded to rush off and transfer some of the dirt on his hands to a towel, and returned with the center lock of his bushy hair dampened and combed amid a tousled mass that had not been touched.

Yet even in Tommy Joe saw the change that a great shadow brings to even the children of a household. He was all tenderness and devotion with his father, and he had a most unchildish fashion of entering into his mother's mood. When the grass under the oaks was barred with straight lines of shadow from the sinking sun, and a lingering twilight fell flat and soft over the ocean, Tommy, like the others fell silent, his dark head resting against his father's arm, a big book opened on his knees. And when Ellen presently called him, there was none of the usual childish protest. He went in, and they heard Ellen's fingers on the piano, and then the tones of his violin.

"He plays wonderfully!" Lizzie said, when the simple air died away.

"He plays well for such a child," Gibbs conceded. "And he loves it, which is half the battle. I hope Ellen will make a musician of him!"

Lizzie winced away from the quiet intimation that Ellen alone must control Tommy's destiny.

Gibbs was silent again; the others knew that he saw the Ellen of the years to come with the growing boy beside her.

CHAPTER XVIII

Two or three days later Gibbs proposed a beach luncheon. Ellen, brightly indifferent when he first suggested it, was fired with sudden enthusiasm and delight when it transpired that he himself planned to go, too.

"Oh, he is better!" she said over and over again, as she buttered bread and trimmed oiled paper.

They set off in a straggling line; Tommy leaping ahead with his dog, and circling them as senselessly; Gibbs and Joe following, the latter with his tiny daughter held safely in his arms.

"I have never seen a man as infatuated with a tiny scrap of humanity as Joe is with the baby!" Ellen smiled. "Does it make you jealous, Lizzie?"

"Oh, Ellen, no!" Lizzie said, horrified. "I didn't realize—I don't think he did—what the baby was going to mean!" she added presently. "The night she was born—I'll never forget his face! I had been ill, you know, all the time, and I had thought sometimes that I mightn't live, and that that was the way it was all to end! And then came that fearful pain and—bewilderment—"

"I know!" Ellen nodded.

"And when I suddenly came out of it all, and found there was nothing wrong, but a sweet little girl asleep in a crib, why, it all seemed to clear itself!" Lizzie explained. "I said to myself, Ellen, that the past was gone. I was Joe's wife, and Ellen's mother, and the happiest woman in the world! If God forgives us, sometimes I think it's a sin not to forgive ourselves. So if ever I find myself blue, I just think that."

"And the consequence is, that you don't find yourself blue!" Ellen said gayly.

'Oh, I'm too happy! Joe—" Lizzie said. She gave Ellen a bride's half-shamed, half-mischievous smile— "Joe is an angel!" announced Lizzie.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Colony of New Haven Had First Blue Laws

In 1715 it was ordered by the general court that a suitable man be appointed to construct a code of laws for the New Haven colony. The appointment fell to Governor Eaton and he was instructed by the general court to study the laws of Massachusetts colony, and also the "Discourse on Civil Government in a New Plantation," by Reverend Mister Gotton, to aid him in his work.

Governor Eaton promptly issued a code of laws, many of which were from the Massachusetts code. Duly presented to the elders of correct jurisdiction, the fruit of the governor's toil was by them approved and passed, says the Detroit News. The general court, moreover, ordered 500 copies to be printed for the New Haven colonists.

At this period of history New Haven was an entirely different and separate colony from Connecticut, the latter being made up of the towns of Hartford, Windsor and Wethersfield and wild adjacent territory.

The term "blue laws," therefore, undoubtedly came from the fact that the first printed laws of either colony, being those of Governor Eaton, were enveloped in blue paper. So the code of Governor Eaton comprised the real and original blue laws and since these were enacted for New Haven colony it is further established that they should be called the "blue laws of New Haven colony" and not of Connecticut. The laws of other colonies were also used in constructing the code and many of them are at the present time upon the statute books of Connecticut. Many of the better laws of that state today are founded on them.

Truth Shows Itself

Truth makes the face of that person shine who speaks and owns it.—South.

Lion of Lucerne

The Lion of Lucerne is a famous piece of sculpture by Albert Thorwaldsen, commemorating the heroism and devotion of nearly eight hundred Swiss guards, who died to save Louis XVI. in the attack on the Tuileries, August 10, 1792. The colossal figure of the crouching lion, transfixed and dying, but still faithfully defending the shield of France, is carved in a recess in the face of an upright, vine-draped rock in a little park at Lucerne, Switzerland. A commemorative inscription, with the names of the officers killed, is cut in the rock.

Unknown Heroes

Some men make their due impression upon their generation, because a petty occasion is enough to call forth all their energies; but are there not others who would rise to much higher levels whom the world has never provoked to make the effort?—Thoreau.

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All the Same

"Pardon me, miss, for dancing fox-trot instead of one-step." "It doesn't matter. I was waltzing."

History is a pageant and not a philosophy.

Let Us Introduce

Slim and Blackie are energetic and successful "newsies." They like music, too, so the other afternoon they went around to hear the concert of the Cleveland Symphony orchestra. They arrived and were very much interested in the "tuning up" process, asking each other numerous questions about this, that and the other thing. When everything seemed ready, the director entered and mounted his stand.

"Who's that?" Slim asked Blackie.

"Him? Why, dat's de head simp," Blackie replied.—Indianapolis News.

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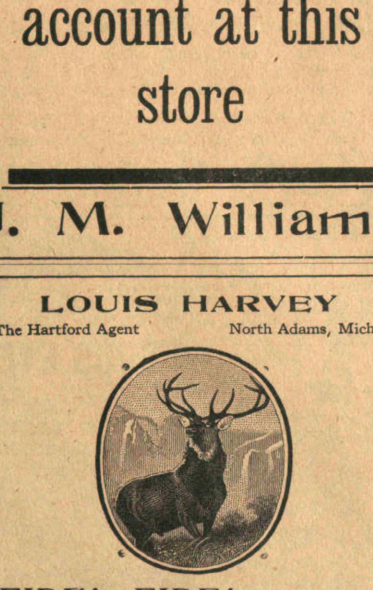

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jonesville

G. C. Varnum is ill at his home on Maumee street.

C. C. Rodlam was at his home here over the week end.

Henry Varnum was at his home here for the week end.

Mrs. George McKercher fell on the ice Monday breaking her arm.

Will Wallace of the Hastings schools is at home for the holidays.

H. B. Koenig spent the week with his family in Souix Falls, South Dakota.

Lorraine Marvin of Pentwater was at her home here for Christmas.

Oliver Hawkins of Detroit is a visitor at the Victor Hawkins home on West street.

George Sharp and wife are visiting their daughter Mrs. Henry Tubbs in Detroit.

Haze Mears of Kalamazoo spent Christmas with his parents T. H. Mears and wife here.

Mrs. Jane Burnett is in Chicago with her daughter Mrs. Ernest Howard for a two weeks visit.

Dewitt A. Mallory and wife of Chicago were week end guests at the home of Mrs. R. H. Schell.

Ethel Williamson of McBride was a visitor over the week end at the R. C. Williamson home here.

Mrs. D. J. Donnihue and three children of Toledo are visiting her parents Arthur L. Massey and wife.

Dr.eand Mrs. Bruce McDuff of Flint are spending the week with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins.

Milo Tabor and wife of Ypsilanti were visitors Christmas at the home of their daughter Mrs. Gertrude Fogg.

Mrs. Jennie Tousan and son John are in Detroit for the holidays visiting her daughter Mrs. Percy Parkyn and family.

Mrs. Mable Ford, with Ruth Ford and Charles Ford of Wisconsin were here for Christmas to visit at the F. W. Graves home on West Chicago street.

Jerome

H. A. Voorhees was in Jackson one day last week.

Mrs. Harley Voorhees was in Hillsdale Tuesday.

Milton Turnley and Harold Sterling were in Jonesville Saturday.

Herold Baker of Wayne is a guest of friends and relatives here.

Grant Sawdey and wife entertained their son Walter of Hudson on Christmas.

Ed Sawdey and wife of North Adams visited R. O. Sawdey and wife Sunday.

Kathryn Yontz of Rochester, N. Y. is visiting at the homes of Wayne Miller and Mrs. Nellie Sterling.

Mildred and Kathryn Carpenter of Jackson spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Millie Carpenter.

The residents of Jerome were very sorry to hear of the death of W. W. Mercer at Somerset center Sunday.

Ralph Seeley recently received a letter from the daughter of Rev. Noyes who was a pastor of the local church about 40 years ago.

The water tank on the N. Y. C. railroae burned down Monday evening as the result of attempts to thaw out the ice which had gathered during the cold spell.

Edgar Piper was in town the other day with an $80 check which he received at the local post office, as a Christmas present from relatives in England.

The families of C. W. McGregor and Mrs. Mary Kane are under quarantine for small pox. Mr. McGregor is staying at the home of his brother, Henry and is thus able to cover his mail route as usual.

Last Sunday, Earl Scott pastor of the local M. E. Church drove from his home near Hastings a distance of 84 miles in order to be present to conduct services. The thermometer was about 10 below zero when Mr. Scott left home and right here is the best answer that can be given to the atheists, infidels agnostics, skeptics, doubters, deists humanists, monists, materialists, Darwinists, theists, Hegelites, millenial, Dawnists, the anarchists and the socialists, the unreasonable Rationalists and Determinists, the false philosophers and scientists, the followers of Voltaire and Nietzsche, right here, we repeat it is the best answer that can be given to the foregoing groups which claim that the preachers are "after money" for how many of the followers of the aforementioned societies would drive 84 miles on a wintry morning without knowing if they were to receive pay for their services? How many would?

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Center Adams

Carl Shull and family ate Xmas dinner with his people in West Adams.

Carl Vincent and family were Xmas guests at the Charley Myers home near Osseo.

Wells Straw and mother Mrs. Julia Straw of Adrian were Xmas guests of G. R. Ambler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Post and father I. C. Post ate Xmas dinner with E. C. Williams and family of North Adams.

Mrs. Addie Ambler and daughter Mrs. Margaret Null of Hillsdale visited with Mrs. J. R. Wright on Tuesday.

Radah Petrie, student at the Flower hospital in Toledo visited Saturday at the home of her aunt Mrs. J. R. Dewey.

Mrs. M. C. Church and baby son are under the doctors care at present. Her daughter of Detroit is with her this week.

N. J. Lickley and wife of Shadyside and Edward Phelps of Olivet College visited at the Keith home over Sunday and Monday.

E. S. Gray and wife and Mrs. Addie Wyman spent Monday evening at Ben Lamb's in Wheatland. Mr. Lamb is suffering from a general breakdown.

Lee W. Dewey of Center Adams and Helen Ely of Waldron were married on Dec. 24th. They will make their home on the Frank Dewey farm in this vicinity. Congratulations.

Local News

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B. A. Losey and wife of Toledo and J. W. Losey and wife were guests at the home of B. I. Lynch on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Brown and son A. N. Brown and Facelia Carpenter were dinner guests at the home of B. I. Lynch Monday evening.

Death of William W. Mercer

William W. Mercer of Somerset township died at his home sometime between Saturday night and Sunday morning, as he was found lifeless in the morning. He was 71 years, 9 months and 18 days of age and had been a resident of the farm where he died 47 years.

He was a highly respected citizen who had served his township as supervisor for over 20 years. He is survived by two brothers, John and Samuel Mercer and two sisters, Mrs. Will Bilby and Mrs. Elizabeth Robins, one son, Leon Mercer, besides more distant relatives.

Funeral services were largely attended and held at Somerset Centre church on Wednesday at 1:00 p. m., and burial was in the local cemetery there.

On the Board of Supervisors at Hillsdale he will be severely missed as he was one of the oldest members.

Burgderfer Pleases

Diligent inquiry fails to locate anybody who wasn't just "tickled to death" over the impersonating stunts of Clarence L. Burgderfer for 25 years a past master at the art, who appeared at the Congregational church Tuesday evening His repertoire is to say the least, amusing, and his characterizing of the old father who wanted his children to arise in the morning, was true to nature, and the entire program was a running fire of funny original jokes.

He kept his audience in a convulsed state of merriment and we must admit that the whole performance was devoid of the faintest touch of vulgarity—in fact Mr Burgderfer has, we believe, the cleanest repertoire of any comedian we have heard. The Parent-Teachers' Association should be congratulated upon getting him here and we hope for more of the same. Patronage was good considering the severe weather and we might say Mr. Burgderfer needs no introduction to our people since he has appeared here previously as reader of the old Hillsdale College quartet.

What Does the New Year Bring?

We can say frankly it brings us relief in the way of less to do and less to look after in our line of work, since the past four weeks has been a time of hurry and flutter and anxiety to get work out for folks in time and also to perform the little thousand and one tasks that go with the newspaper business. Old 1924 with his hoary hair and tangled whiskers has gone his way to the boneyard alongwith petty jealousies, bickerings, neigborhood quarrels and the like, and in his place has come the blithsome cherub, 1925, rosy and ready to enter the door and begin carving a new future.

Even though we cannot recall a single great catastrophe brought by old 1924, yet we gladly bid him farewell, because there is a fond expectation of something better, something worth while—and a new lease of business life. Statisticians are optimistic concerning the outlook for big business the coming year, in fact they are guaranteeing it.

What have we to show for the labors of the past year? Some perhaps have not much—more's the pity. Others have profited from the labors of someone else, and are many hundreds of dollars better off than a year ago, financially, but are starving socially. No one has any fondness for a leech: then there are men and women who have by their own efforts gained a few steps on the financial ladder, they are scrupulous—they are thrifty, and to this latter class we must ascribe most of the glory, the honor and the credit of good citizenship.

Candidly, the man who keeps digging into hard work regardless of what comes his way and keeps his eye on the indicator, is the best off when the end of the year comes and he balances the ledger. It makes us wroth to see so many of the younger people whose lives are in the prime, recklessly spending their incomes as they get them. At their time in life the whole program should be work—work—work, and save—save—save. Who cares if the criticisers do talk! The world is full of foolish snobs who think the young person should cut a wide swath and throw money at the birds. If you will watch these self same birds you will find their goal is mostly the junk pile and bankruptcy, and the quacks after a short but meteoric career suddenly find themselves old and their health is gone—age has stolen on them unawares, and they are a bundle of broken sticks, good for nothing—worth nothing, except to cumber the earth as driftwood. We welcome the New Year with joyous acclaim, and though it is sad to know we are one year older.

OPPOSES FEDERAL RAIL OWNERSHIP

Government Operation Would Mean Increased Taxation for General Public, Says Rail Head.

Opposition to Government ownership of the railroads, not because of the interests of the present owners but rather because of the burdens and disadvantages the change would impose upon the people as a whole, was expressed by C. H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central Railroad, in an address before the recent convention of the American Bankers Association.

"We have never favored Government ownership as a national policy," Mr. Markham said. "If the railroads are taken over by the Government, we must face the fact that the big step in reversing our old and settled policy will be taken. If there is no particular reason why the Government should not own and run the railroads, is there any reason why it should not take over also the banks, the stores, the factories, the farms, until all of us are Government employees and the ideal of the soviet is attained? The railroads are the first line of defense against those who would make this country a second Russia.

"The railroads have about 2,000,000 employees, approximately as many employees as there are in all the Government services — Federal, State, county and municipal—put together. If the railroads are taken over by the Government, there will be one Government employee out of every ten wage earners in the country, instead of one out of every twenty, as at present.

Doubling Taxation

"Then, too, there is the matter of taxation. The railroads, under private ownership, are among our heaviest taxpayers. Last year they paid taxes amounting to $3 for every man, woman and child in the country. In some counties, particularly in the Middle West, the railroads pay from 10 per cent to nearly 50 per cent of the taxes collected. Under Government ownership, the railroads would be no more subject to taxation than the post offices now are. In some way the Government would have to make up the difference of $3 a head for every person in the country. In many counties the taxes on the remaining property would have to be nearly doubled. The result would be an unbearable burden that might force many of our local governments to stop payments on their bonds and go into bankruptcy. The tax problem would be a great deal more vexatious than it is today.

"Then, too, the acquisition of the railroads would add more than twenty billion dollars to our national debt. If Government railroads in this country were no more successful than they are elsewhere today in the world, the interest on that twenty billions of purchase price would be the cause for additional burdens on the taxpayers left to carry it. As the tax burden developed, it would not be surprising to see other industries welcoming Government ownership for themselves. They would gain immunity from taxation in turn, and their owners probably would be protected from loss. The Constitution prevents the confiscation of private property, and Government ownership can be accomplished only by paying a fair price for the properties taken over.

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Senator Owen Charges Deflation of Farm Prices and Values Due to Republicans.

BIG INTERESTS GET TIP

Thousands of Agricultural Producers and Small Business Men Ruined Since 1920, and Depression Not Yet Halted.

Washington, D. C.—Frequent mention of the "deflation" of agricultural prices and values has been made by speakers and newspapers since the present presidential campaign began several weeks ago and is likely to be heard even more often before November 4. Senator Robert L. Owen's speech on this subject in the Senate is gaining wide circulation because of his charge—never denied by the Republican Senators who heard him in the Senate or by any other Republican—that certain big individuals and interests had a "tip" in advance that the "squeeze" was impending, while farmers and others were unaware of the plan for stopping credits and depressing values.

Senator Owen declared that the Republican Congress and then the Harding administration were responsible for the "deflation" which has ruined thousands of farmers and small business men since 1920. Senator Owen said in part:

"That Republican convention (1920) declared in favor of a policy of deflation. * * * In his (Candidate Harding's) acceptance speech he declared in favor of a policy of deflation. The time for action had come. * * * All of the arrangeemnts for bringing on the panic had been made. The Farm Loan banks were closed; the War Finance Corporation was closed, and the Republican Congress had fastened on the Federal Reserve banking system that cruel and criminal progressive interest rate amendment, under which the panic of 1920 and 1921 was brought about and under which a bank in Alabama was charged 87½ per cent. They never disclosed to the public their purpose to produce a panic until it was too late for the farmers, merchants and bankers of the South and West, and honest business men of the country generally, to take the steps necessary to protect their interests. * * *

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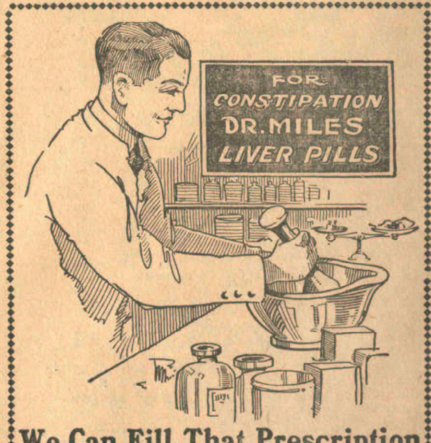

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Born to Mark Davis and wife a son to be known as Raymond C. Davis. Jan. 5th.

Born to Charles Patrick and wife, Jan. 5th a daughter to be known as Elois Mary Belle.

Marcus Collins returned to Ypsilanti after spending the Holiday vacation at the home of his parents.

Mrs. E, A. S. Allen underwent an operation at the Addison Hospital. She is getting along nicely.

Born Dec. 22, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith of Lansing a daughter, They were formerly of North Adams.

Mrs. J. J. Hilts (nee Edlah Knapp) was called here by the death of her sister Mrs. Lucille Iveson.

The Friendship Club met at the home of Mrs. Addie Schilling Dec. 27th, with the usual attendance. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. R. Holkins Jan. 16. Quotations: Resolves for the New Year.

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—Klan speaker at the Methodist church Tuesday evening Jan. 13th. All invited.

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Linnus Heydon of Quincy and Ruth Monroe of Pittsford will be week end guests of Rev. and Mrs. Hunt.

Rev. and Mrs. Hunt spent the week in Hillsdale where he resumed his college duties after the Xmas vacation.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter No 288 O. E. S. on Tuesday evening Jan. 13. Initiation, Potluck supper at 6:30 sharp.

This office is putting out a bunch of handsome calendars for Walters Garage. We shall hereafter make a specialty of manufacturing calendars.

Born to Dean Williams and wife Jan. 6th, a son to be known as Dean Lewis. Mrs. Williams is at the Hillsdale city hospital and is reported as gaining nicely.

For the benefit of those who have been delinquent in calling on the Advocate, we wish to say the calendars are all gone and we shall have no more until Jan. 1, 1926.

Found—Comb case and mirror on the streets. Owner can have same by identifying property and paying for this notice. Call at the Advocate office. 32t3

Mrs. Anna Pearson who has been ill and staying at the home of her brother, Will Smith, in Camden, has returned to her home in North Adams much improved in health.

The Hoxie Aid Society will meet in the basement of the Methodist church in this village Thursday January 15 for an all day meeting. Potluck dinner.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt entertained for New Years dinner the following: Mr. and Mrs. Eben Hunt of Hillsdale, Mr. and Mrs. William Hunt and daughter Dorothy also of Hillsdale and Earl Spangler and family of Reading.

On Tuesday a couple of gentlemen from Detroit, representing Henry Ford of Dearborn, were in town trying to establish a Ford agency. They called on J. M. Williams and Walters'Garage. It is rumored also that they were looking for a site to establish an assembling plant which is probably pure bunk.

A speaker well posted on the workings, cause and effect of the Klan will give a lecture at the Methodist church Tuesday evening January 13th at 7:00 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Come and hear some facts and misrepresentations that have been made in regard to the Hooded Terrors.

Hillsdale county now has a woman Undersheriff and it stands the boys in hand to behave, since the broom and flatiron are hard weapons in the hands of one who knows how to use them. Dr. and Mrs. Midgely have been sworn in and as soon as New Years resolutions wear off there will be matters for the Sheriff and Sheriffess to attend to.

Economists are worrying their heads off to devise some scheme whereby girls can be kept on the farm, and it is claimed this is the most serious problem of the day. We wouldn't wonder if that was correct, but it does seem as though the bobbed hair craze was one of the "real chores" as the old negro Mammy remarked. It is not keeping the girl on the farm that matters so much as the trick of keeping them fairly well groomed and fit to associate with the young men as a moral uplift.

Mrs. Bertha Young was hostess to the Woman's club on Monday afternoon Jan. 5th. Fourteen members responded to roll call by naming a Michigan writer., the club sang America the Beautiful and repeated the club collect, after which the following program was given. Music, piano solo, Frances Young. Paper, Michigan's Resources, Fern Scrivens. "Michigan's Educational Institutions", Addie VanAken. music, vocal solo, Jean Young with Frances Young at the piano. Mrs. Mable Ford of Trempealeau Wis. was a guest of the club. The next meeting will be on Monday afternoon Jan. 19th with Addie VanAken as hostess.

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Methodist Church Prosperous

Since the pastorate of Rev. Hutton there is a marked improvement in the interest and attendance in all departments of the church. One of the most notable changes has been from the suggestion of Rev. Hutton for a weekly bulletin or church catalogue issued each week in the year and distributed to the Sunday morning audience. This is the plan on which city churches operate and it is a highly valued adjunct in building up our attendance. In the bulletin appear all affairs of the week

Brotherhood Meeting Sunday Evening

On Sunday evening at the Methodist church the county Brotherhood Chorus under direction of Frank Perkins of Hillsdale gave one of their popular concerts. Several of Hillsdale and Jonesville members were present and selections rendered were enthusiastically received. Rev. Hutton, Carl Anthony Rock of Jonesville and Mr. Aulsbro of Hillsdale gave talks on the conditions and needs of the retired ministers.

Congregational Church is Growing

Rev. Virgil Hunt informs us that he received 26 new members into his church Sunday morning last at the usual church hour. Baptismal services were held and 24 young people received the rite. Since his pastorate here Rev. Hunt has taught a popular class in the Sunday school and the fruits of his labor are in evidence as nearly the entire class are now in full church membership.

Ages of the candidates range from 13 to 20 years. The church has shown a new lease of life since the advent of the Hunts.

New York Central Stock For Sale

We received a letter on Thursday from "One Hundred Car Pat Crowley" president of the New York Central Lines, stating that the company had entered upon a new era January 7th and would become a co-operative concern offering and selling its stock to all employees at $110.00 per share, whereas the market price at this moment is $120.00 per share

Those not having the lucre to put down spot cash, can pay in instalments of from $5 to $15 per share, with interest at 4 per cent on deferred payments. No one can buy more than 20 shares and is entitled to only one share for every two hundred of his annual salary.

This looks good to us inasmuch as it will teach the workers to have nerve, but at the same time encourage "plunging" in stocks, which is not a healthy practice for an underpaid railroad man.

By this process section bosses and car wheel tunkers automatically be owners of the road and their own bosses. We shall shortly see station men and section hands wearing silk tiles and carrying gold headed canes, but the funniest stunt would be when the engineer would give himself a thirty-day lay-off for knocking the end off an empty.

Markos Expert Metaphysicians

On Wednesday night the Markos traveling magicians, under auspices of the Senior class of the High school mystified people at the opera house with their sleight of hand performances and universal satisfaction is expressed by all who witnessed the program. Marko while not performing any radically new stunts, performed a number of old ones in a remarkably clever way that brought encores. Chemistry. mechanical appliances and lightning like changes figured in the stunts. and next morning the "boys" went about with various theories as to what they saw and not any of them professed to tell just how the Markos did it. The human eye is by far the quickest organ on the body yet it fails to follow the movements of these jugglers in transposing and metamorphosing animals, articles and liquids. Of course we know nothing is supernatural and there is an explanation to every trick pulled off, yet sometimes we are startled by the grewsomeness of it. The Markos certainly set at naught Abe Lincoln's favorite axiom "you can fool all of the people part of the time, and part of the people all the time but you cant fool all the people all the time." Here is a concrete example of the perjury of Lincoln's statement. We certainly have to admit that at the opera house on Wednesday night "all the people were fooled mostly all the time" and there was no getting by. The Markos went to Horton and thence back to Jonesville.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

There will be "Holy Communion" Service next Sunday morning, with special subject and special music.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Grace Williams next Tuesday Jan. 13th. A potluck dinner will be served. Don't miss this occasion.

Thursday evening of each week there will be Prayer meeting in the church parlors, and in the auditorium, Mr. Perkins of Hillsdale, (An Artist in vocal music) will instruct the Epworth Choir from 7:00 p. m. to 8:30, and the Sr. Choir from 8:30 to 9:30. This will be a rare opportunity for both choirs as well as the church, to secure the services of this able man in music. It will be important that all who avail themselves of this opportunity be on time.

Don't forget that every Sunday evening there will be special singing by the Epworth choir, also, a solo by Mr. Perkins, which will surely please all who hear them.

BAPTIST CHURCH

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Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45

Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

The services of our church were very well attended last Sunday and we desire to keep up our attendance this entire year. The new Sunday school Sup't. is proving himself a great help in our Sunday school and next Sunday he has planned a treat for us in the line of a special number. Be there! You will be benefitted and also help your class along in the contest which is now on and will close the last of March. We want the men to show their colors! Help the women win the contest and chicken pie supper! Everyone is cordially invited and welcomed to all of our services.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. George Fullerton wishes to thank the friends and neighbors who have so kindly remembered her during her late illness, and all who have shown so many favors.

Card of Thanks

We wish to acknowledge with sincere thanks the kindness and sympathy extended to us.

Don Iveson
Mr. and Mrs. John Duguid
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Annual Report of the Congregational church and Society

Meeting January 3, 1925 called to order and opened by prayer by the Pastor. Reports of officers of the Church and Auxiliaries given and accepted, and the following officers elected: Clerk, Ethel Clement; treasurer, Lewis Hersh; trustees, Lewis Eggleston and Howard Newman; pianist, Mrs. Wamsley; ushers, Harold Hersh and Franklin Kempton; chorister Mildred Miner Hunt.

Statement of North Adams Co-ops

Shipped during 1924
38 double deck carloads
18 single deck carloads

Total: 51 cars or 84 decks of Live Stock containing 1751 Lambs; 4587 Hogs; 747 Veals; 19 head of Cattle. Total 7204 head Stock.

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Farmers in Checks	$100,346.71
Money on hand	$4732.89
Outstanding checks	3682.23
Bank Balance Reserve	$1050.66

Carnival By Parent Teachers Association

Will be held in the opera house on January 17th in the evening. A real carnival is expected consisting of a program, a two reel picture, booths for selling candy and refreshments, games and in fact all that goes to make up a satisfactory entertainment for the benefit of the Parent Teachers Association. Considerable money has been spent in changing the old opera house into a more suitable gymnasium and community hall and to reimburse this outlay the carnival is staged. Come one! Come all! and remember it is putting your high school on a modern basis when you pay the price of admission to our carnival You want your village schools to have the best there is going and by means of a gymnasium and auditorium this can be done. All schools that amount to anything now are adopting the Community House idea. We shall have more to say next week.

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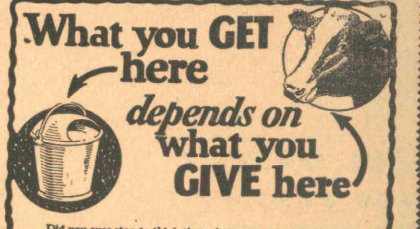
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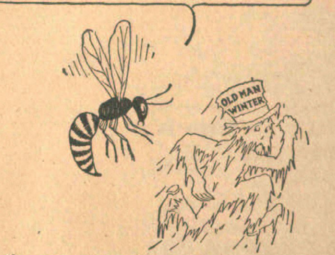

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Michigan Happenings

A hearing of the charge of Mayor Peter C. Jezewski, of Hamtramck, that he has been placed in an intolerable position by state interference in the administration of police affairs will be held at Lansing the evening of Wednesday, January 14, Governor Groesbeck has announced. Jezewski, whose removal had been asked on allegations that the laws were not being enforced, was virtually placed on probation with the understanding that William Berg, police commissioner, appointed upon the recommendation of the state, was to be given a free hand to clean up the town.

Incomplete figures on deer license sale in the state as received by Dr. John N. Lowe, of the Northern State Normal school, indicate that licenses were issued to approximately 41,000 hunters this year as compared with 35,000 in 1923. John Baird, state conservation commissioner, estimates that about 20,000 deer were killed this year. The 1924 slaughter was considerably greater than in 1923, Baird says, pointing out that 1923 was an "off year" for deer hunting, with warm weather prevailing and no snow in the woods throughout the season.

Tax figures for 1924 incomes showing several important changes in exemptions and big cuts in the rate on small incomes, have been given out by Fred L. Woodworth, collector of internal revenue. This year all married persons can claim exemption of $2,500 and single persons $1,000. The tax last year was 4 per cent on the first $4,000 and 6 per cent on incomes exceeding $4,000. This year only 2 per cent will be levied on the first $4,000, 4 per cent on the second $4,000, and 6 per cent on all incomes exceeding $8,000.

Eugene Willette, 32, of Gladstone, is dead as the result of plunging off the northwestern ore dock at Escanaba to the ice 100 feet below. He is the fourth man to be killed in connection with the work of remodeling the dock. Willette was engaged in hooking a cable to a large timber which was to have been lowered to the bottom of the dock when the timber slid off the side of the icy dock, carrying him with it.

Hugh Dillon, of Dowagiac, Mich., who drove his automobile into a Michigan Central train at Marshall last spring and killed William Shaw, a passenger in the auto, was sentenced to from six months to five years at the Michigan Reformatory at Ionia by Circuit Judge Walter H. North. A jury convicted Dillon of negligent homicide.

James H. Wade, for 25 years secretary of the University of Michigan, is dead from a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Wade was born in Onondaga County, New York, and came to Jonesville, Mich., when a boy. In 1883 he came to Ann Arbor as secretary of the university. He held the post until 1908.

In the condemnation case of the Detroit & Ironton Railroad Co., owned by Henry Ford, a Circuit Court jury at Monroe, awarded the heirs in the Whittkop estate, of Dundee township, $3,100 for about 7 acres of land. The amount is virtually the same as offered by the representatives of the company.

Mack Tourtelotte of Fennville, who has been in the hospital at Kalamazoo since November 16, with a broken neck, has returned to his home. His neck was broken when his automobile overturned and he was thrown to the ground, striking on his head.

Joseph A. Martin, former acting mayor and commissioner of purchases and supplies of Detroit, has been exonerated from charges of price fixing among contractors on valves and hydrants, during his administration, by federal investigators.

Two Grand Rapids boys, Bernard S. Kelly, 14 years old, and Albert Ryan, 16 years old, are held at Mobile, Ala., following their escape from jail at Merdian, Tenn., while being held for local officers on a charge of theft of an automobile.

Dorothy Slagh, of Holland, is believed to have set a record for attendance at Sunday School. The girl has not missed Sunday School at the First Reformed church in 11 years, having attended 572 classes in that time.

Detroit's construction record for 1924 was $160,064,794—an increase of $30,345,063 over the record for 1923.

Merger of the Hillsdale Light & Fuel Co., the Coldwater Gas Light & Fuel Co., the Grand Haven Gas Co., and the Monroe Gas Light & Fuel Co., under the name of the Central States Utilities Co., has been announced.

Machinery has been purchased that will double the capacity of the Petoskey Portland Cement Co. plant, and installation will start Feb. 15, according to John L. A. Galster, secretary-treasurer.

The Michigan public utilities commission has raised the Detroit-Mt. Clemens and Detroit-Pontiac bus fares from one-and-a-half to two cents a mile and fixed the minimum fare at five cents, reducing it from 10 cents.

Damage suits aggregating $125,000 will be filed against the Grand Rapids Gas Light Co. by the Federal Compensation Commission, seeking to recover compensation paid relatives of postal employes and those injured in the postoffice explosion Nov 12.

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"Gee whiz," said a busy man as he stepped into a Wichita barber shop and found six girls in advance of him. While he was considering whether to wait or not, a girl in a chair paid her bill and departed and the five others who were only waiting for her went with her.—Wichita Eagle.

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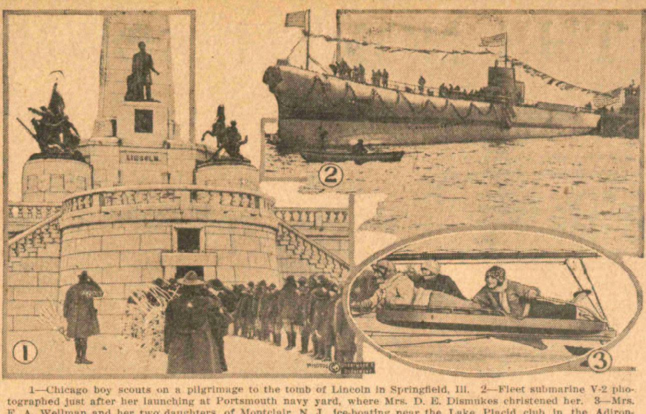

1—Chicago boy scouts on a pilgrimage to the tomb of Lincoln in Springfield, Ill. 2—Fleet submarine V-2 photographed just after her launching at Portsmouth navy yard, where Mrs. D. E. Dismukes christened her. 3—Mrs. F. A. Wellman and her two daughters, of Montclair, N. J., ice-boating near the Lake Placid club in the Adirondacks.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Uncle Sam Lets France Know He Won't Stand for War Debt Repudiation.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

THERE was considerable excitement in government circles in Washington when the publication of the French budget revealed the fact that it did not include France's war debt to the United States. A spokesman for the administration stated in rather blunt language that this country expects France to recognize the debt and to make immediate arrangements to fund it, pointing out that repudiation would seriously affect international credit. He said the position of this government is that, while we do not wish to be oppressive, we recognize no grounds in law or equity why the debt should be reduced or canceled. On the question of the validity of the debt, the government spokesman pointed out that $1,000,000,000 of the loan had been turned over to France after the war was over and that $400,000,000 more had been credited to France for the purchase of war surplus supplies.

In both the senate and the house the matter came up and the supposed attitude of France was severely criticized. Senator Reed of Pennsylvania, speaking for Secretary Mellon, chairman of the war debt funding commission, set forth the necessity of collection of the debt from France to relieve American taxpayers of that portion of their burden, asserting that repudiation would destroy French credit and intimating that the French attitude would put an end to French borrowings of American bankers.

The French embassy in Washington promptly issued a statement explaining that the American debt was not included in the budget because the law does not permit the inclusion of indeterminable items for payment of which no revenue is provided; and both there and in Paris it was reiterated that France had never intimated that she would repudiate the obligation. This was not enough, however, and Ambassador Herrick conferred with Premier Herriot and Finance Minister Clementel, both of whom repeated the explanation and the assurance that France's intentions were honest, and telegraphed this assurance also to the British government. The truth appears to be that the Herriot government is glad thus to have the French people disabused of the prevalent idea that the debt will be either canceled or materially reduced. In this both political and financial considerations weigh largely, for, until the French public is brought to realize that the American and British debts must be paid, any government that undertakes to pay them will be politically dead; and, in addition, American credit and American tourist trade mean a tremendous lot to France.

According to Washington dispatches, the administration leaders in congress are formulating a plan by which France will be given about thirty days to demonstrate her intention to fund the debt, and if she fails in this it is their purpose to ask the senate to adopt a resolution condemning the attitude of France and expressing disapproval of any further loans or extensions of credit by American bankers or other individuals to the French government or to French citizens. President Coolidge, of course, knows all about this plan and is said to approve its important features, but he has come to no hasty conclusions and still assumes that France intends to propose a fair settlement of the debt.

GERMANY received in sullen and threatening mood the notification from the entente nations that the Cologne bridgehead will not be evacuated on January 10, as was provided in the treaty of Versailles, because of her own failure to observe the terms of the treaty in the matter of disarmament. Foreign Minister Stresemann declared that, unless a compromise were reached, peace in Europe would be dealt a terrible blow, the reconciliation of nations postponed and the fulfillment of the Dawes plan greatly endangered. He warned the allies not to overtax the patience of Germany, which was interpreted to mean that Germany was prepared to reply by making harder trade treaty terms. He said that the machinery in the Krupp gun works had not been dismantled because it was busy on American orders. The German government has demanded that the alleged facts on which the allied control commission based its report and recommendation that the Cologne region be not evacuated should be made public at once. The commission was asked by the allies to rush to Paris all its information on the German failure to disarm, so that they can justify their action in the eyes of the world. This should make most interesting reading. The most important part of the report deals with the methods by which Germany is said to have at least 700,000 men trained and equipped for war. A Paris paper is publishing a series of sensational articles revealing Germany's alleged gigantic preparations for the next conflict. One of these tells of a new and devastating war gas developed by a German scientist, and says great quantities of mustard gas and suffocating gas are also being made.

The German reichstag meets January 5 and Berlin dispatches say Chancellor Marx, Foreign Minister Stresemann and Finance Minister Luther plan to form a nonpolitical directorate with extraordinary powers to deal with the situation temporarily.

GREAT BRITAIN'S invitation to the premiers of the dominions to a conference in London in March to discuss the empire's policy in the matter of the Geneva peace and disarmament protocol, has met a chilly reception in the dominions and their attitude is worrying the government in London not a little, for it amounts to a practical declaration of their complete independence of Great Britain, the only connecting link being a common crown. Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and Canada have been exchanging views by cable and mail, trying to arrange to present a common front against Great Britain in the dispute that all feel is certain to come. As for the Geneva protocol, they feel that their own parliaments can decide their stand, and each of them has a membership in the League of Nations.

PREMIER MUSSOLINI of Italy is fighting desperately and so far successfully to maintain his position in the face of the bitterest kind of attacks against him and the Fascisti. The latest development was the publication by the opposition of a memorandum written by Cesare Rossi, former chief of the press bureau of the interior department and now under arrest for connection with the murder of Deputy Matteotti. The document directly imputes to Mussolini the crimes committed by the Fascisti recently, asserting they were committed by his orders. It is generally believed the Rossi charges are unfounded, but they stirred up great excitement and complicated the difficulties under which Mussolini already was laboring. Some of the premier's followers have deserted him and others have urged him to resign, but he still has sufficient support in parliament to retain his position.

SPAIN has succeeded, at considerable cost in lives, in withdrawing her troops in Morocco to the prepared line connecting the coast towns, and hopes to remain there. Abd el Krim, leader of the rebellious tribesmen, last week issued a proclamation in which he said the Riff republic would treat with Spain only on equal terms, "since we are the victors and they are the vanquished." His peace conditions, he said, were:

"Recognition of the republic of the Riff, whose frontiers will be formed by the mouth of the River Kert and the River Marti, in which territory not a single Spanish position must remain nor warships of the vanquished nation exercise vigilance along the coast.

"Spain must agree not to engage Musselmen troops, transferring those in the service here to the borders of the government of the Riff republic; delivery of all Moroccan prisoners without ransom, at the same time paying a heavy sum for the ransom of Spanish prisoners we captured during the last glorious campaign in which our traditional enemy lost more men and materials and suffered more humiliations than three years ago."

SOME three thousand savants gathered in Washington for the sessions of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, divided themselves into 15 sections and proceeded to discuss a varied menu of scientific subjects. One of the addresses that attracted popular attention was that of Dr. Edward L. Rice professor of zoology in Ohio Wesleyan university, in which he characterized the views of W. J. Bryan on evolution as "dogmatic" and "dangerous to religion," and urged more unprejudiced co-operation in scientific and religious study. Mr. Bryan's arguments he said, were deduced "from the assumption of the literary accuracy of the Bible in general and of the first two chapters of Genesis in particular." This assumption was "not Biblical," nor was it "accepted by leading Bible scholars of today," he said.

Dr. W. P. Davey of the General Electric company's research laboratory told of the production of a new form of copper that conducts electricity with 13 per cent more efficiency than the ordinary copper. Dr. E. C. Rosenow of the Mayo Foundation reported the discovery of bacteria that appear to be responsible for the present epidemic of hiccoughs. Favorable results looking toward the control of diabetic symptoms by means of insulin administered by the mouth, instead of hypodermically, as at present, were reported in a paper by Dr. John R. Murlin of the University of Rochester. To overcome the problem of the destruction of insulin by stomach juices, Doctor Murlin said he had prepared insulin tablets which pass through the stomach unaffected and are dissolved in the intestines.

ILLINOIS especially is interested in the result of the civil suit to recover from Gov. Len Small the interest on state funds which he is charged with withholding when he was state treasurer. Judge Burton at Springfield held Small liable to the state for all interest paid by Chicago packers on state funds lent them in 1917 and 1918 and referred the case back to a master in chancery for determination of the amount of indebtedness. Since the Illinois law provides that no one in debt to the state can be elected governor, there was some question whether or not the second inauguration of Small, set for January 12, would be blocked.

WORKING rapidly, the house passed the treasury-post office supply bill, carrying a total of $763,000,000, and sent it on to the senate. Among other items in the bill are $11,000,000 for prohibition enforcement; $20,000,000 for the coast guard service, of which half will be available during the coming year to check liquor smuggling; $2,600,000 for the transcontinental air mail service; $16,656,200 for the customs service and $9,103,101 for the public health service. The house at the close of the week was considering the army appropriation measure.

Senator Norris, chairman of the agricultural committee, introduced a resolution directing the federal trade commission to conduct an inquiry into the doings of the "power trust," which, he charged, is attempting to dictate disposal of the Muscle Shoals property.

NOTABLE among the deaths of the week were those of Leon Bakst, celebrated Russian painter and stage scenery designer, who succumbed to pneumonia in Paris; William Archer, the veteran English dramatic critic and author, and A. Henry Savage-Landor, famous artist and explorer, whose sensational experiences in Tibet were related in his book, "The Forbidden Land."

NOTRE DAME university made good its claim to the intercollegiate football championship by defeating Leland Stanford at Pasadena, Cal., on New Year's day, the score being 27 to 10. The University of California eleven beat the University of Pennsylvania by a score of 14 to 0, the game being played at Berkeley. Both contests were witnessed by immense crowds.

Motor Vehicles Make Steady Popular Growth

New York.—Motor vehicle registrations in the United States show that there is one passenger car or truck for every 6.42 persons, based on an estimated population of 114,000,000.

Registrations during the year, excluding the last ten days of December, totaled 17,700,179, a gain of 16.28 per cent over the total of 15,222,658 recorded in 1923.

These statistics, compiled from official figures obtained from every state, were made public by the magazine Motor.

Passenger cars increased during the year from 13,455,073 to 15,520,663, a gain of 2,065,590, or 15.35 per cent.

Commercial vehicles jumped from 1,767,585 at the end of 1923 to 2,179,516, an increase of 23.3 per cent.

The amount of money invested in these vehicles is estimated at $10,620,107,400.

New York leads in registrations with 1,412,050, of which 1,136,300 are passenger cars. California is second with 1,321,480, and is less than 10,000 behind on passenger cars, which number 1,126,956. Other states in the 1,000,000 class are Illinois and Ohio.

The second five in order are: Michigan, 877,453; Texas, 823,074; Massachusetts, 672,315;; Indiana, 649,787; Iowa, 614,500.

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Volcnoes Furnish Power

Not very recently we saw an article referring to the steam issuing from volcanic fissures and hot springs being economized for power and the other day we saw one more article. As a matter of fact, there is untold horse power going entirely to waste in the West, particularly in Yellowstone Park, the home of many hot gushing springs or geysers of boiling water, but to the Italian nation belongs the credit of first harnessing the giant to the steam engine and generating electric currents sufficient for running factories and lighting vast cities. In western America almost on the Pacific coast, stands Mount Lassan, the only active volcanic peak in this country, and all about this mountain are evidences of a terrific heat down in the bowels of the earth. No doubt in time borings will be made in the volcanic rock for live steam and the energy used to drive monstrous steam engines whose duty it will be to furnish electric current to speed the cannon ball express on its way and turn night's gloom into day.

Until such time as the United States government sees fit to grant privileges to individuals to go into Yellowstone Park and experiment nothing will come of the great quantities of live steam going to waste.

In Italy electricity taken from volcanic heat is sent over the wires to Florence, Leghorn, Piombino, and other cities and towns for light and power. Italian engineers are now using some energy that has for centuries gone to waste and that has caused such great loss of life and property in that ancient land.

Borings are being made now on the slopes of Etna and also on the islaud of Vulcano which is one of the Lipari group north of Sicily. The Lipari Islands are subsidiary peaks of Stambouli, whose crater was supposed by the ancients to be entrancc to Pluto's fiery realm. Vulcano was thought to be the headquarters of the blacksmith gcd. The rumblings of his bellows and the clangings of his anvil were heard deep down in the earth.

The famous region of Tuscany north-west of Rome, is the scene of numerous natural steam wells, called "puffing holes." About 40 square miles of country in this area is underlaid by a constant steam pressure coming from below. These puffing holes go down to great depths and all derive their steam from some underground cauldron. Out of them the steam spurts in vigorous jets, some of them forming small lake-like craters that are filled with boiling water.

WLS Writes And Produces Own Operas

WLS the Sears-Roebuck station Chicago, is probably the only radio station which writes and produces its own operas. Starting January 8, opera will be a regular Thursday evening featnre at 7-20. The program will last forty miuutes. The first operas have been written by Harry Saddler, who is in charge of WLS Theatre. On Jan. 8 "Cherry Blossoms" will be presented. On the 15th radio fans will hear "Asuwere" There will be an opening chorus just as in the regular stage productions, as well as the "lines" of the various characters. The operas are written especially adapted to radio presentation.

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A Few Remarks About Abe Lincoln

"Honest Old Abe" Lincoln looms up to us still larger and mightier as successive Februarys come and go and the years lengthen out since the great Civil War which involved brother against brother. From The Illinois Watch Co. we received copy of the following and we thought it good enough to print and inasmuch as this company annually spends thousands of dollars putting out Lincoln medals to encourage the students of our high schools to wake up their literary ability, we think the company is entitled to some credit, and that reminds us that James Meeks of our high scheol, won the Lincoln medal last seasou.

HIS MECHANICAL GENIUS

Lincoln possessed mechanical genius. With rude tools he built cabins and fiat boats. Even in his public and professional life he often indulged in mechanical dreams In his navigation of western waters, his craft frequently lodged on shifting shoals and bars. He contrived an apparatus of which a bellows was the animating principle. This bellows was folded to the hull of the boat When occasion demanded. it could be inflated for the pnrpose of lifting tne craft over the obstruction. He whittled out a model which is now preserved in the patent office at Washington. A patent was issued to him but it is not certain that the navigation of western rivers were revolutionized by it.

Lincoln acquired much of his law knowledge by reading borrowed books under an oak tree near Old Salem. Day after day and week after week he sat in the shade of the tree and moved as the sun shifted the shadows. One historian says that he was so much absorbed that some people thought and remarked he was crazy.

HE DIDN'T DRINK

It has been a favorite hobby with historians and writers to paint Lincoln as a total abstainer from mischievous liquors, and we hope that such is true. As captain in the Black Hawk war Lincoln regaled his soldiers with stories and jests. He recounted his adventures in Kentucky and Indiana, and brought Aesop's fables down to date. Frequently his pleased auditors passed the whiskey jug to him, but his invariable reply was: "Thank you, I never drink."

In "A Man for The Ages" written concerning Lincoln, the author fails to show Lincoln's temperance attributes.

We beg the most humble pardon of our readers for referring to it, but right here it comes to us that Abe Lincoln was somewhat of a fighter with his fists. In the rude days in Kentucky when corn whiskey was "nothing at all" and everybody had plenty of it for thirst, the bullies used to doll up with a few drinks and go to barn raisings and the like. Always before the wind-up there was a fight and likely as not a murder and Lincoln was present on many of these occasions. Several times we have correct reports of the encounters in which Mr. Lincoln took a hand and his immense size and great physical strength always made him the winner. Writers have quoted Lincoln variously in regard to temperance, but the truth still remains that when a young man he partook of this raw frontier whiskey.

Let us believe he did not under any circumstances use it excessively but as a medical dose to relieve fevers and ague which raged in the backwoods of those days.

See Xmas Trees As Michigan Farm Crop

Raising Christmas trees as a farm crop in Michigan is the logical solution of the problem arising from the demand that Christmas tree cutting be abandoned in order to save the state forests, according to Prof. A. K. Chittenden, head of the forestry department at the M. A. C.

"The use of Christmas trees is so beautiful a custom in the traditions of the American nation that it should not be abandoned," declares Chittenden. Their use is interwoven in the sentiment of Christmas celebrations, and there seems to be nothing to take their place The destruction of forests can be prevented, however, if farm grown stocks of evergreens are developed

There are a great many farms throughout not only Michigan but the entire country as well that have small areas of land unsuited to ordinary farming. Such places are said to be ideal for Christmas tree planting. Tree plantations will also often pay even on valuable land.

The Norway spruce is the tree best adapted for Christmas tree plantations, according to Professor Chittenden. It has a rapid rate of growth, a beautiful shape and rather rigid branches. From six to eight years will produce good sized Christmas trees, but smaller table size trees can be grown in less time.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage [bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthuin and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking ffrm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldren, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65. which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm o6 Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is on record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showingsuch assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchante Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is on record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the morigagors to make payments of the principal sum and interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65, and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place for holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest hereon, and the inscrance paid by 4aid mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's as provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, described as follows to wit: Two acres off the south east corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of Section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.

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Washington, D. C.—For the first time in the history of politics, a textbook of campaign material, giving party records, sample speeches, "don'ts for women speakers" and a selection of political jingles and songs has been issued for the use of women campaigners. The book, which is just off the press, is "The Women's Democratic Campaign Manual" and is issued by the Democratic National Committee.

The Women's Manual is issued in attractive form and typing, and besides containing the usual campaign powder for attacking the Republican Administration and party record, it also has instructive information for the campaigner, and in the songs, jokes and jingles offers her a selection to add a lighter touch to her speech.

The manual opens with biographies of John W. Davis and Charles W. Bryan, which are written in human interest style, with emphasis upon the points in the careers of both men most inclined to interest women. Of Mr. Davis it is said "that his record as a public servant shows him a supporter of the matters that pertain to Democratic interests and sympathetic to the things for which women stand in politics." Mr. Bryan's statement, made in his acceptance speech, welcoming the participation of women in politics, is quoted.

A review of the respective attitudes of the Democratic and Republican parties toward women voters is given, and it is claimed that as "first aid to the innocent in politics, as aider of women in their determination to stand for progressive measures and candidates the Democratic party is far in advance of its Republican opponent."

The history of the fight for the suffrage amendment is given in brief, and the prominent part played by the Democratic party and President Wilson in obtaining the vote for women is outlined.

Discusses Chief Issues

The major portion of the book is devoted to setting forth the six chief issues in the campaign, in a form readily understood by women voters and quickly available for women speakers. These issues are Conservation, in which is given a review of the Naval oil reserve scandals; the Tariff, in which it is explained how the high protective Fordney-McCumber Act is a great burden on the housekeeper and wife, as she expends the family budget; Foreign Relations, in which the attitude of the Democratic party is set forth in comparison with the Republican party's attempted backdoor "bootlegging participation" in the World Court; a comparison of the records of the two parties in sponsoring social welfare legislation; a comparison of the labor records, in which it is shown that Mr. Davis' labor stand is 100 per cent, and concluding with a relation of the civil service scandals in the Republican Administration of 1921-1924.

A chapter in the book is devoted to setting forth the record of the Democratic party on Child Labor laws, showing how the only two Federal laws ever enacted were by that party. Mr. Davis' record and campaign utterances on Child Labor are given in full, including his statement that if he were a member of a State legislature, he would vote to ratify the Child Labor amendment.

Women are invited to study the record of Calvin Coolidge, when as Governor of Massachusetts he was reputed to have halted the Boston police strike, thus laying the foundation for the "Coolidge myth of calmness, coolness and courage," the book states. The stand of Charles G. Dawes, the Republican vice-presidential candidate, against union labor and favoring the open shop is given. An "Oil Primer" of facts on the Naval oil reserves scandal and a list of Republican scandals are other chapters intended to furnish material for attack upon the opposing forces.

In "Mother Goose in Politics" a number of rhymes are given, of which this is a sample:

"POOR TOMMIE!

"Little Tommie Tucker pines for his supper—
But what can he eat? He can't afford butter.
And how can he slice bread without any knife?
This Republican tariff has blasted his life!"

A number of prominent women have contributed to the book including Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, of New York; Mrs. Emily Newell Blair, vice-chairman of the Democratic National Committee; Mrs. Izetta Jewell Brown; "Ma" Ferguson; Mrs. Halsey

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ON SAVING AND INVESTING

Aunt Emmy and Maud were talking about saving money.

"What does a savings bank do with the money people put in it, Aunt Emmy?" inquired Maud.

"It is invested in sound mortgages, perhaps, or government and corporation securities. You see, the men who run savings banks are trained financiers. They know what securities are good and what are questionable, so they invest the bank's funds—that is, the money they receive from their depositors—in the best securities in such a way that they will be able to pay you interest on your deposits and be able to return your money to you when you want it. In order to do that they must invest in securities that pay a higher rate of interest than they give you to cover the bank expenses and set aside a surplus against emergencies."

"But, Aunty, if the banks invest our money, why can't we invest it ourselves?"

"We could if we knew as much about investments as the bank does. Bankers are not likely to make the mistakes made by the ordinary person. They are not deceived by impressive looking stock certificates, plausible letters from brokers or charming voices over the telephone urging them to buy this or that. Your banker is a hard-headed business man who investigates thoroughly before he invests the bank's money. For this reason many conservative persons prefer to keep their savings in a savings bank, knowing that their money is in wise hands and that even though the rate of interest they get may be moderate their money is far safer than it would be if it were invested less skillfully."

"Surely, though, it must be possible to get more than 4 per cent on your money and yet be safe," Maud said.

"It is under certain conditions," Aunt Emmy agreed. "The trouble is that so few people are frank about their money matters with men who really can be trusted for advice. They would rather take the advice of a glib stock salesman. No matter how small a sum a person is thinking of investing, advice should be sought from a trust company or bank. Women especially don't seem to realize this.

"The savings bank is always safe. It is a good plan to keep putting money in the savings bank until you have a good sum. Then withdraw part and invest it in some security paying a higher rate of interest. But be sure to seek good advice before you buy. In this way you can always have some cash on hand in the bank, yet gradually convert most of your savings into high grade securities." — ANNE B. AYMES.

THE BURDEN OF GOVERNMENT

The financial burden of government has become increasingly heavy in recent years. It has, at times, reached the point of oppression. The Federal tax of 1920 aggregated more than five and one-half billion dollars. This year, after strenuous efforts to reduce the war-time peak, the total still exceeds three billion dollars—a sum far greater than the entire burden of funded debt accumulated as a result of the Civil War. State and local taxes have increased at an even greater rate. Taxation has become more than a problem; it is a threat of impending disaster.

Nor is the burden of government limited to taxation. We are oppressed by a multiplicity of restrictive laws and administrative regulations. It is estimated that there are over two million laws and ordinances in the records of nation, states and municipalities. One adult person out of every twenty engaged in business or industry is a government official, agent or employee.

In the face of this record, despite the general recognition of the overwhelming burden of government, we find ourselves constantly waging a defensive battle against plans and programs which would transfer still greater duties to government, which would hamper individual initiative still further, which will—if put into practice—crush individual ambition and destroy individual opportunity.

Under these circumstances it is our right—it is our duty—to affirm and defend sound principles of political faith as we have, on other occasions, supported sound principles of economic progress. The Constitution of the United States has stood for 135 years as the bulwark of our individual and our collective liberties. The Constitution has been and is now the greatest existing restraint upon an arrogant majority. It has been and is now the greatest existing defence of the very minorities which, at this time, are being led to denounce its restrictions.

One of our greatest needs is to repel the attacks now being made upon the integrity of this charter of our freedom. We should—we must—oppose vigorously all efforts to give Congress the power to override decisions of the Supreme Court—and thereby destroy the division of governmental power which is the inherent strength of our constitutional system.—Walter W. Head, American Bankers Association.

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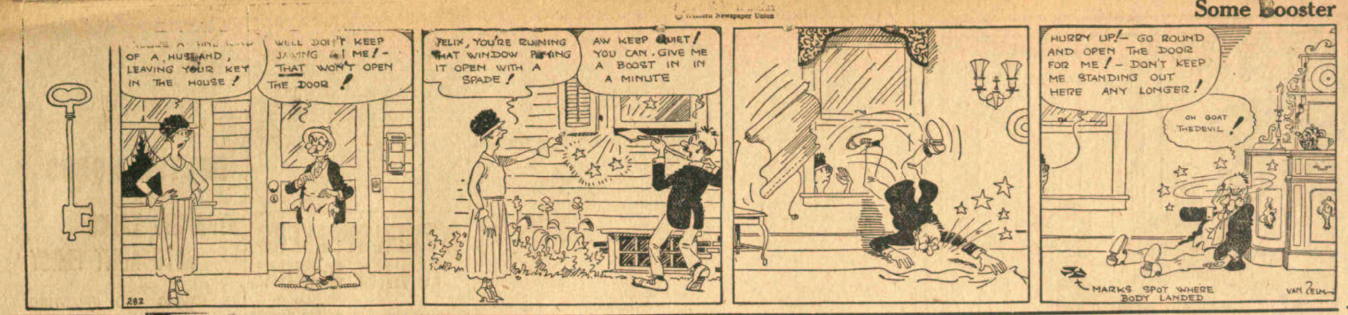
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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

What Is A Good Citizen?

"Hold fast to the high ideals that flash upon your vision in hours of exaltation."

Frances E. Willard.

The word citizen has two uses in present day speech, one signifying merely an inhabitant; the other, an exact one, signifying a political status. A Christian citizen is a follower of Jesus Christ who relates his Christian principles to political action.

In other days it was thought that because politics were in the hands of corrupt men a Christian could not participate in them. In these days the true relation of the kingdom of Heaven to earthly government is being better understood.

Three thousand years ago the Psalmist sang, "For the Kingdom is the Lord's and He is the Government among the nations." And later the prophet said, "the government shall beupon His shoulders." There is no doubt of the purpose of our God as relates to His supremacy in the affairs of earth as these and many other passages of Holy Writ determine.

It remained for our Lord to set the task before His people when He taught us to pray, "Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is in Heaven.', This is the first petition of the prayer. Before we ask anything for ourselves we pray the kingdom of God may come in the earth.

How shall the kingdom come? Those who love the kingdom must bring it—it cannot be supposed that any others will care to do so. The friends of Christ must bring His will in the earth. Who are His friends? "Ye are my friends if ye do whatsoever I command you.' What is the command? "Go ye therefore and teach all nations.. teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you."

Since that day loyal Christian hearts have burned with missionary fervor and sacrifices untold have been made to bring the message of Jesus Christ as a personal Savior to men and women in lands afar.

But Jesus Christ came to save nations as well as individuals. The Gospel is one of personal devotion but it is a gospel of social regeneration as well. It is a gospel of constructive goodness, but quite as much one of destruction of evil. "For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil."

The bringing of the Kingdom by personal uprightness and cleansing of society as an aid to this, is comprehended in "the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law."

It requires no process of reasoning to see that if custom and law are to be created for Christ, the processes by which they are created must be in the hands of Christ. His followers in the earth are His delegated representatives, hence all who profess His name must have as their definite task the bringing of the kingdom.

Neither did the Lord leave us without personal example. In two instances recorded he met the standard of a good citizen, both times paying the tribute money to the government under which He lived, and the last time adding the admonition. "Render therefore unto Caesar's and unto God the things that are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's." Devotion to country and to God are linked very closely in this word.

To be a good citizen, to render best possible service to one's country, is the responsibility of every one who receives the benefits and protection of government. But good citizenship is particularly the duty of the Christian, for the definite task of bringing the Kingdom in the world is his. It is therefore the purpose of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to rally a "greater army for the [great er task." A survey of social conditions will drive home the conviction that enforcement of law is the most needed contribution to good government at this time. How, then, shall good citizens function in this particular?

1—Let them implicitly obey the law themselves.

2—Discourage violation by declining indulgence in liquor among friends.

3—Courteously protest against jests at prohibition in movies, periodicals or in social intercouse.

4—Carry plans for co-operation in law enforcement into every organization to which they belong.

5—Co-operate with public school teachers to secure emphasis on scientific temperance teaching and citizenship study, with law observance specially stressed.

6—Secure the same co-operation in colleges.

7—Give great attention to the Christian Endeavor, Epworth League, Baptist Young People's Union Luther League, Lcyal Temperance Legion, and all other young people's societies. Assist their Good Citizenship committees to properly plan and function.

8—Study all public questions; the policy of every political party toward them, and the attitude of every aspirant for office.

9—Pay poll tax, if required in your state.

10—Register if necessary and induce others to do so.

11—Attend all caucuses, vote at primaries and final elections.

12—Uphold the officers now in charge of law enforcement. Offer your assistance if needed. Commend any good work they do. Protest when it is proper to do so. Secure removal from office when unfit. As a part of this program be sure that at every election officials are secured who will live up to their oath of office.

Finally, and most important and far-reaching of all, pray for our beloved country and its officiary. "More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of." God can as marvellously move the hearts of sinful men today as in the Crusade year. We do not know what our God would do, how speedily He would clear troubled skies and ease aching hearts and strengthen weak convictions if we would but beseech His aid. What other weapon should a Christian citizen so confidently use as the one that pertains particularly to his equipment? "Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit and watching thereunto with all perserverance."

"The greater army for the greater task," to its knees!

Clancy on The Gas Tax

The Hillsdale Daily quotes Denis Clancy's remarks on the gas tax and other matters pertaining to the issuing of 1925 licenses and of course it is natural for the Daily to quote Hillsdale's favorite sons, but we find after reading Clancy's little dissertation we don't quite get the drift of his remarks. Evidently Denis don't just know how the populace stands on this momentous question which so grippingly effects our pocketbook and yours and also Clancy's as he drives an automobile same as the rest of us plebeians.

We might say that that is a mighty good stand in our opinion for a legislator to take until his pin feathers are out anyhow. In the sedate and impressive halls of Michigan's congress these young fledgelings are like newly hatched chicks—they are to be fed and coddled, eventually launched out on life's career—in fact brought up as they "brought up father" We quote Clancy as follows:

"While at the present time it appears from reports that gas tax advocates in the legislature are credited with membership in an undesirable "bloc' still it is evident that the people of the state want a gas tax,"

That's good so far. Again we quote

"A weight tax as it is now advocated throws the burden of the tax on the heavy users of gas. On the whole this is the class that pays the least general property tax and is trying to escape their just amout of road tax. The farmer and the small business man who drives the light car and fewer miles will profit by the gas tax because he will be taxed in proportion to his use of roads."

That's right. Both correct as a book; now which does the newly elected congressman believe in? We don't know, he don't, Groesbeck don't know, and we'll bet a ten spot nine tenths of the legislators up at Lansing don't know nor dc they care. The main issue is to secure some funds to build roads ostensibly—but really to have a little tin in the treasury.

Oh you needn't worry. Those boys up at Lansing will fix the tax business so the money will have to come, and the chances are the burden of it will have to come from the tiller of the soil, same as it always has. He being the least "scrappy" and having the least to say about where our money shall go or where it shall come from, will naturally be the bird they'll light on the heaviest. The cute chaps who make the laws for us to follow are talking this thing and that thing; first a weight tax—which tickles the farmerite half to death; then a gas tax which tickles him still more, then Alas! when its all over but the kicking "the poor common peepul" will wake up and find the tax is about where it was before—right in the solar plexus of the man behind the plow. This road tax question has been bruited about until it is maggoty, and as we find by Clancy's remarks we are not yet arrived as to who are the proper ones to pay it.

The embarassing situation is that they have talked putting up a heavy weight tax—thinking it would effect the millionaires mostly—but the joke has fallen flat. It don't quite work out. Then they talk of putting a couple of cents more on the price of gas—as we suppose to coax the John D. Rockefeller crowd to lower the price a little and that don't theorize properly—so what are the poor legislators going to do anyhow?

The smart politician these days will talk in parables purely and indicate his sentiments with his digits alone, so that when he has saidhis say the electorate will know just where he stands—and that is mostly like the Colossus of Rhodes allowing all such issues to go betwixt and between.

Mr. Clancy, we are positive, will endeavor to get the real voice of his district, and proceed accordingly.

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Thirty State Farm Groups Plan Meets

More than 30 of the leading agricultural groups and associations of the state will hold meetings at the M. A. C. this winter during the annual Farmers Week, from Feb. 2 to 6, according to announcement made here this week by the college farm week committee.

The Michigan State Farm Bureau and the Michigan Improved Livestock Breeders and Feeders Association are the groups representing the largest membership among those scheduled to meet during the week. The 20 special subordinate breed associations which are included under the parent organization will hold individual meetings of their own, in addition to the general livestock meetings.

Other bodies included in the list of those who are to be at East Lansing the first week in February are: Michigan Crop Impovement Association; Michigan Potato Producers Association; Michigan Soils Association; Michigan Muck Farmers Association; Michigan Poultry Association; Michigan Nurserymens Association: Farm Economic Association; Vinegar Manufacturers Associations; The M. A. C. Short Course Association; and the Michigan Press Association.

All the usual entertainment and educational features which have marked Farmers Week of recent years will be included this year, along with a new line of exhibits and what is called the strongest line up of speakers ever gathered for an agricultural conference in the state.

Kipling As Seen Through His Poems, New WLS Feature

Kipling will be a new feature for Wednesday evenings over WLS the Sears Roebuck station, Chicago, starting January 7th. It will be the life of Rudyard Kipling as shown in his poems and will be broadcast by Wallace Bruce Amsbarry, lecturer on general literature at Armour Institute. The first will be the introduction and the "Singer of Seven Seas" The second, on January 14, will be "The Religious Note in Kipling's Life." On Jan. 21, the "Barrick Room Ballads" will be broadcast. The concluding January number will be "The versatility of Kipling-his humor and his patriotism."

LA FOLLETTE REAL PEOPLE'S MAN

Has Been Staunch and Valiant Defender of Public Interests.

By ALBERT O. BARTON
Author of "LaFollette's Winning of Wisconsin."

LaFollette took his seat in the senate in January, 1906. He has three times been re-elected, in each instance by overwhelming vote of the people of Wisconsin.

He had been in his seat but a few weeks when he made one of the longest and most notable speeches of the session on the Hepburn railroad rate bill, which revealed him as one of the authorities on the subject, and foreshadowed the leading part he has taken in railroad legislation since. In that and the sessions following he took an active part in legislation on the great problems relating to tariff, finance, transportation and conservation, with an eye single to the public interest as opposed to special privilege legislation.

True Friend of Soldiers.

It was on the outbreak of the World war that LaFollette proved himself of the mold of heroes who can remain true to their ideals in hours of supreme trial. He opposed the precipitate entrance of the United States into the war, which was demanded by the money-lenders, the munition makers and profiteers. He foresaw that this war, like most wars of history, would lead to the setting back of the wheels of progress, the losing of the ground gained for popular government, the probable loss of thousands of lives and millions of dollars in property, the abrogation of freedom of speech and press, the imposition of crushing burdens of taxation, and an era of hatred, violence and intolerance, with dictatorships and intensified national jealousies. Against all this he counseled moderation. He believed congress should have the power to declare war and that it was the duty of its members to vote their honest convictions for or against it. As the leader of the group that dared to stand out against immediate participation, he had to bear the brunt of a storm of abuse, vilification and misunderstanding such as seldom has descended upon the head of a public servant.

Son Goes to War.

With war declared, however, he urged its effective prosecution and sent his son into the service. He opposed the declaration of war, the draft act and the espionage law, inveighed against the censorships and arbitrary arrests, but held that a law once made must be obeyed until repealed.

LaFollette favored every bill to better the condition of the soldiers and sailors. He secured an appropriation of $2,000,000 for the benefit of soldiers and their dependents during the Mexican troubles. He voted to increase the pay of soldiers sent abroad; favored every appropriation bill to support the army and navy. He fought the hardest fight of his life to make war profits bear a reasonable proportion of war taxes, and it was largely through his efforts that taxes on the poor man's table—tea, coffee, cocoa and sugar—were defeated.

Activity Increases.

LaFollette never was more active in the senate than he has been in the past year or two. The investigations into the Teapot Dome and other oil steals of the Harding administration and still more recent ones into the prices of sugar and gasoline were largely set on foot and directed by him. He led the fight defeating the $300,000,000 proposed exemption of foreign trade corporations in the 1921 tax bill, and he halted the move of the Harding administration for legislation to pay $500,000,000 of the government's money to the railroads before the railroads had paid what they owed the government on account of valuable new equipment bought for them by the government during wartime operation.

LaFollette is emphatically a people's man. He has been proof against any temptation to be anything else. He has put aside the allurements which ease and privilege have offered, and has borne inevitable abuse and misunderstanding in order that the cause of human freedom might be advanced.

Bad for Public

"I do not oppose Government ownership of the railroads on behalf of the present owners of the railroads, many of whom would obtain safety in Government bonds in return for securities which have not paid a return in years. I oppose Government ownership of the railroads because I believe that it would be bad for our people as a whole. It would open the way to Government ownership of everything, and at the same time it would certainly lead to the wrecking of our highly essential railway service, if the lessons of experience offered by other nations mean anything at all to us."

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TARIFF HURTS FARMERS

Republican Law Fosters Price-Fixing And Raises Living Costs.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Republican partisans who point to the tariff as a boon to farmers and a blessing to labor are read a good lecture in an editorial in the Milwaukee Journal a few days ago.

"Under the system of price-fixing fostered by the Fordney-McCumber tariff," says the Journal, "the average farmer has no chance to save money long. For the tariff enters into nearly everything he does not produce on his own land; and as farm prices go up other prices keep a leap ahead."

The editorial then declares that "labor, too, is told that the tariff has maintained good wages and upheld the standard of living," and then points out that "all the time large employers were bringing thousands of foreigners into this country."

Youngsters Exhibit 290 Pigs

Fourteen banks in Lee County, Iowa, recently co-operated with the Breeders' Association in conducting a boys' and girls' club rally. The boys and girls brought in the best pigs that they were raising and exhibited them for $150 in cash prizes which the banks contributed.

Quincy, Illinois, bankers are offering pure bred boars and high grade seed corn to the value of $500 to farmers who attend the Adams County Fair. These prizes will be distributed by lot to farmers of each township, the amount to be based on the township attendance at the fair.

The Missouri Bankers Association inter-county contest for boys' and girls' clubs is the result of action taken at the annual convention, when $1,600 was provided for premiums. The premiums, not less than $25 each, are to be awarded to counties to pay the expenses of club winners to junior farmers' week at the Missouri College of Agriculture; $100 is to be used to pay the expenses of the state champion demonstration team to the meeting of the Bankers Association, where the team will present its winning demonstration.

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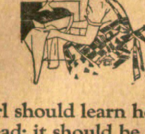

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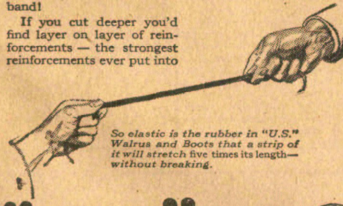

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CHAPTER XVIII—Continued

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Then they were at the beach, and the center of a joyous activity. Gibbs was settled, with the plaid, on a warm curve of rocks, where he pulled his cap over his eyes and watched them all placidly. Lizzie found another natural chair, where she sank down with her baby, gazing with dreamy content at the glittering water, steeped in the peace that the tugging, busy little lips at her breast seemed to enhance rather than interrupt. Then little Ellen was settled on the pillows under the umbrella, and Lizzie gayly joined the workers. A hundred times, on this memorable happy day, Ellen found herself watching Lizzie's little white figure, her happy, youthful face. Lizzie was just twenty: what might have been her destiny at twenty?

The tireless, sweet green water rose and fell; each wave formed an emerald arch of itself before it broke with a long, splitting crash, to rush in, level and incredibly swift, flinging upward against impeding rocks, and curving over the white sand. Gibbs watched it a delicious lull of body and soul. So much of it—such splendidly wasted beauty and energy, year after year. How pitiful was even the fullest, even the longest human life, against this glorious miracle that went on year after year throughout the centuries, that had been as old as the world when Padre Junipera Serra walked along these shores.

Joe clattered near him on the rocks. He tilted the cap over his eyes a trifle and glanced at the absorbed group by the fire.

"Manage to speak to me alone a minute, sometime, will you, Joe?" Gibbs said.

Joe, not moving his eyes from the defiant crab that had wedged his little body tightly in a crevice of rock, cleared his throat.

"Sure!" he answered gruffly.

Ellen also had her word alone with Joe. It was after luncheon, when Lizzie had curled up, like a child on a patch of warm sand, and fallen asleep, and Gibbs was apparently dozing. Tommy was wading along the bubbling line of foam, and the baby slept on.

"You knew Harriet and George were here last summer, Joe?" Ellen ventured. "Do you ever see Harriet now?"

"No," he answered, indifferently. "She's a queer sort of girl. What's she doing—collecting plates?"

"She has a remarkable china collection," Ellen admitted.

"China collection! What's that for a woman to do!" Joe stretched comfortably in the sun. "Oh, well," he said leniently, "that's all right, if she likes it. Harriet's nice enough, but she's spoiled by too much money."

"Yet you liked her very much once, Joe," Ellen suggested, from the depth of deep amusement and satisfaction.

"Oh, yes—kid love! I never really loved any one but Lizzie," said Joe. Ellen saw that he really believed it, and with a great sigh of thankfulness she laid one of life's ghosts to rest forever. "I'd like to go down to Los Antonios some day," Joe mused, "and see what sort of opening there might be—well, for instance, in starting a paper there. I haven't said anything to Lizzie, but I talked to Gibbs about it. I'd like to live here, and have a little bungalow, and a bunch of kids, and I think Lizzie'd go crazy! I'm seriously thinking about it. I could have a little jitney and go back and forth—"

"You could have a slice of Arcady," Ellen promised eagerly; "we've twenty acres here, and there are dozens of house-sites!"

"We'll see." Joe yawned again, blinking at the sun. "By the way, Ellen," he added, more animatedly. "You knew that Lillian had remarried?"

"Just that, through George. Have you heard anything more? It was Lindsay Pepper, of course?"

"It was Lindsay Pepper. But the strange thing, young George Lathrop told me, was that she didn't really want to do it. She and the old lady don't hit it off at all well, and all his money comes from his mother. Besides that, Lillian would rather have been a rich widow, you know—at all events, she did deliberately try to get out of it."

"But, Joe, I don't see why she couldn't!"

"Oh, he had a tremendous hold on her. You see his name was mixed up with hers in the whole business. If she didn't care for him, she never should have been away from home the night of the accident! I suppose he simply forced her hand. Funny thing," Joe added, reminiscently. "When I first met her she had all the cards: beauty, youth, a rich man's wife. Now she's married to a man four years younger than herself, who isn't exactly a teetotaler, you know, and whom she supports—well, that's coming to her."

"Poor Lillian!" Ellen said, thoughtfully. Her eyes went to Gibbs, dozing on the rocks, and a sorrowful look filled them. "I wish I hadn't hated her!" she said softly.

"You haven't much to regret!" Joe assured her, rolling over for a nap. They did not speak again until the car grated on the sandy road a few feet above them.

They all saw that the day had tired Gibbs. He was a little stiff as Joe helped him to the car, and there was an anxious look in Ellen's eyes until she had him established in the spacious, pleasant order of the porch again, and was personally superintending his slow drinking of a glass of milk.

But he seemed to recover rapidly. Presently he was smiling and listening again in his usual way, and Ellen went off with Lizzie, to share the delight of preparing the baby for bed, and to talk over little Ellen's last meal for the day.

Tommy, in a glorious splashing and spattering, was profusely watering the garden, and Joe came over to the couch and sat down by Gibbs' side.

"I'm afraid our descending on you this way has been a good deal of a tax," Joe said regretfully.

Gibbs had been lying with closed eyes, and the sunken hollows about them filled Joe with concern. But now he opened them and smiled, and stretched out a hand to clasp Joe's fingers.

"Always welcome, at any time, dear boy," he said kindly. "But more than ordinarily welcome now. I had thought of sending for you—but one puts things off—and there's always the danger of alarming Ellen—"

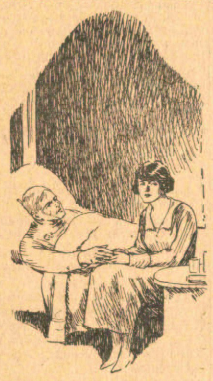
Never had Joe felt the other man's extraordinary charm as he felt it now, when Gibbs Josselyn, at the end of a perfect September day, confided to his care the things he loved best in life.

"You see, old man, she's going to need you soon. And that is why I am glad you are really interested in establishing yourself in Los Antonios. She'll go away, for awhile, but she loves this place—and if you and Lizzie and a troop of children are here—

"You and Lizzie will look out for her," Gibbs added, after a silence. "And the baby will do more than any one! And I think of her, with books, and her garden, and Tommy, and Tommy's music— He's an odd child, but she understands him, and his mistakes won't be the ordinary mistakes—"

He smiled at Joe, and somehow Joe smiled back, although the younger man felt tears hot behind his eyes.

"Won't be my mistakes," Gibbs said musingly. "It was all too easy for me. It was always plain sailing, and that's not—not exactly disciplinary, you know. I never cared much about the other fellow's troubles—Ellen's the one for that—and now, lying here, Joe, for the past few months, it's come to me as a sort of revelation that even in this I'm having it easy. If I've never had any particular pity for the fellows who haven't enough money, or had sick wives, or had to sit on an office stool eight hours a day—I certainly can't expect the world to stand still with sympathy because one man happens to be going out a little ahead of time!"



He Heard the Quick Rise of Her Breast, and Felt a Faint Tightening of Her Fingers.

Joe could find nothing to say, and after a moment Gibbs spoke again, more briskly:

"Well! There was another thing I wanted to say to you, and I'll say it, and then we needn't take this up again. George Lathrop was here last summer, and we went into this a little. He seemed to feel that we might be making too much of this, and he sent a specialist down from San Francisco—Ellen never knew why he came; he happened to have been in Williams with me, and his wife came, and all that. But that's not the point: the thing is that I know how George feels about Ellen; he's always adored her. I mean that he makes a sort of a little patron saint of her. Every other woman in his life is judged by Ellen. Now, some day—she'll be lonely; Tommy'll need a man's hand, George will be his guardian, anyway—some day, George will tell her—he can't help it—what she is to him! And that's where I want you to use your own judgment, Joe. I can't tell her this, of course. And also there's a chance that she may honestly not want to marry any one! But if she lets any thought of me—

"You might tell her then," he added, in a low tone, "that the purest and best and sweetest thing in my life was what she gave me—that no man ever owed a woman the debt I owe her!"

The voice stopped. It was twilight now; there was no more sunlight under the oaks, and Tommy and his hose were gone. The ocean moved like molten lead, wrinkling softly into opalescent gray and blue and silver.

"Well!" Gibbs said briefly. "That's all."

In the long silence Lizzie slipped out and buried the glimmer of her white gown in a wide porch chair.

"If this isn't Heaven!" she breathed, contentedly. A moment later Tommy's little twilight concert began. They could see a pool of warm red light about the piano, in the big sitting room, and Ellen's bent dark head and the little dark head over her shoulder.

"There will be a splendid moon tonight," Gibbs told them.

He and Ellen watched it together, hours later, when Tommy was long in bed, and when Lizzie and Joe had stumbled away, as happily tired and just as sleepy as Tommy, the child, was.

Then Ellen sat in her favorite seat, a low hassock beside his couch, so that her arms lightly rested against him, and their fingers were laced. They had no light, and could look across the low, broad rail of the porch, straight into the sleeping garden, and down the sloping sides of the little canyon to the sea.

"Et in Arcadia ego," Ellen said.

"We've had more than one Arcady, Ellen," her husband answered. "And this has seemed to me not less perfect, somehow, because it is not to last!"

He heard the quick rise of her breast, and felt a faint tightening of her fingers.

"It has seemed right, somehow, to spend this year with you and Tommy, here—hasn't it been a perfect year!"

"I won't allow you to talk so, Gibbs," she said, determinedly, but unsteadily.

"Just this once!" he answered, and she could tell by his tone that he was smiling. His wonderful smile—the smile he had given little snubbed Ellen Latimer, when he drove her to New York in his car!

"No formal goodbys," Gibbs said. "Not that! For if you don't know what you are to me, Ellen, what I've felt as you poured all your goodness and sweetness and faith over me—"

With a sudden movement she laid her face against his hand, and he felt that her eyes were wet.

"Gibbs, please—!"

"Well, I won't. But there's one thing—! When Tommy's older, tell him the truth. There's a time in a boy's life when it makes a lasting impression on him to realize that you—you can't play with fire. You pay, one way or another. I'm paying this way. There's too much else for a man to do, Ellen—too many things need changing for any sane man, or any woman, to go right on into the thirties with the egotism of the teens. And that brings me to the other thing. Some day, if you feel like it, I wish you'd do something for some kid who has gotten himself in wrong with the authorities—I don't know exactly how—I wonder, now lying here, how I could ever have lived in a big city, and not realized that there are fellows who haven't anything like my natural advantages, and who get up against misunderstandings and misinterpretations—"

"I thought," Ellen said steadily, "that when you are better, if we ever go back, I'd go to Mary Cutter, because she is interested in all that sort of thing, and just follow the cases in some court. One couldn't do much, of course. But there would always be something, a visit to a mother, or perhaps a word here or there—"

"What a little saint you are, Ellen! Just a little inspired saint, that's all!" Gibbs exclaimed. "That's just what I mean. The law is all right, of course. It must be what it is. But I tell you, Ellen, that it's enough to drive the decency and the good out of any man. The coldness, the carelessness, the smells, and dirt—"

"You must forget all about it," she said. "You never did anything to deserve a prison experience—it was all a horrible mistake!"

"It was a mistake from a human standpoint," Gibbs conceded thoughtfully, "but I don't know about my record in a higher tribunal. I wonder how many of the fellows serving life terms now ever had an angel for a mother, and a saint for a wife, clothes and friends and warm food from the hour they were born, always money to buy prestige and service and preference—! Ellen, if I had my life to live over again, do you know what I think it would be? According to the principle that until every other man had it, I didn't want it, and until every other child had it, I didn't want my son to have it—whatever it was, travel, clothes, education, toys, everything!"

"I suppose that's loving your neighbor as yourself," added Ellen's thoughtful voice.

"Well, you go to old George, and he and Mary Cutter will help you find the cases you're after—" Gibbs was beginning again. But she laid her hand lightly over his lips.

"Don't talk that way—not as if—!"

Her cheek was laid against his hand again. He put his free hand softly on her head. And even through her thick, dark hair Ellen felt the chill of his fingers.

[THE END]

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When a young man of twenty-four, Peter the Great of Russia went to Holland. He was working at different jobs so as to be better fitted to become ruler of Russia. In Utrecht he saw a miniature doll's house, furnished down to the minutest detail. In the library were paintings two inches square. Cabinets were filled with thumb-high porcelains from Japan. Special carpets were manufactured for this house, and the linen was woven in Flanders.

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School opened Monday January 5 after a two week's vacation.

Clayton Garver and wife were New Years guests of Frank Wilson and wife.

Homer Sturtevant and wife were Sunday callers at the Ben VanCamp home.

Vena Roberts spent a few days with her sister Mrs. H. Craven of Cement City.

J. Carl and wife entertained New Years: Mrs. C. Carl, Charles Carl and wife and Earnest Carl.

Mrs. Lottie Wilcox returned to the home of Henry Haas after spending a week with her daughter Mrs. Churchfield.

Earl Rutan and wife entertained Sunday, Mrs. Cora VanAllen, Tom VanAllen and family, Wayne Miller and family and Robert Strong.

Central Moscow

Reno Fast of Lansing is home for an indefinite time.

Charley Kies and family have moved into their new home.

John Adams and wife were callers at Henry Taylor's Saturday.

Bernie Brail and wife of Pulaski spent Sunday with their aunt Mrs. John Adams.

Andrew Richards, Earnest Fast and Homer Sturtevant attended the horse sale at Hillsdale Saturday.

Ruth and Esther VanCamp have been spending the past week with their mother Mrs. Homer Sturtevant.

Parker Shepard and family and Harry Mayo and family spent New Years with their father Douglas Shepard.

Jerome

Mrs. Grant Sawdey was in Jackson Saturday.

Mrs. Ira Wertenberger was in Addison Tuesday.

H. A. Voorhees and wife were in Jackson Saturday on business.

Irene Lane won first place in the Jackson Citizen Patroit cooking contest last week.

News items this week are not very plentiful as quite a number of local people are quarantined for small pox, others are ill with vaccination and still others who have neither had the disease nor been vaccinated are a trifle timid about venturing out. The remainder of the populace who have nothing to fear, amuse themselves by discussing the railroad water tank which burned down last week. It is said the company intends to erect their next tank at Woodstock as they are afraid to take any more chances with Jerome. Without any joking the company are probably of the opinion that any town where a water tank containing 11 feet of water will burn down must be a hot town without any question. Some folks believe that the real cause of the fire was spontaneous combustion, Added to the loss of the tank, is the fact that Dr. Sterling, local dispenser of medical advice was for many years a thorn in the flesh of the big railroads, but finally the roads beat the Doctor after carrying the case all over the United States but considering the trouble this outpost of Big Business has experienced in Jerome, one can't blame them if they dig out.

Jonesville

A. H. Dudley and wife were in Detroit during the week.

Fay Yarian is in the U of M hospital Ann Arbor for treatment.

Mildred Oppel entertained a company of friends Dec. 23 at her home here.

Born to Roy Skiver and wife at the Doty Hospital on Dec. 25th a daughter.

Glenwood Baker of the Annapolis Naval Academy was at his home here Christmas.

Mrs. Bird Wade of Litchfield spent Christmas with her parents Wm Fogg and wife.

Mrs. Frank Gilchrist of Quincy was a week end guest of her sister Mrs. Arthur Massey.

Robert Seattle and wife of Hudson were visitors during the week at the Grant Emery home.

Bernice Tiffany of Detroit spent the Holiday vacation with her sister Mrs. Bertha Wetmore.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome were guests Sunday at the R. B. Howard home here.

Philo Breckenridge and wife of Jackson were here over Christmas with their daughters Mrs. Milton Ward and Mrs. George Clark.

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[illegible] were Christmas visitors with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bentz.

The death of Mrs. Wm Cooley occurred last Wednesday at the family home on Reading Avenue.

Warren Spencer of Chicago spent from Tuesday until Friday with his mother Mrs. Angie Spencer.

Lorraine Marvin returned to her school in Pentwater Saturday after spending two weeks at her home here.

The marriage of Ella Kelley and Charles Cronk both of this place occurred on New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Dryer. Dr. M. N Wood of the Presbyterian church officiating.

Center Adams

Alford Rose made a business trip to Detroit on Wednesday.

Mrs. Deborah Hartranft of Jonesville is visiting at the L. E. Chase home.

Ray Foust and family of East Adams spent Sunday at the Harry Foust home.

Walter Heath and wife of North Adams were callers at the home of J. R. Wright and wife.

Rev. and Mrs. Hutton of North Adams visited at the J. H. Gordon home Tuesday afternoon.

Jesse Dewey and family visited Fred Allen and wife near North Adams Sunday afternoon.

Mesdames Addie Wyman and Sadie Gray attended Pomona Grange at Hillsdale part of this week.

Mrs. Linnie Post was at North Adams Wednesday and spent the day with Mrs. Eliza Williams.

Mrs. C. N. Williams is spending a few days in Hillsdale with her mother Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foust and daughter Helen entertained a company of torty friends at a card party Saturday evening.

Mrs. Grace Goold of Hillsdale spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Addie Wyman, while Mr. Goold was at North Adams invoicing a stock of goods.

The many friends in this vicinity of Mrs. Frances Rickerd will regret to learn that she is a patient in the contagious ward of the Ann Arbor hospital, a victim of Scarlet Fever.

Bert Wisner of Battle Creek and his son Merton Wisner of Sacramento Cal. also Albert Pease and wife of Wheatland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wyman on Friday.

West Hoxie

School opened January 5th after a two weeks vacation.

Several from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. Don Iveson.

Jay Hayhoe spent Xmas and New Years at the George Hayhoe home.

Mrs. Flora Spratt will entertain the next Larkin club at her home near Hoxie.

Several from this vicinity will attend the lecture course Wednesday evening.

Burl Shambaugh and daughter Margaret spent Saturday in Hillsdale shopping.

Clyde Sprague is in Detroit at present working with his brother Wilbur Sprague.

Edward Bloemker returned to Fort Wayne after spending the holidays with his parents, Will Bloemker and wife.

Town Line

Cleve Westcott spent the week end in Jackson.

Gail Giddings has returned to her school work at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beecher are slowly improving from a long illness.

Abner Jennings who has been at the Battle Creek sanitarium is now at home.

Fred Southard and wife of Addison were guests at the Jennings home New Year's.

Carl Strobel has gone to Toledo where he will be employed in a shop until spring.

Jack Oberlander has gone to Battle Creek for treatment at the Camp Custer hospital.

Mrs. F. Anson was recently called to Toledo by the serious illness of her mother, and returned home leaving her much improved.

J. L. Sipe and wife of Willshire Ohio spent Xmas with their daughter Marcy at the home of C. H. Jennings and wife. Harold Fuller and family and Elmer Fuller were also guests. An Xmas tree for the children was much enjoyed.

Geraldine Cox began her school duties after two weeks vacation. On account of the ice storm at Xmas the school exercises and tree were postponed until Dec. 26. The exercises were much enjoyed by all present. Mr. and Mrs. Fast assisted with the music.

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Hillsdale County dairy [illegible]

[illegible] dairying, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. The figure is based on data resulting from many carefully kept records on a considerable number of farms.

The average quantity of manure recovered for use on crop lands in the area studied was 7.4 tons per cow, and since the fertilizing value of a ton of manure is $2 60 the by product value of each cow is approximately twenty dollars. The application of this figure to the 17 thousand dairy cattle in this county brings the total added value to the fertility here to the almost unbelievgble figure given above.

In keeping with its better feeding program the Institute estimates that from 25 to 50 per cent greater profit from each ton of feed can be made by local farmers who milk cows through improved feeding methods alone. This was demonstrated it states, by the experiment recently concluded by the University of Minnosta. The school's dairy division about a year ago purchased four average cows with available records but without a scientific feeding ration and by merely placing them on a home grown ration suitable to their needs, increased each cow's production almost 40 per cent.

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Vice Presidential Candidate Drove Daugherty From Office.

By JOHN GUNN

Washington, D. C.—The dominant quality of Senator Burton Kendall Wheeler is his magnificent courage, blended with personal amiability and guided and directed by a brain of alert intelligence.

Outside of Montana, the public knows little of the story of Wheeler's 42 years of struggle and achievement.

Wheeler was born at Hudson, Mass., a small New England village, on February 27, 1882. His father was the village shoemaker. His mother traced her lineage back through three centuries of distinguished New England ancestry. Wheeler's forbears, in fact, were on American soil before "the Lowells who speak only to Cabots," and "the Cabots who speak only to God" had made Massachusetts the scene of their aristocratic and exclusive activities.

Young Wheeler spent no time admiring his family tree. He was ambitious and energetic, and early set out to earn his own way in the world. The youngest of ten children, he pieced out the meager family income by cultivating a strawberry patch and selling his produce at Hudson. He peddled pop corn and peanuts at baseball games, sold newspapers and managed to support himself by other odd jobs while he finished high school.

Goes West to Study.

He determined to go West to study for the law. He went to Michigan and entered the law school at Ann Arbor. He had less than $10 in his pocket when he enrolled for the school year and it was necessary for him to wait on students' tables and do stenographic work in order to pay his tuition and his living expenses.

Wheeler entered a law office at Butte, Mont., and after a few years his two-fisted fighting ability won him a big practice. In 1910 he entered politics as a candidate for the legislature and was elected. Thomas J. Walsh, then one of the leading lawyers of Montana, was a candidate for the United States senate at that session of the legislature.

Wheeler led the fight for Walsh. Through the tense days of that session he stood up manfully, giving blow for blow, and went down fighting when the copper interests finally triumphed. Later he helped in the campaign for the adoption of a constitutional amendment providing for the direct election of United States senators in Montana and had the satisfaction of seeing Walsh elected by a direct vote of the people in 1912.

In 1920 he won the Democratic nomination for governor. Every Republican and Democrat newspaper and most of the weeklies opposed him. Nevertheless, in the November election he ran 17,000 votes ahead of Governor Cox, the head of the Democratic ticket.

Chosen Senator by Progressives.

In 1922, the Progressives of Montana called upon him to become a candidate for the United States senate.

Early in the session, Wheeler prepared a resolution providing for an investigation of the Department of Justice. He received little encouragement from the members of his own party but the Progressive Republicans gave him their active support and a committee to conduct the inquiry was elected from the senate floor, on motion of Senator LaFollette.

The story of Wheeler's conduct of this case against corruption and malfeasance in the Department of Justice is already well known to the public. Single-handed, he carried on his fight, pursued every step of the way by spying agents detailed by Daugherty and Burns to "shadow" him and to "get something on him."

"I am a Democrat, but not a Wall street Democrat." In these words, voicing the sentiments of the progressives of his own party, Senator Burton K. Wheeler accepted indorsement as a candidate for vice president on the Independent Progressive ticket.

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Republicans Try To Steal Credit For Lower Taxes

Washington, D. C., October.—Efforts on the part of Republicans to steal credit for the reduction of 25 per cent in income taxes payable this year—authorized in the Garner-Simmons (Democratic) law which President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon opposed—are illustrated in the letter broadcast by Galen Tait, Collector of the Revenue in Maryland. Here is what Tait wrote to one taxpayer who knew the facts and exposed this Republican propaganda:

"The Revenue Act of 1924, recently passed by Congress, following the proposal of Secretary Mellon for tax reduction, provides for a 25 per cent reduction of tax on incomes received by individuals during the calendar year 1923.

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This letter bore the name of Tait himself. He is a Republican politician from Ohio and is not a native or a long resident of Maryland.

The fact is Secretary Mellon bitterly opposed the Garner-Simmons law under which these reductions and refunds were authorized and President Coolidge shared this opposition. The latter was only prevented from vetoing the bill by fear of the political consequences of taking that course on the eve of a preidential election.

Under the plan urged by Secretary Mellon and demanded by President Coolidge, the millionaires and billionaires would have been the principal beneficiaries of tax reduction. According to John Carson, a well-known Washington correspondent and authority on fiscal subjects, Secretary Mellon would have obtained a reduction of about $1,000,000 in his own income taxes under the scheme he advocated and wanted Congress to enact.

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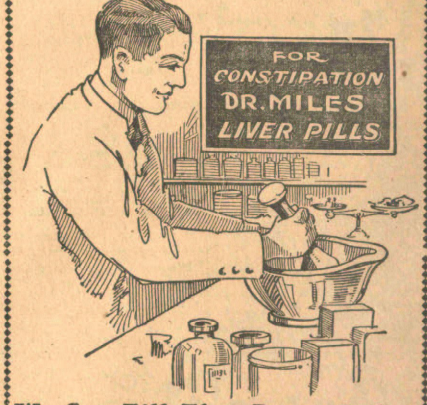
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Mrs. C. C. Rodlam of Jonesville spent Saturday with Mrs. Ann Voorhees.

Fred Keefer, our local plumber, recently installed a new hydraulic ram at the Jerome school building.

Mrs. E, A. S. Allen of Onsted who was recently operated upon is reported as recovering very nicely.

Charles Folk and wife of Hillsdale and Will Parish of Jonesville spent Sunday with Mrs. Nathan Parish in this village.

The basket ball game on Wednesday evening between North Adams and Hillsdale resulted in victory for the home team 42 to 2 Attendance was not large.

According to a communication received from the State Department of Public Instruction, the total eclipse of the sun on January 24th, which will be visible over a portion of Michigan, should be particularly noticed. The Department urges instructors in all schools to utilize this in every possibly way to teach the children those facts of astronomy which are intimately connected with our daily lives.

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Local News

George Priestly of Kalkaska Mich is visiting Mrs. J. F. Miller and Mrs. John Blackmer.

The Friendship Club will meet at the home of Mrs. R. I. Holkins on Friday afternoon Jan. 16.

Lawrence Wilcox, who has been seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism is slightly improved.

Nathaniel Daniels who recently broke his hip, is about the same. It is predicted he will be able to sit up soon.

Mrs. Horace Greening of Hillsdale spent Wednesday with her parents Will Barker and wife in this village.

Mrs. Grace Kempton returned home the last of the week from a visit with her father, A. R. Morseman, at Tipton, Mich.

Mrs. W. E. VanAken was in Ann Arbor on Thursday to see Mrs. William Corey, who is a patient at the U of M Hospital.

Mrs. Silas Sears of Rockmart Georgia is visiting Frank Sears and family. She has been visiting her daughter in Detroit.

Payne & Green are offering a few extra good bargains in kitchen utensils for Saturday. If you ueed nickel or enameled ware see their ad on back page.

The North Adams debating team of the high school will meet the Britton Mich team at the Methodist church Friday evening Jan. 16, at 7:30. Admission 15c and 25c.

The vacancy in clerkship on the Village Council has been filled by the appointment of Dr. Frank Caswell in the place of Harrison Livermore, recently removed to Angola Indiana.

Mrs. Chester Wheaton who is quite advanced in years, fell and broke her hip on Sunday evening. Dr. McFarland was called and he reports her as getting along as well as could be expected.

Miss Lucille Van Wert was given a birthday surprise party by her schoolmates on Monday evening at her home, the occasion being her 16th birthday. Games and refreshments were indulged in by 27.

A. J. Hoffman who completed a large contract of road building in Kentucky last fall, does not expect to build any more road at present down there as the road fund has been exhausted and no more available. Money that was intended for this purpose went into other projects.

The K. K. K. meeting held at the Methodist church Tuesday evening was addressed by Rev. Gray of Coldwater and reports indicate the discourse was the best heard here up to date on that subject. He dwelt largely on the Brotherhood of man and the care of the helpless orphan children. The attendance was very good.

Crater's trucks have been hauling ice from Mud Lake this week for a number of parties. J. M. Williams, Rex Northrup and E. J. Benge in town have been supplied and Harold Pierce, Cleve will fill the Wertz building with ice on his own account. The ice is about ten inches thick and not as clear as could be wished.

The following new books have been added to the North Adams public library: "So Big" Edna Ferber; "The Enchanted Hill" Peter B. Kyne; "North of 36" Emerson Hough; "The Virginian" Owen Wister; "Woman named Smith" Marie C. Oemler; "Certain People of Importance" Kathleen Norris; "City of Fire" Grace Hill; "Rough Hewn" Dorothy Canfield: "Keeper of the door" Ethel Dell.

A carnival will be held at the New Community building (opera house) in this village on Saturday evening, Jan. 17, beginning at 6:00 p. m. to which everybody is earnestly invited. There will be a 2-reel film, refreshments, fish pond, ice cream booth, and home made candy booth. Admission 10c, including a good program. See ad on the back page of this issue. Remember this carnival is for the benefit of the High school which has spent considerable to repair the building.

The firm of Payne & Green passed the 25th anniversary of their entry into the hardware business Jan. 10th at the same old stand. They bought out George Morehouse in 1900. Mr, Morehouse bought the hardware stock of C. W. Bleech and Bleech had bought out Rufus Jackson & Co. Quite a long time to continue in the same location, and still retain some of the same customers. The editor has a celluloid handle razor purchased from this stock more than 25 years ago which still retains its high polish and keenness

The L. A. S. of the Congregational church will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Baker Wednesday afternoon Jan. 21. A good attendance is desired as it is election of officers.

The January meeting of the S. P. I. class will be at the home of Mrs. Eva Wolcott, Friday, the twenty third of the month, one week from today. A good attendance is hoped for. Potluck dinner at noon.

Town Line Juvenile installed the newly elected officers on Friday evening. The list of officers are as follows: Master, Wilbur Bohn; overseer, Merle Arbogast; steward, Rufus Roberts; ass't steward, Roscoe Haynes; lady ass't steward, Muriel Holcomb; sec., Leah Holcomb; treas Mary Taylor; lect, Althea Delemater; chap, Nellie Hicks; gate keeper, John Holcomb; Ceres, Louise Taylor Pomona, Harold Arbogast; Flora, Marie Wilcox; matron, Lois Holcomb. Mr. Gittings of Hillsdale acting as Installing Officer.

Town Line Grange members enjoyed a potluck supper at 6:30 Friday evening, after which the regular meeting and Installation of the newly elected officers, the list follows: Master, Floyd Wilcox; overseer, Ralph Taylor; steward, Ray Haines; ass't steward, Robert Overly; lady ass't steward, Eva Overly, secretary, Edna Haines; treasurer, Ross Delamater; lect, Gladys Shepard; chap, Mable Patton; gate keeper, Chas Bohn; Ceres, Belle Bohn; Pomona, Mable Metcalf. Mr. Gittings of Hillsdale acted as Installing Officer.

Notice to Property Holders

Hereafter all sidewalks in the village must be cleared of snow by the owners or the village marshal will attend to this matter and the expenses will be paid in the taxes of the property. This resolution was adopted at the last meeting of the Council.

North Adams Village Council.

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Addenda And Correction

A slight error occurs in the article "Resignation of Mr. Hughes' on the inside pages. Instead of the trusts being on trial we should have said the big life insurance companies, particularly the New York Life, appeared on the grill before Mr. Hughes and their inside workings exposed to the pitiless criticism of the thousands of policy holders. Merely a misconception of the subject, and the editor having no reference handy, got slightly mixed.

DeMolay Entertain

The members of Friendship Chapter, of DeMolay very pleasantly entertained their parents on Wednesday evening, January 7th 1925, at Jonesville Masonic hall. The program consisted of a welcome by R. S. Varnum; vocal solo, Everett Roberts; violin solo, Howard Haskell; reading, Miss Mildred Arnold and a piano solo by Mrs. L. W. Meeks. The second of a series of debates was given on the subject "Resolved, that weakness or natural incapacity is the chief cause of poverty' Speakers on the affirmative were James Meeks and Stanley Gray; for the negative Charles Watkins and Charles Rowley. The judges E, C. Varnum. Mrs. Lewis Hergert and Mrs. Ernest Thornton decided in favor of the affirmative Light refreshments were served.

Your Income Tax

If you are single and support in your home one or more persons closely related to you and over whom you exercise family control you are the head of a family and entitled under the revenue act of 1924 to the same personal exemption allowed a married person, $2500. In addition, a taxpayer is entitled to a credit of $400 for each person dependent upon him for chief support if such person is either under 18 years of age or incapable of self support because mentally or physically defective. Such dependent need not be a member of the taxpayers household. For example, an unmarried son who supports in his home an aged mother is entitled to an exemption of $2,500 plus the $400 credit for a dependent, a total of $2,900. If from choice the mother lived in another city, the son, although her chief support, would be entitled only to the $1,000 exemption plus the $400 credit. The mother not living with him, he is not considered the head of the family.

An exemption as the head of a family can be claimed by only one member of a household.

The $400 credit does not apply to the wife or husband of a taxpayer, though one may be totally dependent upon the other.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Subject for morning worship will be "I will Stand, Watch, Write and Wait.

For evening service will be "The grass eating King."

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There will also be Bible study in the church parlors beginning at 7:00 Thursday evening. All who will participate in any or all of these services are very heartily welcomed.

Our Sabbath school is still doing finely, attendance last Sunday, 114 Let's make it 120 next Sunday. Very interesting as well as very beneficial lessons are being taken up, and there is a place for you.

Remember that the High school has their debate Friday night in the church. Be sure and hear them.

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Sunday school 11:45

Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock at which time the pastor will speak on the theme "Obedience." Following this service the Sunday school will convene. There is a great deal of enthusiasm and interest being shown in our Sunday school and you are urged to help make this enthusiam and interest grow still bigger. The contest is coming fine but still we need U. Come and join in this hour of worship with us.

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High School Notes

The eighth grade are studying "Snow Bound."

The eighth grade are learning part of "Snow Bound"

Most of the classes are reviewing for semester examinations.

The Patron Teachers Association met in the school house Monday night.

The Basketball team will go to Montgomery and hold a game there Friday night.

The "Bulldogs" played the "All Stars" Wednesday night. Hillsdale boys played our boys too.

The Junior High room are having a contest in music. The leaders are Elda Rock and Edward Delemater.

The eighth grade General Science class are going over to Bunday Hill Jan. 24 to watch and take pictures of the eclipse of the sun.

There will be a carnival held at the Opera House Saturday night under the auspices of the Patron Teachers Association. Come and bring the family.

The High school debating team will debate here Friday night with Britton. The question is: Resolved that the Philippines should have their Independence. We have the negative side.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Saginaw—Richard Boehm, 35 years old, lost his life under a Pere Marquette freight train while saving a team of horses from the same fate.

Byron Center—One hundred thousand dollars worth of celery remaining in the ground in this vicinity, will not be harvested. The drought last fall caused considerable damage.

Detroit—Inheritance tax on 157 Wayne county estates meant the collection of $892,623.58 during the last quarter of 1924. The largest tax was paid by the Hugo Scherer estate, totalling $652,794.69.

Detroit—Charles C. Kellogg today has been appointed acting postmaster at Detroit, succeeding Peter Wiggle, who was suspended by Postmaster New. Kellogg now is the superintendent of mails at Detroit.

Charlevoix—The sturdy tug owned by James Martin, of St. James, Beaver Island, arrived here with 12 men aboard after smashing ice as thick as 12 inches and taking 10 hours to make the 50-mile run from the island.

Ann Arbor—Dr. Marion LeRoy Burton, president of the University of Michigan, will take a leave of absence from the university for possibly as long as a year, it has been announced here. Mr. Burton has been ill for some time from influenza.

Sturgis—Basil Stead, 18 years old, of LaGrange county, Indiana, is dead as the result of a hunting accident in which a load of buckshot from a chum's shotgun accidentally discharged, struck young Stead just above the ear, killing him instantly.

St. Joseph—Warren A. Morford, 18 years old, son of ex-Mayor Allen R. Morford, of St. Joseph, was found guilty and has been sentenced to from one to two years in Ionia reformatory for attempting to blackmail J. O. Wells and Waldo V. Tiscornia, wealthy St. Joseph manufacturers, last November.

Negaunee—In excellent health, although he has been blind for the last 12 years, Richard Grant, native of County Waterford, Ireland, recently celebrated his one hundredth birthday here. Five generations were represented at the celebration. He spent the day singing Irish lullabys to a great-great-grandchild.

Monroe—The semi-annual report of Clayton C. Gold, former prosecuting attorney of Monroe county, recently filed, discloses that 971 criminal cases were begun in the last six months, out of which number there were 801 convictions, no acquitals, 30 discharged on payment of costs, four nolle prossed, 136 discharged on examinations.

Mt. Clemens—A complete survey of conditions pertinent to the life of crippled children in Macomb county has been begun by the Mt. Clemens Rotary club. James Burgess, chairman of the committee, conducting the survey, has announced here that a special clinic with prominent Detroit surgeons in attendance will be held in February.

Lansing—Senator James M. Wilcox, of the Onanagon county district, in the Upper Peninsula, who has arrived here for the legislative session, says that a large number of deer in the northern counties are suffering for want of food, and, it is surmised, same may be dying of starvation. The early winter with a snow fall of two feet has made it difficult for the animals to obtain food.

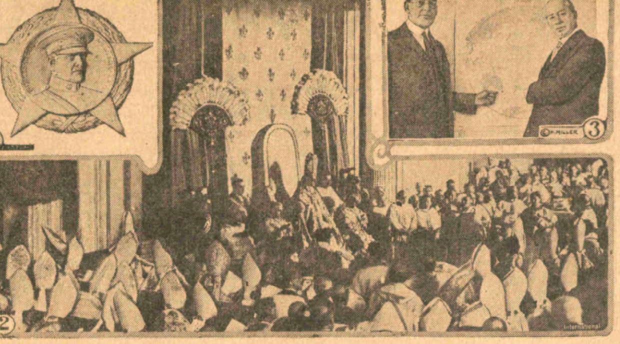
Lansing—The Michigan Public Utilities commission has declined to take immediate action towards the abandonment of the entire Manistee & Northeastern railway, as the junking of the road by the receivers, would probably net only $400,000. Testimony given at the hearing showed that the receivers had been offered a total of $500,000 for only two of its branches as a going concern.

Detroit—Governor Alex J. Groesbeck has granted a temporary parole to Mrs. Alice Eyer, who has already served two years of a 10 to 20 year sentence at the Detroit house of correction for complicity in a Grand Rapids bank robbery. Due to the tardy confession of the two men who robbed the bank in question, Mrs. Eyer will now be released until authorities have determined whether or not she is entitled to a pardon.

Lansing—Party enrollment, to prevent a member of one political organization from voting in the primary election of another party, is one of the provisions in a new codification of Michigan election laws that has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Arthur E. Wood, of Detroit. The bill provides that when a voter registers he shall state his party preference. Then, at the primary, he can only obtain a ballot of that party, unless he has notified election officials of a desire to change his affiliations.

St. Joseph—Charles E. Ruthenberg, prominently known radical, was sentenced to serve from three to 10 years at the Michigan State prison at Jackson and pay a fine of $5,000 by Judge Charles E. White in the Berrien County Circuit Court. Federal and state officers co-operated in the Bridgeman, Berrien County, raid in August, 1922, which led to Ruthenberg's arrest. It was charged that an "underground" convention of radicals under order from Moscow, was the purpose of the Bridgeman gathering which the officers interrupted.

Lansing—Gov. Groesbeck in the four years that he has been chief executive, paroled or commuted the sentences of fewer lifers than any of his predecessors for many years. During the four years now closing he extended clemency to 15 lifers at Marquette, six at Jackson and to one in the Detroit house of correction. Gov. Sleeper, paroled or commuted the sentences of 50 lifers during his four years as chief executive, 34 at Jackson, and 16 at Marquette, while Gov. Ferris commuted the sentence of 47 at Jackson and 17 at Marquette.



1—Bust relief of General Pershing, by Julio Kilenyi, which is to be presented to him in May. 2—Pope Pius XI on his throne at the opening of the holy year. 3—Secretary of the Navy Wilbur and J. A. M. Elder, Australian commissioner in the United States, discussing the battle fleet's projected visit to Australia next summer.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Senate Rejects Government Ownership for Muscle Shoals Properties.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

GOVERNMENT ownership of Muscle Shoals received its death blow in the senate when that body, as the committee of the whole, by a vote of 48 to 37, substituted the Underwood leasing bill for the Norris bill, which had been reported by the committee on agriculture as a substitute for the Henry Ford measure passed by the house. The Underwood measure, however, may not be finally passed by the senate. Instead, the Jones substitute is quite likely to be successful. This provides for the appointment of a commission of three, comprised of the secretary of war, the secretary of agriculture and one other to be selected by the President, to study the entire problem and report a solution to congress next winter. Most of the government ownership advocates are said to prefer this to the Underwood bill, under which the President is authorized to lease the Muscle Shoals property at any time up to September 1, on terms similar to the Henry Ford offer, except that the lease is limited to fifty years. If no satisfactory lease can be made a government corporation will be created. The bill emphasizes production of fertilizer for agricultural purposes, and specifies the amount of air nitrogen which must be produced by a lessee.

WITH a margin of only one vote the senate refused to override President Coolidge's veto of the postal employees' pay raise bill. Fifty-five senators voted for the measure, but 29 stood firm in sustaining the veto and the prestige of the White House and of Senator Curtis, the new majority leader of the senate, was saved. This was done by the aid of Senator Dial, Democrat, who voted to sustain the veto, and of King, Owen and Shields, also Democrats, who were absent. Several who orginally favored the bill changed over and voted against it.

It was at once announced by the administration leaders that they would now push the Moses bill, which provides for wage increases for postal employees and for postal rate advances amounting to $60,000,000. But it was believed the chances to get this measure through in this session were small.

JOSEPH McKENNA, for 26 years an associate justice of the United States Supreme court, retired from that exalted position, and on the same day the President nominated Attorney General Harlan Fiske Stone to succeed him. As a mark of the affection in which Justice McKenna was held by his associates his resignation was made known with unusual ceremony. A large basket of roses was placed on the bench in front of him and Chief Justice Taft announced his retirement. Justice McKenna read a letter to his colleagues, and then, as he withdrew to the robing room, the court and the audience in the chamber arose and stood silent.

Until the President selects a new attorney general the place will be filled automatically by Solicitor General Beck. Several men were considered for the vacancy by Mr. Coolidge, and it was said he looked with especial favor on Charles Beecher Warren of Michigan, former ambassador to Japan and Mexico. This stirred up the entire Michigan delegation in congress, and also Governor Groesback of that state, who had himself been suggested for the place. Senator Couzens carried to the White House the information that the Michiganders much preferred Groesback to Warren and arranged to take the state's delegation to the executive mansion to back up his assertion. The opposition to Mr. Warren grows partly out of factional Republican politics in Michigan and partly out of personal misunderstandings between Mr. Warren and various Republican leaders in his own state.

Other possible choices for the attorney generalship were said to be Mr. Beck, Silas Strawn of Chicago, Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, Owen J. Roberts of Philadelphia and Chief Justice Arthur P. Rugg of the Massachusetts Supreme court.

WORKING rapidly and smoothly, the senate passed the appropriation bills for the Interior and Agricultural departments and the combined Treasury-Post-Office measure. Only slight changes were made in any of them. The house passed an emergency deficiency bill carrying $157,000,000 for immediate expenditure. Major provisions of the bill, in addition to the Inland Waterways corporation item, are $150,000,000, to be used in refunding internal revenue taxes illegally assessed and collected; $3,501,200 for continuing work on dam No. 2 at Muscle Shoals, Ala.; $275,000 for eradicating reported epidemics of bubonic plague among rats at New Orleans and Oakland, Cal., and $150,000 for repairing the coast guard cutter Manning.

During the discussion of this measure it came out that the appropriations committee had turned down requests of the President for money to pay the expenses of the St. Lawrence and the agricultural commissions, and that Chairman Martin Madden had sharply questioned the legal right of the President to appoint commissions without the authorization of congress.

MORE than a million farmers in 18 states were represented by leaders of the co-operative marketing movement who gathered in Washington last week, and those leaders declared themselves opposed to any coddling by the government and emphatically against the proposal of the Capper-Williams bill to unite producers and speculators into one organization. The men who dominate the national council of farmers' co-operative marketing associations now ask, only that the government take up, in behalf of co-operation, the introduction of a senate resolution calling for an investigation of alleged unfair tactics by the American Tobacco company and the Imperial Tobacco company (British) against the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative association.

The Dearborn Independent has been printing a series of articles designed to show that the co-operative movement is a plan of an international group of Jews "to turn over to an organized international interest the entire agricultural industry of the republic." The magazine mentions the names of Julius Rosenwald, Otto Kahn, Bernard M. Baruch, Albert D. Lasker, Eugene Meyer, Jr., and Aaron Sapiro. The last named is counsel for several of the co-operative organizations, and he has taken steps toward bringing suit against Ford and others for $1,000,000 for alleged libel. He has mailed to Ford a formal demand for a retraction within thirty days, this being required by Michigan laws as a preliminary to a libel suit.

WIDESPREAD disregard of the eighteenth amendment and violations of the national and state prohibition laws led to the formation of the national citizens' committee of one thousand on law enforcement, which last week concluded its annual meeting in New York. It adopted resolutions for presentation to the President and the governors of the states, and a special committee carried these to Washington, where it was entertained by Mr. Coolidge at breakfast. One of the resolutions requested the President and the governors to urge all officials "of every rank and classification, appointive or elective, to join them by precept and personal example and, so far as they may by active participation in all administrative efforts, in maintaining among the citizens of our republic the high determination to obey and enforce the law of the land."

A second resolution "commends to the people of the United States, and particularly to their official representatives, the attitude of the President in his obedience to the provisions of the eighteenth amendment to the Constitution in the hope that the example of the first citizen of our country may induce those who are now willfully violating the prohibitory statute to accept his leadership in conduct and indorse in practice the integrity of his fidelity to the supremacy of the law."

This same subject of dry law violation has aroused some of the reformers in congress, because the testimony in the divorce case of Representative Scott of Michigan has brought out the alleged fact that various congressmen are among the frequent offenders. Mr. Upshaw of Georgia intimates that an effort may be made to expel from the house those members who drink intoxicating liquors.

SENATOR LADD of North Dakota, one of the four LaFollette supporters who were read out of the Republican party by the senate caucus, found opportunity last week to denounce that action and to declare he would not submit to it. He said the same method would have meant the death of the Republican party in 1912. Thereupon Senator Edge said the Republicans would welcome Senator Ladd back into the party if the section of his address relative to the return of Roosevelt to the party was an indication of "your plans to march in line in the future."

On the Democratic side, Senator Dial recently made an address blaming Democratic members of congress for the party's defeat last November. For this he was hotly assailed by other Democratic senators, and he asked leave to withdraw his remarks, saying he had not intended to be offensive, seeking only a way to re-unify his party.

CHICAGO, the upper Mississippi valley and all cities on the Great Lakes are vitally interested in the decision of the United States Supreme court forbidding, after 60 days, the withdrawal of more than 4,167 cubic feet of water per second from Lake Michigan for the Chicago drainage canal. As at present constructed and operated, the Chicago drainage system requires two or three times this amount of water, and if the court's order stands a new program of sewage disposal will have to be undertaken at great expense. The suit was brought by the government years ago. The real complainants are the lake cities, which claim the lake level is being dangerously lowered, and the people of the Illinois and Mississippi river valleys, who say the water was contaminated. The Chicago congressmen are seeking temporary relief from the secretary of war and permanent relief from congress.

EARLY and amicable settlement of America's claim for payment of its occupational army costs and war damages from the Dawes plan proceeds was forecast by the talk in the allied financial conference which met in Paris. Col. James A. Logan, American unofficial observer, and Chancellor Winston Churchill had several friendly conversations, and Ambassadors Kellogg and Herrick took part in the negotiations. The British seemed ready to drop their objections to payment of America from the reparations receipts, and Colonel Logan made concessions as to the amounts of the annual payments asked. The matter of the interallied war debts also was taken up, unofficially, and it was reported that, while there would be no international debt conference, France would proceed at once to negotiate settlements with America and Great Britain through diplomatic channels.

BY MUZZLING the press and raiding the organizations of the opposition, Premier Mussolini succeeded in "clearing the situation" in Italy and the Fascisti are on top, safely for the present. What amounts to military law has been established, the prefects being given permission to take whatever steps they deem necessary for the safety and internal peace of the land. Parliament is in session again, but will consider only Mussolini's new electoral law and then disband, and thereafter parliamentary immunity from arrest will not operate. The opposition has not given up yet, but on all sides assurance is given that there will be no public disorders during the holy year, when many thousands of pilgrims are expected to visit Rome.

FOR the first time an American state has a woman governor, for Mrs. Nellie T. Ross has been inaugurated as chief executive of Wyoming. The ceremonies were severely simple, and Governor Ross announces that economy will be one of her guiding principles. On January 20 Mrs. Miriam Ferguson becomes governor of Texas. Already she has selected women for secretary of state and for a seat on the state Supreme court bench.

Increase in Demand for Artificial Silk

London.—The little shop girls of Ireland are responsible for a boom in the artificial silk trade that is one of the bright spots in the business life of these isles.

The manufacturers of a new process of weaving artificial silk materials, an industry started long before the war, are now banking fatted dividends because the girls in the shops and offices, and even schools, are no longer content to wear the cotton stockings and cotton blouses which they displayed before and throughout the war.

That attitude for style changing which in America could make and unmake flapper fashions overnight, moves slower in England, and a year or so ago the English girls found that much of their social standing was based upon silk stockings.

The manufacturers of the artificial silk then reopened their mills, closed by post-war dormancy, and have kept the factories working overtime producing stockings, blouses and other similar articles. The artificial silk trade has grown until now most of the long-established woolen and cotton spinning firms are producing artificial silk of some sort. Machinery for making artificial silk garments and novelties is being invented and marketed daily.

The industry has spread also to India, where artificial silk shawls, headdresses and cloths are being produced with even a more luxurious gloss and feathery softness than real silk.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

PROPOSED AUTO AND GAS TAX RECEIVES APPROVAL OF GOVERNOR.

Lansing—The State highway finance program for the next two years which Gov. Groesbeck will support has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Baxter, of Grand Rapids. The program provides for a 70 cents a hundredweight tax on passenger cars, 80 cents to $1.00 a hundred on trucks and a 2-cent a gallon gasoline tax. The weight tax would be given immediate effect to permit the issuance of 1925 licenses and the collection of funds for a construction program next summer. The gasoline tax would not take effect until Jan. 1, 1926.

The program is so drawn as to provide sufficient money for highway purposes, no matter what steps may be taken to block the enactment of a gasoline tax. The minimum requirement to maintain present highways is given as $13,760,000 a year, while a 70-cent a hundredweight on passenger cars plus an average of 90 cents a hundred on trucks would yield better than $20,000,000, according to estimates.

A two cents a gallon gasoline tax it is estimated would return $7,000,000 to $8,000,000 a year. The administration plan provides that if the people should vote a gasoline tax that the return from this source should be used to reduce the weight tax, the total receipts for highway purposes being held at approximately $20,000,000. The plan is the work of the administration officials and Senator Howard F. Baxter, of Grand Rapids.

Governor Delivers Message.

Governor Alex. J. Groesbeck, in his message delivered to the legislature last week, featured the proposed highways and conservation program. He recommended an auto weight or gasoline tax, or both, to raise revenues for road purposes. He also pointed out the necessity for stricter supervision of public utilities, finance corporations and building and loan associations and recommended to the legislature's attention the need for new buildings at many State institutions. The message was delivered before a joint meeting of the Senate and House in the House chamber.

He declared that there is no reason why automobile taxation in Michigan should become onerous and urged upon the assembly the enactment of weight tax rather than the present tax based on horsepower. He declared that many of the present trunk lines should be re-routed to straighten and shorten them and that the legislature should grant the additional authority.

Change in Judiciary Sought.

Bills have been introduced by Senators George M. Condon and Arthur E. Wood, of Detroit, which provides that in cities operating under the Recorders Court Act, there shall be one Recorder's court judge for each 100,000 of population, provided the voters approve of such a regulation at an election of Detroit Recorder's Court judges from seven to probably 10 or more.

Welsh Names Committee.

Lieutenant Governor George Welsh has announced a complete list of committee appointments to serve in the state senate. Senator Burney Brower of Jackson, was given the chairmanship of finance and appropriations committee, which is the equivalent of the ways and means committee in the house.

Reapportionment Bill Up.

Senator Arthur E. Wood, of Detroit, has introduced in the senate a bill providing for redistricting and reapportioning of the entire lower peninsula. The bill was referred to the apportionment committee. Wood's bill would allot one state senator for approximately every 120,000 population.

Wells Chosen Speaker.

Rep. Fred B. Wells, of Cassopolis, who has represented Cass County in the House for the past 10 years, was named the Republican candidate for speaker over Rep. George C. Watson, of Capac, by a caucus vote of 62 to 33. The House ratified the nomination.

Pierce Named House Clerk.

Charles Pierce of Lansing, was unanimously chosen clerk of the house. This is his tenth term and if he finishes, he will have served 20 years, a record in the state. A previous clerk in Michigan's early history served 18 years.

House May Offer All Pay Bills.

The suggestion from Speaker Fred B. Wells and other members of the House that legislative procedure would be quickened if all appropriation bills were introduced in the House as they are in the House of Congress has already met considerable opposition in the Senate and apparently will not be realized. Speaker Wells also proposes that all of the House appropriation bills be introduced by one member. In 1923, they were parcelled out and as a result several put in a tardy appearance in the House.

May Amend Worker's Law

Changes in the Workmen's Compensation Act to remedy its existing defects were recommended by the special commission appointed a year ago by Gov. Groesbeck when it filed it's report. The Workingmen's Compensation Act, provides for a State accident fund, through which employers may insure their workmen against injury. Employers have the option of insuring with private companies or of carrying their own insurance, or of carrying no insurance at all in which case they are liable for all damages.

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Visitors at the annual Farmers Week at the M. A. C. February 2 to 6 will have the benefit of reduced fares on all railroads in the state while traveling to and from East Lansing, according to announcement made here this week.

The special rates are expected to result in considerably increased attendance at the gathering, especially if road conditions make driving difficult. Visitors from distant points in the state depend on the railroads for transportation to the winter conference in almost all cases, and it is to them that the lowered ticket cost will mean the most.

Ronnd-trip tickets may be purchased from any point in the state (to Lansing and return) for one and one-half times the regular one way fare. Tickets should be purchased from the local ticket agents in advance.

Programs by Women's Clubs in the Middle West will be broadcast from radio Station WLS beginning January 26, according to reports. A Woman's Radio Club contest has been put on to bring ovt the best in club programs for radio program beginning the first of the year, and every Monday and Friday afternoon thereafter. Present plans call for clubs to make application for dates and submit programs two weeks in advance. The winner will be determined by the largest number of commendatory messages from listeners-in, who will be the judges of the programs Votes may be cast for as many programs as desired but the Club receiving the largest number of letters of appreciation will be awarded the prize. Applications and suggestions from clubs as to the nature of the prize will be welcome

Girls On The Farm

One of the most serious problems facing the world is that raised in the question, How can we keep the girls on the farm? It is one of the hallmarks of civilization' that so many girls are forced into the big cities to seek their fortune. Probably no more daughters of the farm come to misfortune in the big cities than do the city girls or the girls from the small towns who work for a living. It can be set down as a sound proposition that working girls as a class, are more apt to make a success of life than another large class of girls having more social advantages but seeking the bright lights. It is a great social duty to make the home life on the farms more attractive to the girls. There should be more rural recreation centers under proper supervision. If the churches and fraternal orders could minister to the social needs of humanity, including the growing young people we would hear less of farm girls crowding to the cities. With good roads, cheaper motor cars, the rural mail and telephone, the phonograph, electricity and the radio, life is growing more attractive on the farms. Individual initiative, energy and ambition, the driving force which has built this nation, is the great agency that is today remaking farm life in America and making it pleasant for both girls and boys to stay on the farm.

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The Gas Tax Question

Some of the legislators up at Lansing want to soak a tax of 70c per hundred pounds on large passenger cars which seems quite unreasonable in view of the fact that the automobile owner now pays a heavy tax on everything he buys for the machine. The congressmen are determined the $4,000,000 to build highways in 1925 must be had somehow, and most of them are a little rabid about it. They reiterate the road building program must not under any circumstances be held up, and the men who use the roads have got to pay the shot

It seems as if a man who wants a tax of 70c per hundred placed on automobiles, must be stark mad, as everybody knows these big cars are not by any means the worst offenders. Go anywhere in Southern Michigan and you will see the monstrous 3, 4 and 5-ton trucks loaded beyond capacity, reminding you of the steam locomotive, roaring and spseding over the road bed at 25 miles per honr. If you doubt the destructive work of these Juggernauts, observe the roads from Battle Creek city to Camp Custer where in less than one month the bese gravel road was cut to flinders or go into our cities and find ruts of one to two inches cut in the hardest concrete with one year's use, and yet they want to saddle the blame on the heavy touring car. These big trucks are the culprits every time and if something is not done at once to tax them per wear, the road upkeep will be our heaviest item.

Resignation of Mr. Hughes

Charles Evans Hughes for twenty years at the helm of public life and more or less connected with the machinery of the United States government, has resigned for the purpose as he says, of enjoying a few years of domestic and quiet life before he is called from earthly home. In his going the American nation loses one of her most valued citizens and expounders of the Monroe Doctrine. Hughes' 20 years of public life have made him the most famous and highest honored in the world. Since entering the cabinet of the President, his duties have been onerous and burdensome, and none but the best can stand such strain.

Way back in the days when he was a struggling lawyer Mr. Hughes gave promise of a fruitful life. Politics came his way and called him, as they do many a worthy man. He became Governor of the great Empire state where it was often remarked his simple home life was of the highest type. His domestic relations have always been of the most ideal—and taken all together we believe Charles Evans Hughes represented the most ideal specimen of American citizenship.

As Governor of New York he inaugurated a large number of reforms and eliminated much that was objectionable. About this time and later the great octopus trusts became outlaws and investigations were started to find the real cause of high prices of the leading commodities such as oil, coal and manufactured articles, and Mr. Hughes became the principal inquisitor, in fact his scaihing denunciations of the blind workings of trusts to throttle the public, are a matter of real history.

The Coal trust, Standard Oil Co. and Meat Packers came in each for a share of the overhauling, and steps were taken to dissolve these combines, though the job was never completed. While not put out of commission it was admitted that a rather serious crimp was put into them by Mr. Hughes, If money alone could have downed a man Mr. Hughes would have been sent to the junk heap and forgotten, but the great electorate of this country has seen fit to raise to office presidents who recognized his ability. As Judge of the Supreme Court he figured in cases of world-wide import. When he was called to the cabinet of the president the country was palpitating in the aftermath of war's destruction, and to be Secretary of State at such a time was a terrfiic responsibility little realized by the American people. Standing next to the Commander-in-chief of the United States army and navy, Mr. Hughes resembled the rock of Gibraltar in the sense that he could neither be changed or moved. Firmness was always his long suit. When it became necessary to appoint a man big enough for the job they found him in Charles E. Hughes. Of him it can truly be said: "He is a man for the ages."

There is just one more fact we wish to impress upon our readers and that is the personality of the subject of this sketch. He has been variously quoted on the temperance question, but the fact remains he was one of the strongest advocates of anti-liquor except W. J. Bryan, ever in that high position. and though untold thousands in money were his for the taking, he positively refused to support the "wet" propaganda in public or private, thus by a noble example saving the day practically for hundreds of Anti-Saloon Leaguers throughout the country. All honor to the retiring secretary of state who has the courage of his convictions and is not afraid of the back-lash!

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Gas, Weight Tax Bills Foremost As Session Opens

Senators and representatives assembling here today for the second week of the 53rd session of the State Legislature are chiefly concerned with the matter of highway finance. Some individual lawmakers will discuss their own pet projects, but general interest is being reserved for gas tax and weight tax discussion.

The two formal sessions held during the first week accomplished little more than the organization of both houses and the reception of the Governor's message. Considerable progress was made in the all-important task of getting acquainted.

The first significant development of the session was the election of Rep. Fred B. Wells of Cassopolis as Speaker of the House Wells was chosen at a caucus held on the night preceding the formal opening of the session. He was selected on the first ballot by a vote of 62 to 33 over Rep. George Watson of Capac who receivad the solid Wayne county vote and was regarded as the Administration's favorite.

With the speakership contest settled and other organization arrangements completed the Senate and House met in joint convention Thursday and received Governor Groesbeck's third biennial message The Governor devoted most of his attention to a discussion of highway financing problems and advocated a modified automobile weight tax as the chief source of revenue. He mentioned a gas tax very briefly but he did not endorse it. His address left the impression that in his opinion the weight tax should be passed first.

This appears to be principal point of difference between the Governor's program and that favored by leading members of the House and the Senate who insist that a gas tax must come first and then such modifications and reductions of the auto licenses as would bring in the balance of the required highway funds.

This week may see important developments along this line. Immediately after Governor Groesbeck had finished reading his message, Senator Howard F. Baxter of Grand Rapids introduced both a weight tax and a gas tax in the Senate. The weight tax would take immediate effect and would be on the basis of 70c per hundred for passenger cars with higher rates for trucks, graduated from 80c to $1.00 according to weight. If Senator Baxter's two cent gas tax bill were passed, it would take effect January 1, 1926, and the weight taxes provided in the companion weight tax bill would thereupon be reduced 20c per hundred.

K. T. Hospitalers Plan To Help Needy

Knights Templar Commanderies throughout the state of Michigan will observe for the first time, during the week of January 11, what will be known as "Hospitalers' Week." This is the outgrowth of the organization at the Saginaw conclave last summer of a concerted movement to study the social and economic needs in the different communities where Knight Templar Commanderies are located and to render such relief and provide such betterment as may be within the means of the commanderies to furnish.

Conferences will be held by the different Commanderies with other social and charitable organizations with a view of extending to such agencies the help of the Order of Knights Templar. Speakers on social problems and students in community betterment have been provided by some Commanderies for their programs, while others have summed up the needs and requirements of their respective localities for discussion and consideration. All activities will be reported to the Grand Commandery of Michigan, which has appointed a special Hospitalers' Committee to superintend and direct the work.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldren, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65, which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds Smith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is on record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchante Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is on record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65, and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place for holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest hereon, and the inscrance paid by said mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's as provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, described as follows to wit: Two acres off the south east corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of Section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.
Farmers & Merchants' Bank
Foster, Fisher & Shumway, a Co-partnership, Assignee for Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee
Business address; Hudson, Mich. 29t13
Mar 13, 1925

HEAD OF SCHOOLS SAYS BILL IS BAD

J. L. ANDERSON, TRENTON SUPERINTENDENT, CONDEMNS PROPOSED AMENDMENT

WILL WORK AGAINST IT

Measure Is Unnecessary, Expensive and Religious Intolerance, He Declares

(By J. L. ANDERSON,)
(Superintendent of Schools,)
(Trenton, Michigan)

That education is a state matter needs no apology; it does, however, require an explanation. Fundamentally, the state has unquestioned right to insure itself against the necessity of supporting any great number of its citizens. The state believes that the best insurance against such support is education. Therefore, education is primarily a state affair.

But the question here arises as to how far the state may go in attaining its end and the logical limit seems to to be the point where the state is sure that all of its children are receiving the same quality of education. Beyond this point the state may not go in matters of education without violating the Constitution of the United States and abridging the rights of the individual.

In Michigan, the state has insured itself that all children will receive equal quality of education in so far as it can do so under the present system of taxation and land values.

To be more explicit, first, the state of Michigan orders that all teachers in private and church schools shall have the same training as public school teachers. Sisters of the Roman Catholic church may be seen in numbers at state normal colleges and attending teachers' institutes and conventions.

Second, the state orders the same subjects be taught in private and church school as in public schools.

Third, supervision of private and church schools is placed in the hands of the State Department of Public Instruction, and while, to be sure, the state does not directly supervise the public schools, the fact is that private and church schools are receiving as much supervision today from the state department as the public schools.

The state of Michigan has provided, by a law enacted about four years ago, that the children in the private and church schools shall be under qualified teachers, shall pursue the same studies and be under the same supervision. The state, then, has insured itself against having to support its citizens because of lack of education and in so doing has reached the limit to which it may go in regulation of education. Any further rights in the matter are strictly parental.

The anti-parochial school amendment is unconstitutional and an abridgment of individual liberty.

If this amendment were to be enacted it would cost the taxpayers of the state millions of dollars additional to educate the children now being educated in private and church schools without expense to the state. Before one votes for this amendment, he should decide that he is ready to pay his share of the cost

If this amendment passes, many school systems of the state, already over-crowded, would be completely swamped. Half-day sessions in all grades would become universal as would also the use of basements and discarded school buildings. School housing conditions in many communities, which are just now reaching a point of adequacy, would be set back twenty-five years. Do the parents of either public or private school children want such a condition?

There would not be enough qualified teachers to instruct the additional pupils. High standards of preparation of teachers, laboriously built up, would fall. Children would receive inferior instruction.

Teachers' salaries would be lower, and high-class men and women would become fewer. Again the quality of instruction would be lower. To pay for the additional number of teachers required under this law would bring either salary reductions or increased tax rate or both; in any event the children would suffer by the inferior quality of the teaching that would result.

It is evident to those who have given the matter thought that this amendment is directed against one particular religious sect. Such indirect method of attack is bigotry of the worst kind. Why should any individual or group of individuals attempt to dictate how their friends or neighbors should worship? At this time, when we are continually hearing of religious strife and jealousies, it would be well for all thinking people to unite in an effort to offset the bigotry of the unthinking and uneducated. The time has come for us to reassert the principles of the founders of our country that "this nation of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall not perish from this earth," and that the world may still look upon these United States of America as "the land of the free and the home of the brave."

I am opposed to this amendment and intend to use my influence and vote against it.

NATIONAL HIGHWA
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BETTER ROAD

PHANTOM CROOK FINALLY TAKE

State Police Follow Alleged Crimina For Years to Solve Mystery Of Killing

A man hunt that reads like a page from Gaboriou ended when Inspector Fred Hessler of the Michigan State Police leaped on his man in a Chicago Y. M. C. A. and after a brief struggle snapped the handcuffs on his wrists and proved to the world that there was such a man as Harry Wade Hill, hi-jacker, bootlegger, suspected bank robber and accused of murder.

For nearly four years Hill has been known as the "phantom bandit." In fact a number of police officials have firmly believed that there was no such man—that he was the creature of the imagination of Leo Sauerman and created only for the purpose of freeing Sauerman from the life imprisonment he is now serving for murder.

It was in January, 1921, that four men rapped at the door of the farm house of Alex Dombrowski in the down river district of Detroit, representing themselves as federal officers and demanding the right to search his premises. Suspecting that the men were hi-jackers, rather than federal officers, Dombrowski demanded to see their search warrant. A quarrel followed and during the quarrel Dombrowski was shot and killed.

Three men were arrested for the crime, Leo Sauerman, Homer Noel and Harry Brown. At the trial of Saureman he was positively identified by Mrs. Dombrowski and a young son of the murdered man as the man who fired the fatal shot and he convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment in Jackson prison. N and Brown were convicted of co plicity in the attempted robbery a the murder and given from 15 to 2 years in Jackson.

Sauerman stoutly insisted on his innocence of the murder although admitting that he was one of the gang. The shot, he declared, was fired by Harry Hill, and he told officers that there was a marked resemblance between him and Hill which caused his identification by widow and son of the murdered man

Inspector Hessler and State Detective Ferguson finally traced Hill to Chicago from Battle Creek and Marshall, where he had been, and established a watch there. Hill was receiving mail from some of his women friends at a Chicago Y. M. C. A. and when he went there Hessler and Ferguson nabbed him.

To the officers Hill admitted he had been guilty of bootlegging and that after he had been made the victim of hi-jackers he turned to that pursuit himself. He denied all knowledge of the Dombrowski killing, however, claiming that while he knew Dombrowski he did not know anything about the killing until some months after it had happened and then learned of it through an old paper he picked up in Battle Creek.

BANK ROBBERS ARE AFRAID OF STATE

Michigan is getting the name of a hard state for bank robbers to operate in. While the desperadoes have been successful in escaping after robberies in the larger cities in a number of instances, the robbing of a bank in a smaller town has almost invariably been followed by pussuit and arrest of the criminals.

One of the most notable cases during the past year ended in the arrest of a gang accused of robbing banks at Springport and Gregory. Three of the alleged bandits were identified by persons who were in the Springport bank when the robbery occurred. In this case the robbers made a clean getaway but were later rounded up by state police.

A clue was turned up in Detroit by state police there which resulted in a raid being made at Battle Creek by state police and local authorities in which the suspects were taken. This was possible because of the co-operation between various units of the state police and local officers.

SPECIAL PATROL ASKED

Commissioner Harry H. Jackson of the Department of Public Safety of Michigan has asked the state legislature to appropriate funds for a highway patrol in the resort and fruit-growing sections during the summer and fall seasons. These troopers are not only needed to check violation of the motor vehicle laws but also to protect orchards and do general police work. Presence of a courteous body of officers on the highways, who will aid motorists, is expected to encourage tourist travel.

INDENTIFY FUGITIVES

The identification bureau of the Michigan Department of Public Safety now makes an average of nearly 200 identifications each month cently four fugitives from prisons were arrested in one Iowa and identified through prints sent out from the bu Lansing.

WHAT'S THE USE

By L. F. Van Zelm
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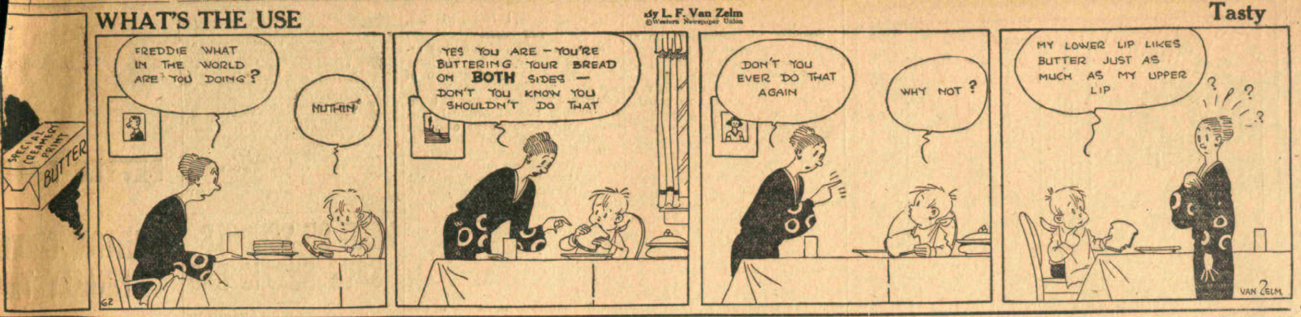
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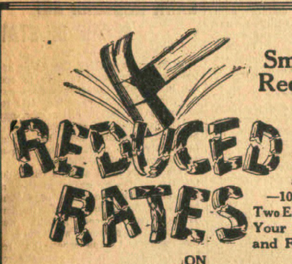

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Big Gains In America Result From Prohibition

In the "Camp Fire" section of the magazine, Adventure, of December 30, two pages are devoted to an open letter addressed to the editor, an opponent of prohibition, by Raymond S. Spear, an experienced newspaper man, setting forth the result of a survey he made to discover the actual results of prohibition. We quote at length from his interesting and convincing letter:

"You know I've traveled a good many miles before and since prohibition and one of my chief interests in life is facts. I wonder, sometimes, if my curiosity ever will be satiated? I became a prohibitionist when I saw good fellows, brilliant men, friends and acquaintances, fellow workers, go down from trials of highest promise to drunkard graves. None of my family drank. The last thing I would do would be to interfere with the other fellows' good times, happiness or desires. Least of all would I stand in the way of any man seeing his right to do it.

I lived in a booze town for fifteen years, until a year ago. We had sixty seven saloons for 12,000 people. The city spent some $600,000 cash for liquor, and I think wets and drys generally agreed liquor cost us about $2,000,000 annually. $600,000 at ante-prohibition prices. That means five times as much liquor, bulk, as would now be available at the same price speaking from a conservative view point. There were perhaps 4,000 drinkers, all told. Now, there are not 1,000.

Prohibition came because liquor was devastating the forces working on arms, ammunition and foodstuffs. It was a war measure, because liquor was utterly traitorous sapping the national strength. I have, myself, seen countless threshing machine crews, in the great wheat belt, Minnesota westward into the western Dakotas, ranging from saloon to saloon, while the wheat-fields called them to work. Half their labor hours were spent on drunks. The same ratio prevailed in some of our booze town industries—whole departments, with three of six work days "off" for liquor.

I'M STATING FACTS

I'm not arguing for prohibition. I'm stating facts, as they were before prohibition came.

Now there was a short period when there were almost no booze joints in that home town of mine. Then followed a blind tiger condition. I investigated this. I found twelve. Three were "wide open," I had worked for prohibition to help friends who had the liquor habit. When one of these, who had, to save himself, worked for prohibition, headed under, via bootleg, I reared.

This city voted two to one for booze in a campaign in which some sixty cities and communities in New York state had a local option campaign. We drys won thirty cities. I fought a hopeless fight, with a foolishly ignorant bunch of drys—stay-at-home political patriots. But our town didn't send any help, for the wets, in other towns. The towns where the drys had a chance went largely dry.

In this wet town, with public sentiment against law enforcement I demanded law enforcement, and got it as regards several of the blind tigers. When anyone tells me the United States Constitution and American laws can't be enforced, I know better. I've not only been a public officer, but I enforced even game laws in a land where they said it couldn't be done I've seen timber thieves prosecuted raiding on public property stopped when people said I was a fool for thinking it could be done. I've seen crooked politicians sent to jail when it was said it couldn't be done.

I was a reporter in New York City, 1896-1900. Since 1900 I have traveled from ocean to ocean, from Canada into Mexico; before and after prohibition, from New York City into the moonshine country of Blue Ridge, Cumberlands, Ozarks; from the big illicit brewery in Kingston, Ontario, Canada, to the wide open towns of southwestern Arkansas and to Mexicali. I know where the wets are in ascendancy. I've seen them. I know some of them personally.

AMERICA'S TOUGHEST CITY

There is not a wet in my acquaintance who is drinking as much as 25 percent liquor now, as right down to the war. I can take you in to any of the wettest places you ever saw in the United States, and you can't show me a dozen communities in the United States where there is even 20 percent as much liquor drunk, now in bulk, as formerly.

You know. I have been through thousands of miles of country. I've been a police court, a city court, a hospital, a police station reporter in New York City aud up state. You can't show me a single block in the United States equal to any block like that in 1898 containing Billy McGurk's Suicide Hall on the Bowery. Not in New Orleans, nor St. Louis, nor Memphis—especially Memphis, on its record, one of the toughest cities in the world. When I was in Memphis in 1903-4, conditions there were simply indescribable. Last autumn I came through there. I was amazed Stills a-plenty out on the bottoms. The drinkers, some of them, found liquor. But the old stench, the old foul conditions are there no longer. Prohibition! Memphis isn't drinking 10 percent as much liquor now as formerly. And this though the only place in the United States where you can find straight corn liquor, white mule, now is down the Mississippi—where it's cheaper to make wood alcohol, lyeball, redistillates and the other stuffs. The Cumberland Mountain (Appalachian system) liquors are now mostly adulterated. One railroad town in Tennessee had three stills on adjacent hills. Before prohibition there were a dozen illicit and a regular "legal" traffic amounting to hnndreds of times as much liquor.

(Continued next week)

Farm Bureau Legislation

We are in receipt of a long list of appointees among the state representatives at Lansing to the different committees which function in the house. This comes from the State Farm Bureau but we are of the opinion it is useless junk to our readers the most of whom don't care one iota who the men are on these committees as long as they produce the goods. Therefore we have omitted publishing these men's names. Suffice to say there is a lot of important work to be done in the line of road finance and we hope the bunch will get busy at once and grind out something worthy of mention. It costs this state an enormous sum of money to send its representatives to Lansing and keep the Capitol running, and to go there as a playspell would seem little short of a felony. At one time we visited the Senate chamber at Lansing and candidly we must say it reminded us in a measure of the old time "District Skule" in the sense it was presided over by a demagogue, the members had to ask permission to leave the room and sad to relate about as many mischievous pranks were in evidence as the average aggregation of small boys would put up. Possibly we didn't see the real busy day. If the United States Congress at Washington is conducted along the same lines government must be a farce from beginning to end.

The Village Council has decided to enforce that old-time ordinance relative to every property holder shoveling the snow from his walk, or take the consequences.

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Burridge For Highway Commissioner

There is considerable commotion in the department of highways over the candidacy of a new highway commissioner, and Frank Rogers former highway commissioner is a little worried over the outcome but in our opinion he hardly need be. We don't believe with the record of Mr. Rogers behind that the electorate will want any changes. The vast amount of roads built the last two years ought to satisfy the most critical as to quantity and possibly quality but it might be possible to construct roads on a more economical basis. That is likely as not up to others as well as the Highway Commissioner. We received a long drawn out circular from the Burridge interests giving the pedigree in full of the Burridge family which don't interest us in the least. It makes precious little difference whether a man's ancestors fought in the Revolution or whether they came over in the Mayflower these days, because there are men and men, and a lot of us hate to look too far back into our family lineage lest we find a horse thief or a thug on the family tree. It is possible this man Burridge is a good fellow and he wants the office which is a start anyhow, but at the same time being human we don't presume he would turn down every flattery which might be handed him in the shape of currency of the United States by conscienceless contractors and and we guess this goes with the office, at least at times we have seen deals pulled off which should not have been, and miles of roads accepted by Michigan as par excellence.

We much doubt that a change in the highway commissioner's office at present would be any benefit, as Mr. Rogers has shown marks of real ability in contracting for new construction, and we believe there is a lot of skill developed in this line by practice. Service in the World war is a real credit but after all it has been used to cloak a good many failures in this political deal.

Soils Association Meets at Farm Week

The maintenance of soil fertility on Michigan farms and the lowering of the cost of crop production by proper methods of soil management will be two major problems discussed by the Michigan Soils Association, in annual meeting at M. A. C. during the Farmers Week Feb. 2 to 6.

While the meetings of the association are to be held on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings of Farmers Week, a special soil testing demonstration will be put on every morning of the week. Farmers who wish to have their soil tested for lime requirement can bring in samples for the soil test "clinic." They are urged by the college soils men to take the samples several days in advance, so that they may dry out; and to take two samples—one of the surface soil to a depth of about seven inches and one of the soil at a depth of two or three feet.

Chicago radio stations have 4,500,000 regular listeners within a radius of 250 miles of the city, so investigation shows. The survey included personal interviews with over 2,000 persons in 32 cities with in this radius and mail questionairres answered by 4,000 others in 90 places. Of the estimated 14 million people living within 250 miles of Chicago, approximately 33 per cent own radios or hear Chicago stations on neighbors' sets. All but six per cent of the persons approached in the survey reported hearing Chicago stations at some time and fully 82 per cent had heard WLS. Some hear Chicago at their places of business, others on roomers equipment while others hear programs at Clubs, Farm Bureau meetings, business houses high schools, churches, hotel lobbies, news stands, candy kitchens garages and radio dealers show rooms. Creameries, grain elevators and live stock marketing organizations were also discovered to be making use of radio market reports regularly.

Instrumental music is the most popular and is closely followed by vocal music, with a decided preferance for male voices. Farm and home programs also rank high while radio plays, readings and speeches are favored in the order named. Of the special WLS features, Lullaby time, noonday and Saturday night programs were commented on in the order given.

"BOB" IS LABOR FARMER FRIEND

By HON. JOHN M. NELSON
Member of Congress From Third District in Wisconsin.

In the present campaign all candidates for President claim to be friends of the farmer; but LaFollette alone can point to a record which shows that he is a friend not merely in campaign time but at all other times.

For 40 years LaFollette has been fighting to secure a square deal for the farmers. Born and raised on a farm, he understands farm problems.

As a young man he fought in the house of representatives for legislation to prevent the fraudulent sale of oleomargarine as butter. As governor of Wisconsin he built up its dairy and food department and its agricultural college, both of which have been important factors in making Wisconsin the leading dairy state in the Union.

In the United States senate LaFollette has ever demanded the vigorous enforcement of the anti-trust laws against all who manipulate prices to rob the farmers and other producers. He has, also, been the leading advocate of a railroad policy which will insure rates based upon the actual cost of the service, and sought to prevent the deflation of the farmers, by amendments to the federal reserve act to eliminate Wall street control.

Fights for Farm Legislation.

LaFollette led the fight against the adjournment of the last congress without passing legislation for agricultural relief. LaFollette, alone of all Presidential candidates, has a program which will really help the farmers. This program calls for the creation of a government marketing corporation, the repeal of the Esch-Cummins act, the reduction of freight rates, the reconstruction of the federal reserve and farm loan systems, the regulation of the meat packing industry, the prohibition of gambling in agricultural products, the drastic reduction of duties on the products which the farmers must buy, protection and aid to agricultural co-operatives and, above all, breaking the control of monopoly over the economic life of the people.

LaFollette's Labor Record.

LaFollette has been the author of more legislation in the interests of wage-earners than any living American and has never cast a vote against labor.

As governor, 20 years ago, he gave Wisconsin its first effective child labor and compulsory school attendance laws, as well as its first laws for the safety of railroad employees, and its first modification of the harsh common law rules relating to employer's liability for accidents.

As senator, LaFollette introduced and secured the passage of the seamen's act, the law limiting the hours of labor on continuous duty of railroad employees and the eight-hour law for women employees in the District of Columbia. He was, also, the author of the first bills for a federal employers' liability law.

As long ago as 1908 LaFollette took a definite stand against the use of injunctions in labor disputes, and his platform is the only one which indorses labor's position upon this important amendment to curb the power of the courts to set the will of the people at naught by declaring laws unconstitutional.

As governor, more than twenty years ago, he gave Wisconsin its first women members on the boards controlling the educational, charitable and reformatory institutions and its first woman factory inspector. He publicly advocated women's suffrage long before either of the old parties indorsed this great reform.

Gave Child Labor Law.

LaFollette also gave Wisconsin its first effective child labor and compulsory school attendance laws; and he has worked and voted for every measure for the protection of children and in the interests of labor generally which has come before congress in the 19 years of his service in the senate.

LaFollette has ever stood for clean government. He started the Teapot Dome investigation and led the fight on both Lorimer and Newberry. His own record, both public and private, is clean as a hound's tooth.

Vote is by States.

As each state, no matter how large its population and its representation in the house, has only one vote, it is obvious that those states having a majority of representatives of one political faith will cast the vote of that state for their party nominee. As there are 48 states, and a majority of all of them is necessary to the selection of a President, a successful aspirant must have the votes of at least 25 states.

It should be emphasized that it is the present house of representatives and the present senate that vote for President and vice president in the event of the election being thrown into the congress. New congressmen and senators elected this fall will have nothing whatever to do with it.

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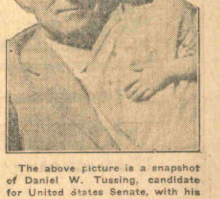

The above picture is a snapshot of Daniel W. Tussing, candidate for United States Senate, with his 20 months old daughter Evelyn, the youngest of a family of four children.

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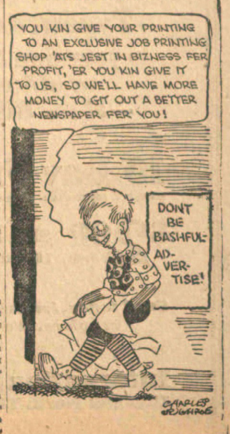
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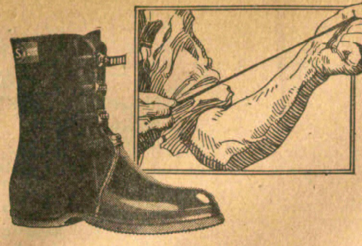

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Fear follows crime.

Archeological Find

Roman statuary finds at Baia, Italy, where excavations are under way, comprise two beautiful busts of Bacchus and Cupid and a statue of a vestel virgin. Large water pipes containing inscriptions to the epoch of the Emperor Septimus Severus and African marbles of red alabaster with bas reliefs of Graeco-Roman arts also were found.

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The Truant Soul

By Victor Rousseau

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DOCTOR AND NURSE

Now Joan could see his face, and, to her astonishment, it did not bear the expression of the smirking bully whom she had seen that morning, nor yet of the man who had addressed another man in such terms as one might use to a slave. It was not an unkindly face. And it was unmistakably that of a sick man.

For a moment she remembered the stories told of his behavior in the operating theater, of the gentleness that seemed to transform the man, as if he possessed a dual personality.

"I am Miss Wentworth," she explained. "I came to ask if you won't reconsider your decision to suspend me. I always wanted to be a nurse. Doctor Lancaster, apart from my own interests, I want to graduate to be able to help others. Won't you give me another opportunity?"

Here are hero and heroine. The reader who wants mystery, plot, action and a real love story can get it here in "The Truant Soul." Is it a story of dual personality or of an impostor and his victim? Is the woman with the maternal instinct the best wife as well as the best nurse? Can a victim of the morphine habit be permanently cured? These are questions the reader asks himself as he reads.

The author is Victor Rousseau, whose many stories of American life have given him a large public.

Chapter I

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"I let him see I wouldn't stand for any language like that, and I reckon he understood, even if I didn't have to say much," remarked the dark-haired girl to Joan Wentworth. "It doesn't seem to have occurred to Doctor Lancaster yet that a nurse is a human being under her uniform.

"If he'd treat us half as nicely as he treats some of his lady friends," she added, in a suggestive tone that changed into the accentuation of ordinary speech under Joan's discouraging look. "I've seen him driving them round town nights in his auto, and I've never seen the same one twice. I guess he takes it out on us when they've been mean to him."

Joan did not answer her. She was watching the head surgeon as he came into the operating theater. At his entrance the general buzz of conversation ceased, as if the outpouring of words had been cut off with a knife. The students on the benches settled themselves in their places and craned their heads forward intently. The two assistant surgeons, Ivers and MacPherson, assumed attitudes of constraint, for everybody was constrained in Lancaster's presence. The orderly, who had been peering through the crack of the swinging door into the anesthetic room, where the head nurse was holding the patient's wrist and watching the face beneath the mask intently, straightened himself and stood up in military fashion. Only the visiting doctors seemed at their ease as they advanced to shake hands with John Lancaster.

They had come from several neighboring cities, drawn by the news that Lancaster was to perform his famous operation of arterial excision, which was just then the subject of discussion in the medical press. Plenty of surgeons had tried to remove a section of one of the larger blood vessels, but only Lancaster had succeeded in bringing down the mortality to 15 per cent.

Lancaster was something of a mystery both to his colleagues and to the nursing staff. The Lancaster fund supported the Southern hospital, and John Lancaster was firmly established at the head of the institution. The board of guardians, which existed according to the terms laid down in his father's will, had apparently only an advisory capacity, and it was supple and plastic in Lancaster's hands. And John Lancaster was more feared and admired than any doctor in the country.

Feared by most for his tyranny, admired by a very few on account of his extraordinary skill, he seemed to have a dual personality. The man whose fast life was the scandal of the conservative little southern seaport, who was ostracized by the better families, whose infrequent appearances in the hospital were usually the occasion for injustice, storms and dismissals, changed in the operating theater into a man whose gentleness and humility and skill made him adored for the time by all who came into contact with him. But it was only rarely that a case occurred that required his attention.

On such occasions his manner was in itself remarkable. He would slip stealthily into his private room, dress there, and emerge masked like a mummy to perform his miracle almost in silence, and afterward to make his escape in a way suggestive of his having performed some shameful action.

So much Joan Wentworth had heard. Naturally she watched his entrance on this, her first day of surgical work, with absorbed interest. But Lancaster came in unmasked, and Joan could discern nothing humble or secretive in the self-satisfied face or the brisk manner in which he greeted the visiting surgeons.

He looked a man of seven or eight and thirty, and he bore his years heavily. The eyes were lined and a little sunken; the features, which Joan had seen only a few times during her eighteen months of work at the hospital, exercised, as they had always done, a rather repellent effect upon the girl. The face was eminently cruel and hard. Nevertheless the man obviously dominated the assembly.

He dominated her. She was much more afraid of some nervous lapse in Lancaster's presence than of seeing the use of the knife. The hissing of the steam tank, the nervous movements of the spectators upon the benches, whose heads seemed to swing with a uniform and rhythmical motion, the deepening sense of constraint, acted upon her with a sort of hypnotic effect not lessened by Lancaster's decisive manner.

She pulled the tray of instruments out of the boiling water and set it down upon the table by the side of the bichloride solution. Lancaster, who had been pulling on his rubber gloves, came to her side and plunged both hands into the antiseptic fluid. There was a look of self-conscious satisfaction upon his face, and Joan thought that every gesture and each movement was designed to impress the visitors. Presently she became sure of it. The man was acting. A feeling of disgust came over her.

Lancaster cast a quick glance at Joan.

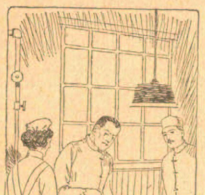
"New nurse?" he asked.

"My first morning of surgical work, Doctor Lancaster," she answered.

He grunted in a contemptuous sort of way. Joan flushed to the hair. He turned to the other girl.

"You there!" he shouted. "Look alive with those sponges!" And he cast a quick glance toward the visitors, as if to see whether they appreciated his harshness.

A look of chagrin came over the dark-haired girl's face, but she ran to obey and dropped the wet sponges into the bichloride with shaking fingers. At the same moment the swing door opened and the stretcher with the patient appeared, wheeled by the orderly. Behind it walked the head nurse, still maintaining her crouching attitude as she moved. The stretcher stopped inside the theater, and the head nurse and orderly lifted the man who lay upon it on the glass table.



The Struggle Ceased; the Man Sighed Deeply and His Limbs Relaxed.

He mumbled and tried to raise himself. The nurse put her hands about his shoulders, pressing them down, while the orderly held the body, protesting against the indignity about to be offered to it, to which it had emphatically not consented, whatever arrangement had been decreed by the brain. Lancaster's harsh voice boomed through the theater: "That's no way to bring a patient here, Miss Symons! Deep anesthesia!"

The head nurse lifted her face for an instant. "There's a history of nephritis, Doctor Lancaster," she said. "The pulse is 150, and Doctor MacPherson said—"

"Who's running this business?" shouted Lancaster, striding toward her; and Joan was sure that he looked out of the corner of his eye toward the visitors.

He snatched the green ether bottle out of the nurse's hand and poured a quantity of the fluid upon the mask. The struggle ceased, the man sighed deeply, and his limbs relaxed. The nauseating stench of the ether fumes made Joan's head reel. It seemed to fill the theater. Miss Symons, flushing, but displaying no resentment, took the bottle from Lancaster's hand and resumed her position, holding the patient's wrist and peering into his face, the green bottle upraised.

The girl who was in charge of the sponges whispered bitterly to her:

"He doesn't know how to treat a woman—not a lady. He isn't our kind. My! he must have been on a terrible racket last night! He can't keep up that gait much longer unless he gives up his work here."

Joan ignored her; she had concentrated all her attention upon Lancaster's probable demands; she was resolved not to be found wanting. It was said that Lancaster was absolutely merciless and had ruined many a girl's career by refusing to allow her to complete her graduating course. He was tyrannical, overlooked nothing, and never appreciated good work. Rumor went that when a certain nurse had once handed him benzine instead of alcohol he had taken her by the shoulders and run her bodily out of the hospital, forbidding her to show her face there again.

"He can't last long if he leads that sort of life," the dark-haired girl repeated. "You'd think he'd be old enough to have learned how to pretend to be a gentleman even if he isn't one."

Joan shook her off mentally as one chases away a persistent fly. For the tenth time she counted the instruments in the tray. Lancaster picked up a scalpel, and MacPherson and Ivers took up their positions, one on either side of him. The operation was beginning.

The visiting surgeons watched with an occasional whispered remark. The assistants already were snapping the little forceps upon the ends of the divided arteries. Lancaster issued his commands from time to time, without looking back:

"Sponges!"

"One—two," whispered the dark-haired girl. "Three—four—five—"

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Joan never faltered. She felt easier in her mind, her quick hands found the instruments in the tray the moment Lancaster demanded them. Meanwhile the dark-haired girl never ceased counting the sponges:

"Six—seven—eight—nine—"

Suddenly Lancaster stopped, wheeled and turned fiercely upon her. "For God's sake, stop that chatter!" he cried.

The girl let a sponge fall, snatched it up, and shot an apprehensive glance at him. Joan saw that she was losing her nerve in spite of her brave talk of a few minutes before. It was the critical time of a very dangerous and difficult process. She tried to pull herself together.

Yet, without looking up, she realized that a sense of general apprehension had stolen through the operating theater. The nurse at the head of the table, looking like a veiled Vestal, had not shifted her position since the beginning of the operation, except that from time to time her hand shifted slightly as she let one or two drops of ether fall upon the mask. MacPherson and Ivers stirred busily, their heads bent level with their chief's as they moved to and fro at their work. The patient began to mutter. Then a hand, upraised in weak protest, struck a clamp from Ivers' fingers. It rattled upon the floor.

"Keep him quiet, Miss Symons, confound you!" shouted Lancaster.

"Doctor Lancaster, the pulse—" she began. But, after a quick glance at the head surgeon, she shrugged her shoulders, tilted the bottle, and deliberately poured out nearly all the ether remaining in it. The renewed stench of the anesthetic filled the room. Joan saw the benches swing, the craning faces seemed to become multiplied; Lancaster and the two assistants, the visiting surgeons were tiny gnomes, an immense distance away, surrounding a tiny table on which a doll-like figure lay extended. She tried to bring them back into focus, but could not; and, what was worse, she felt that she had lost her nurse's sense of divining the surgeon's requirements before he gave expression to them.

The feeling of suspense was growing. Something was wrong, and although nothing had been said, even the students on the top row of benches farthest from the table were aware of it. The assistant doctors appeared as busy as ever, and yet they seemed at a loss, and once or twice looked up at Lancaster as if his technic was puzzling them. Joan saw two of the visiting surgeons exchange brief glances, one with inquiry, the other, answering, with uplifted eyebrows. Once Lancaster stopped; he resumed his work, stopped again, and stood staring at his work. Then he wheeled round upon Joan, the upper part of his body seeming to move upon a pivot, while his lower limbs remained stationary.

This is certainly a bad beginning for both hero and heroine—surgeon and nurse. What next?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Few Have, or Acquire, Good Thinking Habits

The average man works about eight hours a day, or is supposed to. The rest of the time is divided about equally, so the theory runs, between recreation and sleep.

Of the 16 waking hours how many are devoted to thinking? Psychologists tell us that a tenth is a liberal allowance, and, in actual practice, from that down. Only a little more than an hour and a half out of the twenty-four occupied in thinking!

Thinking is one of the most difficult and trying of occupations, says Collier's. Were this not so it is probable that we might spend more time at it. To prove this, try to concentrate your mind on the book you have just read; on the lecture you have recently listened to; on the important interview you have just had. Try to remember and recount to yourself, item by item, just as much as you can of the thing you read or listened to. It will tire you out. Unless you have trained yourself to the task your mind will wander—you will lose the thread.

Psychologists recommend the cultivation of thinking habits; they recommend less reading and more thinking about what you have read and heard and seen.

"As we do this well or ill," says John Stuart Mill, "so will we discharge well or ill the duties of our several callings."

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Sowing One's "Wild Oats" Old English Expression

To "sow wild oats" means to commit youthful excesses or to spend one's time in dissipation. It usually implies subsequent reform. The expression originated, so far as known, among the country folks of England. Wild oats—a tall grass resembling the cultivated oat and probably its original progenitor—is a common weed in grain fields. It is natural that a weed so common and obnoxious should become the subject of a comparison among the country people. The expression dates back as far at least as the Sixteenth century. At first it merely meant sowing worthless seed or seed which would produce a worthless crop. The moral meaning was a natural transition from the literal significance. He who wastes the precious days of his youthful prime in dissipation is sowing seeds which will grow up into obnoxious weeds.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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The Other Angle

As long as the world's population is growing all the time, isn't it entirely possible that if sin is increasing so is virtue?—Detroit News.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Central Moscow

Homer Sturtevant is drawing ice for Cleve Crater.

George Brayton and wife were in Jonesville Monday.

Earnest Fast was in Moscow Monday on business.

Jim Kies is visiting his brother Charley Kies for an indefinite time.

Lee Kies of Jackson spent Sunday with his parents Charley Kies and wife.

Mrs. Frank Wiswasser and daughter Beryl of Somerset spent Thursday with Mrs. John Adams.

Douglass Shepard, wife and son Paul spent Saturday with their daughter Mrs. Harry Mayo of Moscow.

Town Line

Miles Hudnut is on the sick list.

Jack Oberlander is still at Camp Custer Hospital.

Cleve Wescott was in Toledo the first of the week.

John Horton was in Hillsdale Monday on business.

Abner and Clarence Jennings were in Hillsdale Tuesday.

Ray Fast cut his hand quitte badly, He was fixing a line and his knife slipped and done the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fast had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Hudson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Spratt and children of Hoxie.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoxie, Mrs. Belle Jennings were visitors at the Joe Beecher home Tuesday. Mrs. Beecher is better but Mr. Beecher is under the Doctor's care. Mrs. Morgan of Moscow has come to care for them.

Jonesville

Born to O. D. Dellinger and wife on Saturday Jan. 11th a daughter.

Roy Howard and family were in Jerome Sunday.

Mrs. Katherine Tred is visiting relatives in Angola Indiana.

Mrs. Kilby is quite ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. Frank Storms.

Born to Harry Coleman and wife of Sturgis formerly of this place on Jan. 4 a son.

Mrs. Harry Finnegan of Detroit is the guest of her parents E. C. Baird and wife.

B. F. Merchant and wife have moved from their farm home to the new house on Evans street.

Mrs. F. O. Yarian was in Ann Arbor Saturday to see her daughter Faye who is in a hospital there.

Mrs. L. W. Culver has closed her home on East Chicago street and will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughters.

Charles Alverson of Jackson has bought the meat market of E. H. Werner. The family will occupy the Mills house on Wright street.

Mrs. A. L. Massey was in Quincy the first of the week to visit at the home of Mr. Massey's brother and while there attended the 50th anniversary of Quincy chapter O. E. S. No. 12

Somerset Centre

Mrs. Joe Baker and Mrs. Wm Hones are on the sick list.

J. P. Churchfield and wife spent Sunday at the home of Henry Haas

Earl Rutan and wife entertained Sunday Bart VanAllen and wife of Jackson.

George Baker and family of Jackson spent Saturday at the L. A. Mercer home.

J. Parker and wife entertained Sunday friends from Quincy and Jackson.

Clifford Clark and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fowler of Addison.

Mrs. Emma Becker spent the week end with her daughter in Michigan Center.

P. Phillips and wife had as Sunday guests relatives from Hanover also Bernard Philips and family.

G. McGregor and wife entertained Sunday Alfred Baker and wife, Ola Baker and family, also Mrs. Harlow Ballard of Auburn Indiana.

Center Adams

Mrs. Minnie Ambler is confined to the house suffering with Neuritis

Nathan Webster and family were Sunday visitors at the Frank Harding home near Hudson.

Will Keith and wife attended the funeral of Milo S. Camp at Lickley's Corners on Sunday.

Mrs. Addie Wyman was an over night guest of Mrs. Willis Crisp of Hillsdale on Thursday night.

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Willard Wyman and wife and Alfred Hawkins of Hillsdale spent Sunday with R. H. Wyman and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Peterson of North Adams were guests Sunday of their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Gray.

Charley Randolph motored to Morenci, Sunday taking home Fred Cubberly and family who had been visiting at the Randolph home.

Telephone Line 12 held their annual banquet at the Ambler home last Friday. A fine time was had and a bounteous dinner served.

Later reports tells us that Mrs. Frances Rickerd did not have scarlet fever as reported last week. But a severe case of sore throat, and she has been the guest of her nephew and wife, James Post and wife from Monday until Wednesday.

Jerome

Glenn Kane was in Addison Friday.

Mrs. M. H. Morris has been quite ill.

Milton Turnley and Floyd Sawdey were in Jackson Saturday.

Jake Lane of North Adams visited Thomas Lane and family Saturday.

Fred Keefer of North Adams installed a new ram at the school Friday.

Stanley Murrey has completed the farm census of the township for the government.

Out in Kansas there lives a young man named E. Haldeman Juluis who has the doubtful distinction of being the leading free thought publisher in America. Haldeman Julius has been called "The Henry Ford of Literature" and when one stops to consider that he has published and sold some sixty million books during the past five years, one may readily comprehend the magnitude of his business. While the Kansas publisher has probably caused some harm by his side swipes at Christianity, he has also accomplished much good by selling high class literature at tremendously low prices. For example, he has taken Shakespeare books which usually sell at from 20c to one dollar each and has put them out for a nickel apiece. Because of the activities of Haldeman Julius, it has been said of him that he has accomplished more educational work than a dozen universities combined and thus we have an example of a young fellow below the age of thirty who has done the impossible by revolutionizing the publishing business and by stirring the country from one end to the other which proves that Dr. Frank Crane was wrong when he said "You can't change the world so change yourself."

Bross District

Cervera Roose is working on the ice at Hillsdale.

Miss Ruth Brown was at the parental home over the week end

W. H. Cook was at his farm home in South Adams and Osseo on Thursday.

Fred Williams and wife were in Hillsdale Sunday to see their daughter Mildred.

Anson Church wife and two little sons drove to Jackson Friday afternoon and returned on Sunday.

Edward Lawrence was detained from his work ,at North Adams schools by illness the first of the week.

Carrier Foster had a trying experience on Friday being obliged to shovel snow for some time at one point on the route.

Mrs. Delcie Shufelt and son, Wayne, of North Adams were at the home of her brother Hi Densmore, Saturday and Sunday.

F. R. Williams and Harold Fuller were kept busy with teams and scraper clearing highways of snow during several days last week.

Misses Florence Brown and Rutn Quarton attended a sewing club last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Addie Wyman of Mud Lake district.

A. J. Bemis and daughter Vivian, drove to Marshall Saturday where they visited the formers children and grand-children until Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayhoe and Ed Purcell wife and son Hubert, attended a telephone banquet at the Sprague home near Hoxie on Saturday.

The Neighborhood Club met at the home of A. J. Bemis on Thursday. There was a large attendance. Mrs. Edna Robins and cousin Mrs. Nellie Wilkinson of North Adams were honor guests. A bountiful pot-luck dinner was served at noon and the next meeting will be at John Quarton's.

Michigan Steps Up In Dairy Standing

With more than thirty thousand cows under test in official cow testing associations during 1924, Michigan has suddenly taken rank as one of the leading dairy states of the nation in point of definite improvement work being done among its milk producers.

A census just completed by the dairy extension men of the M. A. C. shows that these 30,506 cows, to be exact, represent nearly four percent of all the cows in the state, the highest percentage of cows on official test shown by all the states of the country.

Genesee County, with 14.3 per cent of all its cows entered in the county's nine cow test associations also leads among all counties in the United States in respect to percentage of animals on test.

A striking illustration of what may be accomplished in cow test associations by way of increasing production is shown by production figures of the survey. While the average production of all Michigan cows is only 3,700 pounds of milk a year, the average production of the thirty thousand cow test association animals reaches the comparatively high figure of 7,201 pounds of milk and 277.3 pounds of butter fat a year.

Wisconsin alone leads Michigan in total number of cow test associations in operation, boasting 164 associations to Michigan's 105. Percentage of cows on test, however, gives Michigan first place. Another record which falls to state dairymen is that of greatest increase in association work during 1924, when 40 cow test associations were stated in the state.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24tf

The Village Council has decided to enforce that old-time ordinance relative to every property holder shoveling the snow from his walk, or take the consequences.

Representative Williams Endorsed

Speaking on the floor of the Senate on January 12th, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, took occasion to strongly indurse the bill introduced by Congressman Arthur B. Williams, relative to the cooperative marketing of farm products. The Senator was discussing the need for relief of the agricultural interests of the country and said:

"The farmer is asking the aid and direction of the Government in the marketing of his products. In my opinion, owing to the widespread scope and scattered life of agriculture it is impossible for the farmers to organize and direct their affairs alone; it must be done, in my judgment, under the operating direction of the Government of the United States, mind you, I say under the directing agency and certain statutory directions and limitations as to middlemen."

"Mr. President, it is not my purpose today to discuss plans. What I desired to discuss particularly was the necessity for doing something. There are, however, three bills now pending, one particularly to which I have given attention, found in the Williams bill in the house of Representatives, which I think is a very carefully drafted measure. While I would not say that that measure is one that would not require some changes, I am satisfied that it does deal with a subject with which we have got to deal; and I am satisfied also that even if that bill does not meet the situation, it is up to Congress to find one that will do so."

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Miss Beulah Nichols of Hill District spent last Sunday afternoon at the home of Miss Rosene Baker.

Mrs. William Niblack and daughter, Patricia Ann, Mrs. Ted Green and Mrs. Donald Rose all of Hillsdale spent Tuesday with Mrs. Virgil Hunt.

About 35 people attended the Hoxie Aid society which was held in the Methodist church Thursday. A poem by Edgar Guest was read by Pauline Gray. The guessing of advertisements was conducted by Mrs. Othoudt. Mrs. Sweezey received honor prize.

The stinking scandal at Benton Harbor between the state authorities and the House of David has finally come to an end in an unexpected and mediocre way by the Judge on the case deciding in favor of whiskers. This explains why Purnell so suddenly came out of retirement—he probably has been told to come home and be a goodv goody. Michigan evidently does suffer with catarrh so badly she cannot sense the stench that emanates from Benton Harbor House of David, as this decision practically gives the Cult a clean bill of health.

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Local News

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Mrs. Lew Stevens of Albion visited Mrs. Edna Hewitt in this village from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Virgil Mock of Benton Harbor Mich. is visiting her aunts Mrs. Della Gillet and Mrs. Helen Crowell. Mrs. Mock was Nellie Cutler before her marriage.

Alpha Chapter, No. 288, O. E. S. will give a progressive card party for the members of the chapter and their families and members of Adams Lodge No. 189 F. & A. M., and families on Friday evening Jan. 30, at Masonic Hall. Each lady bring lunch for two.

Here's a tip to the basket bal players: P. J. VanPatten 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Patten of Litchfield was very badly injured Tuesday evening by colliding with another player. He sustained a severe rupture, and he had to be taken to Coldwater hospital and operated upon at once.

The S. P. I. class of the Methodist Sunday school gave a very good program during the Sunday school hour last Sunday morning Mrs. Lois Holcomb had charge of the exercises and the duets by Mesdames Wolcott and Meeks were appreciated. Mrs. Overly read the scripture, Edith Westcott furnished a violin accompaniment.

The L. A. S. of the Congregational church met at the home of Mrs. Addie Baker on Wednesday afternoon. There was a good attendance. This was an annual meeting and plans were made for next years work. The following officers were elected: Pres., Mrs. Fannie Fowler; vice pres., Mrs. Alice Williams; sec., Mrs Alice Newman; treas., Mrs. Cora Eggleston.

The Woman's Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Addie VanAken on Monday afternoon January 19th. There was a very good attendance. Roll call was responded to by giving a current event. The following program was given; Paper, "Progress of wireless and Radio" May Bauman; paper "Juvenile Courts and their work Grace Williams; The hostess provided music on the victrola. "Guest day" will be on Monday, Feb. 2nd, at the home of Anna McFarland.

Jackson was visited by a $117000 fire on West Michigan Ave (Main street) Tuesday when a blaze broke out in the county court house and spread to the building next west where it raged until the building was gutted. Fire companies responded promptly but had a hard tussle with the flames. Two firemen were overcome by smoke and others had a hard time. The county building was damaged $8,000. At the same time another fire broke out in a residence on Wilkins street and burned off the kitchen roof, but the chemical apparatus stopped it.

On Tuesday evening January 13 a company of Epworth Leaguers met at the Walworth home and Mr. Walworth was waiting with a big sleigh to take them for a ride into the country to pick up others of the society. After a merry trip the load returned to the Walworths where games, tricks and music were enjoyed. A violin, piano and cornet furnished accompaniment for all who wished to sing. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, doughnuts, apples and cocoa were served and all adjourned wishing that there wasn't any school next day so we could stay later." The sleigh with its jingling bells took the guests safely home.

Last week we received from Miss Olive Hall of SanDiego, California, a sample copy of the Daily San Diego Union, one of the mightiest dailies on the coast. It certainly a winner and we have not counted them but there must have been at least 30 pages of illustrations and reading matter. It gives a good idea of the booms in real estate which are taking place out there and the wonderful possibilities of sun-kissed orange groves and truck patches. and the beautiful land-locked harbor where ships of all nations ride at anchor. and United States gunboats keep constant vigil. This is only a short distance from old Mexico and it is related that the only way one would know where U. S. leaves off and Mexico begins is by a woven wire fence anchored far out in the Pacific and running over hill and dale until it meets the Rio Grande river. This is the National boundary line and frequently the "greasers" come over into God's country but their room is far better than their company to most Yankees. San Diego is of strategic importance as a naval depot and flying field and all kinds of subs and torpedo boats can be seen at all times in the harbor. Bathing and all outdoor sports are now in full swing.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

TELEPHONE DUES

All those owning and using telephones take notice—Telephone switch fees are now due and payable for the ensuing six months at VanAken's Barber shop. Please call in and settle. W. E. VanAken, Treasurer. 34t3

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Fourth Number on The Lecture Course

Will occur at the Methodist church in this village next Saturday evening Jan. 24, and consists of the Farren-Hollyman Duo, two young ladies of large versatility. They present a very interesting program of violin solos, readings, monologues, songs, piano duets and banjo duets.

The personnel of the troupe consists of: Miss Jane Hollyman pupil of Herbert Butler of the American Conservatory of Music, Chicago. Miss Jane Farren, a pupil of Louise Suess. Miss Farren is a reader and impersonator who it is claimed can sway her audience from laughter to tears and vice versa. These musicians come to North Adams under auspices of the Senior Class of the High School, and we believe will give you the worth of your money. Come out by all means.

Mud Lake School Notes

1st, 2nd and 4th grades are enjoying playing store after aritmetic classes.

The teacher was very pleasantly entertained at the Carlos Shull home on Tuesday evening of this week.

The 8th grade have subscribed for the current topics. Beginning next month they will have special study on current events.

Our school has been having warm lunches since the Christmas vacation. The following are some of the warm dishes served. Potato coquettes, bean soups, potatoes and gravy, beef soups, cocoa, potato soup, apple dumplings lima beans and salmon loaf.

Report for month ending January 23rd. The following pupils have been neither absent nor tardy. Claren and Howard Foust Merlin Church, Mildred and Merle Coryell, Fred Miller, Merle Derby, Lorena and Loceal Shull, Clarabelle Chase, Eudora Binkley, Dorr Harwood and Reo Collyer.

IN MEMORIAM

The following lines were read in memory of Mrs. Lucille Iveson at the last meeting of the Hoxie Aid last week.

"The silver cord is loosed, and the golden bowl is broken at the fountain; and it is time that we have wept.

'Only a broken and emptied vessel; Broken that He might heal, emptied that He might fill—fill with the fullness, the richness of that life with Him, with all of its opportunities unbounded and untrampled, as full as the limitations of eternity, as great as the power of omnipotence.

We believe that our sister, though lost to mortal vision, has passed through the gate into the city splendid.

We can confer no greater honor upon her memory than to emulate the virtues which her life has taught us, and now faith breathes the prayer that in the great beyond, that spirit world of sunshine and life eternal, she rests in peace, happy in the knowledge that her work here was of some avail, and that her life so woven in and out with ours has added lustre to our Aid Society she loved so well.

There is no death, the leaves may fall,
And flowers may fade and pass away;
They only wait through wintry hours,
The coming of the May.

There is no death! and angel form
Walks o'er the earth with silent tread;
He bears our best loved ones away,
And then we call them dead.

And ever near us, though unseen,
The dear immortal spirits tread;
For all the boundless universe
Is life, There are no dead."

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

The subject for morning worship will be "Our Lord's return."

The solo to be sung by Mr. Perkins in the evening service entitled, "The Pilgrim" will preceed the discourse on the subject, The Pilgrim's Journey." A wonderful solo. Hear him!

Sunday morning Feb. 1st. Mr. E. F. Osborne, the President of "The Life Conservation League" of Ann Arbor, will speak in our church on the subject, "Balance in Education" along the line of, "Loyalty to Law" the Basic Principals of Right Living Physical, Mental, Spiritual. Wonderfully Inspirational. Hear him.

Don't forget that you are welcome to the Thursday evening chorus drill conducted by Mr. Perkins of Hillsdale. Epworth choir rehearsal begins at 7:00 p. m. Community chorus and Sr. Choir drill at 8:30.

Also Prayer service and Bible study in the church parlors at 7:00 p. m. We are taking up special work on the Sabbath school lessons. All who will participate in these services are welcome.

Any business that should be taken up with the Sabbath school board will also be taken care of at this time.

Next Thursday evening January 29 there will be a meeting of the Sabbath school board. All of the S. S. board and those who are especially interested in the Sabbath school please be there.

Next Sunday January 25th Mrs. Bertha Wattles will give a report of last years work done in Missions, after the study period in the Sabbath school.

Sunday Feb. 8. Class No 6 Mrs. Wattles's class will have charge of the program. The program given by the S. P. I. class last Sunday was greatly appreciated by all.

Sunday Feb. 1st will be promotion day in the Sabbath school. A very beautiful but brief program is being prepared by the childrens division. All those that are eligible to promotion will receive certificates at this time.

We are glad for the way in which the people responded in giving us our request for 120 in attendance last Sunday, in Sabbath school which was 129 instead. Let's make it 135 next Sunday.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will start a series of Sunday morning sermons on the theme "The Life By Which We Live" leading up to the two great events in the Master's Life. The theme for Sunday morning service being "The Greatest Sermon ever preached." We are very sorry to announce that Rev. Marion Hall had a sudden call to leave Saturday and will not be able to be with us Sunday morning. We want a good crowd just the same as there will be a message for all who come. Mrs. Hunt will sing "Father take My Hand and Lead Me" by Miles.

Sunday School immediately following this service. We are growing every Sunday but there is still places for everyone. The special programs arranged by the Superintendent are being greatly enjoyed by all. Mr. T. N. Lamb has consented to teach the Young Married Peoples class so we urge all young people who are interested to be in their places. You have a good chance to win the contest which will end the last of March at which time the Banquet will be served.

There is an urgent call for those interested in the choir to come to choir practice Saturday evening at 7:30. Please be at Mrs. Wamsley's.

Jay Boone Married

The following item we clip from the Jackson Daily News and we believe it is of interest to our readers: "Mrs. Clara I. Fox of Jackson and Jay L. Boone of the same place were married at the home of Earl Dean last week Friday evening at 8 o'clock by the Rev. B. H. Taylor" Mr. Boone formerly lived in this village and is well known here. He is employed on the New York Central lines in Jackson. Apropos of this article we note another which says Phil Bogart was arrested on Monday evening by Detectives Stebner and Curtis because he annoyed Mrs. Boone of 505 Oakhill Avenue. Bogart was taken to the police station and locked up on complaint of Mrs. Boone. She had informed the officers previously and as shie came out of the store where she is employed Bogart was seen on the opposite side of the street. and was nabbed by the officers who were shadowing Mrs. Boone.

Bogart's story is that he is a disappointed suitor and had been Mrs. Boone's intimate friend until he learned she had married Boone. Bogart says he had given her a ring and wanted it returned which she refused to do. Hence the annoyance. The whole business will be investigated at once.

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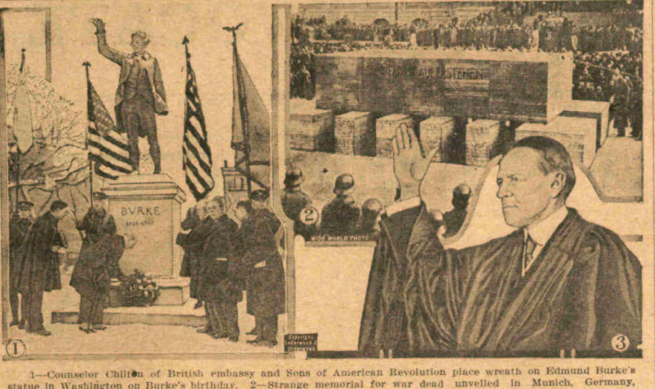

1—Counselor Chilton of British embassy and Sons of American Revolution place wreath on Edmund Burke's statue in Washington on Burke's birthday. 2—Strange memorial for war dead unveiled in Munich, Germany, symbolizing the burden weighing on the nation. 3—Judge A. B. Anderson taking oath as member of U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Chicago.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Kellogg to Succeed Hughes as Secretary of State—No Change of Policy.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WASHINGTON and the country generally were taken quite by surprise by the announcement that Secretary of State Hughes would retire from the cabinet on March 4. There had been no previous intimation of this change although it was known that Mr. Hughes wished to resume the practice of law within a few years at most. He has been in the public service almost continuously for twenty years. The correspondence between him and the President concerning his resignation reveals no basis for report that there had been any conflict of views and those close to the White House say Mr. Hughes was the first cabinet member whom Mr. Coolidge asked to remain in his official family.

The President selected Ambassador Frank B. Kellogg to succeed Mr. Hughes, and the choice has met with no adverse criticism. Mr. Kellogg has gained a clear insight into the affairs of Europe and especially the settlement of German reparations and interallied debts. His ability is unquestioned. Those who jumped to the conclusion that his coming to the Department of State would lead to American adhesion to the League of Nations probably will have to change their opinion, but it is known that he favors the continuation of our government's co-operation with the league in handling humanitarian and social problems. Many persons, here and abroad, who think America should recognize the Soviet government of Russia also hailed the advent of Mr. Kellogg—or rather the retirement of Mr. Hughes—as a sign that the administration's policy in this matter would be changed, because Mr. Hughes has been unalterably against any relations with Russia in present conditions. These persons, too, are deceiving themselves. The President authorized the statement that he continued to oppose recognition of the Soviet government until it agrees to compensate American citizens robbed by the Communists, to recognize the war debt of Russia to the United States and to cease trying to undermine the American form of government. Mr. Coolidge still hopes, however, that Russia will meet these conditions and that relations with her can be resumed. Great Britain and France are pleased with the appointment of Mr. Kellogg, who has shown sympathy with the aspirations of both nations. The French hope he will favor certain ameliorations in their debt to America.

To succeed Mr. Kellogg at the court of St. James, the President chose Alanson B. Houghton, now ambassador to Germany. He has handled the difficult work in Berlin so skillfully that it was felt he had earned the promotion. German statesmen have learned to admire him immensely.

NOTWITHSTANDING the united opposition of the Michigan congressional delegation, President Coolidge insisted on appointing Charles Beecher Warren to succeed Mr. Stone as attorney general, and the senate showed no inclination to refuse confirmation. Mr. Coolidge yet has to find a man for secretary of agriculture, and then his cabinet presumably will be complete, for rumors of still other changes are now denied. Secretary of Labor Davis, who wished to retire, has consented to remain, his leave of absence as head of the Loyal Order of Moose having been extended. Postmaster General New, Secretary of War Weeks and Secretary of the Interior Work, who it was reported would step out, evidently have been invited to remain and have agreed to do so.

For the agriculture portfolio the President believes a marketing expert must be found, and he hasn't yet discovered him, though many men have been recommended for the post. He feels that the department has solved the problems of development and organization of agricultural production but that the marketing of farm products remains the weak spot.

C. Bascom Slemp has resigned as secretary to the President, according to a White House announcement, and Representative Everett Sanders of Indiana has been named to succeed him, a choice which is liked in congressional circles. Mr. Sanders was head of the speakers' bureau at Chicago during the last campaign. He was not a candidate for re-election to congress and so cannot be classed among the "lame ducks."

ACCORDING to the preliminary report of the President's commission on agricultural problems, cattle raising is the only branch of the industry that needs immediate relief, and Mr. Coolidge has undertaken to procure that relief from congress before March 4. If this is done there will be no need of an extra session of the new congress. The commission recommends only one piece of emergency legislation, namely, the amending of the agricultural credits act so as to permit the rediscounting by intermediate credit banks of loans negotiated by federally chartered agricultural credit agencies.

In addition, the commission recommends certain administrative actions by government agencies, including these:

Inauguration by the federal farm loan board of a campaign for the organization of discount agencies as a means of obtaining loans from intermediate credit banks to assist live stock raisers.

A review of the personnel of the intermediate credit banks to make it certain the employees include persons conversant and sympathetic with the needs of agriculture, including live stock.

A special report by the chairman of the federal farm loan board by July 1, 1925, indicating such progress as has been made in meeting the emergency in the live stock industry.

An early and thorough revision of freight rates to relieve the raw products of agriculture and live stock from a disproportionate share of transportation costs.

The commission found the cattle raising industry suffers from lack of tariff protection for hides and meat products, and urges a uniform policy on grazing on public lands and in the national forests. In general, the commission declared that confidence in the future of the live stock industry was warranted.

ONE more high hurdle was cleared last week when the allied financial conference in Paris reached full agreement as to the division of German funds and the accords were signed by the great powers. The United States got all it had asked—2¼ per cent of the reparations annuities under the Dawes plan until all its claims are paid—and just before the close of the discussion the delegates consented to eliminate a clause by which America's claims for war damages were limited to $350,000,000. The settlement of the occupation army costs gives America $13,750,000 annually. Credit for the recognition of America's claims goes mainly to Col. James A. Logan and to Ambassadors Kellogg and Herrick. Many of the small nations were grievously disappointed at receiving no share of the German reparations. The delegates of the big powers listened sympathetically to their plaints but told them there was no money available for them.

ETIENNE CLEMENTEL, French minister of finance, has handed to the British government a memorandum agreeing in principle with the British view that Great Britain must exact from her debtors sums sufficient to cover her debt to America; but he demands a moratorium for France in case Germany defaults, and also demands equal facilities to those accorded Germany in the event of her lapsing in Dawes plan payments. English treasury officials see some justice in this, but are likely to ask that the United States make equal facilities for payments by Great Britain.

HAVING spent several days playing ring-around-the-rosy with the Muscle Shoals proposition, the senate finally passed the Underwood bill by a vote of 50 to 30. It is now a substitute for the Henry Ford measure which the house passed last session, so its final enactment by congress is uncertain. First the senate approved the Underwood bill; then it substituted the Jones bill for further investigation by a commission; next it approved the Norris government ownership bill; again it substituted the Underwood for the Norris measure, and defeated the Jones bill in two forms. Then came final passage of the Underwood bill with the aid of Republicans who had supported the Jones measure. As adopted the bill authorizes the President to lease Muscle Shoals for fifty years, but provides that if a suitable lease cannot be made by next September the property is to be operated by a government corporation.

ACCORDING to figures given out by the census bureau, the wealth of the United States at the close of 1922 was $320,803,862,000, which means an increase of 72.2 per cent in the decade beginning 1912. Real estate and its taxable improvements are in the lead in values, being placed at $155,908,625,000. Personal property is next, at nearly forty billions, and manufactured products on hand were third, with a valuation of more than twenty-eight billions.

In listing the wealth by states, the bureau placed New York first with a total of $37,035,262,000. Following that state in order given were Pennsylvania, $28,833,745,000; Illinois, $22,282,794,000; Ohio, $18,489,552,000; California, $15,031,734,000; Massachusetts, $12,980,329,000; New Jersey, $11,794,189,000; Michigan, $11,404,861,000, and Iowa, $10,511,682,000. All others fell below $10,000,000,000. Nevada had the smallest amount, $541,716,000.

JUST before he retired from the office of governor of Kansas, Jonathan M. Davis was arrested on charges of soliciting and accepting a bribe for a pardon. A warrant was served also on his son, Russell G. Davis, and immediately Carl J. Peterson, state bank commissioner, was involved in the same scandal. Both the elder Davis and Peterson have strenuously denied their guilt and have issued various statements. The younger Davis, who had accepted marked money and who was trapped by an arrangement of telephones, is said by his father to have been ensnared by the political enemies of the former governor.

DR. HANS LUTHER, former minister of finance, took up the task of forming a cabinet for Germany after Herr Marx had failed, and presented a list of ministers that is strongly monarchistic, though Luther himself declared he as chancellor would carry out the Marx policies. Stresemann remains as foreign minister, and Martin Schiele, official leader of the kaiserists, is minister of the interior. The Catholics were given several portfolios and agreed to support the government's program. The Republicans, who won in the reichstag elections, are deprived of the fruits of victory because their various elements would not get together.

BY A VOTE of 172 to 65 the house passed the McFadden bill for revision of the banking laws. This measure is designed to put national banks on a better competitive basis with state institutions, particularly with regard to maintenance of branches. As reported to the house, the measure gave national banks the right to maintain intracity branches, where state banks are permitted to do a branch banking business, but amendments by Representative M. D. Hull, which the house accepted, placed restrictions on the maintenance of these branches.

The Hull amendments provide that in states hereafter legalizing branch banking, national banks must obtain authority from congress before establishing branches. In such instances, state banks would be denied privileges of the federal reesrve system until national banks were accorded the right to compete with branches.

FIGHTING has been renewed in the Shanghai region and is believed to be the prelude for a general civil war in the spring. The city is now in the possession of Marshals Chi-Hsieh-yuan of Kiangsu and Sun Chuan-fang of Chekiang, and they announce they have formed a new alliance of those provinces and Fukien, Anhwei and Szechwan to oppose the Peking government. There was much looting in the native city of Shanghai, and the foreign settlement now swarms with fugitive soldiers from the defeated armies. American, British, French and Japanese marines have been landed to protect the settlement.

War Had Bad Effect on Missionaries' Work

New York.—The war caused the withdrawal of all Protestant foreign missionaries from 219 residence stations, which are today either not occupied at all or are in the hands of Christian nationals, according to data compiled for a world missionary atlas to be published by the Institute of Social and Religious Research.

Of the stations completely vacated 126 are in Africa, 58 in India, 21 in western Asia, 11 in Netherlands Indies and the remainder in scattered areas. For the most part the stations vacated were occupied before the war by continental missionaries. But despite the war, operations are shown by the new atlas to be on a very much greater scale now than at the beginning of the century.

There are missionaries in residence at 4,598 stations, not including American church workers in Europe outside of Turkey in Europe, or workers among European immigrants in the United States and Canada, but including workers among American Indians and Asiatic immigrants here and in Canada.

Since 1900, according to the atlas figures, the number of Protestant communicants has increased in Asia from 622,460 to 1,533,057; in Africa from 342,857 to 1,015,683, not including Europeans permanently resident there; in Australasia, Netherlands Indies and the Pacific islands, from 117,092 to 647,728, counting only aboriginal or indigenous populations.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Committee Appointments Are Made By Wells For Present Session.

Lansing—Speaker Fred B. Wells has announced his committee appointments for the 1925 session of the House and in so doing has made it plain that although he wants the members of the two factions which supported him to be in a position to control legislation of every sort, he also intends that the groups that did not vote for him, the Wayne County delegation especially, to have a voice on every subject.

For the most part, the important chairmanships went to the men who held them in 1923. Rep. Charles Evans, of Tipton, retained his chairmanship of the taxation committee. Rep. Nelson G. Farrier, of Hillman, retained his chairmanship of the ways and means committee, and Rep. Charles H. Culver, of Detroit, retained his chairmanship of the rules committee.

Rep. Miles S. Curtiss, of Battle Creek, former chairman of the committee on city corporations, was given direction of the important committee on state affairs, and Rep. Ate Dykstra, of Grand Rapids, was elevated to the vacant chairmanship of the city corporations committee.

Senate Hears Welsh

Reminding members of the senate of their oath to uphold the state's constitution to which they subscribed a few days ago, Lieutenant Governor George W. Welsh called upon them to enact constitutional reapportionment.

Welsh's plea came in the course of his sessional message to the senate, and it carried out the policy which marked Welsh's service as speaker of the house of representatives in 1923.

Lieutenant Governor Welsh also drew the attention of the senate to the grave issues involved in the child labor amendment to the federal constitution, which comes before this session of the legislature for ratification or rejection. Of this he said:

"Among other questions that will be presented, you will be asked to pass judgment upon an amendment to the federal constitution. In the consideration of this you should keep in mind the fundamental relation of the state to the nation. You should consider well whether or not more power should be granted to the federal government, especially over such matters as we are competent to decide for ourselves."

To Fight For Blue Laws

Virgil A. Fitch, of Ludington, the former prosecutor of Mason County, who leaped into fame back in the summer of 1923 by attempting to enforce the old Sunday blue laws, announced that he would resist any attempt to repeal or weaken those same laws. Questioned regarding his present attitude toward the various amusements and various activities which might be curtailed if the blue laws were enforced, Rep. Fitch stated that he believes that moving picture shows, garages, gasoline stations and hotels should be open on Sunday and that ball games should not be interfered with but that Sunday dances should be stopped.

Bill For Bank Control

A bill to bring private banks under the control of the state banking commission was introduced in the house by Representative Edward R. Carter, Gladstone, and referred to the banking committee. The bill prohibits banking by other than incorporated companies and gives the private banks one year in which to conform to the law. It requires private banks to incorporate and before a bank charter is given, the capital stock shall not be less than $20,000. Half of the stock must be paid in before the charter is granted.

To Curb Financing

Representative Milton Palmer, of Detroit, announced he would immediately introduce in the house three bills calculated to put pep into the state's blue sky law and curb crooked financing institutions. The first bill would increase the securities commission from one to three men, working on full time. The second would place all financing companies, except building and loan associations, under the supervision of the state banking department. The third would deal with penalties.

Names Woman Chairman

Mrs. Cora Reynolds Anderson, first woman member of the House of Representatives, will have the added distinction of being on a committee in her first term. Speaker Fred B. Wells has decided to name her to head the committee on the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian. Only a favored few first termers are given chairmanships.

Many Bills To Come

A grist of bills probably will make their appearance in the next few days. The Governor, in his message, pointed out that the control of trunk line highway routes and construction should be centralized in the State Highway Department. A measure providing for this change will undoubtedly be offered. Other suggestions will be taken care of in bills to be submitted. The Governor is expected to go over the highway situation with some members of the Legislature.

Agree On Tax Plan

The senate committee on taxation has reported to vote out a two-cent gasoline bill which would be given immediate effect. The bill is sponsored by Senator Orville A. Wood, of Newaygo, and provides that revenue up to $2,500,000 shall go for back rewards, $2,000,000 for interest and sinking fund, $500,000 for construction of non-trunk line bridges, and the balance for new non-trunk line constructions. The bill is expected to supercede the Baxter gasoline tax bill and have administration approval.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids' first fatality on record due to hiccoughs occurred here when Lloyd Van Order, 18 years old, died as a result of the malady.

Detroit—Seven members of the police department here, who ignored a recent mandate to avoid "blind pigs" unless on duty have been dismissed by the police trial board.

Ypsilanti—Enrollment at the State Normal College here is slightly lower for the term just opened than it was during the fall term, according to C. P. Steimie, registrar of the college.

Saginaw—Dr. Stephen O'Brien of St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids, was elected president of the Michigan Hospital association at its annual election with which it closed its convention here.

Lansing—Gov. Groesbeck has announced the appointment of John W. Fead, of Port Huron, as a member of the Mackinac Island Park commission to succeed Gilmore Scranton, of Harbor Beach, deceased.

Monroe—Three young men handcuffed Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jaworski and ransacked their home on the Creek road, near Newport, eight miles from here, after gaining entrance by a display of pistols and officers' badges.

Mt. Clemens—Sheriff George T. Smith believes he has solved the mystery of the recent holdups in and around Mt. Clemens through the arrest of Max Freedman, 20 years old, for some time a bus driver between Detroit and Mt. Clemens.

Saginaw— The Saginaw County board of supervisors has ordered submission to the voters on April 6 of a proposal to issue $280,000 in bonds for the construrction of an addition to the county court house and the construction of a new county jail.

Lansing—A modern manual training and trades school is to be established in the Ionia reformatory, according to W. S. Porter, a member of the state prison commission. The school will take care of the inmates of Ionia desirous of learning a trade.

Ypsilanti—Henry Baker of this city says he will sue Wayne County authorities for damage that he declares was caused when an officer, said to have been in plain clothes, shot twice at his automobile when he failed to halt when ordered to do so.

Lansing—About 150 officials representing 75 Michigan fairs met here for their annual convention. Governor Groesbeck, Whitney L. Watkins, state agricultural commissioner, and Dr. Kenyon L. Butterfield, president of the Michigan Agricultural college, addressed the meeting.

Saginaw—The speed with which the Saginaw fire department responded to an appeal from Merril, saved the business district of the village, 20 miles west of here, from destruction by fire. The Saginaw firemen had water on the fire 35 minutes after receiving the alarm.

Saginaw—Arthur B. Cornwell, Saginaw World War veteran already holder of the distinguished Service Cross and the French Croix de Guerre, has been made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor by the president of the French Republic, according to word received here.

Ann Arbor—Dr. Arthur G. Hall, registrar of the University of Michigan, died at his home here, following an illness that had kept him confined to his bed since last August. Dr. Hall had held the office of registrar of the University since 1908, and also had been professor of mathematics during the same period.

Detroit — Police Commissioner Frank H. Croul, in the annual budget of the police department filed with the council, has requested an appropriation of $7,527,153 for the coming year, which is an increase of $968,292 over the previous year. The increase provides for 422 more policemen and two new police stations.

Bay City—Patrol Boat No. 1, owned by the Michigan Conservation Commission, and used in enforcing the fishing laws, which sunk off Linwood Beach late last fall, has been raised. The boat went down while en route from Alpena to this city, when ice cut through her bows and an effort to beach her failed.

Battle Creek—One of the largest programs for extension of mains ever carried out in any one year is planned by the Battle Creek Gas company. This program will include four miles of large feeder mains to the north and south ends of the city. Battle Creek already leads the nation in gas main milage as compared with total length of streets. There are 138 miles of streets in this city. The gas main milage exceeds the water main mileage and is nearly double the sewer milage.

Port Huron—Harry W. Hagaman, district state highway engineer, has made the announcement that with Federal aid his department expected to build 23 miles of concrete pavement on M-21, running west from Port Huron to Flint. The stretch of trunk line between the two cities is at present largely gravel. About six miles of concrete extends from Flint to Davison. It is expected that the road will be made concrete as far east as Lapeer in 1925 and extended to Port Huron in 1926, if government aid is forthcoming.

Bay City—Mrs. Dolly Hill, an animal trainer, who was attacked here by a leopard she was training, is dead of her injuries. Her windpipe was pierced and her shoulders and chest were lacerated. Mrs. Hill was known in the circus world as Dolores Valideda. Mrs. Hill bought the leopard a few months ago, planning to exhibit in a circus next spring with two other leopards she owned. The new beast was untrained, and she had been spending several hours each day in an effort to subdue it, preparatory to exhibition.

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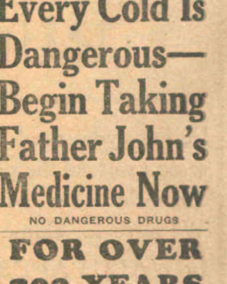

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Weekly Paper Men To Meet At M. A. C.

Members of the Michigan Press Association, the organization of weekly and semi-weekly newspaper publishers of the state, will hold its annual meeting at East Lansing from February 5 to 7, during the Farmers Week conference at M. A C.

Business sessions, craft talk, round table discussion, and social gatherings feature the program, which has just been announced by Len W. Feighner, editor of the Nashville News, and field secretary of the association. Matters having to do with the strengthening and improvement of Michigan's home town papers will form the backbone of all meetings and discussions.

Fred W. Anderson, called the "Miracle Merchant" of Cozad, Nebraska, will feature one of the afternoon sessions with a talk on "Building a $300,000 Business in a 1,300 Town". Weekly publishers of the state expect to gain many a tip from Anderson to take back to their own home town merchants.

Many of the leading newspaper men of the state, Governor Alex J. Groesbeck, Pres. K. L. Butterfield, of M. A. C. and others are listed for talks at various points throughout the three day program.

Officers and directors for 1925 will be elected at the meeting. Present officers include: President, David E. Hubbell, Croswell Jeffersonian; Vice President, Schuyler Marshall, Clinton County Republican News; Secretary Treasurer, Herbert A. Wood, Bangor Advance

Prize Tubers To Be Shown At Farm Week

The pick of Michigan's potato crop, recruited from the state's best growers, will be shown in a special tuber exhibit at M. A. C. during Farmers Week, Feb. 2 to 6. The potato samples will take their place along with winners in farm crops classes at the recent International Hay and Grain show giving this section of the farm week exhibits a complete entry.

The state Potato Producers Association, a cooperative organization of growers of certified seed stock, will also hold a meeting during the week, featuring a talk by Prof. A. G. Tolass, noted potato specialist from the University of Minnesota, on its program. The potato producers will be one of more than 30 associations holding meetings during the Farmers Week conferences.

Another feature of special interest to potato men will be the exhibit from members of Michigan's 300 bushel potato club. Thirty two growers earned entrance to this club during the past year by producing 300 or more bushels to the acre. Many of them will exhibit at East Lansing.

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WOMAN'S COURAGE FOILS BANDITS

Grapples With Armed Robbers Who Attempt to Hold Up Her Bank.

UNARMED, WINS LONG FIGHT

One Bandit Killed and Other Wounded When Men Come to Rescue—Story Told at National Meeting of Bankers.

When the wave of crime against banks, which has reached unprecedented proportions, was under discussion at the recent meeting of the American Bankers Association at Chicago, and defense measures were up for consideration, the bankers were told how one resolute woman defended herself against two armed desperadoes in her little Western bank. The woman was Mrs. Mary Garlinghouse, cashier of the State Bank of Vera, Oklahoma, which she conducts single-handed. Her own story, as she told it in a report to the protective authorities of the Association, follows:

"While I was posting my ledger, with my back to the door, I heard a commotion. When I turned around there were two men back of the counter, with handkerchiefs over their faces. The larger made a jump for my gun, before I realized what was happening. The robbers each had a gun pointed at me, and one said, 'Lay down or I will shoot you!' I said, 'I will not lay down and 'you will not shoot me.' This conversation was repeated several times. I told them to cut out their foolishness.

"A man who was in the corridor when the bandits came laid down on the floor, face down. I tried to argue with the robbers and they began to get rough, but something within me seemed to realize that they were getting confused. I kept thinking that some one would come in or see us.

"The larger man got busy with the money, while the smaller one took care of me. He jerked me to my knees and hit me over the head. This jolted my glasses and I lifted my hand, waving it in front of his face and telling him to wait a minute. I took my glasses off and put them on the table. Lifting my hand caused this man to look up and he saw we were observed from across the street. Then he saw Constable Mosby, with his gun, and said to the man who was gathering the money, 'Don, we are seen, we must make our getaway!' He then grabbed me rather roughly and said: 'Come on here! You are coming along!'

Struggles With Robber

"Here is where our struggle began. All the time we fought over his gun, I did not try to take it away from him, but kept moving it from one side to the other, and of course he was determined to point it straight at me. I told him, 'I will not go and I am not afraid of you. You will not shoot me!'

"We fought to the back door of the bank. When we got there, he raised his arm to fire at Mosby. I grabbed him around the neck, and he fired before I could get his hand. I am positive that this man was never hugged so tightly, nor ever will be, as I hugged him, realizing that I must fight for my life. The man tried his level best to kill me. What the other man was doing I do not know. My man was trying to pull me out the back door to their car, which was still running, I was determined he should not.

"R. C. Lapsley, the mayor, or Ed. Mosby shot the man in the arm. There was a jerk and out the door we went. Things were coming my way now. I pulled the robber into the weeds, half on his back and half on his left side.

"The robber finally said, 'I will give up.' I said, 'Give me your gun.' He answered, 'I will not; I know you will shoot me.' So the struggle kept on. We got back on our feet. I meant to have his gun and would fight him until I got it. We fought through the back room behind the counter. He begged me not to take him, and I asked him again for his gun and he said, 'No, I know you will shoot me.' We struggled through the front door and then Constable Mosby said, 'Drop your gun or I will shoot you.' The bandit gave up and the men took charge of him.

One Bandit Killed

"I wondered about the other bandit and started to look for him and found him in the closet in the back of the bank dying. R. C. Lapsley told me afterwards that when the bandit and I lurched through the back door the larger man, with his gun in his right hand and the sack of money in his left, stepped up to the door. They both fired at once. The robber dropped his gun and the money, but they could not see what became of him.

"If all towns had as brave men as we have here, bank robbing would be a thing of the past. You can understand the remarkable marksmanship that was displayed, when I tell you that in our struggle at the back of the bank the men took several shots at the robber, but were very careful not to hit me. The robber got a shot in his right arm and a glancing shot in his left.

"All during the shooting and fighting, I felt confident I would get the best of my man. I felt that the man would not shoot me, and like all Western women did not lose my nerve. Bank robbers, as a rule, are cowards and if one shows that he is not afraid of them they will lose their nerve."

MILLIONS IDLE NOW

Steady Increase in Unemployment Reported by Department of Labor.

Washington, D. C.—In a recent statement given to the press, Chairman Butler of the Republican National Committee says that every nation engaged in the World War has had to wrestle with the problem of post-war unemployment, that the other nations are still in the problem's throes, and that "the Republican administration of the United States alone has solved the issue."

The Department of Labor, with a Republican Secretary in charge, in an industrial survey made public in August, presents some interesting figures Mr. Butler ought to study.

With 1923 employment as 100, the index figure, Secretary Davis' Labor Department shows that employment was greater in 1917 than it has been at any time covered by its survey, and stood then at 115. It is estimated that there are 20,000,000 workers, skilled and unskilled, organized and unorganized, in the country, exclusive of farm labor. With employment at its peak in 1917, the 20,000,000 workers were all employed.

In 1919, the first post-war year, under a Democratic administration, the index figure of employment stood at 108.4, or 6.6 points under 1917, so that the number of unemployed was about 1,100,000.

In 1920, the last Democratic year, the index figure stood at 109.8, so that of the 20,000,000 workers, about 865,000 were unemployed.

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Liquor Causes Dastardly Murder

Bad booze and jealousy have another killing to their credit this week. On Monday morning at 8:00 a family was terribly disrupted and six small children made orphans by the shot gun route at Jackson. A man named Bottorf in a drunken jealous stupor arose in the morning ahead of the entire family, took a borrowed double-barrelled shot-gun and killed his sleeping wife, then fastening a string to the trigger, placed the muzzle to his face and blew his head off.

The crime was first discovered when the daughter came down stairs about nine o'clock. She ran to the neighbor's, who reported to the coroner and sheriff. Coroner Pulling stated the scene was one of the worst he ever witnessed, as both bodies lay in a pool of blood, and the walls were spattered with blood and parts of the skull.

Bottorf's family consisted of six children ranging in ages from nine to a baby about one year old.

Authorities are awaiting the arrival of relatives from Iowa who will take charge of the children and the bodies, as the couple have no relatives here. The neighborhood where the tragedy occurred must be quite cosmopolitan, since the houses are close together and a number heard the shots but paid no attention.

We are not going to preach any sermons on this text—we'll leave that to the ministers, but the man or women who dealt out Bottorf's liquor should be given the punishment of the dark ages. Every bootlegger and ever private distiller in Michigan should be rounded up and compelled to watch the proceedings, and one after another disposed of in like manner until it is obvious the lesson has been sufficiently absorbed to stop all practice of this kind in the future.

Detroit Automobile Club Objects

An association of heavy gas users in Detroit, composed mostly of business men who drive constantly short distances in the city each day and during the season take long jaunts to northern and southern resorts, are coming out with a terrible "yell" against the passage of a gas tax of two cents per gallon. On what grounds we have not yet learned but it is obvious the law would be against their interests in many ways. Well, after all is said and done, the gas tax would probably furnish Michigan with several millions extra and possibly we dont need these millions. There ought to be enough new machines in use this coming year to make up a big deficiency, but the legislators are determined to promote the good roads question and positively do not want the program for 1925 held up. Of course we know that good roads are the best asset of a prosperous nation. The Romans in Rome's imperial day built many of them and built so much better than we know how to do to-day, that automobiles are now traversing the Appian Way.

Julius Cæsar turned his attention to constructing highways and the World marveled while it paid tribute to Rome. His road work was performed by inexpensive slave labor of which we have a prototype in prison labor.

At any event it would be poor policy to hold up road building but the gas tax may yet strike a snag or something else to hold it up until 1926, but in any event the weight tax goes on. There will probably be some rush to buy light cars but the fact remains that those who have ridden in the large machine will be pretty slow in adopting a less comfortable vehicle even if the gas and weight tax both become a law. Though it may cost a few extra dollars those who drive long distances will hesitate considerably before they make the change.

Williams Introduces Bill

An important bill to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act was simultaneously introduced in the Senate chamber by Senator James Wadsworth of New York and in the House by Representative A. B Williams of Michigan Wednesday January 21, and these two gentlemen united in the following statement: "This bill has been prepared by attorneys who have had a wide experience. The purpose of the bill is to meet criticisms as to the scope and activity of the Federal Trade Commission and to provide for a constructive and helpful administration of the Act governing the Commission. It is realized that the Federal Trade Commission has a wide field of proper and useful activity. The measure was enacted by Congress in the first instance as an instrument of constructive and helpful service to American business, to be applied in pursuance of a policy and proceedure that would deal justly with the rightful interests of all concerned and stop the use of competitive methods which are improper, unfair and against public policy."

Y. W. C. A. Endorses Dancing

The Advocate supposed the Young Woman's Christian Association was a real pious association but it seems not. They used to be considered particular about such things but that has gone past. In a recent issue of the Jackson Daily News we note that the Jackson Y. W. C. A. will give [illegible] uary 2[illegible]

The Advocate don't wish to be fussy or prudish, but it really seems as if the Churches and religious bodies which endorse dancing are somewhat loose in their morals and need patching up. We'll leave it to any sane person on this earth if the present form of "bunny hug" "fox trot" business is not decidedly damaging to the morals of the young or the old. It makes no difference who sponsors the public dance it sure is a passion awakening process and if there are any who can disprove that statement we stand corrected. Now its quite indecent to talk of, isn't it? If its indecent to talk of, we should think it decidedly indecent to perform. But then, who knows? Maybe the day is coming when by the process of evolution there will be nothing wrong with any licentiousness.

This Foolish "Flapper" Came to Grief

Dorothy Ellinson of San Francisco today sits in a solitary cell at the police station awaiting trial for murder. Dorothy is pretty, 16 years of age, bobs her locks and should be a decent law abiding young women but Alas! Not for her.

She confessed to the officers that she had killed her own mother because the women objected to her daughter's being so wild and spending her nights in dissipation. Dorothy seemingly cares little about her predicament and indications are she is hardened until her conscience is a veritable flint. The poor foolish little girl! She is a product of the present day civilization and instead of punishing her they should take the modern reformists and social set to the woods and give them a flogging with a none too gentle cat-o-nine-tails. How many of Dorothy's kind we find running the streets today, right in our own neighborhoods. Bent on "having a good time" and already started on the downward course.

The Rural Delivery of Michigan

Thirty four years ago the fifth of this month Rural Free delivery was born in the brain of a Postmaster General, John Wanamaker of Philadelphia and it had to wait another year before Congress saw fit to recognize it as anything worth bothering with at which time Representative Jim O'Donnel of Michigan introduced a bill to adopt Free delivery of mail in rural districts. He figured it would take $6,000,000 to start the ball rolling but Congress snowed it under and O'Donnell was severely ridiculed as a dreamer and an idealist. In fact Robert Fulton and Morse had nothing on him for the abuse he had to take. Finally the bill got through and an experimental route was started in three counties in West Virginia. It worked out as good and practical that in nine months time 82 routes from 43 postoffices in 29 states were established. It required $10,000 to put it in operation at the time but now it costs $89,250,000 annually and pays for itself so we understand. Thirty years you could hardly make the farmers believe they would ever have mail brought to the kitchen door and many of them thought it a vision of some crazy dreamer. Michigan naturally lead out as she does in many things until at the present time she has 1830 routes; Illinois has 2637 routes with a mileage of 70,677; Ohio is second, Missouri third, and so it goes.

What it means to the rural community to be thus connected with the outside world no one can estimate correctly, but suffice to say that if it cost thousands more than it earned the farmers would not go back to the old time methods and become isolated from the home town or city.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65. which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods, thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginniag, containing two acres of land.

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State Police Earn Their Way By Returns to State Treasury

"I see a great future for state police organizations in the states which now have them. Further than that I predict that a great many other states will sooner or later have such organizations."

Harry H. Jackson, commissioner of the Michigan Department of Public Safety, of which the State Police are the principal unit, was asked the question, "What future do you see for such organizations as the Michigan State Police after completing a full year in the work?" and the above was his answer.

Commissioner Jackson was appointed to head the Michigan Department by Governor Groesbeck in October, 1923. He remained in command all through 1924. Although a man of long police experience, most of his life in fact, he had always served a local police department. At the time he became attached to the state organization he was head of the traffic division of the Detroit (Mich.) police department with the rank of inspector and the manner in which he handled the traffic situation in the city of Detroit had much to do with Governor A. J. Groesbeck selecting him to head the Department of Public Safety.

"The success of the State Police organizations in the states that now have them assures their future, in my opinion," said Commissioner Jackson, "and the successes already obtained and those of the future, will lead other states to fall into line and adopt such law enforcing agencies. As time goes on and situations develop in states that do not have a State Police force, similar to situations which have been met and conquered by State Police forces, strict law enforcement advocates will realize how their states can profit as others did and urge the passage of necessary laws creating the organization of State Police units."

Force Earns Its Way

"If properly managed, a State Police force can be made to be almost self sustaining. That could be made possible by having a large portion of the fines collected in State Police convictions and perhaps some of the other fees collected in the work revert back to the operation of the force. And in connection with this question I want to stress upon a saving that is made to the counties through the State Police. In Michigan, and I suppose it is the same in most other states, the counties allow their sheriff's department certain amounts each year for hiring special deputies and other such assistance as he may need. A State Police organziation does, to a large extent, relieve that burden because a most important part of the work is close cooperation with the local officers, particularly the county officers whose territory is wide."

Commissioner Jackson said that his department has sent out a number of bulletins to the sheriff's departments in every county in the state informing them that the State Police is at their disposal and advising where the nearest State Police post is located and how it can be reached in the shortest possible time, day or night.

Duties Are Numerous

The Michigan force is composed of about 180 men, 150 of whom are in uniform, the others doing plain clothes work, handling investigations, etc., in which a uniform would endanger the results.

In addition to doing general police work the Michigan State Police do traffic work, conduct inspections of oil entering the state, transfer of prisoners from state institution to state institution, assist in investigations of suspected arson cases, and have the supervision of men paroled from prison.

The Department of Public Safety is divided into several divisions. One is the State Police, and others are the fire marshal's division, bureau of identification and the detective bureau, all manned by state policemen. The fire marshal's division until a few years ago was a separate department of state government. About two years ago the bureau of identification was organized and the detective bureau was started during Commissioner Jackson's regime. The oil inspection work comes under the fi[illegible]shal's division and the superv[illegible] paroled men is a part of the [illegible] Police division.

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as chairman of his congressional committee and his home county committee. He has been honored with the presidency of the International I. O. O. F. Press Association, president of the Michigan Press Association and membership in the University Press Club. He comes to his duties as Grand Sire with splendid training for a big job. He is now living in Detroit, where he has recently built a home.

Mr. Thompson has been an Odd Fellow for over 28 years, and an active worker in all its branches. After serving his subordinate lodge in the several stations, he entered the Grand Lodge where he served on important committees, including the committee on laws. In 1915 he entered the Sovereign Grand Lodge as the "permanent" representative from the Michigan Grand Lodge, his associates in the Grand Lodge believing that the time was ripe for Michigan to make its bid for a Grand Sire. The Michigan Grand Lodge had confidence in his ability to make good and bring this honor to the state. He has attended each session since 1915, serving on such important committees as legislation and on several important special committees. During 1923, he was delegated as the representative of the Sovereign Grand Lodge to make a complete survey of the Order in Cuba, and upon his findings a Grand Lodge charter was granted to Cuba at the recent session in Jacksonville. In the ten years he served in the Sovereign Grand Lodge his friends became universal. Possessed of a genial personality, democratic manner, yet dignified as becomes one in his position, and having the faculty for remembering names and faces, he soon was able to greet the membership without constant introductions, which won him friends from all quarters of the world of Odd Fellowship, and who soon learned to know him, just as his brothers in Michigan know him, by his first name, "Herb."

One of the big problems that has been before the Sovereign Grand Lodge and which was solved at its recent session, was the much discussed question whether the Order should establish a juvenile branch or reduce the age of admission. After viewing both questions from all sides, the Sovereign Grand Lodge decided on reducing the age of admission to 18 years. The new law goes into effect January 1st next, and it is hoped will add thousands of young men to this splendid fraternal society.

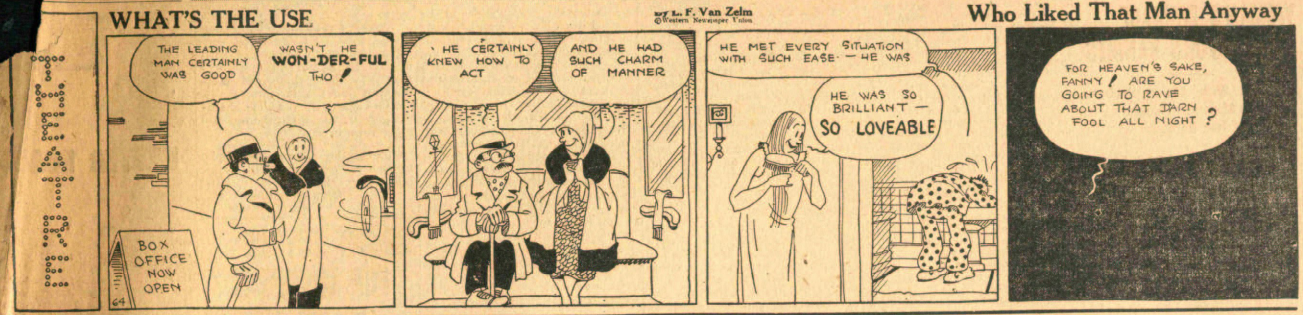
Odd Fellowship in Michigan has made wonderful advancement in recent years, until now its membership numbers 92,600 in 550 subordinate lodges. In addition to this it has the Rebekah branch with a membership of 64,000 in 485 lodges. Further honoring its Grand Sire, it is proposed to make an intensive drive to increase the membership to 100,000. With the new field of young men to draw from it is proposed to make a special effort by designating a certain time in which to initiate classes of young men between the ages of 18 and 21.

Odd Fellowship is purely a fraternal society. While it pays to its sick and injured members, certain benefits that is by no means its predominant feature. It seeks to be a helpful factor in the civic life of every community, building up a better citizenship and rendering aid where most needed. Its social activities are leading factors in the life of the Order, and it has expended magnificent sums in lodge building alone. Its relief work for the past year reached the splendid sum of $158,570. That is Michigan's record alone. Any society that carries on a worthy work of this nature not only does credit to itself but relieves the community in which it exists from performing a duty that would naturally fall upon it.

Several years ago, the Grand Lodge recognized the necessity of making provision for those of its members who, because of adverse circumstances would become the objects of charity; therefore an Odd Fellows Home was established at Jackson, Michigan that now has a main adult building, an orphanage and other buildings, with 190 acres of farm lands of a value of $250,000. There are 120 residents at the Home, and an annual appropriation of $50,000 is made for its maintenance. An endowment fund was established a few years ago into which is paid all voluntary contributions made to the Home, and on several occasions prominent members of the Order have made provision in their wills for certain sums of money or property to go in this fund, until today it has reached the sum of $107,000.

Going into the broader field of its activities we find that $7,808,913.47 was spent during the past year for relief work by the Order at large. But the great field of Odd Fellowship is pure fraternity, where men get a contact with one another that ripens into the finest friendships. Odd Fellowship offers the broadest field for working out many of the problems of the day, where the man or the woman can get the broader touch and wider field of activity through organized effort.

When one looks back to the foundation of Odd Fellowship in America and finds that its inception was the efforts of but five men, he is reminded that there surely must have been something more than the ordinary that built up a membership of such stupendous numbers. When we review its splendid activities during the years that are past, we recognize th[illegible] it has an abiding place in the [illegible] every community to make it [illegible] of the best thou[illegible]t of every [illegible] who desires [illegible] a part [illegible] elevating of [illegible] character building [illegible] citizenship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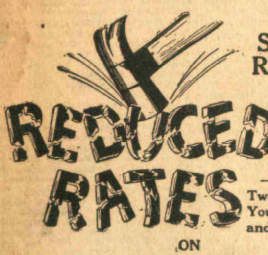

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Big Gains In America Result From Prohibition

(Continued from last week)

IMPROVEMENT IS CONSTANT

I'm a wanderer. I'm not too proud to keep interestingcompany I've been from central New York to Texas and west to California in my automobile the past twenty months. I've had three chances to drink in that time. I've seen not more than six drunks, except that in one hamlet in the Ozarks, I saw one store where the crowd were openly whooping and waving their bottles, ten or twelve men. Before prohibition I saw thousands of drunks, on one motorcycle trip from New York to the Dakotas. Thousands!

Liquor hasn't made any hyprocrites who weren't hypocrites before prohibition.

For every man drinking now, from ten to fifty have stopped drinking, and the proportion among working men's families as far higher. I can show you whole industries where liquor held almost 100 per cent sway; it now hasn't five per cent on its workers. I can show you a tannery, textile mills, whole trades in this—not to mention railroad men, who were going dry before prohibition came to the national assistance.

The price of real estate throughout the cities and communities of the country has gone up 50 percent to 100 per cent because homes are being bought under prohibition instead of liquors.

Four years ago, in California, I saw a lot of drunks. I haven't seen one from October to June this past winter. The improvement is constant, and incredibly high.

I did my bit in politics, some twelve, long, hard and thankless years. I went through from the ward and city politics to country districts. I made such a study of it that I could write a 70,000 word book about it;getting out a vote, the fighting, the phases from gin-mill grip to the W. C. T. U. influence. I played jig-time tunes on the lacerated souls of the bosses and rings and voters—with my typewriter. I especially studied the saloons, their personnel, place, conditions.

I can show you bartenders, saloonkeepers, before and after. I can show you the bootleggers. You can't find one bootlegger to five licensed ante-prohibition liquor dealers or employees. In New York City you can't find one in ten. Try it.

My job is educational, of course What I know I whoop from a tall building. Glory be if I can help the other fellow!

DRYS WIN MAIN STREET

I saw liquor power, before prohibition came, lifted from the throats of business in my home town, a booze town, two to one booze, on the vote.

The liquor crowd told the merchants on Main Street to back booze or the liquor crowd would blacklist them. Then three women drys went to Main Street and asked the merchants if they preferred the trade of the wets to that of the drys. Darn hard place for the merchants but they stopped fighting the drys and some turned around and helped, to the extent of putting their names on a petition for a local option election. We lost that election, but since prohibition came the gin-mills went from a business of $600,000 a year to less than $100,000 bootleg, and a town of 12,000 that couldn't support a restaurant in liquor years now has at least three restaurants. The saloons are occupied, now, by shoe and grocery and clothing and other stores. Tell me that prohibition isn't enforced?

Where's the Home Brew contingent? For a time everybody made home brew. They've quit. There are fewer liquor law violations than short weighing, short measuring, price-fixing and other crimes of the great middle class merchants right now. You wouldn't say repeal the game and fish laws because they are violated.

The analogy between game law and liquor law violation is almost exact. Good sports, their fun and fury interrupted, they wouldn't quit killing God's own wild creatures, nor stop drinking when it interfered with their personal liberties. I [illegible] the beg[illegible] game law around some on that proposition on both sides the fence myself.

TEN MILLION WOMEN DRY

And don't think any large percentage of people want liquor to come back. If the Woman's Christian Temperance Union could put prohibition over—what do you think 10,000,000 dry federated American women are going to do about it? What did they do in the Republican National Convention what are they doing, right now, to the old Barbary Coast in California to the road houses of California, to the largest cities and smallest hamlets of the country, right now?

More than 80 percent of the women voters are dry, absolutely. 50 percent of them have the political spirit of Carrie Nation (who will some day have a monument like the Statue of Liberty erected to her, with her hatchet in hand), and I'll tell you that there is in all the educational world no such terrific and significant exposure of the futility of the lurking, furtive and clandestine attacks on the Constitution of the United States as the fact that booze could find one, and only one, college president, Nick Butler, to support it.

(Continued next week)

Passage of Gas Tax With Lower License Assured

Prospects look bright for a satisfactory solution of the perplexing problems of highway finance. Senators and Representatives gathering here today for the third week of the session seem agreed upon a general plan of procedure worked out at a conference held between Senate and House leaders and Governor Groesbeck.

Such strong support and popular demand for a two cent gasoline tax or of passing a one cent levy has been abandoned. The present plan includes the passage of a two-cent gasoline tax and the enactment of lower license rates to be fixed on the weight basis alone with horse power eliminated from consideration.

With this agreement reached, the Senate Committee an Taxation reported out a gas tax bill sponsored by Senator Orville E. Atwood of Newaygo as a substitute for Senator Baxter's bill. The substitute, known as the Atwood-Baxter bill was referred to the Committee on Finance and Appropriations which immediately went into session and reported the bill out promptly with the recommendation that it pass. It is now at the head of General Orders and probably will be reported favorably by the Committee of the whole today or tomorrow. It is expected that it will be passed by the Senate and sent to the House this week.

As a companion measure to this gas tax, Representative Chas Evans of Tipton, Chairman of the House Committee on General Taxation, and one of the staunch leaders of the gas tax bloc, has introduced an amendment to the present automobile license law, eliminating the horse power feature and putting the licensing on a straight weight basis. The rate now in the bill is 65 cents per cwt. for pleasure cars and trucks up to 3,000 pounds. For heavier trucks the rate is graduated from 75 cents to $1.00 per cwt. It is understood, however, that these rates will be revised downward in committee. Many upstate Senators and Representatives insist that with a two cent gasoline tax the weight levy should not exceed 50 cents per cwt.

While the Atwood Baxter gas tax and the Evans reduced license fee bills introduced by Senator Baxter of Grand Rapids during the first week, two cent gasoline tax proposals have also been introduced Senator Frank L. Young of Lansing, Representative Ate Dykstra of Grand Rapids, and Representative Loomis K. Preston of St. Joseph.

It is the present plan that both the gas tax and reduced license levies be given immediate effect. Since Governor Groesbeck has promised House and Senate leaders that he will sign whatever gas tax they pass, the prospect looks bright that the matter of highway finance may be definitely settled by February 1st.

With that out of the way there are many other perplexing problems to come up. The whole fight over legislative reapportionment is being held in abeyance until the road program is out of the way. Senator Wood of Detroit has already introduced a bill to double the number Senators from Wayne County, and Representative Culver, also of Detroit, has a bill ready to greatly increase the number of Rrepresentatives from Wayne County in the House. While leaders in bodies have promised that this matter will be given full consideration, it is evident that it will start a big battle and much bitterness will no doubt be developed.

Another distressing problem is in connection with the appropriations for the several state institutions. With budget requests for new buildings alone totalling nearly $19,000,000, the law makers will be perplexed with the bewildering problem of going over these many requests and deciding which to allow and which to defer.

To give them first hand information regarding the actual needs of the various state institutions, it has been decided that as soon as the highway finance program is definitely disposed of, the Legislature will adjourn for a week to allow the members to make their institutional visits or junkets, as they were formerly called.

Among the forty bills already introduced, one which is of outstanding interest to Michigan farmers is that sponsored by Representative W. J. Thomas of Constantine, which would repeal the Covert Highway Law. It is hard to predict whether or not this bill will pass, but it is evident that the Covert Act has lost favor in many parts of the state. Those who urge its repeal declare that it has outlived its usefulness and has become a real burden and a menace.

As usual, some little friction over the matter of week end adjournment is developing between members living relatively near Lansing and those from northern Michigan. The practice of taking a recess from Thursday night until Tuesday afternoon grates on the nerves of those law makers who live too far away to get home and who must remain in Lansing with relatively little to do about half the week.

These adjournments are defended on the ground that they are necessary to allow the committees to consider bills before them and to permit the printing of many bills introduced. It is probable, however, that many of the members like them because it gives them an opportunity to get home to attend to their private business.

Senator W. L. Case of Benzonia favors speeding things up and having shorter sessions. He has introduced a constitutional amendment to limit any regular session to ninety days. This proposal, if passed, would go on the ballot for a referendum vote in November 1926.

Rep. Frank W. McKenzie of Concord is sponsoring a bill to extend the closed season on quail until 1935. The present protection expires this year.

Rep. Orvy Hullett of Armada has introduced a bill to make Eastern time legal throughout Michigan. It is not probable that this proposal will meet with much favor with farmers in western Michigan.

The right of counties to employ public health nurses is provided by a bill introduced by Senator W. L. Case of Benzonia. The bill lays down rights and duties of such nurses but it also specifiies that any citizen has the right to refuse to take any treatment or examination administered by a county nurse

Churches and all religious organizations would be exempt from payment of any state corporation tax fees by the terms of a measure introduced by Rep. George Roxburgh of Reed City. These organizations are now compelled to pay $10 to the state every three years.

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For the first five months of 1924, the index figure stood at 94.8, and 8,400,000 workers were idle, while unemployment further increased 4 per cent in July, adding another 135,000-odd workers to the army of unemployed.

What Farmers Need Costs More In 1924

Prices of Agricultural Implements Show Large Increases While Farm Products Decline or Remain Stationary.

Washington, D. C.—Farmers were paying higher prices for the necessities they bought on January 15, 1924, than on the same date of the previous year, according to a report of the Department of Agriculture recently issued. At the same time agricultural producers were receiving less for many of their products last January than in the same month o 1923.

In the latest Year Book of the Department of Agriculture (page 1152) appears a table showing "prices of articles bought by farmers, 1923, and January 15, 1924." There are 69 articles in this list. All but fourteen of them cost the farmer more last January than on January 15, 1923. The increases in 1924 over the prices in 1923 range from a fraction of 1 per cent to 10 and 15 per cent.

Four of the fourteen articles which were cheaper in January this year than last were the farmer's own products—bacon, beans, flour and linseed meal.

Agricultural machinery and implements showed considerable advances in 1924, when cereal grains were selling for less money than for a long time previously. Harrows that cost $53.36 on January 15, 1923, were priced at $57.74 on January 15, 1924; horse-drawn riding plows that sold for $85.10 in 1923 were $95 in in 1924; grain binders were $201.61 in 1923 and $222.81 in 1924. Wagons increased from $123.26 in 1923 to $135.68 in 1924; two-horse sulky hay rakes, from $40.67 to $44.91; 5-foot mowers, from $74.39 to $81.22; centrifugal hand cream separators of 250 gallon capacity, from $79.10 to $85.31.

The same relative increases are to be found throughout the list. Barbed wire went from $4.87 to $5.19 a 100 pounds; dairy milk cans (10 gallons) from $4.85 to $5; binder twine from 13 2-10 cents to 13 6-10 cents a pound; leather horse collars from $5.06 to $5.40 each; rubber boots knee length, from $4.28 to $4.32, wire nails from 5 8-10 cents to 6 2-10 cents; 2-inch framing lumber from $37.87 to $37.51 a 1000 feet; and so through the list of utensils, furniture, clothing, etc. For example, a suit of clothes that cost a farmer $25.83 in 1923 was nearly 5 per cent dearer in 1924, and socks and overalls were, respectively, 11 and 15 per cent higher.

Republican politicians and newspapers are telling farmers that the tariff is an advantage to them. It is evident, however, that while the tariff on agricultural products is practically worthless to the producer it is collectible from him on what he buys from others in the way of necessaries.

There is an attempt to prove that the tariff does not influence the cost of agricultural machinery and implements because these are on the free list. Farmers are not told that the iron and steel from which these machines and implements are manufactured are taxed heavily. This tax increases the cost of agricultural machinery and implements about $100,000,000 a year.

DAVIS BECOMES BOY SCOUT IN COLORADO

Denver, Colo.—When John W. Davis, Democratic presidential candidate, was in Colorado recent he climbed to an altitude of 9,500 feet in the rugged Rockies to become a member of the Boy Scouts of America, and remained there for a time as the guest of the organization. He is now enrolled as a Boy Scout in good standing of Region No. 8, which includes Colorado. At the suggestion of James E. West, executive director of the Boy Scouts, Mr. Davis spoke to the members of the conference in session there.

Mr. Davis praised the movement undertaken by the Boy Scouts to bring voters to the polls at local, state and national elections.

"You can do better work for the men and women of this day and for the men and women who are to come after us than to bring those boys to feel that that is their task in life, and that, young as they are, immature as they are, the hour for them to begin has already struck," Mr. Davis said.

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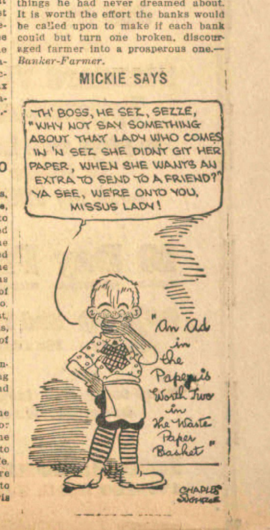
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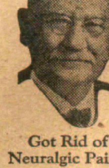

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Several colleges, looking to modern needs in the curriculum, have included in their new courses one for "life budgeting" which means not only training on how to budget and spend financial income, but also on budgeting time, including leisure, work, reading and other pursuits. This is felt necessary partly because organized labor is getting a gradual reduction in working hours, leaving more and more leisure, a great deal of which, it is said, is now wasted in a way that does as much physical harm as the surcease from too much work does good.

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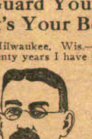

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"HE'S A BEAST"

SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance.

CHAPTER I—Continued

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"That scalpel—quick!" he cried.

Joan started and stretched out her hands toward the tray, which gleamed afar off, elusively through a black cloud.

"The one I handed you. Don't stare at me like a fool!"

Joan bent over the tray, putting out one hand to the table to support herself. She was conscious that everything was suspended and that everyone was watching her. In the interminable interval she heard the patient's gasping sighs, as if he was breathing the last wisps of life away.

She fingered the instruments in the tray feebly and nervelessly, and her hands seemed numbed and useless. Her fingers closed on something and brought it out. Then Lancaster's hand closed over hers, tore it away, and flung it back with a splash. Joan's hand dropped to her side, paralyzed by the painful pressure. The next instant Lancaster had the scalpel and whirled swiftly back toward the table, upsetting the bichloride, which lapped over the patient's feet.

The moments went by like hours. At last Joan became aware, through the sudden unraveling of the suspense, that the crux of the operation was over. Her head grew clear again. She saw the assistant surgeons unfastening the artery clamps. The head nurse rose to her feet, not looking at the patient. Joan realized that she was crying, and her strong, epicene face looked grotesque in grief. The orderly came up, and together they placed the patient on the stretcher. And suddenly Joan knew that the man was dead.

As the stretcher was wheeled out of the theater Lancaster turned toward his visitors.

"A very successful piece of work," he said. "It's a pity the poor fellow will never know how much I have done for him."

Joan felt the visiting surgeons' disgust at the execrable jest. Lancaster seemed to sense it, too.

"Unfortunately," he continued, "the best of surgeons is not proof against the stupidity of a nurse."

And he turned upon Joan fiercely. "What is your name?" he demanded.

"Miss Wentworth, Doctor Lancaster."

"Well, you're no use here. You're wasting your time. You've killed a man this morning," he bellowed. "If I can't have women about me with rational heads on their shoulders I'll get a gang of Chinese chop suey men. Get out and earn your living as a stenographer or saleslady. That's all your talents are fit for, Miss Wentworth!"

Joan looked at him in amazement. At his first words, at his tone, she had felt the shock of anger in her heart gather itself and leap to meet his own. But his rage frightened her, her head ached, and she was sick from the fumes which still penetrated the theater. She tried to answer him, but could not utter a word and broke into tears instead, sobbing in complete nervous abandonment.

Lancaster turned from her with a wry face. "Well, gentlemen," he said, with an affectation of jovialness, "better luck next time. I'm sorry the operation was not successful, but, after all, the patient's life is not the principal thing. The method was correct, you see, but I did not reckon on an incompetent assistant."

"Put the blame on the anesthetic, Doctor Lancaster," said a white-bearded surgeon, with chivalrous intent. "With a nephritis history operation's useless. Better let them die peacefully."

"I did not quite grasp the technical innovation you spoke of, Doctor Lancaster," said another. "To my mind it was the original Leonard operation, except that—"

"Why did you divide the arterial coats below the site of the aneurism?" queried a third.

Lancaster led them from the theater, expostulating and explaining. The dark-haired girl lingered with the sponges. The assistant surgeons had already gone hurriedly out. Joan put her tray away. She still was unable to control her sobs.

Suddenly Lancaster reappeared, furious after the cross-examination to which he had been subjected. He came straight toward Joan with a face of malice. Unconscious of her pitiful aspect as a child might have been, she raised her streaming face and looked at him.

"You had no right to speak to me like that, whatever I did," she said.

"Whatever you did? Whatever you failed to do! What do you think you are here for?" he stormed.

He glared at her, turned away, hesitated, and then came back.

"That's just the way with you women," he cried. "You lost that case for me. And now you are thinking about your dignity. You shouldn't have taken up a nurse's vocation. You women don't know what you can do and what you can't till you find yourselves in a post of responsibility, and then you fall down. What made you take up nursing, anyway? Thought our style of caps becoming, I suppose."

"I've done my best to qualify. I've never been blamed before."

"Well, you've made a big mistake," said Lancaster. "That's all. A—very—big—mistake," he added, emphasizing each word with a nod. "And my work and patients' lives are too important to allow mistakes to happen. You're too pretty to be a nurse, anyway," he added in a lower tone.

"You don't need to tell me that, Doctor Lancaster!" cried Joan furiously.

He made a gesture of mock despair.

"That's right, get on your high horse again!" he said. "Just remember that I'm at the head of the Southern hospital, and what I say goes, that's all."

He swung upon his heel and went out of the room, leaving her gripping the table fiercely in her humiliation. The dark-haired girl, who had been fussing in a corner, came up to her.

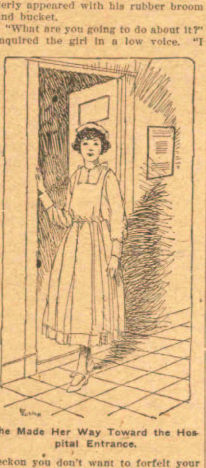
"He's a beast!" she exclaimed passionately. "He hates women—decent women. My! if he'd dared to speak that way to me I'd have told him what I thought of him, right in the middle of the operation. I don't care for anybody when my temper's up. I could tell you a few things I've heard about him if I were minded to. Do you know he went on a five years' spree once?"

"I don't care what he did!" cried Joan passionately.

"Well, I guess you could make it your business to know," answered the other. "A girl's got to fight her way, the same as a man. He threw up his job and just went away for five years, drinking and living with tramps, and then had the nerve to come back as if nothing had happened. I got it from a girl that used to be friendly with him. He's—"

She broke off abruptly as the orderly appeared with his rubber broom and bucket.

"What are you going to do about it?" inquired the girl in a low voice. "I reckon you don't want to forfeit your diploma any more than the rest of us. Listen! You go and see him."


She Made Her Way Toward the Hospital Entrance.

"Never!" said Joan.

"Don't be a fool, Miss Wentworth! You go and see him at his house. It's what anyone would do in your place. Fool him by making him think he can do what he likes with you; play with him and hold him off by hook or crook until you're graduated, and then laugh at him. I'd do it if I had to. My! if you heard some of the stories that are going round—"

The head nurse beckoned at the door. "The lady superintendent wants to see you at once, Miss Wentworth," she said. "You're to go right into her office."

She looked at Joan resentfully. Her face was quite composed again, but her eyes were reddened. She knew that Lancaster had been at fault, but she had seen Joan's blunder, too. Miss Symons was one of those women who can acquire the faculty of a man's strength without losing their own sex. She was a tower of strength toward weakness, but she had no pity for a lapse of duty.

Joan walked the dreary length of the corridor to the lady superintendent's room. The white-haired woman was seated at her desk, pretending to be making up her accounts and composing herself for the interview.

"Miss Wentworth!" she began, turning round in her chair as Joan appeared at the door. "You have made Doctor Lancaster very angry. He said you are totally inefficient. What was it that happened this morning?"

"The ether made me faint and I couldn't see the instruments for a moment, and Doctor Lancaster happened to want a scalpel quickly," answered Joan.

"Well, it's a great pity," said the other, "because it was your first day and we had to get somebody to take Miss Martin's place and I selected you because I relied on you particularly. Anyway, you are suspended."

Joan looked at her stupefied. "You mean—that—I am to leave the hospital and lose my diploma?" she asked.

"I don't know yet," answered the lady superintendent evasively. "I suppose Doctor Lancaster will decide that later after he has laid the matter before the board at their next meeting and looked over your record. Anyway, Miss Wentworth, you may as well take a holiday for a week or so until you hear from us."

She turned back to her books while Joan, after looking at her for a moment in silence, turned and went into the corridor. She made her way toward the hospital entrance. And the great wooden arch, through which she had passed hundreds of times without noticing it, suddenly became vivid with detail; the hospital, which had been a part of her unconscious life, looked strange and new to her.

Chapter II

Joan had a room in a nurses' boarding house a few minutes' walk away. She walked mechanically homeward, hardly even yet realizing the magnitude of the blow which had befallen her. Avonmouth lay almost deserted in the noontide glare. The shuttered houses, gay with striped awnings, looked down on the white, dusty streets. The little park that contained the Confederate monument was bright with geraniums, but the grass was parched and withered, and the feeble efforts of an automatic sprinkler seemed almost instantly absorbed by the thirsty ground.

Joan made her way toward an overhanging tree, brushed away a prickly caterpillar from a seat beneath it, and sat down. She was trying to estimate the magnitude of the catastrophe that had happened to her, to free herself from the stupefied wonder and passionate resentment that held her. Two hours before life had seemed reasonably bright; now its entire course was changed. For she did not doubt that the lady superintendent had been trying to soften the news of her dismissal.

Her mind ran back to the beginning of all things for her—her father's death. That had happened ten years before, and the mortgage on the estate, ruined after the war, had grown like a spreading sore, eating away field after field, until it allowed everything except nine hundred dollars. After the enforced sale, Mrs. Wentworth and her daughter had gone to Avonmouth for the sole reason that the mother remembered a wealthy godmother there, distantly related, whose activities she hoped to enlist on behalf of her daughter. It was characteristic of her that she should not have known the woman had died six years previously.

Still, Avonmouth was the nearest large town in which a girl, flung on the world untrained, might hope to support two people. Joan had long before wanted to be a nurse. She decided to attempt to enter a hospital; but now her mother's slow, mortal illness kept her nursing her at home. Six months after their arrival Mrs. Wentworth died. What remained of their nine hundred dollars after the doctor's and funeral expenses had been paid would suffice for Joan's merest needs until she had graduated from the Southern hospital. But the physician who attended Mrs. Wentworth in her last illness had secured the girl a position as a probationer, and Joan was as happy as she could expect to be. Since that date he had moved away, and Joan was altogether alone.

At home they had known hardly anyone, for the whole region was in that condition of resettlement that began in the seventies and is still proceeding. Their friends had scattered to the north and west; their letters had long since ceased. Prosperity, stalking through the nation, had left a little ridge of poverty between the swaths of its progress through the foothills of the back country. In Avonmouth Mrs. Wentworth's illness, and afterward, the hospital work, had kept the girl both from making friends and from the realization of her need of them. Her whole mind was set upon obtaining that diploma which would mean an assured living, and before her eyes was ever the spectacle of such poverty as she had known at home among others and had seen approaching her mother. After she graduated, perhaps, life might begin to unfold before her eyes. But even this she realized only vaguely; she lived altogether in the moment.

It's plain that Joan is a nice girl, but Dr. Lancaster seems to be no good, either as surgeon or man.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Cannibal Ancestors

The discovery of a pile of human bones dating from the Neolithic period—at least 6,000 years ago—in a cave near Auch, in the south of France, has given rise to the theory that prehistoric men at that period were undoubtedly cannibals. The bones all bear marks of teeth and apparently form the remains of some gigantic cannibal feast.

New Explanation for Disasters on Ocean

In explanation of collisions at sea it is said to be a scientific fact that a very large liner moving through shallow water will attract small craft toward her. This theory was first put forward when the White Star liner Olympic collided with the British destroyer Hawke, whose captain stated on oath that his vessel was sucked toward the big liner and refused to answer her helm at all. He was laughed at then, but not so long afterward the ill-fated Titanic started on her maiden voyage. As she steamed down Southampton docks the American liner New York, an eleven-thousand-ten ship, began to get uneasy at her berth alongside the quay. Presently her stout mooring ropes snapped, one after another, and she started to move out toward the White Star ship. The Titanic was immediately stopped, while tugs got hold of the New York and towed her back into safety. During the war there was another proof of the theory, this time by the Olympic again. A German submarine sidled up to her and was getting ready to torpedo her, when the suction drew the U-boat close up under the liner's stern, and the blades of her great propeller ripped open the submarine from stem to stern.

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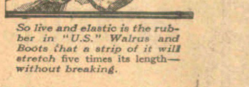
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CORRESPONDENCE

Center Adams

Ben Leiser of South Bend visited at the L. E. Chase home on Tuesday

The men belonging to the I. C. E club are busy this week harvesting their ice.

G. W. Greening of West Adams visited with R. H. Wyman and wife on Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Gordon and two children spent Friday in North Adams with Mrs. Hutton.

Marion Coryell and family spent Sunday with James Bumpus and wife of Churches Corners.

Lenna Dewey and family were in Waldron last week visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Flowers.

Will Post of Wheatland was a visitor on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wyman.

Mrs. M. Coryell spent Wednesday and Thursday in Hillsdale, the guest of Mrs. Frank Powderly.

Harold Johnson and family of Hillsdale were visitors at the J. R. Wright home Sunday afternoon.

Glenn Densmore and wife of West Adams visited at the home of J. R. Dewey and wife Sunday.

Miss Frances Rumsey of North Adams was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Sadie Gray over the week end.

Jerome

Better lock up your dog!

Floyd Sawdey lost a cow last week.

Ralph Seeley and wife have been on the sick list.

Leon Walworth and wife were in Hillsdale Friday.

Mrs. George Patch of Liberty was in town Friday.

Harold Sterling of Ypsilanti visited the week end with relatives here

Clyde Sawdey and family of North Adams visited R. O. Sawdey and wife Sunday.

Lemuel Kies and wife visited part of last week at Bankers with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kies.

Roland Painter hasn't given us any authority to say so but we have an idea he is rather sorry because he didn't remain in the south land until spring.

W. W. Ostrom has put up his supply of ice for next summer. Elmer Ward and Thomas VanAllen who did the cutting are now employed by Lud Chandler and Marion Hart.

Samuel Butcher who had spent most of his life in this section passed away Wednesday at Manton at the home of his neice, Mrs. James Baker. Mr. Butcher was 81 years of age and is survived by one son, William of Jonesville besides nearly fifteen nephews and neices who reside at Hanover, Homer, Jerome and Jonesville and at other points in upper Michigan. Funeral services were conducted Friday at the church by Rev. Parkhurst of Somerset Center with burial in the local cemetery.

Jonesville

G. C. Varnum is recovering from his recent illness.

J. M. Tyler who has been ill for some time is improving.

Sheldon Fogg, a Jonesville high school junior has enlisted in the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bliss are the parents of a daughter born January 15 1925.

Mrs. Edwin Gillespie Sr. entertained the Investigator club Tuesday afternoon January 20th.

The regular meeting of the mothers club was held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Harry Leiss.

Mrs. C. A. Tiffany fell on the sidewalk in Hillsdale one day last week and sprained her wrist quite badly.

Richard Varnum Jr. visited at the home of Mrs. Emma Evans in Hillsdale from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Alice Dingfelder and sister Mrs. Winnefred Gaige have gone to Cincinnati for a visit with relatives.

Harry Godfrey, wife and daughter Natalie expect to leave January 30th for Atlanta Ga. and Santa Ana California.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Mildred Oppel and Carl Zeigler of Hillsdale which will take place Jan. 31.

The Helen Childs missionary society of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. F. B. Fisk of Evans street.

The Sunday school class of Albert Brown of the Moscow Plains church paid Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Weldon of this place a visit last Wednesday night. A potluck supper was served and all report a very enjoyable time.

Town Line

Mrs. Belle Jennings has been on the sick list this week.

Add Haight is drawing logs to Sanders mill at Addison.

Howard Watkins of Hillsdale was a caller at the Jennings home Wednesday.

Mrs. Randall Westcott entertained the country womans club Thursday.

Marcy Sipe is spending a few days at the home of F. Southard and wife of Addison.

Clarence Jennings and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Corey of Allen.

School children of the Viele District were vaccinated Tuesday. Dr. Sterling of Jerome attended.

F. Giddings and wife, Albert Pease and wife were Saturday guest of H. Boley and wife of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Culbert were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Westcott of Addison.

Miles Hudnut was operated on at Addison Hospital Monday of this week. He is at home at this writing.

Geraldine Cox, teacher stayed with Mrs. Loyal Brown last week but as the roads have opened up is driving from home this week.

Neighbors and friends of Mrs. L. Woolston, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Helmick very much enjoyed the party at their home last Friday evening. Music and games were the features of the evening. A nice lunch was served.

Mrs. Fern Jennings spent last Saturday in Addison with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilcox, she called at the Addison hospital to see her friend Mrs. Allen of Onsted who was there for treatment. She is doing nicely since her operation.

West Hoxie

Clyde Sprague is home from Detroit.

Mrs. Lord is quite sick at this writing.

Ray Haynes and wife spent Wednesday at Oray Holcomb's.

Mr. and Mrs. Purcell spent Monday at Pittsford on business.

Roy Householder of Reading and Iris Sutton of Hillsdale spent Sunday at the Bloemker home.

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The Annual Banquet of Line 39 was held last Saturday at the home of Chas Sprague. After a bounteous dinner, the usual business was attended to and the same officers were elected.

High School Notes

Our debating team was defeated by Britton last Friday night.

Last Friday night at Montgomery our boys won the Basket ball game but the girls lost.

The carnival that was held last Saturday night was very successful, the net proceeds being about sixty dollars.

The semester examinations began Wednesday afternoon and lasted until Friday night. All the students from the Freshman class up have to take the examinations given out by the state.

Little Robert Harrington, son of Leonard Harrington and wife recently underwent an operation for adenoids. He is now recovering in good shape.

The Carnival at the Community Building last Saturday evening was attended by a pretty sizable crowd. and all the attractions proved to be popular. Those in charge are well satisfied with the results, about $60 net.

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This paper does not wish to mix material things with religious matters, but we feel it a duty to suggest at this time that the Adventists may be right and if they are, we will be doing a favor to readers by making the suggestion that they pay up their bills here and elsewhere,

One of the first questions to be asked we are reliably informed, will be regarding the payment of bills. Of course no one will be sent to Hell for non-payment, but there will be a sort of detention ward or half way station where the delinquents will be detainrd; six months in arrears, six months out of Heaven.

And if perchance a subscriber is back a couple of years, it would be Dante's Inferno sure for him.

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At the recent session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, held in Jacksonville, Fla., Michigan was made the hub of Odd Fellowship, so to speak, when Herbert A. Thompson, editor and publisher of The American Odd Fellow at Williamston, was unanimously elected as Grand Sire, the highest rank and office in the world of Odd Fellowship.

As a mark of appreciation on behalf of the Order in Michigan, a banquet was tendered to the entire body and their ladies in attendance at the session in Jacksonville. It was the finale of a dynamic drive that had been started in 1914, when Mr Thompson first entered the Sovereign Grand Lodge as a representative of the Grand Lodge of Michigan, which he had served a year previously as Grand Master, making a record that stands out as a year of wonderful attainments.

HERBERT A. THOMPSON

Possibly there never was a session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge that so completely gave itself over to one grand jurisdiction as did the 1924 session to Michigan. In fact the dynamic force that had so completely won the Sovereign Grand Lodge over to the candidacy of Mr. Thompson for deputy Grand Sire at Detroit in 1922, was still felt on all sides at Jacksonville. Michigan was simply bubbling over with joy for the honors that had come to it, the first in the history of the Order, and the committee in charge of the affair "stepped on the gas" and set a pace that will be difficult for any future session to equal, which brought forth favorable comment in the press throughout the entire civilized world where Odd Fellowship exists.

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The Klan speech at the I. O. O. F. hall in this village on Tuesday evening was not largely attended

Will Parish of the Universal Body Works in Jonesville was home over Sunday. He reports business at the plant as very good.

The Methodist Sunday School obtained over $25.85 for collection on Sunday morning January 25th with an attendance of 145.

A. J. Calhoun went on Tuesday to attend the convention of salesmen of the Dayton Scale Co. held in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday and will return on Friday.

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Camden first and second teams Basket Ball are scheduled to play our boys here at the Community House this Friday evening, Jan. 30. Everybody invited and urged to turn out.

The home of George Burr Smith on College Hill in Hillsdale was severely damaged by fire this week. Between fire and water the house was practically ruined and cannot be occupied until rebuilt.

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Miss Willa Jean Frietag of Jackson spent the first of the week with her sister, Miss Mary Frietag, of the high school faculty.

Miss Lillian Pendell of Hillsdale College arrived home on Thursday morning to spend the week with her parents, J. B. Pendell and wife.

A daughter of a murderer won the $1,000 contest for the best essay on capital punishment put on by a magazine which promoted the literary tournament.

Mrs. George Rock entertained several children and their teacher, Mrs. Etta Pray, on Monday evening for supper in honor of the former's son, Floyd, who was celebrating his seventh birthday anniversary.

Don't forget the Progressive card party for O. E. S. members and Adams Lodge, No. 189, F. & A. M. members and their families at Mason hall on Friday evening, January 30. Each lady bring lunch for two.

C. S. Wertz is making a special sale on all kinds of notions beginning Saturday, Jan. 31, and ending Thursday, Feb. 5th, at 20 per cent discount. Ten per cent discount on Goodyear Tires and Tubes. See big ad on back page.

The largest pueblo ever found on the continent was recently discovered in the untraveled recesses of Nevada. Thus far, forty houses and eleven bodies, ten of them woman, have been excavated. Ancient pottery estimated to be 2,000 years old, was found.

Saturday, Jan. 31, from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. in the Methodist church parlors, the superintendent and teachers of the Children's Division will give a farewell reception in honor of the children being promoted from the children's division. All children who attend the M. E. Sunday school are invited and urged to be present.

A party of young people, members of Rev. Hunt's Sunday school class enjoyed a sleigh ride to the home of Clark Pierce Tuesday evening January 27th. The evening was spent in playing games and music was furnished by several of the party. Refreshments of buns and frankforts were served, after which the guests departed for their homes.

The keeper of the Tower of London in the time of Queen Elizabeth was paid $500 a year. He also received all the government allowances made to offenders of high rank who were too proud to accept it. All cattle that slipped of the London bridge, all carts that fell into the moat, all flotsdam and jetsam in the Thames, two flagons of wine from every vessel arriving from Bordeaux, and a lot of other things not included in his fees.

Announcement of the complete enrollment figures of Western State Normal at Kalamazoo for the winter term shows 48 students from Hillsdale county. Kalamazoo Normal has a total enrollment this winter of 2,106 students. Three hundred and fifty are taking degree courses and the remainder are studying for teachers certificates. There are 737 men, the largest number in any normal college in the country.

The S. E. class of the Congregational Sunday school will meet at the home of Arthur Stevens Tuesday evening, Feb. 3rd. A ride will be furnished those who have no conveyance if they will meet at the home of E. C. Williams. Please bring for refreshments doughnuts, sandwiches or pickles Program is musical. Please bring your own cups. A cordial invitation is extended to all who do not attend any other Sunday school to go with us.

A pleasant social event of the week was the January meeting of the Sorosis Club held at the home of Miss Edith Westcott on Tuesday afternoon. Roll call was responded to by giving New Years resolutions. The following program was given: Reading Mrs. Bessie Wells; piano solo, Mrs. Ada Newman: debate, question "That good housekeeping is better than good homemaking" The affirmative was taken by Mes. Alice Newman and Ethel Rock and the negative by Mesdames Pauline Gray and Carrie Speer. Some excellent points were brought out on both sides and the judges decided that good housekeeping tended toward good home making. Mesdames Mary Westcott, Allie Holkins and Josephine Jones acted as judges. After singing "America, the Beautiful" and repeating the Club Collect the club was adjourned.

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Sunday evening service 7:00
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Michigan beekeepers will also have an opportunity to pick up the most advanced and up to date pointers on their profession during a two weeks beekeepers short course which will be given at M. A C. from Feb. 9 to 21.

Prof. F. B. Paddock, Iowa State Apiarist, will assist with the work of the school for several days All phases of beekeeping practice, from the fundamentals of bee behaviour to special problems of the industry will be taken up during the school.

W. W. Clingerman and wife removed this week to Zanesfield, Ohio, where they will be located on a farm.

Carl Binns and family of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Binns' parents F. L. Westcott and wife.

Lawrence Hicks who is employed on the section here has purchased the home of Ben Fuller in the west part of town.

The Womans Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet next Wednesday, Feb. 4th, with Mrs. Harold Young.

Theldon N. Lamb and wife are removing to the residence recently vacated by John Iveson and family, owned by Mrs. Edith Payne.

The Woman's Club will observe Guest Day Monday, Feb. 2nd. The program begins promptly at 2:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Anna McFarland.

Miss Mary Corbett of Smith, Kentucky, is spending a few days visiting here. She is engaged in Community welfare work in the mountains of Kentucky.

A. B. Kern, aged 93 years, a former resident of this county, died at the home of a son in Jackson Friday. Funeral services were held at the home on Sunday and burial was in the West Reading cemetery. He was the father of Rev. H. A. Kern and grand-father of Mrs. Lois Holcomb of this vicinity.

Temperature variously reported on Tuesday morning from 8 to 15 degrees below zero and most of us agreed it was plenty cold enough anyhow. The old adage of lengthening days and strengthening cold still holds good. Feb. 1st the days length will be about one hour longer than January 1st. Where are the sports who predicted a light winter? Echo answers "Gone" You won't see anything of those boys until next October.

Entertainment and education will be mixed in equal portion at the M. A. C. Farmers Week this year. Along with the serious side of the program, will go many events planned more from the point of view of recreation and pleasure. A big parade of agriculture, with practically all the moving music and band concerts will be included on many of the general programs. Moving pictures will be shown each evening. There will be a college basketball game on Tuesday evening. In short, guests at this years Farmers Week will break the routine of the business side of their conferences and meetings with an enjoyable measure of play.

The two-story tool house and garage on the farm of Alton Sillivan east of Hillsdale on the angling road burned to the ground on Wednesday. A Ford coupe, a large Mitchell touring car and a number of farming tools went up in smoke. Loss about $2,500, insurance $800. Alton states that he went out to the garage in the early morning and placed a lighted lantern under the hood of the coupe and covered the hood with a blanket to warm up the motor so it would start good. Nothing more was thought of it until Mr. Sillivan finished breakfast when on coming out of the house the garage was found to be in flames Neighbors flocked to the scene with buckets and after some time were able to check the fire and save the house and barn. Hillsdale fire department was called but did not come.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Mr. F. E. Osborne of Ann Arbor President of the Life Conservation League, will speak on the subject, "Balance in Education." along the line of Loyalty to law, the Basic principal of right living. A freewill offering will be taken for its propagation though not to interfere with the regular offering for the church.

In the evening service Mr. Perkins will sing a solo entitled, "Nobody knows but Jesus." Also there will be a duet sung by Ione Young and Margaret Meeks. The subject for evening service will be, "A chain of Biological Accidents."

The Missionary Society will meet in the church parlors Wednesday all day. Feb. 4th. Dinner will be served at noon. Everyone come.

Also Wednesday evening Feb. 4 the "Big Brother's" class in Sabbath school will give a free Banquet in honor of S. P. I. class as the result of the contest between the two classes. The S. P. I. class won by one point.

Don't forget next Sunday will be promotion day in the Sabbath school, be sure and be there. Also to hear the next Challenge. Last Sunday's attendance was 145 and total collection was $25.85, "Let's keep advancing."

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

The Sunday morning service will be a continuation of the theme "The Life By Which We Live". The sermon for the morning worship period will be "Stories By The Sea." We are planning special music and anthem by the choir Remember the contest in the Sunday school. Mr. Holcomb, the Superintendent has an interesting program arranged for every Sunday. Come and fill your place! Remember the choir practice at Mrs. Wamsley's Saturday evening at 7:30.

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Second: that the teaching load of the superintendent be reduced in order that increased attention may be devoted to the supervision of instruction.

Third: that future vacancies in the high school staff be filled by the employment of sufficient college graduates to satisfy the requirements for accrediting for the term of two years.

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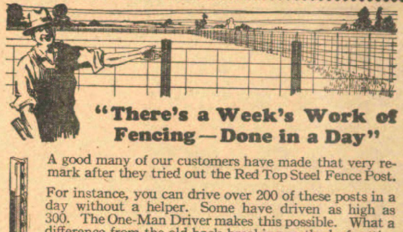

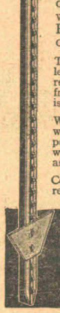

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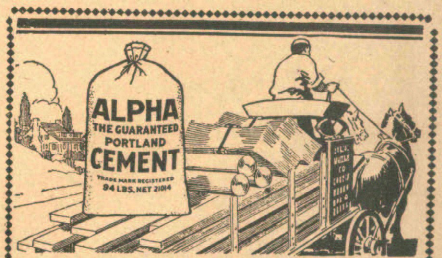

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1—Fire-wracked hull of steamer Mohawk as it lies in Delaware bay, where it was beached after 207 passengers were rescued in blizzard while the ship burned. 2—President Coolidge with delegation of Osage Indians who sought for their tribe the Red river oil lands. 3—U. S. scout cruiser Omaha in Gaillard cut, Panama canal, on way to maneuvers of Pacific fleet.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Paris Agreement Worries a Few Senators—Japanese Recognition of Russia.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

SATISFACTION over the work of the American representatives in the Paris conference on division of German reparations payments is not unmixed with apprehension, on the part of some Americans, that our country may have become thereby unduly "entangled" in the settlement of Europe's affairs. This despite the assurances of Secretary of State Hughes that participation in the Paris settlement has not obligated the United States in the least to join in enforced collection of reparations from Germany. Mr. Hughes said:

"The agreement reached at Paris was simply for the allocation of the payments made under the Dawes plan. It does not provide for sanctions or deal with any questions that might arise if the contemplated payments should not be made. With respect to any such contingency, the agreement at Paris puts the United States under no obligation, legally or morally, and the United States will be as free as it ever was to take any course of action it may think advisable."

This did not satisfy Senators Hiram Johnson, Borah and others, and at their instance the senate asked President Coolidge to transmit to it the full text of the agreement and a complete explanation of the circumstances attending its signature by the American representatives, particularly Ambassador Kellogg's reported futile attempt to sign with reservations absolving the United States from responsibility for any part of the arrangement except that pertaining to American claims.

MEMBERS of the senate foreign relations committee were entertained at dinner Wednesday by the President, and with them were Richard Washburn Child, former ambassador to Italy, and A. P. Moore, ambassador to Spain. The principal subject discussed was the treaty of Lausanne between Turkey and the United States, and there were indications that Mr. Coolidge would try to have it ratified before March 4. Chairman Borah, however, says there will not be time to settle both this and the world court matter, and the committee decided to take up the latter question at its next meeting.

Another topic of deep interest to the foreign relations committee, and indeed to the whole country, was the recognition of soviet Russia by Japan. Those two nations signed at midnight Tuesday a treaty of mutual diplomatic recognition. Japan promises to evacuate Saghalien early in the spring, but is granted a naval oil reserve on that island and is given the right to exploit half the known coal and oil fields there under a 50-year lease, paying royalty. The question of debts of the czarist government, trade, navigation and fishing agreement are to be settled later.

There was great rejoicing in Tokyo over this pact, and both the Japanese and the Russians predicted that the United States would soon have to recognize Russia. On this subject George Tchitcherin, soviet foreign minister, says the first step of Mr. Coolidge as the newly elected President, in international relations, "brings him face to face with the most obvious necessity of drawing the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics into the circle of his country's political relations. It is impossible permanently to preserve the artificial system of separation between the two biggest countries in the world, which was created by Secretary Hughes. The entry of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics into the circle of the Pacific brings it face to face with America in the same ocean. America will find itself in a cul-de-sac if that absurd estrangement from the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics is maintained."

BY AN amendment added to the navy appropriation bill by the senate the President is authorized and requested to call another international conference on the reduction of armament. Mr. Coolidge has said he wished to do this, but preferred to await the action of other nations on the disarmament conference proposed by the League of Nations, with which we would have nothing to do. This may have to be dropped, for opposition to the attending protocol as amended by demand of the Japanese has not abated. British dominions are so strongly against it that it is reported the British government has abandoned the plan of calling an imperial conference to consider it.

While considering the naval bill the senate rejected an amendment which would provide money for elevating the guns of 13 capital ships, thus sustaining the stand taken by the administration.

REPRESENTATIVE PORTER, head of the American delegation to the international opium conference which has resumed its sessions in Geneva, is rather hopeless of results, and his pessimism seems justified by the fight that is being made, especially by the British, against the American proposal for the suppression of opium smoking in the Far East within fifteen years. Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, head of the British delegation, says it would be impossible to inaugurate any fixed time limit, and in his remarks he asserted the American people were using more opium and narcotic drugs than the people of India. This was hotly resented by Mr. Porter, who declared the charge was a vile slander on the people of the United States. Viscount Cecil withdrew his statement and apologized. Most of the delegates to the conference support the American proposals, but, as Cecil says, international practice requires unanimity in parleys of this kind.

Dr. Alfred Sze, Chinese representative, created a sensation when he warned the so-called opium bloc powers that China now had awakened and that if the powers failed to subordinate their financial interests to ethical interests and did not cease to exploit the Chinese and the Far East they would be held responsible not only by the world as a whole, but, in particular, by 400,000,000 Chinese.

WHEN prosecution of the rum-running ring of New Jersey was begun recently it was declared that some men in high position were certain to be involved. Last week several prohibition agents testified that United States Senator Edward I. Edwards had accepted and held in escrow $3,800 which he was to have paid to William Griffin, one of the defendants, when Griffin delivered 100 cases of whisky. They said Griffin became suspicious and called the deal off and that Edwards returned the money. Griffin in his testimony admitted two of the agents left the money for him with Edwards, but denied that either he or the senator knew that a liquor deal was contemplated. The defense insisted that there was an attempt to "frame" the senator, but the prosecutor said the evidence against Edwards would be presented to the grand jury.

BY A vote of 40 to 30, the senate adopted the majority report of the committee on the Teapot Dome oil scandal in which Albert B. Fall and former Secretary of the Navy Denby are censured. All the Democrats, the insurgent Republicans and Shipstead of Minnesota voted for this report. All the negative voters were Republicans. During the debate Senator Reed of Missouri excoriated his colleague, Spencer; Senator Heflin assailed Denby, and Bruce of Maryland, also a Democrat, defended him; and Senator Walsh denounced Spencer's minority report as "a tissue of half-truth and of misrepresentation characterized by the most egregious partisan and political bias."

The Department of Justice is reassembling in Washington, for submission to a grand jury, the testimony in the case of Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana, who was indicted in that state on a charge of arranging, in violation of restrictions resulting from his election, to receive a fee of $10,000 from Gordon Campbell, Montana oil man, for services in the leasing of public lands.

MRS. MIRIAM FERGUSON, second woman to become the governor of a state, was inaugurated as chief executive of Texas in the presence of an immense and jubilant throng. When she took up her official duties her husband, a former governor who was impeached and ousted, sat by her side, and it was apparent to the newspaper men that he would have a large share in the administration.

SENATOR MOSES' postal pay and rate increase bill, which is understood to have the approval of the administration, was up for consideration in the senate. It is designed as a temporary measure, granting pay raises for ten months beginning April 15. The rate increases provided for are estimated to bring about $60,000,000 annually, and the salary increases would be $68,000,000. The bill provides for a joint congressional committee to conduct hearings and formulate a permanent measure.

COMPLETION of the work of the federal railroad administration, which was created during the war, was announced by the President. The total cost to the people was $1,674,500,000, divided as follows: Loss to the government during period of federal control, $1,123,500,000; expenses of guaranty period, $536,000,000; amount required to reimburse small deficit lines, $15,000,000. The settlement with the railroads was of enormous magnitude and was effected without a lawsuit for nearly fifty millions, or a little more than 6 per cent of the revised claims submitted by the roads.

THE spectacle of a solar eclipse, total on a curved path from Minnesota to Montauk Point, L. I., was enjoyed by the people of the United States Saturday morning. Hundreds of astronomers were prepared to make observations if the day were clear, and hoped to discover some new facts about the sun. Whatever they learned will be told the public later.

CHANCELLOR LUTHER presented to the German reichstag the names of the new cabinet last week, and the Social Democrats and Communists promptly opened their attack on the government. Their spokesmen declared it represented the first step toward restoration of the monarchy, and the Nationalists responded with joyful cries of "Very true" and "God be thanked." The Catholic party members protested against this and were obviously disturbed. Herr Breitscheid of the Independent Socialists said monarchist students of all universities are being trained secretly for future army officers' commissions. This charge agrees with French and British charges in the report upon which the nonevacuation of Cologne is based. Chancellor Luther told the reichstag his government would support both the republic and the Dawes plan.

ABOUT 900 delegates, representing nine national women's organizations, held a conference in Washington to determine the cause and cure of war. Among the interesting personages to address them was Lord Thomson, who was secretary of state for air in the MacDonald cabinet. Himself a veteran of five wars, he spoke as an ardent pacifist, but gave the women sound advice against being too idealistic and dealing in abstractions.

"An out and out pacific attitude," Lord Thomson said, "does not help the cause along. In fact, I have known instances where it has done positive harm. Avoid abstractions in dealing with so enormous a question, for when we talk abstractions in dealing with a concrete subject we but lead ourselves into a maze of meaningless phrases. What we need is a happy combination of idealism and common sense, a combination, however, not to be effected by idealists, who only make phrases, nor yet by common sense people, who sometimes insist upon standing on their heads to prove that they are hard-headed. The thing most needed in the world today is some detached, disinterested influence working incessantly for peace."

OKLAHOMA has lined up with the states that oppose the child-labor amendment to the United States Constitution, in so far as the lower house of her legislature is concerned. The representatives voted 81 to 24 against ratification. A committee of the Texas state senate voted in favor of a concurrent resolution refusing to ratify the amendment. In Arizona, however, the house has ratified it and the senate is sure to follow suit, having voted that way unanimously in committee of the whole.

Good Growth Shown in Rubber Exports

Washington.—The total value of rubber goods exported from the United States during 1924 will approximate $40,000,000, as compared with $36,972,170 in 1923, according to a bulletin issued by the Department of Commerce. While this is in part due to higher prices for certain products it is largely a result of increased shipments of waterproof rubber footwear, rubber heels and rubber sundries and specialties of all kinds, which have moved abroad in increasing quantities during 1924.

Though the general trend of rubber goods exports during the last year has been upward, as compared to 1923, there are important classes of rubber products which were exported to a smaller extent in 1924 than in 1923. This is true of automobile tires, the chief product of the rubber industry. In 1922, 1,326,220 automobile casings were exported; in 1923, 1,362,741, and complete figures for 1924 will show the exports in that year to have totaled about 1,250,000. Another product in which the United States exports were less in 1924 than in 1923 is canvas rubber-soled footwear. One large American producer has used Canadian factories as a base for a larger share of their exports in 1924 than in 1923. If United States and Canadian exports of canvas rubber-soled footwear are combined the total for 1924 will be larger than for 1923, showing that American trade is holding its own in this product.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Senate Passes Two-Cent Gas Tax Bill With Only One "Nay" Vote

Lansing—The Senate has passed the Atwood-Baxter 2-cent gasoline tax bill, by a vote of 30 to 1, Senator Joseph Bahorski casting the only negative ballot. The measure has gone to the House where it must lay on the table five days before it can be acted upon.

An immediate effect clause and an amendment designating an appropriation as necessary to meet a deficiency in funds were added when the senate finally passed the measure.

The measure provides for a tax of two cents a gallon on motor fuel, the return of $2,500,000 to the counties annually to retire the $5,000,000 owed them on county rewards, payment of not less than $3,000,000 annually toward interest and sinking fund charges on highway bonds, $500,000 for non-trunk line bridges and the remainder to go toward new construction.

Weight Tax Bill Passes

The automobile weight tax bill, with a 55 cent per hundred rate for passenger cars and 65 cents to $1.25 graduated rate on commercial vehicles, has been passed by the house, transmitted to the senate and referred by that body to its taxation committee.

The weight tax bill did not slide through the house with the same speed that marked the passage of the gasoline tax measure in the senate.

Rural representatives were not altogether pleased with the bill as it finally came out of committee. There was objection to a belated reduction by the committee of its recommended maximum rate for commercial cars, from $1.50 to $1.25. There also were urgings from rural members for a larger county share of the receipts from the tax for local highway purposes. The present law gives the counties half of the total receipts for local highway purposes.

Seek Blue Sky Revision

The Michigan Securities Commission reorganization bill has been introduced by Representative Milton Palmer of Detroit. He announced that two other measures are in course of preparation. The measure that appeared would create a full time securities commission, consisting of three members at salaries of $7,500 each. It would replace the present commission which includes the state banking commissioner, the attorney general and H. M. Duff, who was elevated from executive secretary to the position of full time commissioner by the last legislature.

Trespassing Made Illegal

Entering an unoccupied house or factory without permission would be made punishable by a fine not to exceed $250 or 90 days imprisonment, or both, if a bill introduced by Senator Arthur E. Wood becomes law. Mr. Wood explained that Detroit contractors have reported heavy losses by builders of new houses through people entering and tracking over new varnished floors or doing other damage.

Hurries Re-apportionment

Senator Arthur I. Wood has asked that a meeting of the Senate Reapportionment committee be called as soon as possible. Senator Elizah Howarth, Jr., of Royal Oak, is chairman of the committee, and Mr. Wood is a member. The committee has before it Mr. Wood's bill providing for an increase in Wayne County's representation from five senators to 10.

To Increase Bond Limits

Rep. Fred R. Bristow, of Greenfield Township, has introduced a bill in the House to increase the bonding limits of rural and agricultural school districts having a population of more than 15,000 to 15 per cent of the assessed valuation of the district. The limit for districts having a population less than 15,000 is now 15 per cent, but for the more populous divisions, it drops to 8 per cent.

Capital Punishment Advocated

Fred C. McEachron, of Ottawa county, is the author of a bill to make the crime of first degree murder punishable by death. The bill in language is much like the capital punishment bills that appeared before the legislature in 1921 and 1923, and which were defeated by narrow margins. In 1921, only one vote blocked passage.

For Eight-Hour Day

Rep. John Holland, of Bessemer, long the champion of the eight-hour working day, introduced another bill in the House to provide that the employes of mines, quarries, mills and manufacturing plants shall not work more than eight hours in every 24.

Greater Detroit Planned

The Metropolitan area amendment to the constitution, which is designed to provide for the development of Greater Detroit, appeared in the senate in the form of a joint resolution, introduced by Senator George M. Condon of Detroit. The amendment provides that cities, townships, villages or parts thereof, may band together, issue bonds and carry out developments for parks, public utilities, sewage disposal, drainage, water, light, heat, power and transportation, and is to be submitted to the voters.

Moves to Save Waste Land

Inducements to owners of "cut-over" timber lands to retain their properties now under the burden of heavy taxes, and to prevent their return to the State which now holds over 1,000,000 acres of such lands, are contained in a bill now being completed by Senator William J. Pearson, of Boyne Falls, for early presentation in the Senate. He would have the state take over cut-over lands on a first lien bearing a portion of the taxation, eventually receiving payment by the sale of second growth timber.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Lansing—A report completed by Charles J. DeLand, Secretary of State, shows that 187,518 new automobiles were titled in Michigan in 1924. About 43 per cent of the total were in Wayne county.

Port Huron—Citizens of Snover have requested the Detroit United Railroad to take over the defunct D. B. C. & W. Railroad with a view to extending it's lines and serving a part of the Thumb district that is now without service.

Port Huron—A resolution which will increase the city's revenue from $115,000 to $170,000 in water rates has been passed by the city commission. The raise in rates amounts to about 20 per cent for the average non-metered user.

Muskegon—A 45-mile gale which swept over Lake Michigan piled the Muskegon lake channel with ice, and navigation was at a standstill. The Crosby steamer Missouri, after battling the ice was forced to turn back to Milwaukee with its freight and 25 passengers.

Detroit—A jury in Judge Charles C. Simons's court awarded five-year-old Marion Killackey $12,000 in compensation for injuries received two years ago when she was struck by a Fourteenth avenue car, which according to her attorneys, will leave her lame the rest of her life.

Ann Arbor—Editors of high school papers and magazines throughout Michigan will convene here February 12-14, under auspices of the Michigan Interscholastic Press association. Cups will be awarded for the best papers in each of the various classes of publications.

Lansing—Wayne County paid the State $3,902,804.52 last year in automobile taxes and received back $1,951,402.45, according to a tabulation issued by Charles F. Deland, secretary of state. The total state collections were $11,261,282.29, of which the counties received $5,623,232.15.

Grand Rapids—Aviators passing over Grand Rapids must fly at a height of not less than 2,500 feet as a result of an ordinance adopted by the city commission. This height will permit the planes to glide nearly four miles in event of mechanical trouble, according to City Manager Fred H. Locke.

Holland—The Ottawa County Farm Bureau elected the following officers at their annual meeting: President, Henry Harrington; vice-president, Gerrit Yntema; secretary and treasurer, A. J. Knight. Resolutions were passed commending the road commission for their work and favoring a state income tax.

Pontiac—An ordinance calling for the collection in July of $899.550 in taxes for city expenditures for the year beginning Aug. 1, 1925, has been adopted by the city commission. It is the highest in the city's history, but with the increased valuation the rate will be about the same as a year ago and possibly a few cents less.

Fountain — Petitions, circulated here and in the eastern part of Mason County, asking the extension of the trunk line road from Peacock through Millerton, Fountain and west to M-11, have been sent to the state highway department. The extension sought would connect M-13, M-16 and M-11, making a more direct route to Northern Michigan along the lake shore.

Ypsilanti—The city council has granted Mayor H. E. VonDewalker authority to appoint a committee of five to consider a zoning ordinance who will work with the council in formulating plans for expansion and development of the city. A definite building code will be one of the first consideration of the committee, and it will also make recommendations as to what public improvements should be undertaken each year.

Detroit—All butcher shops in the city, except those selling Kosher meat, are to be closed Sundays under the new city ordinance prohibiting the sale of meat or meat products on that day. Under the Police Department's interpretation of the law, all Kosher markets found open Saturdays are in violation of the law. By this interpretation, all persons whose Sabbath is the seventh day of the week, Saturday, may keep open their shops on Sunday.

Grand Rapids—District Judge Arthur C. Denison has revoked the authority granted the receiver of the Manistee and Northeastern Railroad by the Michigan Public Utilities commission to cease operation of trains on the grounds that the roadbed was unsafe. Judge Denison, however, authorized discontinuance of service between Walton and Gaylord and ordered the parties representing the railroad and shippers to arrange for service on the remainder of the road.

Munising—Carlos Rudd, 22 years old, who pleaded guilty in Circuit Court to killing his 7-months-old baby, has been sentenced to serve from three to 15 years in the Jackson State Prison by Judge Louis H. Fead. In a written confession, Rudd said he lost his temper when the baby's cries awakened him late one night. He tried to quiet the child by rocking it, but was not successful. Then he put his hand over the infant's mouth, holding it there several minutes. Unintentionally he shut off the baby's breath and it died.

Lansing — The presence of the dreaded European chicken pest in Michigan has been disclosed by Dr. B. T. Killham, state veterinarian, and Dr. S. R. Johnson, pathologist of the state department of agriculture, who have announced that the poultry scourage has been found in the Detroit markets and that immediate steps are being taken by the department to prevent spread of the disease to the rural district. According to the authorities, the disease is believed to have come into the state from Canada or the east on infected fowls.

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FARMER NOT AID IN ORGANIZATION OF THIRD PARTY

International Labor Unions Excluded From LaFollette Convention All Except Own Followers.

RADICALS IN POWER BAN SOIL TILLERS

Blacklist Includes Their Defenders in Congress.

LaFollette was entered in the race for President by an aggregation of national and international labor unions. The public, and particularly the farmer, had no voice whatever in his so-called nomination. There has existed for over three years an organization known as the Conference for Progressive Political Action, composed of 16 or 18 national and international labor unions, the majority of them railway labor organizations.

The officers of this Conference for Progressive Political Action are on the whole the national and international officers of the labor organizations composing the conference. The chairman or president of this conference is William Johnston, president of the International Machinists' union, and the director of the railroad strike in 1922. Mr. Johnston was recently candidate for governor of Rhode Island on the Socialist ticket. The headquarters of this conference is in the Machinists' building, Washington, D. C., a building owned by the International Machinists.

This conference held its annual meeting in St. Louis in February, 1924, adopted a platform, pledged itself to launch a third party, and adjourned to meet in Cleveland July 4 for that purpose. The convention in Cleveland on July 4 was therefore nothing but the adjourned meeting of the Conference for Progressive Political Action. The delegates to the Cleveland convention were merely delegates from the labor organizations comprising the Conference for Progressive Political Action, plus a few scattering delegates from the Socialist party and a few radical organizations such as the League for Industrial Democracy. The Conference for Progressive Political Action established its own rules regarding whom it would admit as delegates and these rules were so framed that no one not in hearty accord with the views of the labor organizations comprising the conference was admitted. Out of approximately 1,000 delegates, less than 25 were farmers or representatives of alleged farmer organizations.

The officers of the Conference for Political Action were the officers of the convention. William Johnston, Socialist leader, was the temporary and also the permanent chairman. After organizing the convention, a resolution was drawn up and sent to Senator LaFollette asking him to lead in a fight for a third party. Not a single farmer or representative of a bona fide farmer organization signed this petition.

The so-called platform adopted at this convention offers absolutely nothing to the farmer. It consisted practically altogether of a recital of the alleged grievances of organized labor and a demand for the enactment of their legislative program. Not a farmer was a member of any of the committees of this convention, neither the committee on resolutions nor credentials, nor organization, nor nominations. The chairman of each of these committees was an official of some international labor organization. The personnel of these committees were either officials high in international railway labor organizations or officials high in the Socialist party, and other radical organizations.

The convention went on record in behalf of the candidacy of LaFollette. LaFollette was officially notified of his nomination by a committee appointed by Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and no member of this committee was a farmer. LaFollette acknowledged his nomination in the form of a letter addressed not to the people of the United States or the farmers of the United States, but to the American Federation of Labor.

The campaign committee handling the LaFollette-Wheeler movement is the National Committee of the Conference for Progressive Political Action, plus a number of Socialists. The addition of Socialists to this committee was demanded by the Socialist party as the price of their support of the ticket. This demand was made at a meeting of the committee held in Washington July 21, at which time representatives of the Socialist party were present and insisted that they be given 10 per cent of the committee. Their demand was granted. There is an executive committee of 10 handling the inside stuff of the La Follette-Wheeler campaign. No farmer is on this committee. The campaign headquarters of the LaFollette-Wheeler movement is 408 Machinists building, Washington, D. C.

The Conference for Progressive Political Action issues a weekly publication known as Labor. The farmer has no part in it. It is managed and edited wholly by representatives of labor organizations. It is their official campaign publication.

MILLIONS IDLE NOW

Steady Increase in Unemployment Reported by Department of Labor.

Washington, D. C.—In a recent statement given to the press, Chairman Butler of the Republican National Committee says that every nation engaged in the World War has had to wrestle with the problem of post-war unemployment, that the other nations are still in the problem's throes, and that "the Republican administration of the United States alone has solved the issue."

The Department of Labor, with a Republican Secretary in charge, in an industrial survey made public in August, presents some interesting figures Mr. Butler ought to study.

With 1923 employment as 100, the index figure, Secretary Davis' Labor Department shows that employment was greater in 1917 than it has been at any time covered by its survey, and stood then at 115. It is estimated that there are 20.000,000 workers, skilled and unskilled, organized and unorganized, in the country, exclusive of farm labor. With employment at its peak in 1917, the 20,000,000 workers were all employed.

In 1919, the first post-war year, under a Democratic administration, the index figure of employment stood at 108.4, or 6.6 points under 1917, so that the number of unemployed was about 1,100,000.

In 1920, the last Democratic year, the index figure stood at 109.8, so that of the 20,000,000 workers, about 865,000 were unemployed.

For 1921—the Harding-Coolidge administration began in March of that year—the index figure stood at 85.3, and 5,100,000 of the 20,000,000 workers were idle.

The Lincoln Contest

At other times in this paper we have mentioned the Illinois Watch Company's donation to the intellectual uplift of our public schools in the shape of a beautiful Lincoln Medal to be given as a prize for the best written essay on Abe Lincoln. On display in Payne and Green's store will be seen the medal this season and it is well worthy of a heavy effort on the part of all students of our schools.

The subject so old yet so new, is hashed up and rejuvenated year after year and seemingly never gets stale. There are constantly coming to light new ideas concerning Lincoln and many new stories concerning his private life are told but whether they are a product of some enterprising editor's brainstorm we do not know; suffice it to say they are always welcome to our younger generation in search of knowledge on biography.

We have just read some excerpts on the nomination of Abe Lincoln in the Republican convention and we must say it throws an entirely new light on his political aspirations. Some of the speeches made in that convention which nominated Lincoln are enthusiastic models of rhetoric and scholarly to the last degree. The great newspaper man Horace Greeley who was then known as the political wise man is quoted as being extremely skeptical concerning Mr. Lincoln's ability to manage the fractious horse of our national affairs and he warned politicians to go slow in putting to the fore an untried man like this "rail splitter" in view of the fact there were so many veterans in the race. We are of the opinion that Abraham Lincoln was a destined man from the start and we also believe his course was mapped by the fates as surely as night follows day. He has many times been compared to George Washington—but any such comparison is a farce purely in every sense but one and that is his uniqueness. Washington came of aristocratic parentage, was well educated; belonged to the nobility so to speak never knew what hardship was until he became surveyor in the western wilds. Was always in the class of high social creatures while Lincoln on the contrary came from miserable surroundings was born to trouble and hardship and experienced the awful calamity of losing a devoted mother in his babyhood. Lincoln grew up in the lowest strata of human society—simple rough backwoods people—learned by bitterest experience the rough ends of life, had to fight for sustenance, and suffered from rigors of climate, inadequate clothing and ignorance, his only education being gleaned from the most commonplace books borrowed, and no instructors. Washington was educated in private schools and generally pampered in the home of rich Virginia planters, grew up to believe his family was of the elect and if we may believe history was not one jot or tittle behind the aristocrats of his neighborhood in impudence or proud demeanor toward those less fortunate in life.

Such is the wide gap between these two men which some addle pates are pleased to call similar. Yet in the end when their life work was finished there was not a penny worth difference between these two great figures of American history.

The "Onsted Outline" states in its columns of January 23rd that the school board of Clarksville High School has issued an order against public dances in the village and goes on record to oppose such functions in the future The board quoths as follows: "We take this opportunity to advise parents of pupils of the Clarksville school that we are not responsible for parties or dances attended by the pupils. We also go on record to the effect that we do not favor school children or any member of the teaching force attending public dances. The only parties we take any responsibility for are class parties properly chaperoned by class advisor from our school faculty, at which no dancing will be permitted. Not so long ago the Hanover school board owing to numerous abuses growing out thereof, took the same stand and warned all pupils and their parents that they could not guarantee good results from these public dances, and especially forbade pupils to hold such dances on their own account. What the surrounding small town school boards are doing and intend to do we have not yet learned. It all depends upon the complexion of the parents and the early training of said school boards Up at Lansing the legislators must have smelled something for they are about to introduce a bill to forbid public dancing on Sunday in Michigan which law if it becomes operative, will put out a number of summer resorts in this vicinity, and it is too bad the matter wasn't adjusted ten years ago, when we come to think of the wholesale spoilings which have come out of this form of amusement

Three Years Ago

Onsted—had no newspaper—today you have one of the best and largest, published in a town of its size or even three or four times larger—and we were just silently wondering if there are not quite a few who ought to appreciate this fact—more than they do.—Onsted Outline.

A Clear View

A newspaper item states that the Royal Observatory is to be removed from Greenwich, England, where it has stood for nearly two hundred and fifty years. Greenwich is on the River Thames, five miles below London Bridge, and the Observatory was located there to escape from the smoke of the great city, on the advice of Sir Christopher Wren. But now London has grown so near that its sooty air affects the observers' vision of the heavens, and the all important telescopes must be removed to a more distant place.

We well remember a visit to this famous and lovely park some years ago. We found it very large 174 acres in extent, and too beautiful to describe. On the side wall of the observatory is the huge vertical dial of a twenty-four-hour clock, which gives the standard time of world. We were conscious of peculiar emotions as we gazed at this. If there is any "end of the world" it is at the meridian of Greenwich. For here begins the count of longitude, as made by the British; and as they are a nation of sailors their longitude prevails throughout the world, though it is not exclusive. But on most of the maps of the world all places are located by so many degrees east or west of Greenwich, and this makes the famous old observatory the geographical capital of the world. Of course, its telescopes must have every advantage of location for the sake of the clear vision upon which so much depends.

The utmost care is necessarily taken for the location of all telescopes. From the streets of San Jose, in California, can be seen the shining dome of the great Lick Observatory, on the distant summit of Mount Hamilton. On the top of Mount Whitney, in southern California, is located the largest telescope in the world. The Yerkes telescope is set far to the north of Chicago on a hill rising above the blue waters of Geneva Lake, Wisconsin. They who search the heavens must avoid all the smoke and murk of the earth. The faint shining stars, at their unspeakable distances, must have the purest air for the transmission of their tremulous rays.

Michigan Boasts 9,000 Lady Farmers

Michigan boasts 9,000 lady farmers, according to data analyzed by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute Of this number over 6,000 operate farms, 5,500 their own, 20 as managers and not quite 250 as tenants, the data disclosed.

Dairying, poultry and hog raising are some of the branches of agriculture in which the women farmers of the state specialize, the analysis revealed. The land under cultivation by the feminine agriculturists is close to 440,000 acres of which 285,000 acres are improved. The value of these farms is 32 million dollars. The figures further revealed that women cultivate 2.9 percent of all farms in the state and 2.3 percent of the total acreage the value being 2.3 percent of the whole. The average value of the land and buildings on farms operated by women was found to be in excess of 5,600.

Commenting on the large percentage of women who go in for dairying and poultry raising, the Institute sees a peculiar adaptation of these occupations to the feminine nature. From early times, it says, the average farm woman has had to care for the milk and act as dairymaid, too. And milking cows and selling butterfat with its requirements of close attention to details seems to be a type of work that woman naturally takes to. The same appears to hold true for poultry raising. For pin money for the thousand and one items needed in the home, the sale of eggs and poultry and cream has ever been known as a sure means. Many a woman in need of more money has almost instinctively turned to milking cows and keeping hens.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65. which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the fore going amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,] sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods, thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

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Speaking of the generous laws passed to relieve disabled veterans, the President said that more than 71,000 have been rehabilitated, 38,000 of whom are earning more than they did before the war. Compensation is being paid at the rate of about $100,000,000 a year, soon to be increased by $30,000,000 more, $40,000,000 have been provided for hospital facilities, which are open to veterans of all American wars.

"No government," the President declared, "ever provided so generously for those disabled by service in time of war."

Touching the exclusion law and restricted immigration generally, the President said: "Restricted immigration is not an offensive but a purely defensive action. It is not adopted in criticism of others in the slightest degree, but solely for the purpose of protecting ourselves. We cast no aspersions on any race or creed, but we must remember that every object of our institutions of society and government will fail unless America be kept American."

Next the President dealt with the tariff. "By means of a protective tariff," he said, "we have saved American agriculture, labor, and industry from the menace of having their great home market destroyed through the dumping upon it of a flood of foreign products. Under this wise policy we saw an economic revival, and our people as a whole, in marked distinction from the sufferers from the financial distress and depression of other lands, have come into an era of prosperity and plenty. As a source of revenue the tariff surpassed all expectations in producing an annual return of the unprecedented sum of about $550,000,000. A fiscal policy which places a large and much needed revenue in the public treasury, while stimulating business to a condition of abounding prosperity, defends itself against any criticism. Its merits are demonstrated by its results. We have protected our own inhabitants from the economic disaster of an invasion of too many foreign people or too much foreign merchandise."

The Washington Conference.

Next the acceptance speech dealt with the Washington conference whereby an end was put to the ruinous competitive naval armaments of world powers, the importance of which has never been fully realized by the people in general, Mr. Coolidge declared.

Turning to the "honest government" issue, President Coolidge pointed out bluntly that in all his studies of political history he could not recall an adminisration which was desirous of a dishonest government that, to check extravagance, introduced a budget system, cut taxes, purged pay rolls, made enormous reductions in the public debt and laid firmer foundations for the peace of the world.

President Coolidge declared he favored the system of private American enterprise and was opposed to the extension of government ownership and control; that he believed in economy in public expenditures and the practical application of the tehory; that he believed in tax reduction and tax reform; that he favored protection.

Favors Permanent Court.

"I favor the permanent court and further limitation of armaments," the President said. "I am opposed to aggressive war. I shall avoid involving ourselves in the political controversies of Europe, but I shall do what I can to encourage American citizens and resources to assist in restoring Europe, with the sympathetic support of our government. I want agriculture and industry on a sound basis of prosperity and equality. I shall continue to strive for the economic, moral and spiritual welfare of my country. American citizens will decide in the coming election whether these principles shall have their approval and support.

"The domestic affairs of our country appear to me to be by far the chief concern. From this source comes our strength. The home market consumes nearly all our production. Within our own boundaries will be determined to a very large degree the economic welfare and the moral worth of the American people. These are plain facts, but there are others equally plain."

Reaffirming his opposition to entrance into the League of Nations as a surrender of independence, the Presidena favored becoming a member of the permanent Court of International Justice, "as peace means fundamentally a reign of law." Entrance into the so-called World court "would do much to indicate our determination to restrain the rule of force and solidify and sustain the rule of reason among nations," Mr. Coolidge said.

America Helps Europe.

The President reviewed the difficulties of Europe and the unavailing efforts to find a way out until the American plan, proposed in 1922, was finally adopted, under which the reparations commission appointed a committee of experts, whose three American members included Gen. Charles G. Dawes, the President's running mate on the Republican ticket. The appointment of General Dawes as chairman and the report which has met world-wide approbation were pointed out.

When the reparations plan is in operation, the President said, he would consider it time to approach the great powers with the proposal for another conference to limit armaments still further and devise plans for the codification of international law.

"I trust that never again will the women of this nation be called on to sacrifice their loved ones to the terrible scourge of war," President Coolidge said.

Touching Latin America, the President said that we have constantly striven to come to more complete un-

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Big Republicans Out For Davis

President Garfield's Son Among Prominent Men and Women Who Pledge Their Support and Votes To Democratic Candidate.

Washington, October.—That there is a steady and unmistakable drift of the independent vote to John W. Davis for President is clearly indicated by the large number of prominent men and women, independents and independent Republicans, many of whom supported Harding and Coolidge in 1920, who have come out publicly for the Democratic nominee.

These prominent Americans, who are not bound by party bonds and who in each election give their support to the man they believe to be, under the particular circumstances of the particular campaign, the best man for the Presidency.

This year, these independents make it clear that they are giving their support to Mr. Davis, not only because of the unsatisfactory record of the present administration, but because by training and by equipment the Democratic candidate is by far the best qualified man to manage the affairs of the government during the next four years.

Included in the list of independents who have announced their support of Mr. Davis, and publicly given their reasons for so doing, are men and women who are known to all Americans, and all of them are intellectual leaders and prominent in their professions. The list includes: besides Dr. Harry Garfield, son of a Republican president, the following:

Dr. Chas. W. Elliott, president-emeritus of Harvard University; Dr. Charles Grier Hibben, President of Princeton; Dr. Charles W. Dabney, President of the University of Cincinnati; Ida M. Tarbell, noted writer; Dr. Henry Van Dyke, writer and former minister to Holland; Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, former President of the National Federation of Women's Clubs; Dr. Irving Fisher, professor of economics at Yale, a Republican; Miss Nancy M. Schoonmaker, nationally known author and lecturer; Miss Virginia C. Gildersleeve, dean of Barnard College for Women; Hamilton Holt, former editor of Independent; Mrs. Laetitia McDonald Irwin, writer and wife of Wallace Irwin, also a famous writer; Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, wife of the artist and editor of "Life"; Theodore Marburg, another writer and American Minister to Belgium under President Taft's administration; Matthew Hale, former chairman of the progressive or "Bull Moose" party, and one of the leaders in the independent movement headed by Colonel Roosevelt; Judge N. Walter Dixon, of Denver, and others, while accessions to the list are being noted daily.

Supported Harding In 1920

Included in the list are two of the thirty-one independents and Republican pro-leaguers who in 1920 signed the famous appeal to independent voters of the country to support Harding and Coolidge as the best course to bring the United States into an association of nations and for the promotion of world peace. They were Dr. Gibben and Dr. Dabney, of Princeton and Cincinnati universities, respectively. The disappointment of signers of that appeal at the course the present administration has pursued is reflected in the statement of Dr. Dabney in announcing that he is now supporting Mr. Davis. Dr. Dabney declares that under the Harding-Coolidge administration, "cowardly and selfish counsels have prevailed;" the "administration, has fumbled with the worl[illegible] court question," and that "the same lack of courage and of leadership has unfortunately characterized the administration's handling of our national business."

Dr. Dabney concluded his statement by asserting that "the appointment of Fall, Daugherty and Forbes and the hesitating manner in which their cases have been handled are among the ugliest scandals in our history," and that "for the good of the world as well as for the good of America, we must overthrow this Republican oligarchy and elect a man to the Presidency who can lead." He expresses the conviction that "Mr. Davis has the ability to be a real leader and the courage to carry out his pledges."

FARMERS' UNION HEAD DEMANDS TARIFF CUT

Lincoln, Neb., October.—Demand for downward revision of the Republican tariff was made by President Osborn of the Nebraska Farmers' Union in the course of a speech he delivered to about 1,000 men and women at a picnic at Smartville, Nebraska, a few days ago. Practically all of his hearers were persons engaged in farming. They applauded his statement.

The repeal of the Fordney-McCumber law and the substitution of a lower tariff, Mr. Osbo[illegible] said, was the only way to impr[illegible] relations between the Un[illegible] foreign countries an[illegible] farmer to sell his s[illegible] abroad.

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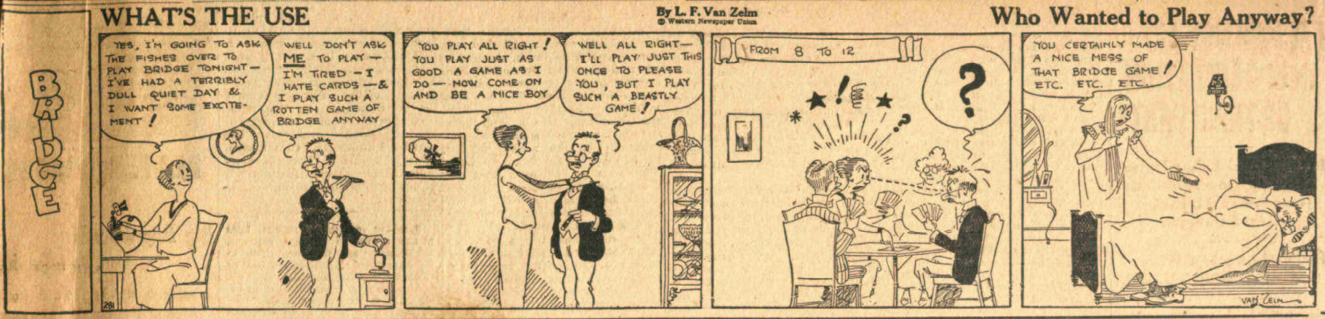
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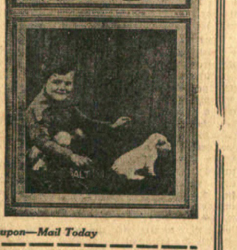

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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Big Gains In America Result From Prohibition

(Continued from last week)

DRINKING AND THE SCHOOLS

Of course, this is talking some. I didn't start out dry. Mighty few drys did. I'll agree that bootleggers are hypocrites, where they used to be licensed saloon-keepers, and their patrons are hypocrites where they used to be merely ordinary drunks.

I am not so poor a reporter that I couldn't make out a case for the wets, for lack of law enforcement, for school children hitting liquor. When I was a reporter fifteen years ago we had fraternities going to booze. In one school attic two bushels of half pint whiskey bottles were found. Schools were, on the average. shot through in booze towns with drunken pupil streaks. you can't find one, now, where You could find twenty fifteen years ago. I've inquired about this. And I found enough to fill a page with the booze scandal and other scandals in the high schools, in society "among people who ought not to drink." But I've a sense of proportion. I can balance fifteen years ago against current conditions from my own personal experience in observation. My experience includes more than thirty states of the Union

SIX MILES OF SALOONS

I covered Bellevue Hospital, Gouverneur Hospitals and Hudson St. Hospitals in New York. I know what conditions used to be—when the saloons of New York were enough, if placed in double row, I think, side by side, to reach from the Battery to above the Haarlem, via Third Avenue. Six miles, was it? Thousands of them. Each one had to take in $20,000 annually to get by. Hundreds of millions of dollars. It is a physical impossibility to manufacture one tenth of the bulk of the liquor formerly supplied New York alone, by the breweries. You remember the hundreds upon hundreds of brewery trucks needed to transport the liquor. Do you really believe moon shine stills could make up the supply from Maryland, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia, Tennessee, and other distilleries under the government licensing system? All the moonshine stills in the country today running full tilt couldn't turn out 10 percent of the bulk of the licensed stills. In Europe the whole industry is failing, for lack of Amercan market.

I can take you to towns and prove that English isn't the language of the United States. I can take you to certain places and prove that American women are immoral. I can take you to certain restaurants, show you a certain college president, point out sundry loose-living people and prove that the United States is rum soaked, wet, booze-fighting, all that stuff.

But I'll tell you this, that if I did any of those things I wouldn't be worth a whoop as a newspaper man, as a writer, as a gatherer of facts. I know all about the game of proving a whole lot by a little bit. You can't prove a thing squarely, with regard to the United States, without taking a cross section from ocean to ocean, and from border to border—and I've done both, on this liquor question. You can ignore millions while picking and choosing among a lot of yappers who claim to be "the people"

But prohibition has driven liquor from Main Street; it has taken it from the best business corners of the country; it has made a criminal of the bootlegger, and it has showed up the booze-fighters for what they are—poor, weak, sick men who need a man's pity, precisely as dope fiends do.

The best people aren't drinking. A few excuse their drinking by saying prohibition drove them to it. I don't know a man who drinks now who wouldn't have drunk far more if we didn't have prohibition. The brag of wets that prohibition makes drunks is all poppycock. I know dozens who quit drinking. I can show you a town where thousands quit drinking, men and women, when liquor was taken from under the noses of all the high school children and put into bootlegs.

By hand-picking conditions, you can prove anything about the United States. I can make, probably a better case for liquor than any man you know. I can names places localities, conditions—but what kind of a reporter would I be if picking these several localities, I ignored the vast areas where prohibition, even under crooked enforcement, has cleaned the streets of saloons and put a complete end to drunkenness?

I count not only the places where liquor is, but where it isn't that I know it used to be—which the wet don't.

All the increase in bootleg production wouldn't make a week's run of the license distilleries, the huge breweries of St. Louis, Milwaukee, New York, the open liquor producers—of 1912.

Just read the old U. S. Treasury reports on liquor production, the hundreds of millions of gallons consumed by American liquor drinkers. Compare the bulk with the bulk of bootleg. Can't you see that the old whiskey railroad tank cars, the beer special trains, the wine ship loads are gone? In place of liquor ships, 10. 000 and 20,000 ton steamers, we have a few hundred ton, perhaps 300 ton liquor runners. We have a string of four or five automobile loads where we formerly had whole train loads. The million tons or so of grain used in licensed liquor production—I doubt if there is one percent the production now, that there was before prohibition,

(The end)

Herrin Massacre Recalled

The city of Herrin, Illinois, is again in the limelight and four lives were snuffed out by the factional fight which still goes on over there—under cover it is true—but nevertheless deadly.

Of all the disgraceful criminal doings in this country there is nothing which seems much worse or is more notorious than the proceedings at Herrin where men were lined up like cattle beside a wire fence and mercilessly shot down in their tracks because they had taken the places of striking miners.

The pitiful aspect of the case is the fact that K. K. K. influence is badly tangled in it, and it is reported that Glenn Young, one of the dead, was a Klansman. This notorious bootlegger whose wife died not long ago from wounds received at the hands of the opposing faction, has paid the penalty also by being shot to death.

The sheriff of the county, Ora Thomas, was slaughtered with two other men in the business center of Herrin. It is high time the United States government went down there with a regiment of soldiers and took possession of the theatre comedy-drama. Herrin should never be left to its own government: it is far too unfit. If the murdering and outlawry continues it will make ridicule stock for the world.

The anarchistic condition of the populace of this town is such that even the date and place of holding the coroner's inquest must be kept secret. Any organization or community that laughs at law plunges rough shod over all lines of decency and civilization, and ought to be snuffed out and driven from the earth. The real meaning of anarchy is treason to the nation and as traitors are punished, so should the horrible, murdering, conscienceless bunch at Herrin be dealt with.

Any city or town which dares to defy the laws of the land should be obliterated. Let the United Statees government buy the property of citizens there, force them to vacate and raze every building to the ground. Let the wild quail and jack-rabbit be its sole inhabitants. Plow it up and plant corn and wheat Away with it!

We hear sotto voces remarking "How inconsistent." Well, turn to the history of old Rome, once the proudest and grandest on earth. She became a rotten shell, a mass of corruption and intrigue. Today all that remains are a few disjointed fragments, which men ridicule and tread on as salt of the earth.

Great enthusiasm has been expressed in Association circles here concerning the outcome of the first radio Y. M. C. A. convention which was held Friday evening from Radio Station W. L. S. in Chicago. Hillsdale County was one of the sixty organized groups in eight states who actively participated in the Radio meeting. Albert F. Roberts of New York, senior secretary for the Town and Country department of the National Y. M. C. A. delivers the principal address of the novel convention, which was sponsored jointly by the DuPage County. (Illinois) organizatior and the W. L. S. Station. Mr. Roberts is coming to Chicago especially for the occasion.

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In one small valley in California can be found hot water geysers spouting from the surface in various places. In spots the ground is so hot nobody can walk barefooted over it. We have previously mentioned this in the Advocate and it is now a reality that steam engines are being run by volcanic steam. In Alexandria valley not very far from the volcano, Lassan, this matter has been thoroughly investigated. People were incredulous in the extreme about these drillings in the solid rock, in fact the man who first promoted steam wells was ridiculed, until he at last found the subterranean boilers and tapped a 1,000 horse power flow of live steam heated to high temperature. He found many difficulties in his way and labored faithfully in the face of all slurs and criticism for some time and finally has as a reward two cased wells 7½ inches tn diameter which throw a column of super-heated steam 75 feet in air and when capped the guage shows a pressure of 68 pounds to the square inch, which is amply sufficient ts run a 25 horse power engine.

Capitalists are looking into the matter and things promise erelong to develop by which this power can be utilized to generate an eletric current for many of the towns and cities of Southern California and for any other power purposes whatever. The joke of it all, is to think that while investors have literally wasted millions on worthless mining stocks. they cannot at present see the wonderful possibilities of a ready-made steam plant locked up in the bowels of the earth which needs only to be tapped by the drill and piped to the engine. Until two years ago not one effort had ever been made to use this live steam. Think of it! Five hundred pipes of eight inch diameter spouting super-heated steam at 68 pounds pressure all going to waste for thousands of years. How slow after all, is human perception!

Auto License Law in Effect

We presume the new license law will be in effect by the time this paper is out. The law provides that passenger cars will pay 55 cents per hundred weight and trucks graduated from $1.25 per hundred weight down according to the size. The gas you burn will now cost two cents per gallon more than it did, and if the Standard Oil people see fit to raise the price where it was at one time the most of us will simply have to go back to "Old Dobbin" and stay with him. Secretary of State Deland states he will be all ready to give you your plates February 2nd and it is likely there will be a heavy rush for them after that date, as the matter has been held up so long.

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HONESTY BRINGS YOUNG BOB FIRST MONEY EARNED

The first money Senator LaFollette earned be obtained through an act of honesty. The senator told the story, incidentally while visiting with some of his friends recently in Madison.

"Wherever I go in the Northwest I find old friends. I have hardly ever spoken in Minnesota, Iowa or the Dakotas without having some one come up to me afterward and say he or she was from Dane county, Wisconsin. Once, when I was governor of Wisconsin, I made a speech in Peach Creek Valley, N. D., and when it was over an old man came up to me and said he was Olof Osmondson, who used to live in Primrose, and asked me if I remembered the time when he gave me a quarter.

"The story was this:

"When I was a boy about five years old I attended a school where the Rockhill cheese factory now stands. One evening, while coming home with my sister, Josie, I found a pocketbook lying in the road right in the track made by the wheels. I took it home and gave it to my mother. The next day when we were going home from school, as we came around a clump of bushes at the turn we suddenly met a man with a beard who stopped us and asked: 'Did either of you children find a pocketbook?' I was startled and got behind my sister, who was a little older than I was, and gave her dress a pull to make her go along. I was afraid, and felt I had done something wrong in picking up the pocketbook.

"'I think this is the little boy that found it,' he said. 'Because I just got it from your mother and here is a quarter for you.' That quarter, I think, is still in possession of the family. On important occasions I would bring it out and show it to visitors. This North Dakota farmer was the same one that had stopped us in the road many years before, and needless to say, I remembered him and the incident too."

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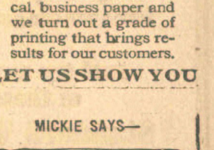

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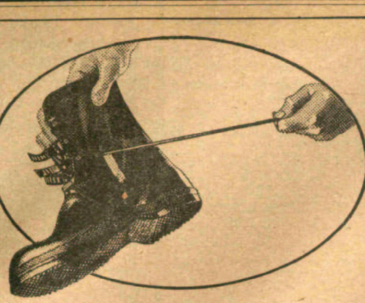

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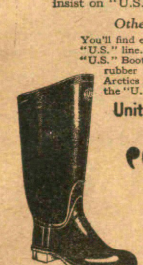

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> **"IT ISN'T ENDED"**
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> SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse.

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In the town of forty thousand inhabitants Joan was as isolated as she had been in the latter years at home. Her life was as unsophisticated and as simple, and she was so unacquainted with the conditions and circumstances of existence that her dismissal seemed to her an irreparable disaster. She had won good opinions, she had been praised, and it seemed monstrous that her faintness at a critical moment should have ruined her whole life prospects. What made the tragedy the less tolerable was the admixture of the farcical. There was a simple and absurd explanation. Mrs. Webb's colored cook, Amanda, had quarreled with her mistress that morning, and Joan had had to go to the hospital without her breakfast.

She got up and walked slowly homeward without having resolved her problem. Inside the boarding house the air was like a furnace, and the smell of cooking was triumphant and dominant.

Inside the kitchen, seen through the open door, was Amanda, the cook, and Mrs. Webb, the landlady.

"Here's Amanda again!" Mrs. Webb called to Joan. "My dear, the idea of your running away without your breakfast this morning! Now you sit right down and have your lunch, Miss Wentworth!"

Joan was not hungry, but it was impossible to oppose the resolute insistence of Mrs. Webb, backed by the penitent cook, whose black face, as she flitted from the kitchen to the dining room, radiated remorse and good intentions.

"One can't get along without the proper food at the proper times,' said Mrs. Webb as she set down the dishes before Joan. "But I call it real sensible of you to have come home early. Some girls wouldn't have thought of that."

Joan choked suddenly, and Mrs. Webb perceived her distress. She bent over her and placed a kitchen-roughened hand upon her shoulder.

"My dear, what is it? What is the matter? Something gone wrong at that old hospital?" she asked. "Tell me now, honey!"

"It isn't anything, Mrs. Webb," said Joan, striving valiantly to keep back her tears. "Well, then, I'm—I'm discharged."

Mrs. Webb withdrew her hand and placed it upon one hip, bringing the other into corresponding position. She glared at Joan, as the convenient focus of her indignation.

"I never heard of such a thing!" she cried. "Who's dared to discharge you, Miss Wentworth? Why, it was only yesterday Miss Gray was saying you were the only one in the hospital that attended to her work instead of trying to make dates with the doctors! I've had the nurses two years now, Miss Wentworth, and they ain't a snap better than the salesladies I used to keep. A pack of featherheads! If some of them had been discharged 'twould serve them right. But n t you, my dear. It's that old Doctor Lancaster!"

"It was, and I think he was right. I felt faint from the smell of ether—"

"Of course you did!" cried Mrs. Webb. "I always knew the day would come when you would. Those smells make my head go round and round whenever I take the short cut that side of the park. I always said you weren't cut out for that sort of work. It's all right for them strong he-horse girls that's made for it, but what you need is to marry some good man who can take care of you, not to go nursing a lot of dock-hands and seeing people's insides opened up. It's my belief that when the Lord put our insides inside and our outsides outside he meant 'em to stay there," snorted Mrs. Webb.

"Well," said Joan wearily, "it's ended now. And I don't know what I'm going to do."

"But I say it isn't ended!" cried Mrs. Webb, concentrating all her indignation against Lancaster in a venomous glare at Joan. "It's only just begun. If that old Doctor Lancaster dares to discharge you, I'm going to tell everything I know about him. Miss Wentworth, that man's no more fit to be at the head of a hospital, with ladies under him, than he's fit to fly. What is he? Nothing but a fast liver and a common drunkard."

"Never mind, Mrs. Webb!"

"But I do mind. To think of a man like that, who went about with a gang of common tramps for years, Miss Wentworth, just breaking away from his job and hoboing it up and down the country and then coming back and getting his job again and acting as he does! All that I say is common knowledge. Five years after the hospital had seen the last of him in he walks, as bold as brass, and puts the head doctor out, and says the hospital's his and he's going to run it again. And him being in charge of the nurses—him that runs 'round in his auto with every pack of cheap actresses that comes to Avonmouth! I know what they are! I haven't been in the boarding house business twenty years for nothing!"

Mrs. Webb was becoming incoherent. Joan succeeded in stopping the flow of vilification at last, mainly because Mrs. Webb had exhausted it.

"Now I tell you what you are going to do, my dear," she said. "You're going straight to that old Lancaster's house and you are going to ask for your place back. And you're going to get it, too."

"Mrs. Webb, how can I do that?"

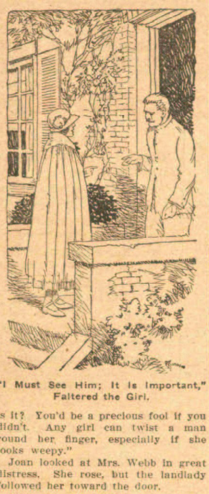
"How can you do it? Why, you can manage him all right, my dear. Yes, I guess 'tis going to be all right. I suppose he lost his temper. When a man leads the sort of life he does he hasn't much good humor left the morning after. I know about that. You just go to him and act as if you didn't care much and let him think you look on him as just the finest man in the world."

"Please, Mrs. Webb!" expostulated Joan; and as she spoke there came back into her mind vividly the sinister advice of the dark-haired girl.

"You've only got to let him see your face, my dear," continued the landlady. "You see, it's this way. When he's in the hospital he's thinking about his work. A nurse is just a nurse to him then. But after his work's over she's different. Now don't tell me you can't make that man do anything you want him to, because I know better."

Joan crimsoned. "I couldn't think of such a thing," she protested.

"And why not?" inquired the other. "If you've got good looks, ain't you going to use them? It isn't as if I was asking you to do anything wrong, is it? You'd be a precious fool if you didn't. Any girl can twist a man round her finger, especially if she looks weepy."



"I Must See Him; It Is Important," Faltered the Girl.

Joan looked at Mrs. Webb in great distress. She rose, but the landlady followed her toward the door.

"You see, my dear," she went on, "if you were given that sort of face by the Almighty, why shouldn't you use it to get plain, common justice done you? It's your job that's at stake, and you all alone in the world. All you've got to do is to make him forget that he's dealing with a nurse. There isn't anybody would think twice about it. Didn't Amanda do it this morning, coming to me with her big, black, honest face, and looking at me so that I had to take her back, as I was glad enough to do? You go straight and see that old Lancaster and try it, that's all!"

A nurse passed the window and came up the steps.

"Mrs. Webb, you won't say a word about what I've told you to the others, please?" asked Joan.

She flew upstairs and, flinging herself down on her bed, stared out dismally toward the monument. The catastrophe had swept her little, unsheltered world away. The sense of her loneliness swept over her like a black cloud, appalling her. She was cut off from life, and utterly helpless outside the medium in which she had lived.

Because she felt this sense of homesickness, her outraged pride began to vanish before the terrors that her imagination conjured up. Starvation, the ultimate terror of her childish days on the estate, which like a living thing had gnawed into her mother's nine hundred dollars, seemed incredibly real and near. She must ask for her position back!

She must face Lancaster in his home, humble her pride, and bow to him; but she watched the sun decline and the shadows lengthen, and for a time she could not bring herself to her task.

What strengthened her at last was the realization that her status must be settled before she faced the day nurses coming home off duty. She slipped on her cloak and went out of the house softly, and to escape the landlady's attentions Joan went hastily toward Lancaster's house.

She had passed it almost daily on her journeys to and from the hospital. It was an ordinary brick house in a new block at the north end of the park, and commonplace enough, but now, to her excited eyes, it seemed to reflect the grim personality of its owner in the staring windows, with the shining door knobs of brass, and the brass name plate. Her heart was beating with panic, and it was with difficulty that she contrived to press the bell and to remain until the door was opened.

A white attendant confronted her—a sullen, undersized man with square shoulders, who scowled at her as he stood blocking the passage.

"Doctor Lancaster?" asked Joan.

"He doesn't see patients after five," answered the man.

"I must see him. It is important," faltered the girl.

"Well, I'll find out if he can see you," the fellow grumbled. "Walk in if you want to."

He had not recognized Joan's uniform beneath the cloak. She gave him her card and went into the waiting room. There the sense of the terror which made that place its domain, the accumulated fears of all who had ever waited there for the approaching verdict, seemed to leap out at her.

Then Joan heard Lancaster's voice in the next room, which was divided from he waiting room by folded doors. It was audible as a bass rumble, emerging occasionally into a distinguishable sound. Lancaster was talking with somebody, and he was growing angry. That was an ill omen of what was to come!

Joan braced her nerves. She was anything but a coward, and, having made up her mind, she intended to carry her scheme through.

Suddenly Lancaster's voice was raised in violent altercation.

"A nice mess you've made of everything!" he cried. "I've tolerated you too long. I've been a fool, but I've finished with you now. Go back where you came from!"

Another voice spoke in indistinct tones. It was that of a man, and it was almost abject in contrast with Lancaster's violence.

"I've finished with you, I tell you!" cried Lancaster. "I've borne this burden long enough. You can get out of my house. You can get out of my life."

"I've borne it long enough, too," replied the other, doggedly. "Who started it? Who made the first proposal?"

"I did, out of kindness to you. And how have you repaid me?"

"By placing myself, soul and body, at your service," retorted the second man, aroused into some show of spirit.

"Who picked you out of the gutter and set you on your feet?" rejoined the doctor. "Answer that! You can't! You know you can't! Where would you be today if it were not for me?"

The second man said something in a low voice.

"Myers? A lot I care about that!" retorted Lancaster. "I tell you—what's that?" The white attendant was speaking at the door. Joan recognized his rasping voice.

"No! No!" cried Lancaster, violently. "I see nobody. Why can't these women come during my hours? Aren't they posted plainly enough upon the card in my window? Tell her?—what? Important? Well, let her wait, then, until I get ready to see her."

The man's steps died away along the rear end of the passage. Joan heard the two men talking again. Then the sounds ceased. She heard the floor in the adjoining room creak beneath a quick tread. Lancaster was coming in! Her fears gave her resolution. She would anticipate that movement, see him, insist. She left the waiting room and went into the hall.

It was hung with little pictures of a uniform size, each exactly like its neighbor. It came into the girl's mind, even during those few hasty steps, that this was essentially a man's house; a woman would have arranged things differently, have given the place personality, have made her presence felt somehow, even in the decoration of this dark passage. The atmosphere was that of an institution, not of a home.

Then she was standing with caught breath at the door of the consulting room, which was a little ajar, as if the catch had become unfastened. She knocked, opened it, and went in.

> Is it legitimate for a pretty girl to vamp her way, when ordinary methods fail? What do you think?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Sacred Stones Pressed by Millions of Lips

During the holiday season many tourists in Ireland visit Blarney castle and its famous kissing stone.

Of the stones variously asserted to be the original one, able to bestow the gift of persuasive eloquence upon whoever touches it with his lips, the one the kissing of which is a difficult feat, on account of its position, has received numerous kisses from daring visitors, as well as the one which is easy of access.

The Blarney stone is not unique in having received an immense number of chaste salutes. St. Peter's statue, in the nave of St. Peter's church, in Rome, can claim a like honor. In fact, the toe of this bronze figure's foot has been worn away by kisses.

Perhaps, however, the Mohammedans possess the most-kissed object in the world, namely, the celebrated Black stone at Mecca.

No true Moslem, after having made a pilgrimage to the Prophet's birthplace, would think of leaving it without first kissing this sacred stone.

Said to have been white originally, the Black stone is stated by those to whom it is an object of veneration to have been turned to its present color either through the sins of men or by the tremendous number of kisses bestowed upon it.

Last of Kingly Line

The title "Last of the Goths" was bestowed upon Roderick, king of the Visigoths in Spain, who was defeated and slain by the Moors in 711 A. D. He was the thirty-fourth and last of the Visigothic line of kings, who reigned in Spain from 414 to 711 A. D. Southey has written a historical poem on this subject, entitled "Roderick, the Last of the Goth."—Kansas City Star.

Peculiar Qualities of Spanish River

Count Pedro Maura y Sereda said at a dinner at the Spanish embassy:

"Madrid is on the Manzanares river. The Manzanares probably contains less water than any river in the world, yet no stream has ever been so joked about.

"A German said it was the best river he had ever seen, as it was navigable either by automobile or on foot.

"Ferdinand II used to declare that once, when a visiting prince desired to take a walk along the river bed, it had to be watered first to lay the dust.

"Count Romananes said the Manzanares was the best river in the world to dry washing in.

"Once a young woman from Seville grew faint at a bullfight, and they brought her a glass of water, but she waved it aside and murmured:

"'Give it to the Manzanares; it needs it more than I.'"—Buffalo Courier.

Aim Was Too True

One Detroiter dreads for summer to come now. He is rather doubtful as to the friendship of his next door neighbor, who, in the garden-making days, spent many an hour in the twilight gossiping over the back fence. The other evening his wife asked him to carry an empty food can to the back of the lot to the refuse basket. It was dark and cold and icy, so he hit upon a bright idea. He tossed the can in the general direction of the basket and waited to hear it hit. Just then the neighbor popped into view, the can seemed to take on life, it swirled in a beautiful curve straight for the neighbor. It hit. It was some minutes before the hurler took a chance and slipped into the house.—Detroit News.

Trade Tricks

Senator Mangus Johnson, the Minnesota dirt farmer, said in a Kimball speech:

"There are tricks in every trade. The farmer is an honest man—an honest man if ever there was one—yet there are tricks even in farming.

"An old farmer once said to me in my youth:

"'Never auction off a field of grain except in windy weather.'

"'No? Why not?' said I.

"'Gosh, you're green, young fellow,' said the farmer. 'Don't you know that when a grain field's waving in the wind it looks ever so much thicker? Because then, of course, you see the same head three or four times over.'"

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Heroes Remembered

On Gallipoli today, said General Sir Ian Hamilton at a service in the War Memorial hall of Hornsey Cottage hospital, the only living things are the graveyards. Kritha is a ruin. Every farmhouse is a ruin. There are no inhabitants now; no villages; no cultivation; no shepherds; no flocks; only a few beachcombers eking out a miserable existence by the sea. But the cemeteries are a mass of flowers, tended as if each soldier boy living there had been the son of an emperor. At least fathers and mothers, brothers, sisters, widows and children could think happily and proudly of the resting places of their heroes.—Montreal Family Herald.

Return of an Old Friend

Bay rum has come back to the barber shop after a long, long absence, and old-timers who prefer it to perfumed witch-hazel are glad. Years ago, somebody, getting the idea that bay rum was indispensable for barbers' use, began jacking up the price. The barbers stood for several raises, then resorted to witch-hazel, and have been using it ever since. Now bay rum, penitent, promising good behavior and begging for another trial, is getting it. It is an old, old story, and bay rum is not by any means the first offender.—Chicago News.

Explicit

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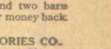

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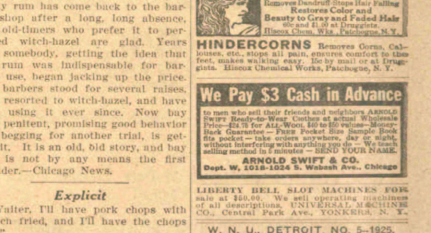

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CORRESPONDENCE

Somerset Centre

L. A. Mercer was in Brooklyn on business Saturday.

Gene Buck spent Sunday at the home of Clifford Clark.

J. Smith and wife spent Thursday evening in Cement City.

Wayne Cornell and wife spent Sunday at the Earl Rutan home.

J. P. Churchfield and wife spent Sunday with Jesse Gidding and wife.

Clayton Garver and wife entertained Sunday Frank Wilson and wife.

Dale Beecher and wife have moved to their new home, the Willard Howard place.

Mr. and Mrs. Benken and family of Adrian spent Sunday with Tom Tuckerman and wife.

Tom VanAllen and wife and Mrs. Cora VanAllen spent Saturday with Earl Rutan and wife.

Mrs. Jim Carl was taken to the hospital Tuesday morning. She was injured by a fall from a ladder.

A company of friends and neighbors spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. John Weatherwax Jr. The occasion was her birthday.

Jonesville

C. C. Rodlam of Lansing is spending the week at his home here.

Mrs. E. W. Merchant entertained the Thursday Five hundred club this week.

Dr. W.H. Ditmars is able to be at his office after an illness of several days.

A Hard times social will be held this Friday evening at the Arthur Wells home.

Mrs. J. E. Hoover has been confined to her home by illness the past two weeks.

The annual meeting of Grace Church Guild was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Addie Packer.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome were at the R. B. Howard home on Reading ave for the week end.

Mrs. Florence Shulander who has been in Jonesville for some time returned to Chicago the first of the week.

The "Booster Boys" class of the Presbyterian Sunday school was entertained in the church parlors Monday evening.

George Harding and wife left last Thursday for St. Augustine Fla. where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Oliver Bishop and wife entertained fifteen of the New York Central Engineers and their wives last Tuesday evening at their home on Wright street.

A shower in honor of Mildred Oppel was given by Mrs. William Harris and Mrs. George McKercher at the home of the latter on Friday evening Jan. 30th.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held Tuesday afternoon Jan. 27. President Spencer of Hillsdale College delivered an address. His subject being "Slang" This was an open meeting and was attended by seventy ladies.

Center Adams

Herbert Rose of Concord visited his mother Mrs. Mary Chase on Sunday,

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Post are entertaining the latter's cousin Mrs. Beebe of Hanover this week.

L. E. Chase and wife spent Tuesday evening in North Adams with George Taylor and wife.

Henry Marlowe and friend of Toledo were guests over week end at the Lenna Dewey home.

M. C. Church and family visited Simeon Lyons and wife of Netheway district on Wednesday.

N. J. Lickley and wife of Shady side were Sunday guests at the home of Will Keith and wife.

Nathan Webster and family were visitors at the Dan Roufe home in Netheway district on Sunday.

Lee Dewey and wife have been spending a few days at the Will Stuck home near Lickleys Corners.

Mrs. John Petrie of Somerset spent Wednesday and Thursday at the home of her sister Mrs. J. R. Dewey and family.

Harry Foust and family were in East Adams Sunday and spent the day at the home of his brother Ray Foust and family.

Marion Coryell and family visited Sunday with Mrs. Clara Woolston and Elmer Helmick and wife north east of North Adams.

D. P. Goold and wife of Hillsdale were callers at the George Ambler home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Ambler who has been confined to the bed for two weeks with Neuritis is able to sit up part of the time now.

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Jerome

Homer Marvin is laid up with rheumatism.

Lawrence Carter of Sturgis has been visiting friends here.

Ransom Sawdey, Harold Fouty John and Leon Anderson were in Jonesville Sunday.

Mrs. Chas Tryon is caring for Chas Struble who is ill with inflamatory rheumatism.

J. E. Lane and son Chas of North Adams visited Thomas Lane and family the first of the week.

Rev. U. S. Wertenberger of Hudson Indiana has been a recent guest of his son I. W. Wertenberger and family.

Small pox quarantine was lifted from the homes of C. W. McGregor and Harley Voorhees last week. While the homes of Robert Frantz, Otto Miller, Harry McClanahan, W. Lyons and Fred Randolph are under the ban at present.

The other day, a representative of the Crowell Publishing Co. called upon Supt. of schools Wertenberger and requested permission to enroll the high school students in a campaign to secure subscriptions for magazines such as the American which are published by Crowell but Mr. Wertenberger said "No" right out loud to the representative and it appears as though it would be a good thing if other school superintendents would take the same attitude on the subject not only towards the Crowell Co. but towards the Curtis Co. as well for both of these concerns together are worth probably 50 millions and it is high time they are forbid the right to use the schools in an effort to increase their already swollen fortunes and to spread propaganda to the effect that the only thing you have to do to get several million dollars is to work hard for a couple of years and the millions are then yours "Johnny on the Spot."

East Hoxie

George Hayhoe is confined to the bed at this writing.

Mrs. Will Smith spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Chas Cox.

Mrs. Harry Hayhoe spent Monday with Mrs. Will Smith.

Mrs. Harry Hayhoe visited Mrs. Chas Cox Saturday afternoon.

The Feb. Hoxie L. A. S. will meet at the Elsworth Sprague home

LaVern Cox and wife called on Chas Oaks and wife of East church Sunday afternoon.

Several from the vicinity attended the Basket ball game at North Adams Friday evening.

Dan Hoxie and wife of West North Adams are visiting Flutell Thompson and wife for an indefinite time.

Alec Lee and wife and Harry Hayhoe and family were Friday evening guests of Lester Daniels and family.

LaVerne Cox Sr. and wife and Alec Lee and wife attended the masonic card party at Addison Saturday evening.

J. G. Kiel and wife spent last week in Toledo with their son Chas Kiel and family. Mrs. J. G. Kiel is taking treatments in Ohio.

Word has been received from California that Will Schillings, an old neighbor of this neighborhood has been made chief of police at Glendale where they reside and that they are prospering in every way. Makes us Michiganders feel mighty proud to think Michigan pep succeeds in any old state.

Local News

Women To Have Own Farm Week Program

Women who attend the M. A. C Farmers Week, from Feb. 2 to 6, will be strictly "on their own" in regard to entertainment and business during the week.

Making their headquarters in the college economics building, the fair visitors will have their own special exhibits, their own separate programs, and their own conferences, devoted strictly to problems of the homemaker.

The women's part of Farmers Week is known as the Homemakers Section, the staff of the M. A. C. home economics division serving as hostessess during the conference. The programs for the different days include talks and discussion on subjects ranging all the way from meat cuts and cutting to the homemakers bookshelf. Specialists in the home economics world, many from outside the state, will lead discussions.

The home economics exhibits will cover interesting stories in connection with nutritional problems, clothing, home decoration, etc.

Visitors at the Farmers Week are being urged to "Bring The Family."

Last Eclipse In This Generation

Astronomers tell us that we have seen the last eclipse for this generation and no more can be expected for a century. This is not pleasant news as by the time another one comes round we shall all be gathered to the earthly mold and the next generation will be so busy aeroplaning and "jazzing" there will be no time or disposition to consider such a simple matter as a cloud over the sun, in fact it is doubtful if they will realize what the eclipse is,

Those who missed Saturday morning's eclipse of the sun will not only have to wait a matter of another hundred years and there will be another around for their benefit.

The eclipse was partial in this latitude, but for about an hour was plainly visible. It was at the peak at about 8:02 a. m.

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The ninth grade English class are studying "Treasure Island" by Robert Louis Stevenson.

Hilda Sawdey returned to school Monday after several weeks absence because of smallpox.

The following pupils in the primary room received first prizes for having the most perfect lessons in reading during the past month: Ethel Struble, Ardice Walworth, Charles Tryon and Evelyn Evans.

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Miss Mary Frietag of the H. S. Faculty was in Jackson over the week end.

Mrs. Della Gillet and John Litchhult were in Hillsdale Wednesday afternoon.

Edson J. Benge has bought the W. W. Clingerman residence and moved into it this week.

W. R. Corey was in Ann Arbor on Sunday to see Mrs. Corey who is a patient at the U of M Hospital.

Mrs. Eva West is spending a few days with her grand son Lewis West between North Adams and Jonesville.

Clyde Wertz is making some cheap prices on groceries this week. See his list of prices on back page.

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Mrs. Cora Savage of Frontier spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Della Gillett.

John Litchhult and Mrs. Della Gillett spent Tuesday in Moscow at the home of William Coffman.

Mrs. M. N. Wolcott and son Ralph spent Saturday in Jonesville visiting Mrs. Adrian Smith and family.

Herbert Holkins who is attending the Normal College spent the week end with his parents Perry Holkins and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westcott and daughter Edith spent Sunday in Ann Arbor visiting at the Burr Anderson home.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter No 288 O. E. S. on Tuesday evening Feb. 10 Initiation. Potluck supper at 6:30 sharp.

Ruth Williams, accompanied by a friend Elizabeth O'Donall was home from the State Normal College Ypsilanti for the week end.

Ruel VanWert who graduated from Fort Wayne Business University about one year ago is now employed as bookkeeper in Sturgis at the Citizens Bank.

Dick Holkins reports that he has received from his brother, Charles, who is located at Tampa, Florida, a box of oranges, tangerines and grape fruit which has the true southern flavor and reminds one that old Michigan is slow on fruits.

Two loads of Epworth Leaguers took a sleigh ride to W. A. Lawrence's Saturday night. A fine pot luck supper was eaten upon their arrival, after which games and music occupied the time. All reached home in good season to be ready for the Sabbath.

Keith L. Schilling and Miss Lucille Routzong of Wheatland township were united in marriage on Tuesday evening Feb. 3rd. at the Congregational parsonage, Rev. Hunt officiating. They will be at home to their friends at the farm one half mile west of Hoxie. Congratulations.

Ezra S. Norris will conduct an auction on the Lew Wood farm 3½ miles east, 2 miles north, 1 mi. east of North Adams, 3 miles southeast of Jerome Thursday, Feb. 12 beginning at 12:30 sun time and will sell 2 horses, an English bull dog, some farm tools and considerable furniture. Lunch furnished all parties from distance. See big ad on back page.

The next Parent-Teachers Association will occur at the school house in this village Monday evening February 9th at the usual hour with a first class program and a a lecture will be given by Miss Lillian Gilbert of Lansing who is engaged in Child Welfare work for the state. This is free and all are invited to be present. Don't forget the date.

The party given by the Children's Division in the Methodist church parlor Saturday was attended by about 60. Games were played and ice cream and cake served and all the little folks had a happy time. The reception was planned by the teacher in honor of the seven pupils of 12 years of age who were promoted the next day to the Intermediate division.

A progressive "500" party was given at Masonic Hall Friday evening, Jan. 30th, with Alpha chapter No. 288 and Adams Lodge No. 189 as guests with their families. Eleven tables were in the play with high honors going to Lola Wilcox and Ralph Wolcott and consolation prizes to Ross De Lamatter and Burton Holcomb; Supper was in the form of a box luncheon, each lady providing a lunch for two. A fine time is reported by all.

Among the pleasant social events of the week was "Guest Day" of the Womans Club held at the home of Mrs. Anna McFarland. There was a large attendance. The greater number of guests being members of the Sorosis club. Following is the program: Saxaphone solo with Mrs. Grace Williams at the piano. Kieth Williams; welcome to the guests by the Club Pres. Allie Holkins; piano solo, Kathleen Mc Farland; recitation, Edgar Guests poem "It takes a heap of livin' to make a house a home" Mrs. Ethel Delamatter: playlet "a five o'clock tea" Hostess—Harriet Shepard; guests—Mesdames Wolcott, Lois Holcomb, and Ann Ford; piano solo, Kathleen McFarland: group of songs, Mrs. Mildred Hunt with Frances Young at the piano. A fine 2-course luncheon was served.

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Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Center Adams

Will Keith and wife spent Sunday with O. M. Keith and wife of Pittsford.

Mrs. Ida Church of Bross district visited at the Monroe Church home on Wednesday.

Ralph Wenig and wife of Hudson were guests at the Eugene McBain home Friday.

A. L. Foster and family of Wheat land were Sunday dinner guests of Jesse Dewey and wife.

D. A. Pettit and Mrs. Britton and son of Hudson were visiting at the Church home on Sunday.

The little son of Eber J. Williams and wife, who has been ill with Tonsilitis is much better.

Nathan Webster and family visited Dan Rowfe and wife of Netheway district the first of the week.

Mrs. C. N. Williams is spending a few days this week in North Adams with Mrs. Eliza Williams.

Lee Dewey and wife and Lenna Dewey and family spent Saturday evening with Abe Randolph and wife of Hill district.

Lenna Dewey and family are moving this week from the Frank Dewey farm to the farm of Fred Williams in Moscow township. Lee Dewey and wife will work the place vacated by him this coming year.

Installation of the newly elected officers of Abigail Rebekah Lodge No 42 were held at I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday evening Jan 29 with a very good attendance. Murel Owen d. d. p. acted as Installing officer and was assisted by Mrs. Allie Holkins as Grand Marshall. The list of officers follows: n. g. Margaret Painter. v. g. Arlene Lake. fin. sec. Allie Holkins. Rec. Sec. Ida Relyea treas. Sarah Winchell. r. s. n. g. Luella Helmick. l. s. n. g. Martha Horn. r. s. v. g. Dora Wiley. l. s. u. g. Nellie Gray. Conductor Lillian Fuller. warden Hazel Edinger. chap. Vera Crapser i. g. Mabel Goodacre. o. g. John Horn. Following the installation ceremonies a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed.

The "Big Brother" class of the Methodist Sunday school furnished a banquet for the members of the S. P. I. Class at the church parlors on Wednesday evening to which about 135 were in attendance including several members of the Brotherhood from Hillsdale and Jonesville. The following program was given: Address of welcome by Jay Knowles, President of the B. B. class. Lois Holcomb president of the S. P. I. class replied. Ora Holcomb gave an excellent paper on "Team Work". Jennie Othoudt gave a speech of appreciation and the music for the occasion was furnished entirely by members of the Brothhood. Altogether the occasion was considered one of the best events of the season.

Miss Mary Corbett Speaks

Miss Mary Corbett formerly of this village, who has for some years been among the "corn crackers" of Kentucky engaged in bettering their condition, happened to be in the audience at the Congregational church on Sunday morning last, and so was called upon to give a short talk of her work which proved extremely interesting as it generally is, to the hearers. She told of the condition of roads in that part of the country necessitating travel mostly by horseback or on foot, and hard conditions of life in most of the families. While education has been considerably neglected in that desolate land yet people are quick to grasp every opportunity handed out for improvement, and when northern teachers come in there the inhabitants will sometimes travel for miles in the rain under poor conditions to listen for a few minutes to a talk on religious matters or other topics which they crave. We are informed that habits of thrift and enterprise can quite often be introduced to them with advantage and frequently they can be placed on a much higher plane of living. Vital statistics tell us that among the natives of the foothills of Kentucky there is a condition of habits and environs extremely hard to overcome, in fact throughout the entire South they are badly ensared by "dope" of all kinds. It has become so wide spread that the problem is up to the government. Moonshine also plays havoc with their social life and helps to keep them in degradation despite all efforts. Miss Corbett is located at Smith Kentucky, and we presume this is in the mountains though we have not looked it up on the map.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor
Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Class No. 6, Mrs. Walworth's class will prepare the program for the Sabbath school period next Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. James Jones Wednesday Feb. 11th A potluck dinner will be served. All invited. Bring your dishes..

The W. C. T. U. will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Westcott Friday Feb. 13 at 2 p. m. Leader, Mrs. Othoudt. Topic, Law Observance. Devotional, Mrs. Robins. All are invited.

The subject for Epworth League next Sunday night will be "China's struggle for Faith." Leader, Miss Frances Overly. All Come.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

The theme "The Life By Which We Live" will be continued at the morning worship hour next Sunday. The subject for this service will be "Sources" These services are proving very inspirational, and you are invited to worship with us. The offeratory next Sunday will be sung by the Roberts sisters. The Sunday school meets at 11:45 to which we extend a cordial welcome to all. We have a special program every Sunday and you will enjoy them. Come!

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The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand forever.—Isaiah 40:8.

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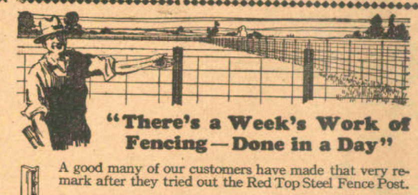

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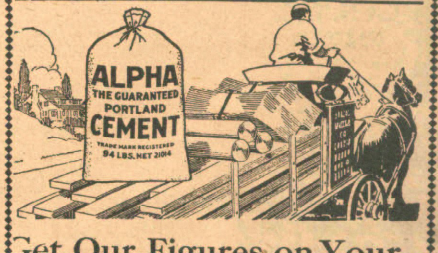

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"And now, children," he yelled dramatically, as he whacked the lectern with his enormous hand—"now, children, what would happen to me after I died if I led a bad life?"

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The TRUANT SOUL

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> **PITY FOR HIM**
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> SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse. Without relatives or friends, and desperate, Joan, urged by her landlady, goes to Doctor Lancaster's office to ask him to overlook her blunder and reinstate her. She overhears a violent altercation between Doctor Lancaster and other men she does not see.

Chapter III

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She found herself in a large, lighted room, with the sense of an institution, though it was well furnished. She saw the white enameled table, the glass case full of instruments, the empty court outside; then John Lancaster himself, alone, standing with bent head behind a chair, on which he was leaning.

As Joan entered an inner door began to open. Joan knew that the man with whom Lancaster had been quarreling was inside a room behind it. She dreaded lest he should come in; but suddenly the door closed.

She looked at Lancaster again. It was still quite light within the consulting room, but Lancaster, standing with his back to the window, was in silhouette, so that Joan could not see his face clearly.

"Well, madam?" he asked, raising his head.

"I came to speak to you about this morning," began Joan hurriedly. "It means—"

He indicated a chair. He was gazing at her with some embarrassment—Joan thought because of the scene in which he had just participated. "Tell me the trouble," he began, as she seated herself, drawing up his own chair toward hers.

Now Joan could see his face, and, to her astonishment, it did not bear the expression of the smirking bully whom she had seen that morning, nor yet of the man who had addressed another man in such terms as one might use to a slave. It was not an unkindly face. And it was unmistakably that of a sick man.

For a moment she remembered the stories told of his behavior in the operating theater, of the gentleness that seemed to transform the man, as if he possessed a dual personality. Then she was recalled to herself by Lancaster's repetition of his remark.

Joan rose up hastily. She realized that the doctor had mistaken her for a patient. Her face meant nothing to him, any more than her distress of the day had affected him. With a nervous movement she unfastened her cloak, disclosing her uniform.

"I am Miss Wentworth," she explained. "I came to tell you—I came to say—" Then, treading out her pride once more, "I came to ask if you won't reconsider your decision to suspend me. My work means everything to me. It is my life work, my vocation. I always wanted to be a nurse. I felt that it was my task to help alleviate suffering. Doctor Lancaster, apart from my own interests, I want to graduate to be able to help others. Won't you give me another opportunity?"

She spoke with her hands unconsciously clasped before her; the recollection of her earlier hopes, the thought of their frustration brought a quiver into her voice. When she stopped she saw that Lancaster was looking at her with obvious interest.

"Tell me about this morning," he said quietly.

"I had to come away without breakfast, and the fumes of the ether made me faint. I was nearly fainting when you asked me for the scalpel, and I couldn't see the tray. Indeed it was not the operation that made me ill. I have never been reprimanded before. The lady superintendent had told me several times that the hospital appreciated my work. So I hoped you would be willing to overlook my blunder and let me graduate."

Lancaster looked at her with a singular expression that seemed to mask his thoughts. She could not tell how her plea had impressed him. When he spoke she was dumfounded by the harshness and casualness of his tone.

"Why have you come to my house about this?" he asked. "This is not my hour for seeing patients—I mean people."

"I am sorry if I did wrong!" cried the girl. "But if you knew how much it means to me—"

"I can do nothing for you now," said Lancaster.

The voice was harsh again, but curiously flat, as if he was trying to restrain his emotions, hold himself in; as if he was afraid. . . . but afraid of what? Not of his anger.

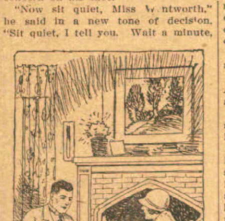
Joan was standing in front of him, and even then the appearance of the man had something pathological about it to her mind. There was not the least jauntiness or self-consciousness about him. He looked older than in the morning, depressed, and certainly ill. His manner indicated that of one just aroused from sleep. His eyes were very bright, and his face unnaturally pale. He was pressing his thumb and finger firmly against the arm of the chair, as if for support. Joan remembered the stories of his drinking habits. But she saw at once that Lancaster had not been drinking. She had attended too many alcoholic patients at the hospital not to be sure of that.

"Doctor Lancaster, my dismissal means the loss of all my prospects. I came to ask if you won't inquire about my record and then give me another chance," said Joan. "And I am sorry if I came at an inconvenient time; but now that I am here I must request the courtesy of a final answer. I shall not come to you again."

"I can't answer you," said Lancaster, as if speaking in his sleep. "In the interests of discipline—it is impossible to answer you now."

Joan turned away. The flat refusal stunned her. And there was something preposterous about Lancaster's manner, perfectly incomprehensible to her. What was the matter with him? Why did the room turn round and round? Suddenly she felt Lancaster's hand on her arm. He was supporting her, helping her into a chair; and through the fog she saw a look of concern on his face.

"Now sit quiet, Miss Wentworth," he said in a new tone of decision. "Sit quiet, I tell you. Wait a minute, and, when you are feeling composed, let me see if I can't help you."



But They Meet in a Day or Two, and Then—"

He drew his chair toward hers again and leaned toward her.

"I have not been feeling well," he explained. "I was not myself when I discharged you this morning. When I refused to discuss the matter with you it was because it is an invariable rule that the nurses are not supposed to come to my house. Outside the hospital I see nobody connected with the hospital. I'll see what I can do. The matter will have to go before the board now, I suppose. Why did you come away without your breakfast? Why didn't your folks insist on your having something to eat?"

"I have no people," answered Joan. "My mother died nearly two years ago. We came here from Lucas county, and she was taken ill soon after our arrival. I hoped to get my diploma and have my profession."

"You had no breakfast, and I discharged you for fainting, and your diploma means everything to you," said Lancaster slowly, clasping his hands as if in thought. Then, with a decisive, odd gesture, he leaned still nearer Joan and dropped his voice as he spoke, as if he was afraid that the man in the next room would hear him.

"Remember this as long as you live," he said. "In this life people are not penalized for incapacity; they are punished for being unfortunate. Are you unlucky, Miss Wentworth?"

"I—why, yes, I suppose I must be," she answered, looking at Lancaster in growing astonishment, mixed with a little fear.

"And you have sympathy for the unfortunate? You—you said something like that just now—about wishing to be of help to others. Are you loyal and staunch?"

"I hope I am," said Joan uneasily.

"If one is loyal to others, one does not fear one's own misfortunes," said Lancaster. "They rise out of some fault or weakness—if one follows the trail far enough back into one's self. I've learned that, heaven knows! Miss Wentworth," he ended suddenly, "would you consider a temporary position while your case is under investigation by the board?"

"But they meet in a day or two, and then—"

"Would you consider it," repeated Lancaster, "if you could be of greater service than you know? Suppose I said to you as I am saying now, that you seem to me the best suited, by loyalty and good will, to help, of all the nurses I know, would you accept?"

"Then, Doctor Lancaster," cried Joan triumphantly, "if you have that opinion of me you have no excuse for not getting the board to reinstate me."

The man faltered as she looked at him. He was no longer terrible to her. He seemed to have put off some hateful armor that he assumed, and revealed weakness that none had suspected. Pity for him, a vast and heartfelt pity whose cause she was unable to divine, began to stir the girl's heart.

"I pledge you my word to do all I can for you," said Lancaster. "But you must help me in turn. I need you for this purpose. I want you to go into the country for a month. It will rest you, too, and you are run down. Have you ever heard of the Lancaster institute in Drexham county?"

"I think so," answered Joan, rather doubtfully.

"It is a hobby of mine. My father established it twenty-five years ago for the hill people, but the funds became squandered, and it is not in good shape. However, it does some good, and it is the only place of its kind within a score of miles. Doctor Jenkins is in charge, and I—I run down there every now and then to keep him up to the mark. There is a matron there. The cases comprise a little light surgical work occasionally, an alcoholic or two after paydays for the mining element, pneumonia in its season, and—yes, there's a demented woman there, but she won't come under your care. It's in the hill country. How would you like to go?"

"I don't know what to say," answered the girl.

"But you have no attachments in Avonmouth?" he asked, looking hard at her.

"Nobody. But, Doctor Lancaster, all my thoughts are bent on my reinstatement."

"I'll do my best for you if you will help me out with this case," he answered. "And you will get strong in a month and take up your work again with a light heart. You will have a small remuneration, and your fare, of course. You'll go?"

"I'll go, then," answered Joan.

"Then listen to me," he said, again speaking with lowered voice and glancing back in apprehension toward the inner door. "I shall not see you before you start, but I rely on you. You must leave on the nine o'clock train tomorrow morning. And you must speak to nobody about this undertaking."

"I shall say nothing, Doctor Lancaster. And I have to thank you with all my heart."

He frowned at her. And the curious indecision in his manner, the furtiveness of the man, which still disquieted the girl, was in extraordinary contrast to Lancaster's appearance in the theater that morning, to everything that she had associated with him. She was utterly bewildered.

As she rose Lancaster came very close to her, and now his voice was little more than a whisper.

"I'll wire to Mrs. Fraser, the matron," he said, "and I'll have the buggy meet you at the station—Lancaster station, Miss Wentworth. And I wish—"

But the door opened, and the white attendant slouched into the room. He stared insolently at Joan. "Doctor Lancaster—" he began.

"I'll see you when I am alone, Myers," answered Lancaster.

"Doctor Lancaster, will you please give me a few moments of your time," said the man urgently; and underneath the plea Joan seemed to see the insolence and contempt in his heart. Suddenly the idea came to her that this must be the man whom Lancaster had berated in the consulting room.

She went out, and as soon as she was in the passage she heard the attendant begin to address Lancaster in excited tones. Then the inner door opened. She fancied there were three men, after all. Somebody was speaking in high tones; and then Lancaster's deep, booming voice rang out.

> Apparently, Dr. Lancaster has a dual personality. Is his offer genuine? Or is it a trap for the handsome nurse?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Early Jewish Cemetery Now Business District

On New Bowery, near Oliver street, New York city, is a little Jewish cemetery, said to be the oldest Jewish burial ground in North America, says the Detroit News. It once occupied what is now Chatham square. The grant for the graveyard was issued by Gov. Peter Stuyvesant in 1656. The first Jews in America are supposed to have arrived September 12, 1654, on the bark Catarina, which brought 27 refugees from Cape St. Anthony, Brazil.

The spot selected for the cemetery was out among the sandhills, outside of the city. There was a range of hills, at the foot of which was the present site of Chatham square, and on the crest of one of these hills, facing east, the cemetery was started. The location was ideal, overlooking the meadows below the city to the south, with the East river in the distance. When the War of the Revolution came batteries were planted in the body of the cemetery and on its hills. In 1856, 200 years after the opening of the final sleeping place among the hills, New Bowery was cut through, and all that was left of the cemetery was a 57-foot front on that thoroughfare.

When Niagara Was Dry

The winter of 1847-1848 was extraordinarily severe in this country. Heavy ice formed in Lake Erie. When it was broken up during the latter part of March, the winds swept the ice into the entrance of the Niagara river at Buffalo, where it jammed in a solid mass completely choking the outlet of Lake Erie with the result that on March 29, 1848, the falls of Niagara were practically dry.

OUR PROPHET

By—
Joseph Oliver Barnhart

Around the ancient mountain's foot
God's people stood in awe,
And waited for their prophet that
should bring them down the law.
For days they'd stood and wondered
there until Jehovah came
And wrapped the summit of the mount
with clouds of living flame.
God's trumpet pealed and up the height,
beyond the wreaths of snow,
Into the presence of the Lord they saw
their prophet go,
And he returned to give to them a
constitution grand
That made their state at once the dread
and wonder of the lands.
He shared it not, but died alone, touched
by the hand of God,
And angels, where he sleeps today, are
watching o'er the sod.

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Again upon a mountain's height our
nation looks today
While from its top the pale mists of
centuries roll away.
We see the glory of the Lord wrap the
tall peak in flame,
Again we hear the trumpet blast repeating
LINCOLN'S name.
We see him answering the call and
toiling up the steep
Till swallowed by the lurid flames that
round the mountain leap.
He comes back and the mighty truths
God whispered in his ear
Shall ring through every age and clime
while men have ears to hear.
The law of Heaven, once writ in stone,
was written in his soul,
Till through it a divided land was
made a perfect whole.
A prophet of the Lord was he, mighty
in word and deed,
And not alone unto the race that he
from bondage freed,
But everywhere that man shall hold
his brother man in thrall
The name of Freedom's champion, the
noblest of them all,
Shall stand a synonym of right, a menace
to all wrong,
Till all the world join in one grand
emancipation song.
We stand in awe, and wondering gaze
at the proportions vast,
Where each succeeding glory grows
still brighter than the last,
And in the sun's last lingering beam
its light shall shine afar,
And when the sun goes down, its peak
shall point up to the stars.

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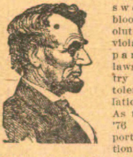
Lincoln Said—



"LET every American, every lover of liberty, every well-wisher to his posterity swear by the blood of the Revolution never to violate in the least particular the laws of the country and never to tolerate their violation by others. As the patriots of '76 did to support the Declaration of Independence, so to the support of the Constitution and laws let every American pledge his life, his property and his sacred honor. Let every man remember that to violate the law is to trample on the blood of his fathers and to tear the charter of his own and his children's liberty. Let reverence for the laws be breathed by every American mother to the lisping babe that prattles on her lap; let it be taught in the schools, in seminaries and colleges; let it be printed in primers, in spelling books and in almanacs; let it be preached from the pulpits, proclaimed in legislative halls and enforced in courts of justice. And, in short, let it be the political religion of the nation; and let the old and the young, the rich and the poor, the grave and the gay of all sexes and tongues and colors and conditions, sacrifice unceasingly upon its altars."

Man of Wisdom and Sound Philosophy

Mr. Lincoln was on the train going to Gettysburg to make that ever-memorable speech. A beautiful little girl, having a bouquet of rosebuds in her hand, was lifted to the window of the car and, with a childish lisp, she said: "Flowerth for the President." Mr. Lincoln stepped to the window, took the rosebuds, bent down and kissed the child, saying: "You're the sweet little rosebud yourself. I hope your life will open into perpetual beauty and goodness." On one occasion, when he had appointed a man to a position and, doubtless for some good reason, had recalled the appointment, he was asked about it; and his reply was, "Yes, I have, and I don't think much of a man who is not wiser today than he was yesterday." A remark full of wisdom and sound philosophy.

Immortal Words

"The world will little note nor long remember what we say here, but it can never forget what they did here." Is there any finer, more fitting memorial thought than this one given us by our world-beloved and world-mourned martyr President?

Fireman on Funeral Train

Frank Pond, who was the engineer who handled Lincoln's funeral train in 1865, is still in active service. He runs a pony engine at the Mosinee (Wis.) paper mills, and he works every day, although he is more than eighty-three years old. He was a fireman on the engine that pulled the train that carried Lincoln as President-elect to Washington. The locomotive was the crack engine on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad at the time, and it had a name, the Reindeer.—Indianapolis News.

One of Lincoln's Parables

I once steered a raft down the Mississippi river. It went along delightfully with the current; but I didn't meet any rafts going up stream—they were all steamboats.—Lincoln.

Human Rights

I believe each individual is naturally entitled to do as he pleases with himself and the fruit of his labor, so long as he in nowise interferes with any other person's right.—Lincoln.

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Worn Out Since the Grip?

WEAK, nervous—just tired and miserable most of the time? Back lame and achy, too? Rheumatic pains torture you at every step?

Then you should look to your kidneys! Colds and chills are apt to weaken the kidneys and allow toxic poisons to upset blood and nerves. Then may come daily backache, stabbing pains, headaches, dizziness, and irregular or painful passage of the kidney secretions.

Don't risk neglect. Help your weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills. Doan's have brought new health to thousands. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

A Michigan Case

John Buikema, 16 Allen Ave., Muskegon, Mich., says: "Dull, grinding pains across my kidneys were with me for hours at a time. Mornings, my back was stiff and lame. I also suffered with dizziness. My kidneys were disordered, too, and I felt tired and run down until I used Doan's Pills. One box rid me of the trouble."

Doan's Pills

Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys

At all dealers, 60c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chemists, Buffalo, N. Y.

School Ferried Far

Taking a schoolhouse off dry land, floating it through canal locks and towing it seven miles across Puget sound to a new location on an island, was the unusual feat accomplished recently by a firm of contractors in Seattle, Wash., says Popular Science Monthly. The schoolhouse originally was situated on the shores of Lake Washington, adjoining Seattle. With powerful winches and screwjacks operated simultaneously, the building was raised off the ground and skidded on rollers onto a large barge. Two tugs then towed the school through Lake Washington canal to Puget sound. The school arrived undamaged.

King Has Monopoly

When the king telephones, let all other instruments be dumb! That's the rule in Mecca, where King Hussein of Hedjaz has had a telephone system installed, says a recent article in the New Zealand Herald.

The rule is effectively enforced by an automatic device which instantly disconnects all other telephones whenever the receiver is lifted from the king's instrument. As long as King Hussein's telephone is in use, no other telephone can be used in Mecca, save only the one with which the king is talking.

Mankind is everywhere the same.

Let Tanlac restore your health

IF your body is all fagged-out and run-down, if you are losing weight steadily, lack appetite, have no strength or energy—why not let Tanlac help you back to health and strength?

So many millions have been benefited by the Tanlac treatment, so many thousands have written to testify to that effect that it's sheer folly not to make the test.

Tanlac, you know, is a great natural tonic and builder, a compound, after the famous Tanlac formula, of roots, barks and herbs. It purges the blood stream, revitalizes the digestive organs and enables the sickly body to regain its vanished weight.

You don't need to wait long to get results. Tanlac goes right to the seat of trouble. In a day or so you note a vast difference in your condition. You have more appetite, sleep better at night and the color begins to creep back into your washed-out cheeks.

Don't put off taking Tanlac another precious day. Step into the nearest drug store and get a bottle of this world-famed tonic. That's the first important step back to health and vigor.

Tanlac Restored Her Health

"Typhoid fever reduced me to 95 lbs. and left me weak as a rag. Failing to get relief from other sources I tried Tanlac and after 6 bottles had gained 20 lbs. Now I enjoy a fine appetite and feel like a new woman. As a nurse I give Tanlac to all my patients."
Mrs. J. B. Terry,
1101 Park St., Ft. Worth, Tex.

TAKE TANLAC VEGETABLE PILLS FOR CONSTIPATION

TANLAC
FOR YOUR HEALTH

Chimpanzee in Church

The congregation of a church at Montecito, a fashionable suburb of Santa Barbara, Cal., was thrown into near panic by the appearance of a huge chimpanzee which walked calmly down an aisle and seated itself in a pew. The big simian was a pet of a member of the millionaire colony and had escaped from its home two hours before.

His Vocation

Mrs. Goodsole—What induced you to adopt the life of a tramp?

Everett Wrest—Why, ma'am, it's my calling. It's the one thing I do best.

Fancy is the friend of woe.

Chicken Story

Bobby was four years old when he went to visit Aunt Millie in the country. He heard her say that she was going to dress a hen and expressed a desire to watch the proceedings. He looked on quietly until the feather-plucking stage was reached and then excitedly demanded, with the first handful of feathers:

"Why, Aunt Millie, you're undressing it, aren't you?"—Indianapolis News.

Happiness

Happiness, of all elusive things, is so elusive that often one doesn't know that he has it. But years afterward he realizes when it was his.

Children Cry for

Fletcher's
CASTORIA

MOTHER:– Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

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when you want that next job of

Printing

You will get first-class work, and you will get it when promised, for having work done when promised is one of the rules of this office.

If you prefer, send the order by mail or bring it to the office in person.

Let Us Show You What We Can Do

LOUIS V. HARVEY DESIGNER

I DO THIS WORK

Book Plates, Covers, Labels, designed in black or colors. I am a printer and know your needs.

LOUIS V. HARVEY

North Adams, Mich.

The HOOVER

It BEATS... as it Sweeps as it Cleans

For Sale or Trade for 100-acre Farm—Garage in North Adams, fire-proof construction, cement floor, large area. Inquire at this office 27tf

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewelry and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co., Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

Farm Women Start Campaign For Davis

Show That Republican Tariff Has Hurt Agricultural Producers By Increasing Prices Of Their Necessities.

Indianapolis, October.—Under the direction of Mrs. James R. Riggs, a prominent farm woman of near Sullivan, Indiana, the National Committee of Farm Women to promote the election of John W. Davis for president and Charles W. Bryan for vice-president, has been formed. The committee is formed largely of women hitherto independent and non-partisan in politics. Mrs. Riggs is chairman and the following are members: Mrs. Alice Hoppes, Long Island, Kansas; Mrs. Howard Willson, Verdin, Illinois; Mrs. Thomas E. Cassman, Owatonna, Minnesota, and Mrs. Jud Canfield, Ada, Michigan. Names are daily being added to the committee list from the farming states.

The committee has addressed the following letter to about a million farm women in the Central, Middle Western and Northwetern States:

"You, as a farmer's wife, know the existing conditions in agriculture. Are you interested in a change for the batter? Do you know that the purchasing power of the farmer's dollar increased from 100 cents in 1913 to 112 cents in 1919, has fallen to 59.5 cents in 1923? It is a little higher now on account of short crops, and possibly some political manipulation.

"The cause: 1912 to 1920 were the best years for farmers as their dollar had high purchasing power then. These years were during a Democratic administration, under a Democratic tariff.

"The Republicans have always told the farmer that a high protective tariff was what he needed for prosperity. We have now the Fordney-McCumber tariff, the highest we have ever known. The farmer's dollar under this tariff is worth about 67 cents—a few months ago it was down to 59.5 cents.

"What does this prove? A high protective tariff never has helped and never will help the farmer.

"Mr. Davis and the Democratic party believe in a tariff only sufficiently competitive; a tariff fitted to the back that has the burden to bear. Mr. Coolidge had his opportunity to help the farmer, and he did not see, could not grasp the thing necessary for relief. He instituted investigations, created commissions to investigate, and who pays for this? We do—the people. Now he says 'More investigations,' which means more money spent uselessly, while we, the farmers, suffer and pay the costs.

"Mr. Davis has grasped the condition of the farmer, as plainly shown in his Omaha speech. He has the courage and the ability to do the thing that must be done for agriculture. A vote for Davis and Bryan is a vote to help you. A vote for LaFollette is a half vote for Coolidge, who stands convicted of not having done the things we needed done in our hour of greatest necessity. The women are a deciding factor in this election. Will not you, as a farmer's wife, think on these subjects and cast your vote for Davis?"

POPULARITY OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE

Test Shows Small Country Banks as Well as City Banks Strongly Favorable.

Assertions by some politicians that small banks generally are inimical to the Federal Reserve System were put to the test recently by a committee appointed by John D. Phillips, president of the State Bank Division of the American Bankers' Association by means of a questionnaire sent to 11,000 state banks. The result indicated that an overwhelming majority of them are, in fact, friendly to the System.

Two questions were put to the banks. The first was as follows:

"Do you believe that the Federal Reserve System has been beneficial to the agricultural, commercial and banking interests of the country and that it should be perpetuated?"

To this 4,934 replies were received. Of these 4,024 voted "yes" without qualification, and only 61 voted "no." Further answers still coming in when this tabulation was made indicated the same favorable trend.

The second question asked by Mr. Phillips' committee was:

"If your not being a member should contribute to the destruction of the System, would you join?"

While the great majority of the state banks are not members of the System, largely for technical reasons, the answers showed that the bulk of those non-members who are eligible to join would do so if such action were necessary to save the System. To his second question 2,876 have been recorded as voting "yes" and only 725 as "no." Many refrained from voting on this question because under the present rules they are ineligible for membership.

Some replies voiced certain criticisms of the System, but these universally dealt with details of administration or of the rules and not with the principles of the institution.

RECONSTRUCTION

A man came into a Nebraska bank in the spring of 1922 and asked for financial assistance. His statement prepared in the Service Department showed he was about bankrupt; that he owed $1,200 more than his equipment was worth. He had a farm rented for the year. Further credit had been refused him in his own bank and he was about ready to quit and apply the proceeds from the sale of his equipment to his debts.

Different Colors of Paper

Many business men have a system of using different colors of paper for different printed forms, thus distinguishing each form by its color.

We can work this system out for you, using HAMMERMILL BOND the Utility Business Paper, and you will find that it saves you time and money.

Let us show you the advantage of standardizing your paper and your printing.

Gun Toters Are Scored

For a number of years it has been as good as confessed that the nuisance of allowing every species and color of man to carry a firearm on his person was responsible for about seven-eighths of the murders or casualties growing out of disputes and bickerings, but just how to take care of the problem has not as yet revealed itself to the Michigan Congress. There are a large number of arms factories whose entire business consists in manufacturing and selling guns and revolvers or more modernly known as the automatic and their wide advertising has attracted many thousands of dollars in trade from all classes of people and more especially from crooks and hold up men To put these prosperous factories out of business at one stroke has not seemed perfectly correct inasmuch as their's is a legitimate business, but to-day there are bills being prepared to oust this form of trade.

These bills have been prepared in accordance with the best authority on crime, the association of Police Chiefs of Michigan and make it a felony for a man to carry a gun on his person unless an officer, and if a crime is committed by the toter of a weapon whether he uses the weapon or not it carries a penalty of ten years for that alone regardless of the other crime. We have supposed the law was fixed some time ago to compel dealers to secure the permission of the sheriff before selling a pistol, but this law is either weak in the back or it has never appeared worthy of enforcement. The present bills will put teeth in the law and no dealer can dispose of these goods under heavy penalty unless he has proper authority. All owners of firearms of whatever nature must register them with the authorities not later than July 1st, next.

The state Police of Massachusetts complain that the looseness of the gun toters law in that state has made them more direct trouble than any other thing during the past two years, especially as regards the K. K. K. gatherings. For some reason every Klansman considers it his right and bounden duty to tote a gun and just why he should do this more constantly than any other citizen is not plain to the novice. Klansmen and non-Klansmen are constantly clashing in Massachusetts same as in other localities, and there is always more or less gun play, whereas if the guns were taken away from all of them, whether Klansmen or not, there would be much better law-enforcement and far less shooting and crime.

You can find plenty of evidence right in your own locality of gun toting among the younger class of men and it is something which is not only entirely unnecessary but a menace to the peace and sobriety of the community. A large number of men engaged in occupations which keep them late home at night are habitual gun-toters and probably for one case of real handy defense in case of actual need there are twenty-five unnecessary killings and murders on the average but these men reason that the "crook" will always have a gun anyhow, and why not decent citizens for their own defense? Seems like a real logical argument but when you come to estimate the number of men who travel the highways and by-ways night after night at late hours, absolutely unarmed and often-times possessed of considerable cash, and are never molested, the argument gets weak in fact it needs Peruna. The writer can recall a half dozen murders in this county in the past twelve years, purely the result of the toted gun, and liquor, an awful bad combination, and some of them without any liquor at all, the victims of which would be alive and enjoying God's sunshine if the gun toters had been extinguished. But the matter gets mighty close to some young blade's hearts when you talk of taking away the gun, which is a noxious habit like tobacco and whiskey drinking—absolutely vicious and unnecessary, but likewise a dear baby to give up. There is today thousands of dollars worth of gun hardware right in Adams township which ought to go to Midgley along with the "booze" which he has captured to be locked up in the strong room, there to repose as a tribute to the enterprise of "holdups" and Bad Men generally. Take for instance the worst holdups, bank robberies and train robberies—the investigation usually discloses the culprits as merely boys who have gotten a brain storm from reading accounts of what some bandits have done, and being allowed a good deal of lee-way, obtained high grade automatic revolvers and started out to astonish the world a career which usually winds up in the penitentiary or the electric chair. However, this does not solve the problem of disarming the crooks. The logical question is "where do the crooks get their hardware mostly? The mailorder house undoubtedly stands sponsor for most of this trade and cheap pawn shops most of the rest. Both these institutions should be put out of commission in that line at once.

Labour not to be rich: cease from thine own wisdom. For riches certainly make themselves wings; they [illegible] way.—Proverbs

Story of Colleen Bawn

Those who have read the story of Colleen Bawn, the beautiful Irish maiden who was brutally murdered on the River Shannon, will be surprised to know that in Jackson there resides an Irishman who once lived in the neighborhood of this incident in Ireland and his ancestors [including father, mother, aunts and uncles, lie buried in the same church-yard where rests the beautiful Colleen, famed in history and song. The opera, "The Lily of Killarney" is written from her life, and gives a full snynopsis of it from beginning to end. This Irishman, by name, Michael Behan lives at 510 East Trail street, Jackson, Mich., and is well acquainted with all the events before and after the heroine's death.

She was born in Ballycahane, near Croom, County Limerick in 1801, of humble parentage, her father being a common laborer. At an early age Colleen was bereft of her mother and went to reside with her father's relatives, (shoemakers) where she was reared, hence taking their name (O'Connor) though her real name was Hanly. When 17 years of age she met Captain John Scanlon of the Navy and he was carried away by her great beauty. They were married in 1819 by a suspended Catholic priest in Limerick and departed without the marriage certificate This and other occurrences at the time would seem to indicate that the prelate was a scoundrel and probably had no social standing in his church, also that he may have been a dupe of Scanlon. Possibly he had no legal right to perform a ceremony. But in any event the trial of Scanlon afterward apparently did not clear his name.

The happy couple were going down the street when they noticed the oversight and returning to the priest for the document, found him lying dead on the floor.

The Scanlons were of the aristocracy, and could not bear the disgrace of one of their number intermarrying with the scum, hence the result was easy to foresee. Captain Scanlon soon tired of his beautiful bride under these withering influences and he became obsessed with the idea that separation was the only alternative. But two methods appealed to him; he could either deny the marriage point blank or he could dispose of the Colleen, and the reprobate chose the last.

Scanlon had a foster brother who was a worthless drunken brute and with Scanlon and wife he went fishing on the River Shannon. With the party were also three other men and a woman. Returning, they had several miles to row, and evening at hand, and a storm also coming on, they were forced to go ashore and take shelter in a public house for the night. One of the men testified that Scanlon's foster brother forced the wedding ring off the finger of the Colleen during the evening. Next day the woman and three men departed, leaving Sullivan, Scanlon and his wife and that was the last seen of the Colleen until her nude body with a rope around the neck, was discovered tangled in the bushes several miles below some two months later. Sullivan went into hiding and could not be located for twelve months. Scanlon was arrested and tried and evidence showed he was guilty. It was very hard to convict a member of the nobility and the jury disagreed three times before the verdict was reached. Scanlon was hanged with a silken rope. Later Sullivan was captured; he broke down and confessed the whole thing.

It seems Scanlon planned the deed with a conscience of stone. He made Sullivan too drunk for comprehension, and sent him with the wife in a boat across the river, but even then the brute lacked nerve to commit the deed, returning to shore. Here he was met by Scanlon who cursed him roundly for a coward, offered him a substantial reward and again sent him out in the boat, warning him not to return with the girl. The second time the murder was done.

She was buried in a little country churchyard about five miles from Kilrush. Nothing but a plain headstone marks her grave at present and that will have disappeared soon since relic hunters are constantly chipping it away. Several marble crosses have been carried off piecemeal, in the same manner, as each person who visits the spot retains a souvenir.

On the stone is this simple inscription:

"They raised her from the shore
And in a rural grave they laid her
And many a burning curse pursued
The heartless villian who betrayed
[her"

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65, which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods, thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.

Farmers & Merchants' Bank
Foster, Fisher & Co., a Co partnership, Assignee for Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee

Radio to The Little Red Schoolhouse

The little Red Schoolhouse on the hill is due to stage a comeback with Radio in the role of Godfather. According to an announcement received here from Station W. L. S., Chicago, arrangements have been completed whereby special school programs will be broadcast for the use of the pupil and the teacher in the rural schools,

The first school program will occur February 20, from 2:00 to 2:30 and there will be a similar program every Friday afternoon. The programs will include addresses by leading figures in all fields as well as high grade entertainment, will touch on all phases of school activities, the aim being to give the country school all the advantages of contact in the larger cities. When ever possible, it is planned to have the children take an important part and groups probably will be taken to Chicago at intervals for that purpose.

"I would make clearly and definitely one other requirement, that no individual, or group of individuals, may expect any governmental favors in return for party assistance. Whatever anyone gives must be given for the common good, or not at all. Contributions can be received on no other basis.

"For the first time after having opportunity fully to organize, the women of the nation are bringing the new force which they represent directly to bear on our political affairs. I know that the influence of womanhood will guard the home, which is the citadel of the nation. I know it will be a protector of childhood. I know it will be on the side of humanity. I welcome it as a great instrument of mercy and a mighty agency of peace. I want every woman to vote.

"The Constitution is the sole source and guaranty of national freedom. We believe that the safest place to declare and interpret the Constitution which the people have made is in the Supreme court of the United States.

"Under our institutions there is no limitation on the aspirations a mother may have for her children. That system I pray to continue. This country would not be a land of opportunity, America would not be America, if the people were shackled with government monopolies.

"Our country has adopted prohibition and provided by legislation for its enforcement. It is the duty of the citizen to observe the law, and the duty of the Executive to enforce. I propose to do my duty as best I can.

For Child Labor Amendment.

"Our different states have had different standards, or no standards at all, for child labor. The congress should have authority to provide a uniform law applicable to the whole nation which will protect childhood. Our country cannot afford to let anyone live off the earnings of its youth of tender years. Their places are not in the factory, but in the school, that the men and women of tomorrow may reach a higher state of existence and the nation a higher standard of citizenship.

"I am in favor of national defense, not merely as an abstract state of mind, but as a concrete mode of action. I favor not merely talking about it, but doing something about it. I do not want the safety of my country to be imperiled in its domestic or foreign relations by any failure to be ready to preserve order or repel attack. But I propose to work for voluntary observance of law and mutual covenants of peace.

Common Sense Greatest Asset.

"We are likely to hear a great deal of discussion about liberal thought and progressive action. It is well for the country to have liberality in thought and progress in action, but its greatest asset is common sense. In the commonplace things of life lies the strength of the nation. It is not in brilliant conceptions and strokes of genius that we shall find the chief reliance of our country, but in the home, in the school, and in religion. America will continue to defend these shrines. Every evil force that seeks to desecrate or destroy them will find that a Higher Power has endowed the people with an inherent spirit of resistance. The people know the difference between pretense and reality. They want to be told the truth. They want to be trusted. They want a chance to work out their own material and spiritual salvation. The people want a government of common sense.

"These, Mr. Chairman, are some of the beliefs which I hold, some of the principles which I propose to support. Because I am convinced tha
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BETTER ROADS

YOUNG FARMER PLEADS GUILTY

STATE DETECTIVE UNCOVERS CONCLUSIVE PROOF OF MURDER OF WIFE

When Ralph Lindsley, a young farmer of St. Joseph county, pleaded guilty in circuit court to the murder of his wife, he admitted the facts which had been disclosed by unusual detective work.

One morning Lindsley drove into Sturgis and reported to the chief of police that Mrs. Lindsley had committed suicide by shooting herself. The coroner and other officials found the woman's body lying in a pool of blood, with a bullet wound in the forehead, and a revolver lying close by.

H. Erickson of the state Bureau of Identification was sent for and took a complete set of photographs, also taking the finger-prints found upon the revolver barrel. Lieutenant John S. Palmer, in charge of the criminal investigation bureau of the Department of Public Safety then took the case.

Tests were made with the revolver which showed that the woman could not have shot herself, inasmuch as powder burns were lacking which would have occurred if she had held the gun

In seeking a clue to the motive for the killing, Lieutenant Palmer learned that Lindsley had been attentive to a young married woman of the neighborhood. Search was made and the fragments of a 16-page letter, which had been read and torn up and the pieces thrown away, were gathered. It took a day and a night to put the letter together and then the motive was plain.

Lindsley had planned to get rid of his wife and also of the other woman's husband, it appeared.

Finger prints of the revolver and measurements showing the direction of the bullet and approximate fixing of the height fro mwhich it was fired were other details entering into the case.

Finally, the burden of evidence being too strong to be overcome, Lindsley came into court and pleaded guilty. He is now serving his sentence in Jackson prison.

MICHIGAN HAS NAVY ON DETROIT RIVER

Commissioner Harry H. Jackson of the Department of Public Safety might now add the title of "admiral" to his name. He is in command of a fleet of four armed speed boats which are now plying the border waters between Ontario and Michigan. Their mission is to do away with the smuggling, principally of liquor, which has been such a heavy traffic in the narrow waters.

Inasmuch as Ecorse, in Wayne county, has been the receiving point for a very large share of the liquor slipped across the border, it will receive particular attention from the fleet both by day and by night.

Several smuggling vessels were picked up in the first week of operations of the fleet.

KNOCK A WHOLE ROW OF MAIL BOXES DOWN

A dozen rural mail boxes at the roadside near Memphis, Macomb County, were found knocked down one morning. Sergeant Frank Walker of the St. Clair detachment of the State Police found an automobile hub cap nearby. He searched the garages in Memphis until he found a car with a bent radiator and missing cap. Orville Kinsey was the owner and he pleaded guilty to destroying property and paid a fine of $50.

MICKIE SAYS

TH' BOSS, HE SEZ, SEZZE, "WHY NOT SAY SUMETHING ABOUT THAT LADY WHO COMES IN 'N SEZ SHE DIDN'T GIT HER PAPER, WHEN SHE WANTS AN EXTRA TO SEND TO A FRIEND?" YA SEE, WE'RE ONTO YOU, MISSUS LADY!
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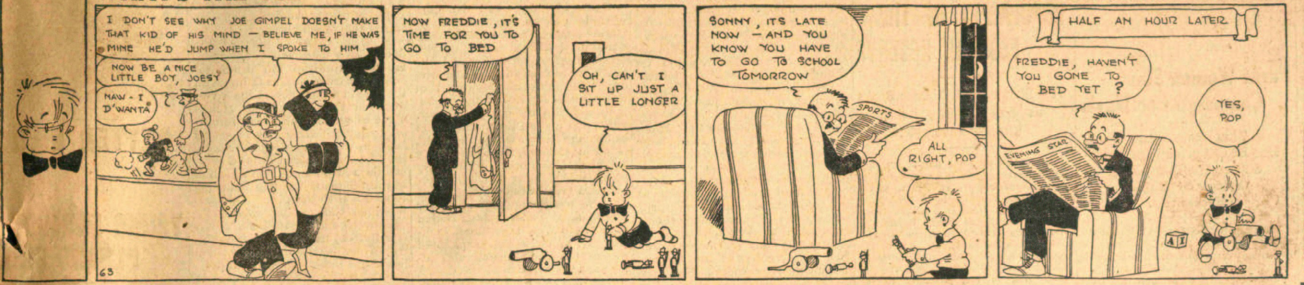

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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Religion and the Children

A noble, consecrated Christain woman, who not only in her own circle at Hillsboro, Ohio, but throughout the State is known and appreciated for her far reaching activities, has sent the following letter to the Christian Herald, which we lay before our readers with the request that they give it earnest consideration. It points the way to a solution of the great problem that is now uppermost in reflective minds—the spiritual education of the children, and the planting of the vital principals of the Christian faith in simple forms in their youthful minds.

But our correspondent's letter must speak for itself. She writes:

"I have been an appreciative reader of the Christian Herald for years, and have rejoiced in the many helpful movements it has promoted. Now I come to solicit your aid in what seems to me one of the truly deplorable conditions in the Church today: the absence of children and young people from the regular church service. Some years ago, we had Sunday school speakers who protested against the 'cruelty and hardship of children being required to sit through the church service. They talked of tingling nerves and tired muscles and urged that children be allowed to go home at the close of the Sunday school. May not this one thing have been largely responsible for the great apostasy of our young people? What pastor does not know the agony of seeing his audience dwindle away at the close of Sunday school, till he must deliver a carefully prepared sermon to a few middle-aged or old folks, and a number of empty pews? If the little folks go home, in many cases mother must go with them, or she doesn't come to church at all. And when once the children form the habit, they never come back to the 'good old way.' Our parents went to Sunday school and stayed for preaching or class; they revered and loved the humble, faithful men who brought them the Word of Life; and a wonderful crop of men and women grew up—as noble, strong and true as ever graced God's footstool....Let the Christian Herald sponsor a 'Stay for Church' campaign, and enlist Christian parents everywhere to unite in bringing our young people back to God, and training them for Christian life and service."

This touches a matter that relates to the well-being cf every household in America. We would be glad to have the letter quoted above read and discussed in every American home, and especially in homes where there are children of the susceptible age when impressions and convictions are most easily formed. Then, when the parents and grown-ups have considered the matter, let them write their conclusions briefly, and mail them to us for the enlightenmet of our Family Circle, addressing them to "The Child and the Church," Christian Herald, Bible House, N. Y. And don't fail to submit the matter to your pastor, that he, too may include his judgment with the others.

THE CHURCH AND THE CHILDREN

The editorial in the issue of January 3, entitled "Religion and Children," invites comments from Christian Herald readers. Of course the children, at the earliest possible years, should acquire the "Stay for Church" habit in connection with their regular attendance.

What the child needs in latter life rather than what may interest the pupil at the time, is the determing factor on the part of the state in making the public school curriculum.

Further, church going can be made a delight for the child as well as for the youth. Parents and preachers are responsible for the accomplishment of this desirable attitude. In many cases the program of worship should be revised The fact is that frequently adults do not get any more from the service than do the children. Adults do not follow an anthem, the words of which can not be understood. An eight or ten minute prayer address would also be in harmony with the preliminary announcement, "Let us All pray." It is possible to so read the Scripture that children will listen eagerly.

The content of the sermon may also need revision. During the past thirty years the writer has had the privilege at times of observing both preachers and congregations while an occupant of the pews. Frequently there is a children's sermon, though even this too often has the adult audience in mind. Now I have never seen an adult asleep during the children's sermon, although I have many times seen adults sleep during the so called regular sermon. The point is that if more Bible facts and less subjective philosophy were preached, and all supported with pertinent illustrations that would hold the attention of the average fifteen year old child, much could be done to solve the problem of "Stay for Church."—Samuel D. Price, D. D.

Oh, For The Good Old Days!

Backward, turn backward, Oh, Time, in your flight,
I've got to go get a haircut tonight;
Take me again to the old barber shop
Where in a chair I could very soon hop.
I'm sick and tired of women I see
Waiting to get a haircut before me
I don't like modern shops, they are not right;
I want an old-fashioned barber tonight.

Gimme the days when the men, old and young,
Had an escape from the feminine tongue;
Where we found freedom our thoughts to express
While we played Seven Up, Checkers and Chess;
Where we could gather to cuss and discuss
Candidates, politics, wars and such fuss
That is all changed now, since women have bobbed;
Man of his very last sanctum they've robbed.

Many's the battle that's been fought and won;
Many's the race in the barbershop run;
Many elections have been settled here,
Waiting our turn in the old barber's chair.
Now the talk's changed to latest in clothes,
How long shall sleeves be and how short the hose;
So backward, turn backward, oh Time, in your flight,
Find me an old-fashioned barber tonight!

Say Norway Spruce Best Xmas Planting

Norway spruce are the best trees for plantings to raise Christmas tree stocks commercially, according to B. F. Kroodsma, forestry extension specialist at M. A. C. Great interest has been shown lately in evergreen nurseries to supply the Yule trade, as pressure is brought to bear to stop indiscriminate cutting of young forest trees.

That there is a chance for good profit in Christmas tree raising is shown by estimates of the M. A. C forestry department. Figures based on their experimental plantings place the earnings at $111. an acre per year. A profit of $200 an acre, under good conditions, is claimed by a prominent grower in Pennsylvania. Triangular planting three feet apart, gives 5,584 trees to the acre, according to Kroodsma A 4 by 4 foot spacing would require 2,723 trees to the acre. Four year old transplants are said to cost about fifteen dollars a thousand.

Farm Folk Gathered At M. A. C. Farm Week

Agricultural interests of Michigan are gathered at East Lansing this week, more than 30 different farm groups holding meeting and hundreds of other rural folk attending the general sessions of the big Farmers Week conference.

No estimate of the attendance figures were available yet in the middle of the week, but college authorities estimate that the 5,000 mark of recent years will be equaled or passed with good weather.

Agricultural exhibits and nationally known speakers on the general programs compete with each other for chief interest among the visitors. Women are holding a conference of their own, the Homemakers Section, with their own exhibits and meetings.

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Local Rye Goes To South Africa Farm

Rosen Rye, Michigan's high producing variety and the strain which has won most of the rye awards at recent International Hay and Grain shows, will be planted a long way from its native state during the coming season. An order for seed from the famous variety has been received at the M. A C. from Hartebeestpoort Experiment Station, Brits Transvaal, South Africa.

J. E. Donkin, manager of the Hartesbeestpoort station, tried out a small sample of Rosen a year ago with such good results that he is running a large scale test this year. As a result, Rosen is likely to become a citizen, not only of Michigan and many other American states, but also of the world.

Climatic conditions in the section of the African continent where the rye will be planted are quite similar to those in Michigan according to H. C. Rather. crops specialist at M. A. C. and secretary of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association, who is filling the African order. The strikiag difference, of course, is that the seasons are just reversed in the southern continent. The seed order is being rushed because of the fact that the "fall" planting season at Hartebeestpoort is in April.

Rosen rye came orginally from Russia, a small sample being sent to the late Professor Frank A. Spragg, M. A. C. plant breeder, by a former M. A. C, student. After proving to be America's best rye, it now goes back to the other half of the world in search of new fields to conquer.

2,410 Prizes Open To Corn Farmers In Michigan Counties

Prizes totaling $2,410 are offered to corn farmers in Michigan counties who make entries in the National Seed Corn Show to be held in Chicago March 2 to 7 under the auspices of the Sears Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, an announcement received here states The show, which is to be held during "Seed Corn Test Week", is intended to drive home the need of a high germination seed corn policy to insure the country a normal 1925 corn crop.

In addition to the five dollar prize to be awarded to the farmer in the county showing the best ear of corn, a thousand dollars in gold is offered to the farmer in Michigan or the United States who exhibits the nation's champion ear. Another prize of a thousand dollars to the agricultural agent, farm bureau, agricultural or community organization of the county displaying the largest number of entries is also announced.

The show is open to the entire United States. Any person, boy or girl, man and woman—may enter an ear of corn. Parcel post entries will be received any time up to the night of March 7, and each ear must have the name, address, county and state of its owner on a paper which should be wrapped securely around the ear with the writing on the outside. No ear will be awarded a prize until tested for vitality and disease resistance, the judges to be selected by the American Society of Agronomy

Entries should be addressed to the National Seed Corn Show, Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, Chicago.

When Thou Passest through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee; when thou walkest through the fire thou shalt not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon thee.—Isaiah 43:2.

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WOMAN'S COURAGE FOILS BANDITS

Grapples With Armed Robbers Who Attempt to Hold Up Her Bank.

UNARMED, WINS LONG FIGHT

One Bandit Killed and Other Wounded When Men Come to Rescue—Story Told at National Meeting of Bankers.

When the wave of crime against banks, which has reached unprecedented proportions, was under discussion at the recent meeting of the American Bankers Association at Chicago, and defense measures were up for consideration, the bankers were told how one resolute woman defended herself against two armed desperadoes in her little Western bank. The woman was Mrs. Mary Garlinghouse, cashier of the State Bank of Vera, Oklahoma, which she conducts singlehanded. Her own story, as she told it in a report to the protective authorities of the Association, follows:

"While I was posting my ledger, with my back to the door, I heard a commotion. When I turned around there were two men back of the counter, with handkerchiefs over their faces. The larger made a jump for my gun. before I realized what was happening. The robbers each had a gun pointed at me, and one said, 'Lay down or I will shoot you!' I said, 'I will not lay down and you will not shoot me.' This conversation was repeated several times. I told them to cut out their foolishness.

"A man who was in the corridor when the bandits came laid down on the floor, face down. I tried to argue with the robbers and they began to get rough, but something within me seemed to realize that they were getting confused. I kept thinking that some one would come in or see us.

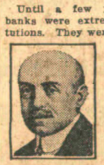
"The larger man got busy with the money, while the smaller one took care of me. He jerked me to my knees and hit me over the head. This jolted my glasses and I lifted my hand, waving it in front of his face and telling him to wait a minute. I took my glasses off and put them on the table. Lifting my hand caused this man to look up and he saw we were observed from across the street. Then he saw Constable Mosby, with his gun, and said to the man who was gathering the money, 'Don, we are seen, we must make our getaway!' He then grabbed me rather roughly said: 'Come on here! You are along!'

THE FRIENDLINESS OF MODERN BANKING

By WILLIAM E. KNOX

President American Bankers Association

Until a few years ago savings banks were extremely austere institutions. They were founded to do the kindliest thing in the world, that is, to take care of the savings of poor people, but they did it in a most repellent way. They did not extend to their banking business any of the courtesies or any of the amenities of life whatever. They simply took the money, did the depositor the favor of taking it, and gave it back to him when he wanted it. And then they considered their full duty done.



William E. Knox

The tellers and clerks treated the depositors as though they were entirely beneath them. I, myself, heard a depositor, an old Irishwoman, say to a teller who had been snappish with her: "Then you better keep a civil tongue in your head. It is the likes of me that keeps the likes of you in your place." In that brief and caustic and well-deserved comment she had summed up the whole situation in a nutshell.

There was nothing warm, nothing cordial, but as the years went by those who worked at the windows got on friendly and kindly relations with the people coming to the windows. Here and there some man got so close to the people that they began to tell him their personal affairs and ask for his advice, and of late years the banks, too, have been stressing the human element. They have struck a better way of approaching people.

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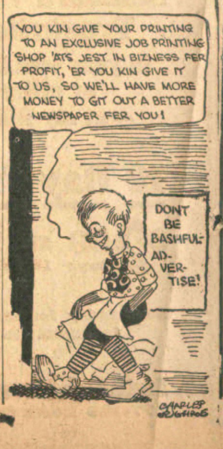

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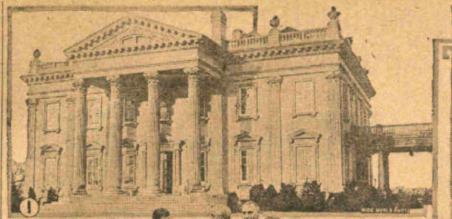

1—Green Hills, former Kentucky home of the late James Ben Ali Haggin, bought by Joseph Widener of Philadelphia as home for Kentucky's crippled children. 2.—C. Bascom Slemp, retiring secretary to the President, receiving brief case from the White House correspondents. 3.—Spire of Trinity, at left, which church has been sued for its ten million dollars' worth of property in the downtown district of New York by alleged heirs of the original owner.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Stone Tells Senators About Oil Conspiracy and the Senator Wheeler Case.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

CONFIRMATION of the President's nomination of Attorney General Stone to be an associate justice of the United States Supreme court has been held up by the senate judiciary committee for many days and the rejection of Mr. Stone by the senate threatened, because he directed the presentation to the grand jury in the District of Columbia of evidence in a conspiracy case involving Senator Wheeler of Montana. Friends of Wheeler, both Democrats and insurgent Republicans, thought the case was that in which the Montana senator was indicted in his home state and that transfer of it to Washington savored of persecution.

Wednesday the attorney general went before the committee and explained that the government has uncovered a conspiracy of wide proportions to defraud the United States of oil lands, involving the attempted bribery of government officials; and as the alleged crime was committed in Washington, the indictment was sought there, in accordance with the law. Mr. Stone said he had ordered a fresh investigation of the matter in connection with which Wheeler was indicted in Montana, and added:

"The investigation indicated that Gordon Campbell's promotion schemes involved primarily the securing, fradulently, of oil and gas prospecting permits on public lands in Montana and that the most important element in them was the validating of these permits by the Interior department and the approval of assignments of these permits by the executive officers of the Interior department at Washington. These subsequent investigations changed entirely the aspect of the crime which seemed to have been committed in Montana."

The attorney general offered Senator Wheeler the privilege of testifying before the grand jury if he would waive immunity from prosecution for so doing.

This seemed to leave Mr. Stone's opponents no ground for further delay in approving the nomination, but the committee adjourned for several days. In the senate itself the controversy broke out once or twice, being checked by the presiding officer. Senator Heflin found an opportunity to tell again why he was opposed to the attorney general, rehearsing the case of Col. John Ownbey of Colorado against whom Mr. Stone once appeared before the Supreme court as counsel for the estate of J. P. Morgan. Senator Overman of North Carolina also supports the charges that Ownbey filed before the judiciary committee alleging that he was treated unfairly.

DEFEAT of the child labor amendment to the Constitution seems to be certain, but its friends have not yet given up hope. The amendment has been accepted by the legislatures of three states, Arkansas, Arizona and California, and by the lower house in New Mexico. Seven states have rejected it definitely, these being Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Delaware. In Ohio, Louisiana, North Dakota and South Dakota one house of the legislature has voted against it. A bill for a referendum was defeated in Massachusetts and in the Washington lower house. Wyoming has postponed action indefinitely, which amounts to rejection. It needs rejection by only 13 of the states to defeat the amendment.

Proponents of the amendment declared their belief that it would eventually be adopted by a sufficient number of states. Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, said that the fight is by no means over and that he is confident that a sufficient number of states eventually will approve the amendment. He further charged that large sums of money had been expended in fighting the amendment and suggested a congressional investigation.

The National League of Women Voters also issued a statement declaring that adverse action by one or both houses of 13 states does not signify defeat. It was insisted that there is a possibility of reconsideration in some of the states.

MUSCLE SHOALS legislation was sent to conference and the prospects for the Underwood bill were bright, for the senate conferees appointed are all in favor of that measure. They are Keyes of New Hampshire, McKinley of Illinois and Kendrick of Wyoming. Norris, McNary and Smith had declined to serve. The house conferees are McKenzie of Illinois, Morin of Pennsylvania and Quin of Mississippi. The committee will try to obtain final enactment of the legislation before March 4.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, having received from his agricultural conference a report urging co-operative marketing legislation during the present session, called to the White House the Republican leaders of senate and house and the ranking members of the agricultural committees and asked them to try to carry out this recommendation. They promised to do their best. The report later was submitted to congress. The plan it presents contemplates the creation of a federal co-operative marketing board of five members, two of whom shall be the secretary of agriculture and the secretary of commerce and the three others to be appointed by the President after being nominated by federally registered co-operative marketing organizations. The salaries of the three appointed members would be $12,000 a year. The report declares it is the purpose of the plan to allow co-operatives a freedom to develop without governmental interference or domination, except for the police powers lodged with the secretary of agriculture under the Capper-Volstead act.

The agricultural conference also advocates adoption of the long pending resolution directing the interstate commerce commission to readjust freight rates so as to relieve farm products of a disproportionate share of transportation costs. The senate already had adopted the conference report on this resolution and it went to the President.

HERRIN, that bloody town in bloody Williamson county, Illinois, got on the front page again when Glenn Young, the klan liquor raider, and his chief foe, Deputy Sheriff Ora Thomas, "shot it out." Each was supported by a band of armed followers and when the smoke cleared away Young, Thomas and two others were lying dead on the street. Five more persons were wounded. The peaceful citizens of Herrin—there really are some—hope that with the death of the leading gun men the outbreaks that have brought notoriety to their town will never recur.

PREMIER HERRIOT of France has been preparing a definite statement on France's position concerning her debt to the United States, but at this writing it has not been made. M. Herriot, however, did say a lot on the subject in an address to the chamber of deputies. He said he would "solemnly repeat once more what M. Viviani has said, what M. Poincaire has said—France does not intend to repudiate her debts. It is not the government over which I preside, attached as it is to respect for treaties and conventions, that will disavow the principle of debts which France has contracted."

A little later he said: "Even from a commercial viewpoint, our friends cannot refuse to realize the terrible difficulties that France faces if she is forced to attempt to transport to England and America products to the value of the debts.

"The problem is not only moral but is economic and fiscal. Regardless of what happens no one can question our good faith. France is always loyal and will remain loyal on this question like on all others."

Much of M. Herriot's address was devoted to an exposure of Germany's failure to disarm in accordance with the terms of the treaty of Versailles. He made it clear that France is not contemplating any coercive measures but that she is determined to insure her security. "To disarm the hands of our enemies is not sufficient so long as their spirit is not disarmed," declared the premier. "At this very moment when it is desired to initiate industrial collaboration, there is a large group in Germany returning to war ideas as shown in their papers, their poetry, their plays, and their speeches, where France is treated disgracefully."

EMILE DAESCHNER, the new French ambassador, has arrived in Washington with his family and assumed the duties of his post. He called on President Coolidge Friday and presented his credentials. M. Jusserand, the retiring ambassador and long dean of the diplomatic corps in Washington, sailed for France. As he was leaving New York he said, as a private citizen: "I believe France should have more time for the payment of her debt. The first consideration should be France and all other issues should be subordinated. France has her reconstruction problem, which must be met. There are 140,000 homes to be constructed and as a result of lack of housing facilities there were during the last year 100,000 cases of tuberculosis, 18,000 resulting in death."

LEADERS in the international opium conference in Geneva decided on the creation of a central board to supervise the international traffic in narcotic drugs, the members to be appointed by the council of the League of Nations and the United States. This action is held significant of a possible way of arranging the future relations of the league and America and in the opinion of some it means the United States may become a sort of associate member of the league, with the understanding that it undertake no obligations under the covenant and would take no responsibility or pursue any activities in international political problems handled by the league.

FIFTY Russian mercenaries in four improvised armored cars arrived in Shanghai Wednesday, frightened off the defeated thousands of Chi Hsieh-yuan's army and took possession of the city for their employer, Marshal Lu Yung-hsiang. Two thousand of Lu's Chinese troops entered later and consolidated the victory, and Chi's soldiers fled or enlisted under Lu. Chi himself started for Japan and it is assumed there will be no more fighting in the Shanghai region. There are 25 foreign warships in the harbor protecting the foreign concessions, from which the Chinese and Russian troops are barred.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Canton government leader and first president of the Chinese republic, either is dead of cancer or has been operated on for that ailment and is in satisfactory condition. Both reports have been received and at this time the truth is not known. The Japanese official news agency at Tokyo says Peking is trying to keep Dr. Sun's death a secret.

DIPHTHERIA is epidemic in Nome, Alaska, and dog teams from Anchorage and Nenana, 600 miles away, are racing across the snow-covered country with supplies of antitoxin. Meanwhile the physicians in Nome have been forced to rely on serum that is at least six months old, and have found that it retains much of its curative power. Most of the deaths are among the Eskimos.

HERBERT H. ASQUITH, former prime minister of Great Britain, at last has accepted elevation to the peerage and has assumed the title of earl of Oxford. It was at first believed he would relinquish the active leadership of the Liberal party to Lloyd George, but he announced that he had not yet resigned that post.

YOUNG army officers have overthrown the junta government of Chile which was set up last fall by navy officers, and for a few days there was danger of civil warfare. Largely through the efforts of Agustin Edwards, former foreign minister, this has been averted and the officers have reached an agreement by which Arturo Alessandri, the self-exiled president, is recognized as constitutional president. He is in Italy but says he is ready to return to his country and his office. Dean Amunategui of the medical faculty of the University of Chile was commissioned to form a cabinet.

Baptists Called Upon to Raise Large Fund

Washington.—An absolute gift of $225,000 and a conditional gift of $450,000 by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., toward meeting the budget requirements of Northern Baptists for the fiscal year ending April 30 was announced at a meeting of Baptist denominational leaders, representing every state in the Northern Baptist convention, at a meeting at the Raleigh hotel.

To receive the maximum amount the denomination must by April 30 have raised the $6,700,000 which was the sum necessary to be paid in by church membership uuring the year to finance missionary and sundry other enterprises.

This means that four months are given to the denomination to raise $4,000,000 among church members and church friends.

Representatives of all Baptist mission societies and boards and members of the finance committee of the North convention attended the meeting in the oak room of the Raleigh hotel with H. R. Bond of Vermont presiding.

It was pointed out that not quite $3,000,000, or a bit more than 60 per cent, of the revenues for the corresponding period last year had been raised thus far toward the budget, reasons being given that the reaction from strenuous efforts during the new world movement closing last May 1 was being felt, particularly during the last few months.

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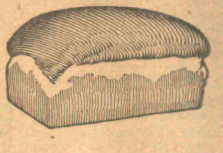

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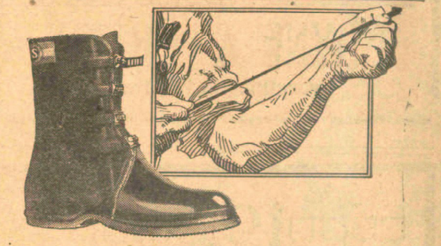
Figures Show Retail Business of Country

Sixty million dollars a day is the average amount expended in retail stores by the American people, according to a study of the population's purchasing power made by the department of domestic distribution of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. Retail business in the United States reached an estimated total of $21,947,638,923 last year, a per capita expenditure of $207.62 for food, clothing, furniture, fuel and light and miscellaneous commodities. More than a third of this amount, over $9,000,000, was spent in the Middle Atlantic and East North Central states.

On the basis of the department's estimates retail expenditures were greater for 1923 than for 1922 but considerably below the peak year of 1920. In that year, for example, the average expenditure for clothing was $74.70. Last year it was $48.03. The largest retail bill of the country is for food—$97.58 per capita.

You can't convince a brunette that all is fair in love.



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Jerome High School

Robert Randolph is still under quarantine for smallpox.

Community ladies will serve dinner at the I. O. O. F. hall Thursday.

Bertha Onley attended the funeral of an uncle at Jackson Monday afternoon.

The seventh and eighth grades will soon begin the study of Miles Standish by Longfellow.

The ninth grade English class are studying Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stevenson.

Mrs. Vera Moorehead is ill with the mumps. Mrs. I. Wertenberger is supplying in the primary room in her place.

Harold Baker of Wayne formerly of Jerome was a welcome visitor at school Friday afternoon. He is a member of the Wayne orchestra.

Lyle and Charles Miller, Bernard Lyons, Edna and Louise McClanahan have returned to school after being absent some time on account of smallpox.

An orchestra from Wayne Mich visited Jerome High school Friday afternoon and entertained the school with several selections of music.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jerome

Dr. S. B. Frankhauser of Hillsdale was in town Saturday.

Thomas Brayton visited his brother Leonard at Mosherville Sunday.

Glenn Fisher and Arch Branch of Somerset were in town the last of the week.

Rev. Scott's sermon subject for next Sunday will be "Lincoln, the Christian."

Quarantine was lifted from the homes of Otto Miller and Harry McClanahan last week.

Miss Simons of Hillsdale is caring for Chas Struble who is seriously ill with rheumatism.

Mrs. Merl Morehead, local primary teacher is absent from school because of the mumps. Mrs. Wertenberger is substituting.

Leon Walworth and Lee Parks Floyd Sawdey, Roland Painter, Ora Potter, John Horn, Carl Truitt and James Britton attended a meeting of Oddfellows in Jackson Saturday evening.

The local high school was entertained Friday by the Wayne orchestra from Wayne Mich. Members of quintet were Leon and Milton Adams, Robert McLain, Arthur Thruesdale and Herold Baker, the last named being a former resident of Jerome. The orchestra is much in demand throughout the northeastern section.

Last Sunday Rev. Scott read the platform of his Goodwill Brotherhood organization to the congregation and asked that the ideas of the Brotherhood be practiced in Jerome People who follow the principles of the Brotherhood are supposed to forgive and forget, to tell all the nice things they can think of about their neighbors even if their neighbors are close relatives of the devil. In addition they are also supposed to invite their friends and enemies to church services. We are inviting our enemies this week.

Somerset Centre

Mrs. John Parker spent Sunday with her sister.

Mark Rutan and family spent Sunday in Hillsdale.

Tom VanAllen spent Saturday with Earl Rutan and family.

Clayton Garver and wife spent Sunday at the Frank Wilson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones entertained Sunday Charles King and wife and Orley King.

George Baker and family spent Sunday evening with L. A. Mercer and family.

Mrs. Lottie Wilcox is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. J. P. Churchfield.

LaGrand VanCamp and wife called at the home of Ben VanCamp Thursday evening.

Seymour Roberts and Miss Vena Roberts visited at the home of Walter Roberts Sunday.

Wm Schock and wife entertained Sunday Frank Knitzel and family and Lawrence Schock of Blissfield.

Mrs. Jim Carl was moved to the hospital one day last week. She is somewhat improved at the present time.

Orpha Parker has been unable to attend school because of an injury to her nose which she received while coasting.

There will be a Community day at the Somerset center church February 14. Everyone invited. Rev. Scott will be the speaker.

The following from here have been in Jackson recently Earl Rutan and wife, J. Smith and wife, Don Rutan and wife, Mrs. J. P. Churchfield and Mrs. Lottie Wilcox.

Clifford Clark and wife had as Sunday guests Winn Stewart of Detroit, A. L. Philips and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chubb of Richmond Mich. They came to bring the remains of Mrs. Chubb's father Charles Alley whose burial was in the Somerset Center cemetery.

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Viele School Notes

Semester examinations were given the second week in January.

Betty Westcott was absent last Thursday because of a severe cold.

The hygiene classes have made several good health posters this month.

The eighth grade have made decorations for the school windows consisting of Daffodil cut outs.

Cleo Poling, Raymond Jennings, Dale Wells, Robert Simmonds and Laura Sommers have been absent part of the past week, on account of vaccinations.

Wednesday January 21 eleven pupils were vaccinated at the school by Dr. Sterling, on account of the smallpox epidemic in Somerset township.

Gurney Westcott, Elwood Horton, Martha Baker and Laura Sommers received pencils this month, having received the most merit cards for perfect reading lessons.

Those who have been neither absent or tardy during the month of January are: Clarence Fast, Eunice Fast, Carlos Wells, Roland Jennings Orpha Poling, Mae Poling, Laurel Poling, Violet Poling, Lazalia Horton, Elwood Horton, Donald Horton and Gurney Westcott.

Central Moscow

Harry Mayo of Moscow has been moving Mr. Fast's goods to Lansing

Lee Kies of Jackson spent Sunday with his parents Charley Kies and wife.

John Adams and wife have returned home after visiting their son Howard of Allen.

Andrew Richards, John Adams and Homer Sturtevant attended the horse sale at Hillsdale Saturday.

William Carpenter has returned home from Jackson where he has been working for an indefinite time.

Jonesville

Mrs. Frank Lacore is ill at her home east of town.

Lucy Fogg of Jackson was at her home here for the week end.

Victor Hawkins and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Booth of Grand Rapids left Sunday for Florida.

The Investigators Club held a meeting last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Edwin Gillespie Sr.

Evangeline Wood has entered the Ford Hospital Detroit, where she will take a nurses training course.

Mrs. Hazel Small and two children are here from California for a visit with her parents Byron Bunn and wife.

Twenty young people of this place surprised Dorothy Chinnock on Saturday evening Jan. 31 in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. Chas Cronk entertained Twelve ladies at supper last Friday night. This being followed by a pleasant social evening.

Helen McKercher of the Ypsilanti Normal spent the week end at her home here and attended the wedding of Mildred Oppel.

The Thursday Five Hundred club met with Mrs. E. W. Merchant last week. A luncheon was served at one o'clock, followed by cards.

Mrs. D. J. Donnihue and two daughters, Dorothy and Denice of Toledo were guests over Sunday of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Massey.

The Helen Childs missionary society held a very enjoyable meeting last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Fisk. A fine literary program was carried out with Mrs. D. L. Powers as leader.

Mrs. Wm Lang died at her home on Evans street on Friday Jan 30. The husband Wm Lang, one son Milford and three grandchildren survive.

Mildred Oppel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Oppel of this place and Carl Zeigler, son of Henry Zeigler of Hillsdale were married at 6 o'clock Saturday evening Jan 31. at the Oppel home here. Rev. M. N. Wood of the Presbyterian church officiating. The new home will be in Hillsdale.

High School Notes

Ethel Rogers was a visitor at the High school Wednesday.

Don't forget the Parent Teacher meeting Monday evening.

Assistant School superintendent C. Lloyd Goodrich was at school Wednesday.

A Basket ball game will be held at Waldron Friday night. We would like to see some North Adams people there.

There has been a music contest between two sides in the Junior High room, the leaders being Elda Rock and Edward Delamater. Elda Rocks side won. The banquet will be held at Delematers Saturday evening.

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Salt Pork pound 22c.

Animal Cookies pkge. 5c. 6 for 25c
Jackson Bread per loaf 10c
Peanut Brittle Taffy, per lb. 15c
Two pounds Peanut Brittle 25c
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T. N. Lamb was a business visitor in Elkhart. Indiana, on Saturday.

Frank Foster of Detroit spent the week-end at his home in this village.

George Holley of Jackson was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Hattie Holkins, the first of the week.

Mrs. Caroline Culver of Jonesville is here for a visit of some length at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. N. Wolcott.

The February meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Friday, Feb. 13, at the home of Mrs. F. L. Westcott. Program leader Mrs. Jennie Othoudt.

Callers at the R. I. Holkins home Sunday were George Holley, Mr. and Mrs. Pompell and little daughter and Mrs. Pompell's mother Mrs Sanford all of Jackson.

The L. A. S. of the Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Wednesday, Feb. 18th. for an all day meeting. Mrs Josie Williams' division will serve dinner.

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Local News

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The quarantine for scarlet fever at the home of George Foltz has been raised.

Mrs. Allan Stoner of Montpeliar O., spent a day last week with Mrs. R. C. Young.

Miss Mary Freitag was in Ypsilanti over the week-end for a visit with friends.

Mrs. R. F. Culver of Jackson has been visiting her parents, E. S. Knowles and wife.

Miss Florence Bensen who was taken quite ill on Tuesday morning, is reported as gaining slowly.

Eddie Cole, son of Mrs. W. W. Clingerman, now of Ohio, has been retained as clerk in the market purchased by Edson J. Benge

The Woman's Club will meet at the home of Miss Ethel Clement en Monday, Feb. 16, Answer to roll call with sayings of Washington and Lincoln.

Mrs. T. N. Lamb is confined to the home by illness. Her position in the High school is being filled by Mrs. Lois Holcomb, a former teacher.

North Adams I. O. O. F. Lodge visited Hillsdale Lodge on Tuesday evening and the North Adams degree team did the work. A fine supper was served and a good time is reported.

The familiy of Fred Randolph near Jerome who have been quarantined for small-pox for some time, are recovering in good shape. The daughter Jane, who is at the home of her brother, Roland, will soon re-enter school.

Hanover I. O. O. F. Lodge visited North Adams Lodge Wednesday evening and degree work was put on by them. A fine supper was enjoyed and social evening. Odd Fellows were present from Jackson, Jerome, Hillsdale and Battle Creek.

Eugene Culbert and J. C. Oberlander will conduct an auction on the Culbert farm one mile north and three miles east of North Adams commencing 10 o'clock a. m. and will sell four horses, 8 cows, 28 sheep, 9 hogs and a lot of household goods. Feb. 18th

The politician is abroad in the land seeking whom he may register. Notices are posted for the first caucus which occurs Monday February 16th. Must be that spring is on the way. Maple sap will soon be squirting from every maple in the greenwood and blue birds caroling in the branches.

News received from William Vickary formerly of this village and later of Battle Creek and Kalamazoo where he has been engaged in the dry cleaning business for several years, indicates that he is in Baltimore Maryland whence he went some time ago to work at the cleaning trade, being employed there by a large firm as foreman.

Patron - Teacher's Association met at the school building on Monday evening with a very good attendance. The following program was given: Song "America" talk by Miss Buckley of the State health department; vocal solo Mrs. Mildred Hunt; paper "Juvenile courts and their work" Mrs. Grace Williams; poem (Guest) Wilbur Bohn: playlet "A Five O'Clock Tea" Hostess, Harriet Shepard; guests: Eva Wolcott, Lois Holcomb and Ann Ford; Saxaphone solo, Keith Williams with Grace Williams at the piano.

We are in receipt of a handsome calendar from Patrick H. Crowley, President of the New York Central Lines, Grand Central Terminal, New York City. The calendar is reproduced from the painting of the "Twentieth Century Limited" the best known train in the world and the fastest. The officials tell us that these trains could even make more speed than they do, if safety first did not enter into consideration. The actual running time between Chicago and New York is now to be shortened by the "Castleton Cut-off" bridge in New York.

Mr. Daniel Garlinghouse of this village handed us a letter on Saturday that was quite ancient—in fact goes back to the days when we had no railroads and mail was carried by a post rider. The letter was written to David Garlinghouse, father of Daniel, who was a pioneer in Lenawee county way back in 1836 and the writer was his sister at Mt. Washington, New York. No envelope was used and the letter was folded into a very neat square and fastened with sealing wax. The letter was written on two sheets of foolscap paper and the address was written on the back. It was written before Daniel was born with a good quality of ink since it is distinct and not faded

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Mrs. Deville VanDusen of the Nethaway district, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Lottie Keefus and family.

The 2nd division of the Congregational church will give a chicken dinner Wednesday, Feb. 18th, Everybody come.

The Friendship Club met with Mrs. R I Holkins with 13 members and one guest. Refreshments were served. They will meet Feb. 20th with Mrs. Thompson.

James Meeks was in Lansing last week attending Farmers Week at the M. A. C. and the annual potato show of the Michigan Potato Growers Association. He had two exhibits of Russet Rurals at the show and each exhibit won one lot winning 1st prize in the State Potato Club class and the other won in the State open class His premiums total $25.00.

The annual telephone banquet of Line 7 was held Saturday evening Feb. 7th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Arbogast. There was a good attendance. The evening was spent in social visiting, refreshments were served after which there was a business meeting. The following officers were elected: President F. M. Rumsey. Sec. Charlie Bohn. Treas. Lemuel Roberts. Directors Joe Gray, Ross Delameter and Oray Holcomb.

Mrs. Emeline Wheaton, aged 64 years, wife of Chester Wheaton a pioneer of Wheatland township, died at her home on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. from a complication of diseases. About a month age she fell and broke her hip. which hastened her death. She was born in Wheatland township September 10, 1860 and is survived by her husband only. Funeral service at the late home to-day (Friday) at one a'clock, and interment at Locust Corners cemetery.

Guest Day. Womans Club

Guest Day was observed by the West Adams Womans Circle at the home of Mrs. Grace Williams Feb. 5. About forty guests and members were present and a pot-luck dinner was served at noon after which the following program was given; Roll call quotations about trees: music, radio; "Our Island Possessions" Harriet Shepard; "Forest Conservation" Mrs. Sadie Stevens; "Conservation of Birds and Wild Game" Mrs. Grace Barker; music, radio; The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mabel Goodacre.

Citizens Caucus

Notice is hereby given that the registered electors of the Village of North Adams will meet in Caucus at the Council rooms in said village on Monday February 16, 1925 at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of putting in nomination candidates to be voted upon at the spring election Monday March 9th for the following offices: President, Clerk, Three Trustees for three years, Assessor and Treasurer, and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Frank W. Holcomb, Chairman of Last Caucus. Dated Friday, Feb. 6th, 1925.

High School Notes

We have two new scholars Robert and Richard Benge.

The girls were defeated at Waldron by the score of 63 and 16. The boys won by the score of 46 and 37.

Mrs. Lamb has been out of school this week on account of illness. Mrs. Lois Holcomb has been substituting.

The ninth grade is studying the "Merchant of Venice" and the tenth grade is studying "The Tale of Two Cities"

Basket ball game with Litchfield Friday night at the gymnasium. Both boys and girls play. Let's see a big crowd.

Miss Gilbert of the State Board of Health of Lansing started a class for the care of babies. She will come every Wednesday for eight weeks.

The Juniors are going to give a Valentine party Saturday evening. The proceeds go toward the debt on the community hall where the dance is to be held.

Our debating team will debate with Hudson Thursday night. Our side will take the negative of the question: "Resolved that the Philippines should have immediate independence."

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor
Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

The Wheatland Church which has been closed for a few weeks on account of Scarlet Fever, will be reopened Sunday afternoon Feb. 22 with special music by our Male Quartet.

A New England Dinner will be served in the church parlors Wednesday Feb. 25th. watch for later announcements.

The Epworth League will have a Valentine party next Saturday evening, in the church parlors.

A brand new contest is scheduled in Sabbath school, very interesting times, come and see.

There is also a contest on in the Epworth Choir, which rehearsal takes place every Thursday evening

The special stress that is laid on the Epworth Choir work, with Mr. Perkin's solo is evidently being very much appreciated by the evening congregations. You are welcome.

The Ladies Aid Society has bought one hundred new chairs for the church, which are very much appreciated.

The Hoxie Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Thompson Thursday Feb. 19. a potluck dinner will be served.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

We will continue the discourse on the theme "The Life By Which We Live" at next Sunday's service. An interesting theme which will be discussed until Easter. Sunday school immediately following this service to which you are all cordially urged to attend.

There will be a Valentine Party next Thursday evening February 19 at the home of Miss Rosene Baker. Mr. Hunt's class are planning the enjoyable event but you are all invited to attend.

There will be another Aid Society dinner at the church next Wednesday February 18th. Come and have some good eats! Tell your friends about it.

NOTICE: Choir practice will be held at the home of Frances Young Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All be there.

A very cordial welcome is extended to all.

Roy Bohner has been chosen as principal of the Osseo schools for the third year, to begin in the fall He has given the best of satisfaction and it is presumed that the school year to come will be a successful one. Mr. Bohner formerly resided here as manager of the R. J. Corlett & Sons lumber yard

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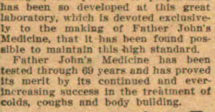

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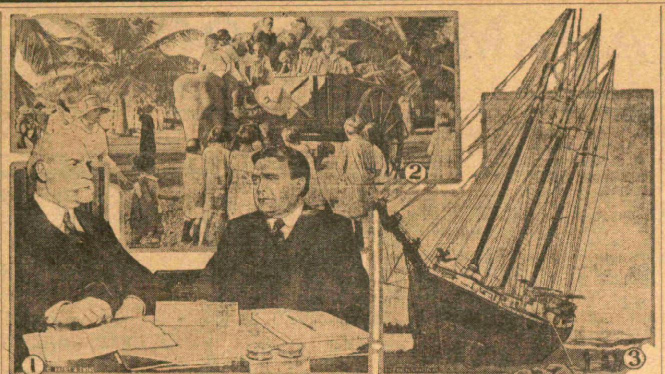

1—Secretary of State Hughes and Senator Borah, chairman of senate foreign relations committee, discussing the commercial treaty with Germany. 2—Children's hour at Miami Beach, Fla. 3—Nova Scotia schooner Frances Parsons cast high and dry on the Maine coast near Bar Harbor during storm.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Nome and Kentucky Stage Dramatic Stories—Help for Chicago Drainage.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PUBLIC attention was centered on two events that, while not of great importance generally, were dramatic in the extreme and even agonizing. These were the heroic relief of diphtheria-stricken Nome by mushers and their dog teams carrying fresh supplies of antitoxin; and the trapping of Floyd Colins in Sand cave, in Kentucky, and the desperate efforts to extricate him.

The ice-bound Alaska town was attacked by an epidemic of diphtheria and its small supply of serum was soon exhausted. Appeals for more met with instant response, but the supply had to be sent across hundreds of miles of snow and ice-covered country. The best mushers of the north offered the services of themselves and their teams. Leonard Seppala with his champion dogs started the great relay race against death and made record-breaking time despite the extreme cold and the raging blizzard. He disregarded warnings not to cut across the breaking ice of Norton bay, and delivered the package of serum to Charlie Olson at Golofnin. Olson carried it to the village of Bluff, on the other side of Cape Nome from the town of Nome, and there he was met by Gunnar Kasson, who made the last lap of fifty-five miles under conditions that caused him to describe it as the toughest trip he ever had in his 21 years of experience as a musher. His malamutes—half wolf—were led by the famous Balto, who followed the trail unerringly though Kasson could not see his hand before his face. Gunnar passed through the villages of Solomon and Safety without stopping, unaware of the fact that relays were waiting there, and in the early morning hours the heroic driver and his great-hearted dogs dashed into Nome with the life-saving antitoxin. The people of America will not soon forget the relief of Nome and the gallantry of Seppala, Olson and Kasson and their dogs.

FLOYD COLLINS' plight in the Kentucky cave was so extraordinary and the week-long effort to extricate him was so frantic and from the beginning so apparently hopeless that every line of news from Cave City was read with avidity. The man was making his way through a long passage so narrow that there was barely room for his body, when a large boulder fell upon one of his feet, pinning him down. For 24 hours he struggled and called for help before he was discovered; and then it was speedily found that rescuers could not get at the boulder because Collins' body blocked the way completely. Hundreds of men gathered there and worked desperately, but necessarily one at a time, and meanwhile the trapped man was kept supplied with food. Mining engineers and surgeons were sent from cities as far distant as Chicago, and the state militia authorities took charge, but no one could devise a scheme for the liberation of the unfortunate man. Further shifting of the rock formation then caused the floor of the cave to rise in such a way that he seemed to be permanently entombed, and those in charge of the rescue work decided the only chance to reach him was by sinking a shaft from the top of the hill. It was admitted this would probably be fatal to Collins, but at this writing it is believed he already is dead. The new bulge in the rock floor had completely closed the passage not far from him and it was thought it might have crushed him. He had called faintly to his friends to "go home and go to bed."

CHICAGO sanitary district officials have made formal application to Secretary of War Weeks for authorization to withdraw 10,000 cubic feet of water a second from Lake Michigan through the drainage canal, and the War department will hold hearings on the matter shortly. Coincidentally, a special committee of the senate indorsed the construction and maintenance of a nine-foot channel in the Chicago drainage canal, Illinois and Mississippi rivers from Chicago to Cairo as a part of the lakes to the gulf waterway; justified Chicago's use of lake water for sanitation, and pronounced any lowering of lake levels less attributable to diversion from Lake Michigan at Chicago than to diversions at Niagara and other points on the lakes.

The Chicagoans told Mr. Weeks the sanitary district proposes to expend $130,112,000 for sewage treatment works within the next 30 years, but that even with the changes contemplated it will be necessary to have a flow of 10,000 cubic feet a second to safeguard the health of the people of Chicago. Not only must there be enough to dilute the sewage and trade wastes, but the flow of the Chicago river must be kept reversed. The proposed work in the district will call for such an increase of taxes that the per capita tax levy in Chicago will be 34 cents above the average per capita in all cities above 500,000 population.

AFTER a lively debate in open session, the senate confirmed the nomination of Attorney General Stone to be associate justice of the United States Supreme court. The vote was 71 to 6, those voting nay being Frazier, and Norris, Republicans; Heflin and Trammel, Democrats, and Johnson and Shipstead, Farmer-Laborites. Senator Wheeler and Senator Walsh of Montana refrained from voting. Walsh and Heflin made the chief speeches against confirmation, the former stressing Mr. Stone's action in connection with the Wheeler case, and the latter confining his attack to the so-called Ownbey case.

Senator Borah voted for confirmation but declared his opposition to the policy pursued by the attorney general in transferring the Wheeler matter to the District of Columbia, 2,500 miles from his own state. He said he would address the senate at a later date on the legal principles involved and possibly would recommend legislative action that would prevent the forcing of a defendant to stand trial in a strange community at the will of the attorney general.

THERE is a row among army and navy officers and officials in Washington which may result in the demotion of Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, assistant chief of the army air service, and the removal from his post of Rear Admiral W. A. Moffatt, chief of the navy bureau of aeronautics. Both of them, as well as other officers, have testified before the house committee on aircraft and are said to have been "too enthusiastic and progressive" to suit their superiors. Besides that they favor the creation of a separate department of aeronautics. Some of the committee members believed that officers were being "muzzled" to prevent frank testimony on the relative efficiency of aircraft in war. This was emphatically denied by Secretary of the Navy Wilbur. Secretary of War Weeks, however, called on General Mitchell to explain some of his statements to the committee, especially one that officers who gave testimony contrary to the views of superiors were likely to be disciplined. Mitchell also told the committee that American air power would not attain full development so long as it was made secondary to existing agencies, that everything in the army and navy was based on precedent, and that the trouble with the air service did not lie with the appropriating power.

MAINTAINING its prerogative to be the exclusive originator of revenue legislation, the house returned to the senate the postal pay and rate increase bill which the latter body passed. The house then took under consideration its own measure, resembling the senate bill in most respects but designed to produce more revenue to take care of the proposed increase of salaries of postal workers.

WHEAT prices, skyrocketing to over $2 a bushel in Chicago and to corresponding figures elsewhere, have aroused and alarmed the world. In various lands something like famine is predicted, and already in some places the price of bread has been advanced. Naturally the charge is made that the high price of wheat is due to manipulation by traders and that the farmer is reaping no profit from it. Senator Cameron of Arizona introduced a resolution calling for an investigation by the federal trade commission into alleged improper practices in manipulation of prices of wheat, flour and bread. An Illinois state senator lays the blame on the Grain Marketing corporation, which he calls a gigantic marketing monopoly, and has asked investigation of that concern by the legislature.

SECRETARY OF STATE HUGHES transmitted to the senate the official copy of the Paris reparations agreement, and with it went a repetition of his denial that the United States, by participating in the pact, had become unduly entangled in the affairs of Europe. He asserted the agreement neither surrenders nor modifies any treaty right of the United States, and that our participation in the conference was not in violation of the reservation attached by the senate to the treaty of Berlin. But the secretary made no mention of the alleged attempt of Ambassador Kellogg to attach a reservation to the agreement to the effect that the United States does not assume any responsibility for any part of the understandings, save that pertaining to payments to the United States. It was this especially that interested the "irreconcilable" senators.

Senator Hiram Johnson made a warm speech in the senate in which he combated the view of Mr. Hughes and declared loudly that America has become dangerously entangled in European affairs by the Paris pact.

TWO years in a federal penitentiary and $10,000 fine—that is the penalty that Col. Charles R. Forbes, former head of the veterans' bureau, and John W. Thompson, wealthy St. Louis contractor, must pay for conspiring to defraud the government on contracts for soldiers' hospitals, unless the verdict reached by a jury in Chicago is reversed by a higher court. The sentence was imposed by Federal Judge Carpenter and he denied a motion for a new trial. When Forbes' attorneys made a plea for mitigation of punishment based on his excellent war record, Judge Carpenter said: "You are offering evidence in aggravation of punishment—not mitigation. Because he was wounded and gassed does not entitle him to the privilege of coming back and betraying the buddies with whom he served."

Gaston B. Means, who was convicted in New York of conspiring to obstruct the course of justice, drew the same sentence as Forbes and Thompson; and his fellow defendant, T. B. Felder, was fined $10,000. It would be a great relief to the country if Means were safely behind the bars of the penitentiary.

GIACOMO DI MARTINO has been formally appointed Italian ambassador to the United States, and Prince Caetani, his predecessor, already has taken his departure from Washington. It is understood Martino will bring some concrete proposals for the settlement of Italy's war debt to America.

ONCE more the soviet rulers of Russia have made a great concession to the people. Premier Rykoff has announced the extension of amnesty to all those who during the civil war were identified with the anti-soviet armies of Deniken and Wrangell or who were connected with the counter-revolutionary movement. Rykoff said: "The past must be buried; we must lighten the labors of the people; we must forget all that occurred during the civil war; we must establish the electoral rights of the whole population."

TURKEY has expelled the patriarch of the Greek Catholic church from Constantinople and says other officials of that church will be sent out of the country. Greece is furious and talks of war, and officially proposes to lay the matter before the League of Nations. Turkey, however, maintains its action is not a violation of the treaty of Lausanne and is purely a domestic matter. There were riotous demonstrations in various Greek towns, and it was believed the affair would result in the fall of the cabinet.

ALBANIA seems to have settled down to peaceful conditions again, and Ahmed Zogu, the leader of the revolt that upset the government of Fan Nolli, has been elected president of the republic.

Belmont Fortune Said to Be Overestimated

New York.—Due partly to investment losses and partly to the establishment of trust funds in the later years of his life, the estate of the late August Belmont is not expected to net the beneficiaries more than $10,000,000, according to an estimate made by one of his close associates in the financial district.

This banker said that until the details of Mr. Belmont's security and other holdings become available nothing definite will be known, but the opinion prevails that early estimates, which ranged from $20,000,000 to $50,000,000, were too high.

One reason to account for the scaling down of the aggregate of the estate, according to opinion, is the belief that Mr. Belmont distributed a considerable portion before his death by establishing trust funds for members of his family.

Just after his sudden death persons intimately associated with him stood sponsor for estimates of his holdings that ranged from two to four times the sum now mentioned. So confident were they that he was a man of many millions that when his will was filed there was some comment on the fact that there were no public benefactions and no very great provision for the widow. The latter fact was not interpreted as a sign that the Belmont fortune had shrunk, but rather was taken to mean that the financier had made ample antemortem provisions for his wife.

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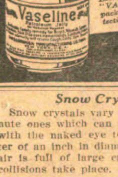

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Michigan Happenings

Claiming that it had been forced to pay $10,077 in excess of the proper amount of its county taxes, the Packard Motor Car company filed suit against Wayne county for the recovery of that amount. In its bill the company declares that its taxable property amounts to $3,273,145 and that its non-taxable property is valued at $10,784,116. It is further explained that the liabilities of the company equal its non-taxable property, but that the assessors, in arriving at the amount upon which the company was to pay tax ignored these facts.

The State of Michigan's second receivership action against the House of David colony at Benton Harbor has been dismissed in Circuit Court at St. Joseph. It was stipulated, however, that the state may file an amended bill of complaint within 15 days. The courts action was based on the assertion that the suit was identical with the first action, dismissed a few weeks ago, outlawed, it was ruled by the statute of limitations. The court's action was taken upon motion of counsel for the defense.

An order authorizing discontinuance of regular freight and passenger service on the River branch line of the Manistee & North Eastern Railroad, but demanding that the company run without sufficient trains to move forest, farm and other products in the territory served by the company, has been issued by the State Public Utilities Commission.

Six charter amendments will be voted upon by Ypsilanti electors at the spring election in April. The first would increase the bonding limit for the paving fund from 2 to 4 per cent of the assessed valuation of the city. The other five amendments would abolish the ward funds and establish one highway fund for the entire city.

Officials of the Ann Arbor Railroad, with motion picture producers from New York, were aboard car ferries No. 4 and No. 5 when in tandem formation they entered the ice at Sherwood point out on Green Bay to break up the windrow formations which have been a menace to navigation to Menominee all this winter.

Four townships in Oakland county will hold their centennial celebrations of settlement this year, it was made known with the announcement of February 24 as the date for the annual meeting of the Oakland County Pioneer and Historical society. The four townships are Novi, Commerce, Oakland and Orion.

Kalamazoo's zoning ordinance, recently passed after a 10 year campaign, has gone into effect. The ordinance divides the city into five districts, graded from those areas in which factory building is permissible to those sections reserved entirely for residential purposes.

Macomb county authorities are of the opinion that the motorist who said that he was the only witness of the accident in which Laura Maher, 20 years old, of Roseville, was run down and killed is the actual driver of the car which killed her. Police are now searching for him.

In accordance with the policy inaugurated last year the city park commission of Ypsilanti will set out 200 trees this spring to replace dangerous ones which have been cut during the winter, and to furnish shade along the new streets which are being laid out.

A petition 33 feet in length and containing more names than any ever presented to the city council has been received by Ann Arbor officials in the interest of the curb market. The petition attacked a recent request that the market be abolished.

Construction for five new buildings entailing an expenditure of more than $3,000,000 for the University of Michigan awaits the passage of the appropriation requested by university officials of the state legislature, it was announced.

At a special election the township and town of Ida voted 164 to 4, to grant the Detroit Edison Co. a 30-year franchise to string wires and furnish power and current.

Funds totaling close to $300,000 to maintain five professorships have been announced in the financial report of the University of Michigan just issued.

The Charlotte city council has adopted an extensive paving program, having voted to pave 16 blocks during the coming summer.

Henry Ford is going into the flax growing industry extensively, according to M. Hannifam, one of his representatives, who was in Owosso vicinity and signed up considerable acreage near Ovid.

Following a written opinion, filed in circuit court at Grand Rapids, a few weeks ago by the special tribunal which ordered the disbarment of Attorney Eugene Carpenter, 80 years old, a member of the bar for 54 years, the formal disbarment has been filed.

Secretary of State Charles J. DeLand has notified 425 wholesalers of gasoline in Michigan that they must report Feb. 20 amounts of all gasoline sold in state since Jan. 29, when the gasoline tax law became effective, and pay to the state two cents a gallon tax.

The city council has voted unanimously to prohibit the use of wooden shingles in a restricted fire area comprising the more closely populated districts of Cheboygan.

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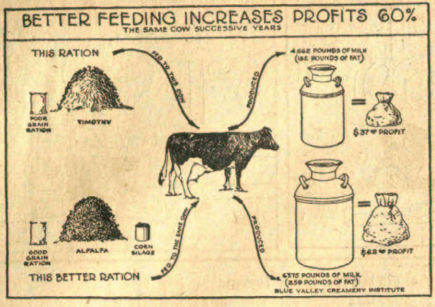


BLUE VALLEY CREAMERY INSTITUTE

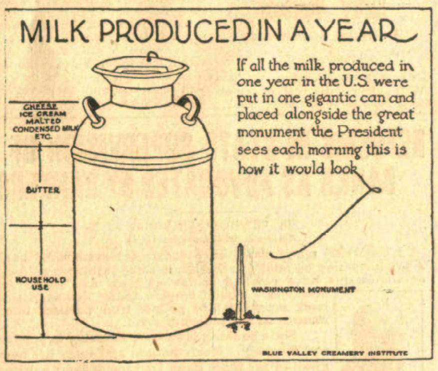
OVER $500,000,000 extra profit can be made each year by dairy farmers through the employment of better feeding methods. This would mean a saving of about $111 for each of the four and a half million dairy farmers of the United States, according to the Blue Valley Creamery institute. The truth of this experiment is borne out by a feeding experiment carried on during the past year by the University of Minnesota.

Over a year ago the dairy division of the university purchased four average cows for which records were available of feed received, and of milk and fat produced, covering two years for each cow. The cows received good care on the farm of the original owner but were not on a scientific feeding ration. The university immediately placed the cows on a feeding ration suitable for their needs. Within a year production per cow had increased 36.7 per cent.

On the farm of the original owner the cows produced on the average of 4,662 pounds of milk containing 182 pounds of fat, the products per cow amounting to around $87.36. The feed cost totaled $49.46, leaving a profit of $37.90. At the university farm the average production was 6,375 pounds of milk, containing 259 pounds of butter fat and valued at $124.32. The average feeding cost per cow was $61.42, an increase of 24 per cent, leaving a profit per cow of $62.90. The returns over feed cost per cow gained 60 per cent over those of the two previous years.

On the owner's farm the cows were on pasture six months of the year and were fed timothy hay for roughage, plus five pounds per day of a grain mixture made up of 90 parts bran, 80 parts middling, 18 parts molasses feed, and 4 parts oilmeal. At the university farm the cows were on pasture 5 months of the year. They were fed corn silage and alfalfa hay as roughage, plus a grain ration, according to production, made up of oats, 2 parts, corn, 1 part, and barley, 1 part.

At the most, not more than 5,000,000 dairy cows are on proper feeding rations, the Creamery institute believes. There are at least 20,000,000 average cows in the United States, they say, from which an added profit of $25 per year could be had by proper feeding.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IF ALL the milk in the United States last year was put into one gigantic can a thousand feet in diameter, it would reach almost half a mile into the clouds, being more than four times the height of the Washington monument at the national capital, according to the Blue Valley Creamery institute. The can would tower 2,009 feet in height, while the Washington monument is only 500 feet high.

Into the American milk can annually goes 11,925,252,441 gallons of white gold, valued at $2,566,000,000, the daily milkings of 24,675,000 cows. If the can was emptied, it would make a river five feet deep and twenty feet wide, extending 3,775 miles in length.

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Ray is Boon To Physicians

What is expected to afford considerable aid to physicians and surgeons in the future is the invention recently perfected in the physics department of the University of Michigan. The "micro-ammeter" which will measure the degree of intensity of X-rays being used on patients, was recently given to the world by Roy Kegerreis, an instructor in the physics department.

The uncertainty coincident with the use of the X-ray, which doctors are experiencing today will be entirely abolished, according to Mr. Kegerreis. The instrument is already in use by several physicians and surgeons. Mr. Kegerreis has demonstrated the use of the "micro ammeter" before the Radiological Society of America, which convened recently in Kansas City, Missouri.

Deny U of M Mining Lands Worth $10,000,000

Denial of recently published statements that University of Michigan mining lands in Algoma, Ontario, are "worth $10,000,000 has been made by university administrative officials. A thorough check on the valuation of all university property is kept, it was asserted, and no such purported valuation has been made known to the Board of Regents.

The land, which is a part of the Garden River Indian reserve, was given to the University on March 25, 1905, by George N. Brady of Detroit, and Thomas Whittier of Saginaw. who were associated with the late Senator Thomas W. Palmer. These men owned a controlling interest in the land syndicate that originally acquired the property and they, seeing no prospect of working the land during their generation, gave it to the University.

New Equipment Gives Michigan Lead In Astronomy

Students of astronomy at the University of Michigan are viewing with considerable interest the plans which are being considered for the improvement of means for the study of this important science The old observatory, which even now is known about the world, is to be deserted and the two huge telescopes will be moved to the top floor of the new Literary building.

Provisions have been made for the erection of two domes on the top of the new structure, and plans are being put forward for the manufacture of two 12 inch telescopes for the use of students of astronomy. In the opinion of Prof. W. J. Hussey, director of the observatory, Michigan will rank second to none among the institutions furnishing accomodations for the study of the science of astronomy, following the completion of the contemplated improvements.

It is Prof. Hussey, who is also the father of the idea to construct a more complete astro-physical observatory some distance outside the city of Ann Arbor. Plans for the building are being considered, the purpose being to provide a location where the city lights will not interfere with the observations made near the plane of the horizon

The proposed structure would be practically for the exclusive use of the faculty of the department, and would house 37 inch and 23 inch refracting telescopes, a meridian circle and the numerous other instruments essential to the study of astronomy.

Good Weather Marks Farm Week Meetings

The weather man chose to deal leniently with visitors at M. A. C.'s annual Farmers Week this year, serving up bright, sunny days most of the week. As a result, what is estimated as the largest crowd in the history of the big winter conference at East Lansing gathered for the various meetings from Feb. 2 to 6.

From Monday noon, when the first of the associations began group meetings, until Friday, when the Farm Bureau and the Michigan Press Association lingered over for the final chapter, the week was full of events of interest.

With more than 30 association meetings, a half dozen special exhibits buildings, daily afternoon and evening programs of general interest to the whole list of guests and various special entertainment features sandwiched in between, the Farmers Week list of events proved too complex to permit of complete recounting.

No one visitor could take in more than a small percentage of the activities scheduled. It was a case of "pick and choose", with plenty of variety on the bill of fare.

Among the many prominent speakers who addressed the general meetings were: Dr. Williams Evans, health editor, Chicago Tribune; Hon. John C. Ketchum; Bishop Francis J. McConnell; S. Parkes Cadman, of New York; Huston Thompson, chairman Federal Trade Commission; President Kenyon L. Butterfield, of M. A. C.; L. Whitney Watkins and Mrs. Dora Stockman, state board of agriculture, any many others.

Community development proved a central theme for many of the addresses, the idea of family life settlement in the rural districts standing out throngh most of the general meetings.

S. Glenn Young Master of Herrin

The Advocate came out the week of January 30th with a writeup of the murdering affair at Herrin Illinois wherein four men offered up their lives as a tribute to the feuds which have been running there for some time since the shooting of a few miners who were most shamefully disposed of. In our article we made several typographical errors and also omitted some things which we meant to say. In speaking of S. Glenn Young we referred to him as a notorious "bootlegger" whereas we meant to say he was the undoing of notorious bootleggers. Some people here have mentioned the oversight to us and in view of it we decided the K. K. K. deserved an apology for the blunder.

We find upon investigation that Mr. Young was the most thoroughly red blooded American ever behind an official badge. He was interviewed while lying in bed after one shooting affray at Herrin with the opposing faction in which he was wounded and his young wife lost her eyesight following the incident. Mr. Young was born in Dodge City Kansas when that country was a part of the wild and woolly west. His father put him through high school and that was the end of his educational career as regards himself but the beginning of his tutoring the semi savages of the west who were booze toters and law breakers generally. He grew up under the eye of Bill Cody(Buffalo Bill) and Bill Hickok became an officer, and so well did he function that at the age of 21 years he landed in Kentucky as a deputy marshal and made a practice of going into the mountains single handed and always returning with his man. The natives of the region were a grizzly set and desperate to a finish but that made no difference to Young. He had been working this sort of racket for several years when he was sent to Illinois by the prohibition enforcement department. He had made himself a fearless Juggernaut to the law breakers. When Glenn Young was in authority it was useless for them to try to escape. His history begins at bloody Herrin just after the shooting affray of July 22, 1922 wherein twenty two Non union men were butchered by the followers of the Union Labor party. When Young came to blood cursed Herrin, law and order had flown out and rebellion and general disregard of decency were the rule.

Mr. Young made this statement:

"I worked in the Blue Ridge Mountains for sixteen years and came to know them like a book. I knew most of the inhabitants and knew they were illicit distillers but I generally had their respect. We fell on Herrin in the night. We raided the dives and in one night arrested 150 men. During the next two weeks we rounded up 500 prisoners. We tried most of them and convictions followed."

Whatever may be said of S. Glenn Young he was a man to be feared and in him the state rested her case. A man absolutely without fear he went about his duties as cheerfully as though he were celebrating July 4th. and it is likely that never again will the prohibition party get an officer of his stripe. He was known as the liquor raider. The bitterest trial of his life probably was to think his pretty young wife must suffer the consequences and go through life stone blind from the shots of a desperate thug or booze fighter. No doubt Mrs. Young will be well taken care of by the government in remembrance of the great work performed by her late husband. Young was asked if the prohibition laws were responsible for so much evasion He replied:

"Nothing to it." The answer was prompt. "Long before we had prohibition I was noticing the low attitude people were assuming toward law, all law. Kansas was dry when I was a boy, and had no capitol punishment. Everybody knows about Kansas' fine record.

"Prohibition laws are trifled with in a country that is dry by instinct. Why? There are two reasons, and the second springs from the first. Ninety percent of the field jobs are political; too mauy of the outside men are petty grafters and cowards, and picked not for fitness but for the votes they can drum up. The place to enforce any law is right where it is being broken.

"You can't do it in Washington with clerks writing reports. Men won't take that sort of thing seriously. It arouses contempt and a disposition on the part of men whom you would call honest to shield lawbreakers. Prohibition ought to be enforced to the letter, regardless of cost. Dry up the country and you will dry up crime. Keep liquor away from the present generation, and the next generation won't know the taste of it. That's old stuff, but it's true.

"But the big thing is to enforce all law. You can't do it unless you bring back old time respect for the man behind the badge. You can't do that unless he is entitled to respect."

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Hillsdale, In Chancery,
Doa Truitt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jane Truitt, Defendant

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Hillsdale in Chancery, at Hillsdale, on the 3rd day of January, 1925.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Jane Truitt, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Defiance in the state of Ohio, on motion of John F. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Jane Truitt appear or cause her appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance, that she cause an answer to plaintiffs bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney, within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed, by the said non resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days, the said plaintiff, cause a notice of this order to be published in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

John F. Steward, Guy M. Chester.
Attorney for Plaintiff Circuit Judge
Business address, Addison, Mich,
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Clerk of the Court.
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65, which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the fore going amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north - east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods. thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.
Farmers & Merchants' Bank
Foster, Fisher & Co., a Co partnership, Assignee for Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee
Hudson, Mich, 29t13

Weekly Press Men Hold Annual Meet

The Michigan Press Association organization of weekly newspaper publishers of the state, held its annual meeting at East Lansing Feb. 5, 6 and 7, with the largest attendance in the history of the organization. One hundred editors of leading town papers, scattered all over Michigan, gathered for the conference.

Outstanding on a program full of interesting and useful addresses were talks given by Fred W. Anderson "Miracle Merchant" of Cozad, Nebraska; and Ole Buck, Field Director, Nebraska Press Association. These men, appearing on the afternoon and evening sessions Friday, loaded the newspaper men with live tips on merchandising in general and running a home town newspaper in particular.

Officers of the Press Association who had served during the past year were all unanimously re-elected for the 1925-26 period. David Hubbell, Crosswell Jeffersonian, president; Schuyler Marshall, Clinton County Republican News, St. Johns, vice-president: Herbert A. Wood, Bangor Advance, treasurer; and Len W. Feighner, Nashville News, field director, constitute the list of executive officers.

Preliminary steps leading to a more definite form of organization of Michigan weekly home town papers, under the Press Association, were taken at the meeting. A full time field secretary to aid in developing a powerful state wide unit was proposed.

Obligations and opportunities of the home town paper as a community leader and community builder were stressed in all of the sessions of the conference, along with the more technical side of newspaper building.

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YOUNG FARMER PLEADS GUILTY

STATE DETECTIVE UNCOVERS CONCLUSIVE PROOF OF MURDER OF WIFE

When Ralph Lindsley, a young farmer of St. Joseph county, pleaded guilty in circuit court to the murder of his wife, he admitted the facts which had been disclosed by unusual detective work.

One morning Lindsley drove into Sturgis and reported to the chief of police that Mrs. Lindsley had committed suicide by shooting herself. The coroner and other officials found the woman's body lying in a pool of blood, with a bullet wound in the forehead, and a revolver lying close by.

H. Erickson of the state Bureau of Identification was sent for and took a complete set of photographs, also taking the finger-prints found upon the revolver barrel. Lieutenant John S. Palmer, in charge of the criminal investigation bureau of the Department of Public Safety then took the case.

Tests were made with the revolver which showed that the woman could not have shot herself, inasmuch as powder burns were lacking which would have occurred if she had held the gun.

In seeking a clue to the motive for the killing, Lieutenant Palmer learned that Lindsley had been attentive to a young married woman of the neighborhood. Search was made and the fragments of a 16-page letter, which had been read and torn up and the pieces thrown away, were gathered. It took a day and a night to put the letter together and then the motive was plain.

Lindsley had planned to get rid of his wife and also of the other woman's husband, it appeared.

Finger prints of the revolver and measurements showing the direction of the bullet and approximate fixing of the height fro mwhich it was fired were other details entering into the case.

Finally, the burden of evidence being too strong to be overcome, Lindsley came into court and pleaded guilty. He is now serving his sentence in Jackson prison.

MICHIGAN HAS NAVY ON DETROIT RIVER

Commissioner Harry H. Jackson of the Department of Public Safety might now add the title of "admiral" to his name. He is in command of a fleet of four armed speed boats which are now plying the border waters between Ontario and Michigan. Their mission is to do away with the smuggling, principally of liquor, which has been such a heavy traffic in the narrow waters.

Inasmuch as Ecorse, in Wayne county, has been the receiving point for a very large share of the liquor slipped across the border, it will receive particular attention from the fleet both by day and by night.

Several smuggling vessels were picked up in the first week of operations of the fleet.

KNOCK A WHOLE ROW OF MAIL BOXES DOWN

A dozen rural mail boxes at the roadside near Memphis, Macomb County, were found knocked down one morning. Sergeant Frank Walker of the St. Clair detachment of the State Police found an automobile hub cap nearby. He searched the garages in Memphis until he found a car with a bent radiator and missing cap. Orville Kinsey was the owner and he pleaded guilty to destroying property and paid a fine of $50.

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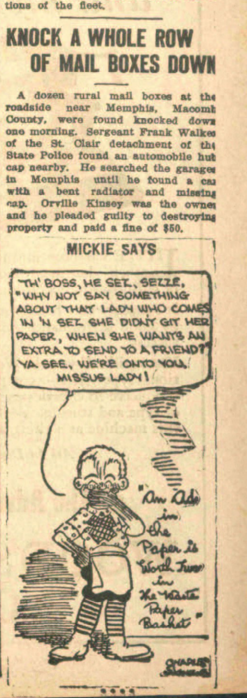
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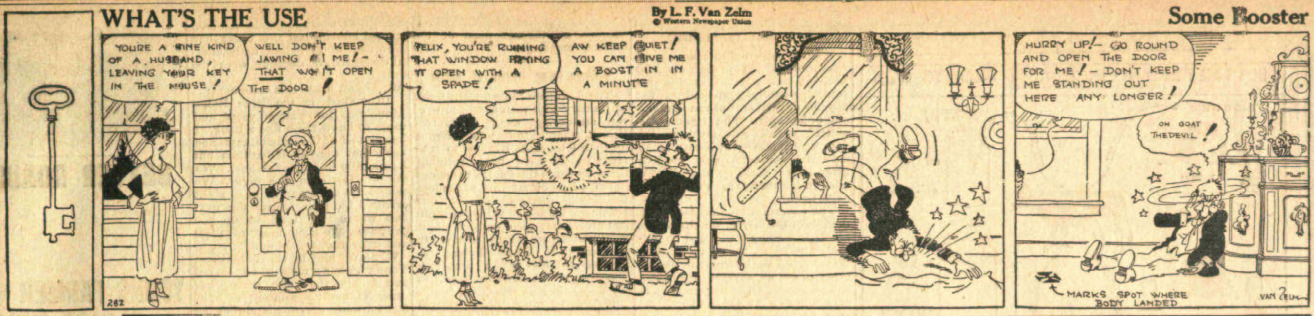
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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Religion in the Home

We rejoice in the spread of the Family Altar in the homes of America. It is doing a great and blessed work—one that is worthy of a welcome in every home in our land. Religion in the homes means not only the spiritual uplift of parents and children; it is one of the most direct and assured means of making the rising generation God-fearing and Christ-loving men and women, fit to take their proper place as Christian citizens of a great nation.

Sometime ago President Coolidge wrote this memorable sentence:

"It is not in brilliant conceptions and strokes of genius that we shall find the chief reliance of our country, but in the Home, in the School and in Religion.

The President was absolutely right! Had he written a hundred pages, he could not have stated this one vital truth any better than he did in this single sentence. It should be framed and set up in every church, and public school, and in all the homes of America.

More than ten years have passed since the Christian Herald began the publication of the Daily Meditation. This was the forerunner of the Family Altar, with its little Home Service modelled on a pattern so simple that it could readily be introduced in any home. Its growth has far exceeded our anticipations. Today—in all States—in cities, towns, villages and hamlets—The Family Altar is doing its hallowed work, and its numbers are constantly increasing. Pastors of practically every denomination are rallying to its support, and religious organizations are giving it the strongest possible advocacy. In a little folder just issued by the Layman's League of Pennsylvania (headquarters in Philadelphia) we find a warm advocacy of the Home Service: "A Family Altar in your Home," it declares, "will largely determine the eternal salvation of your children. A Family Altar in your Home will send you forth to your daily tasks with a cheerful heart, stronger for work, truer to duty, and more determined to glorify God."

At this critical time, when the problem of placing the rising generation upon a solid religious foundation is demanding nation wide attention, there is no crusade so full of spiritual promise for the churches as that to set up the Family Altar, not only in the homes of church members themselves, but wherever the influence of their example can reach.

There is no other feature in the field of religious effort today of equal importance with this. The Christian Herald believes that untold blessing awaits all who aid in kindling the spirit of Christian worship in the hearts and homes of our people, and especially in wining the young.

More Latitude

Some of our highly polished "intellectuals" maintain that the young people should have a wider latitude in which to express themselves In a few cases only this might be true but in the vast majority of instances it would be a curse to humanity.

A few months ago we were at a home not a hundred miles from North Adams where the father is rated as a mighty "good fellow" a member of several lodges, and the mother is a social bud—that is, she has budded and blossomed out as a club leader, works at church work a lot, and attends most of the Ladies' Aid meetings, and we noted the extreme latitude of the children in that family. Pa and Ma just simply had to go back and sit down for "Johnnie" aged 14, apparently the spokesman of the entire family. For instance something was said about rounding up the 4th of July celebrators who are in the festive habit of exploding firecrackers and torpedoes in close proximity to aged and infirm persons just to see them "jump" and going after the hunters who prey upon quail and rabbits out of season. Johnnie put in his remarks quite fluently to the effect that all young people were being boycotted in a terribly trying way. They couldn't do this and they couldn't do that without being booted and cuffed about, and as for him he was going to have a lot of fun next 4th whether the law said so or not, to all of which his Ma very cleverly assented. It was easy to see that Johnnie was a spoiled lad—in fact badly decomposed in his ideas. He had his own particular way in everything, and woe be unto the teachers in school or the demagog who would interfere—both Pa and Ma rose on their hind legs and said "nix." We harked back a year or two when the boy clashed with his teachers in High School because he would chew gum in sessions and leave the room just before class period, whence he never returned promptly. Result—several severe punishments and final dismissal from school. Pa was too busy to interfere and Ma thought her son far too cute to need such discipline

In the same family, Jane, aged 18, also suffered from too narrow latitude. She began with Ma's knowledge and consent, at the ripe age of 13, to entertain beaus, and so at 18 years she was simply a gum-chewing, bobbed flapper well versed in the arts and sciences, an expert vamp and disgustingly rude. Pa had several times objected to Jane attending dances with various pick-ups, not her age, and decidedly risque. Ma remembered her own escapades and warned her daughter 'only to be careful." Under the circumstances even a blind person could see that the extremely small latitude was killing Jane.

She was not an own daughter but had been adopted by the doting foster parents and her every desire's gratification was their hobby. If she wanted another silk dress, she got it. Jewelry she was simply burdened with. As to real housekeeping Jane knew not how to "boil water" at least she had never been allowed to try, as Ma always contended work was bad enough for those who had to do it and Jane should not be introduced to such menial tasks as dish-washing, sweeping and the like.

Well, matters kept progressing backward for Jane, because her latitude and longitude weren't broad enough, doncher know!

One evening she accepted the company of a young man slightly older than herself to a dance in a neighboring village. The dance was not what you would call exclusive. Most of the cement workers from a nearby plant drifted in together with a bunch of beet weeders and all kinds of steps were indulged in. At 2:00 a. m. in the morning after dancing every set but one, the entire evening, Jane and her beau set out for home in a big touring car, accompanied by one other couple. Although in June and quite warm, the side curtains were on and most of the time they drove without lights, as the moon was up. After going two miles the girls suggested it would be grand sport to visit a road house a few miles the other side of X——— and show the natives a real time.

They turned the car and went to the road house a place where liquor could be obtained. And to make a long story short the entire party left the road house at a little before daylight much the worse for liquor. The girls had smoked a few cigarettes "just for fun" and there was a flask or two of the vile concoction in the car. Driving at forty miles per hour without lights they met a mounted patrol of state police not far from home. Of course the officer wanted to know why a big car was driving at that time in the morning without lights. Result the entire party arrested and considerable litigation required to explain it all away. After that Ma was skeptical about Jane's latitude and one day ventured to remark that such doings for a young girl were scandalous. This caused the foster daughter to fly completely off the handle and the language she indulged in because her latitude was threatened, would have shocked a horse thief. At present the daughter is growing quite popular, Johnnie is trying his hand at seven up with the boys, and if we mistake not his latitude will be well rounded out in the course of a year or so—that is if he remains out of the penitentiary.

The foregoing is absolutely true as far as the happenings are concerned, except that "Jane" isn't Jane at all. and "Johnnie" might be George or Frank or Pete, but he's none of these. It is possible with a little trimming, and some changing to fit Jane and Johnnie's characteristics over people nearer home but we are a little fearful the story might prove irksome.

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More than forty one thousand employees of the New York Central Lines in twelve States and two Canadian Provinces have become stockholders in the New York Central Railroad Company as a result a a special offering of the company's stock.

President P. E. Crowley today announced that subscriptions had been received for 96,900 shares of stock, having a par value of $9,690,000. The offering of 35,000 shares was oversubscribed 176 per cent.

In view of this heavy oversubscription, the Company has increased the amount of stock available for allotment to 68,747 shares All subscriptions for one and two shares will be filled; subscribers for three or four shares will receive two shares; five to eight share subscribers will be alloted three; nine to twelve share subscribers, four; thirteen to sixteen share subscribers, five; and seventeen to twenty share subscribers will be alloted six shares.

New York Central had 36,500 stockholders prior to this offering of shares to the employees. There will now be about 78,000 stockholders, more than twice the former number. About one-fourth of the total number of employees in service have subscribed. The total number of investors in securities of all the Lines is increased to 170,000. Central Terminal men all over the system. Engineers of the overnight limiteds, trainmen on the way freights, machinists in the car and locomotive shops, station agents in country towns, the men in the signal towers, crossing watch men, the crews of the harbor fleets station "red caps", dining car waiters, trackless, laborers, clerks and executive officers—men in all ranks along the 12,000 miles of lines took advantage of the opportunity to subscribe for stock.

From the different roads in the New York Central System the number of individual subscriptions was as follows: New York Central; 23,689; Big Four, 8,821; Michigan Central, 3,624; Indiana Harbor Belt, 1,919; Chicago Junction Railway, 1,472; Pittsburgh and Lake Erie, 1,234; Boston and Albany, 811.

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REFORMS IN STATE SUPERVISION OF BANKS AS ADVOCATED BY BANKERS

By FRANK W. SIMMONDS
American Bankers Association

ALTHOUGH many states have unexcelled systems of bank supervision by public authority, in some instances political entanglements have resulted in lax methods and dangerous practices. Public opinion today demands that bank supervision be as free from partisan interference as the judiciary itself.

Frank W. Simmonds

State banking laws are increasing in number and diversity. Much thought and study has been given by the State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association to uniformly efficient supervision. It is on record as urging that the office of Bank Commissioner be freed from entangling politics and divorced from all other functions of state government; that the tenure of office be made more secure and lasting, with sufficient compensation and discretionary power to attract men of outstanding executive ability and successful banking experience, and that bank examiners be selected from those having the requisite qualifications.

A careful study and survey of state bank supervision has been made with the cooperation of State Bank Commissioners and state bankers to bring out the high lights of successful supervision, and at the same time indicate remediable weaknesses, as the basis for formulating a model code of law dealing with bank supervision, and also for developing public opinion in favor of its general adoption.

This survey shows that in forty-one states Bank Commissioners are appointed by the governors and generally hold office "during their pleasure." In two states they are chosen by popular election, in others they are chosen by a banking board, but in only a few is the advice of organized banking considered. In Mississippi the selection is made by a convention of delegates from the state chartered banks.

Long Terms Make Bureaucrats

The term of office was found to range from two years to six. The majority of recommendations favor a five-year term, reasoning that a long term of life tenure tended toward bureaucracy in office, while a short term was condemned on the grounds that the Bank Commissioner would scarcely have time to become thoroughly conversant with his field of work before the expiration of his term of service and the public would lose the fruits of his experience. A five year term is long enough to permit his rendering useful service through capitalizing his experience and then if he is found capable the chances of his reappointment would be strong.

It was found that duties other than bank supervision are frequently imposed on the banking department, ranging from insurance matters to irrigation projects and even state hail insurance. The almost unanimous expression of opinion is that the position of bank commissioner is a task of such outstanding importance as to demand that he devote all his time and attention strictly to problems of bank supervision and regulation.

Some states impose no statutory qualifications whatever for Bank Commissioner. A number merely require that he have nominal qualifications, in many cases purely negative. Only twenty states require actual banking experience varying from one to five years.

Powers of Bank Commissioners

In the majority of states, the Bank Commissioner is given more or less power to approve or deny applications for charters of state banks. Clearly this authority should be exercised chiefly with a view to supplying each community with safe, adequate banking facilities. Hence the importance of carefully weighing all factors involved such as the character and responsibility of the organizers and the community's needs for banking facilities. In the very nature of things no one is so well qualified to pass on charter questions as the Bank Commissioner. Comments from all states favor granting the banking department large if not absolute jurisdiction in granting bank charters.

A number of states now confer more or less complete authority on the state banking department to act as receiver in liquidating failed banks, usually providing that the Bank Commissioner must file a report with the court for approval. In other states the court names a receiver and the Bank Commissioner thereafter has no jurisdiction or authority. The almost unanimous opinion of bankers and the Bank Commissioners is that authority should be placed in the banking department as it permits the employment of experienced bank administrators in winding up the affairs of a bank, is more expedient, economical and altogether more satisfactory.

Changes Needed

The consensus as to changes needed to strengthen the work of the state banking departments is summarized in the following recommendations:

1. Provide adequate salaries.
2. Give Bank Commissioner large discretionary power in granting charters and enforcing bank regulations.
3. Remove the office from partisan politics by providing for election or nomination of the Commissioners by the bankers.
4. Provide for a sufficient number of examiners, with adequate pay, and free their appointment from politics.
5. Give the Banking Department full authority to act as receiver in the case of failed banks.
6. Make Bank Commissioners' terms five years.
7. Make requirements for Bank Commissioner eligibility not less than five years of successful banking experience and well recognized executive ability.

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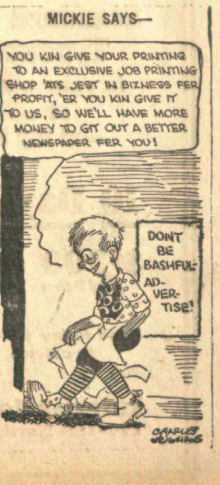
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New York Telephones Kept Reasonably Busy

The statement that New York city has more telephones than the whole of [illegible] Britain conveys a vivid pictu[illegible] the number of instruments there must be in the city. Many people, especially foreigners unused to the telephone as a daily necess[illegible] may have wondered to what exte[illegible] large number of telephones, [illegible] a million, are used, says [illegible] Service.

A recent statement by H. A. Trax, chief accountant of the New York Telephone company, throws some light on the question. During the year 1923 an average of more than 18,570 toll or long-distance calls every day kept New Yorkers in close touch with the rest of the country, while at the present time the total number of calls, local and long distance, in the city averages 6,200,000 every day. In other words, every telephone in New York city is used on an average about five times every day.

No Chance for Both

"You look tired this morning," said the head bookkeeper to one of his clerks. "Don't you sleep well?"

"No. The pal I share my room with and I suffer from alternate insomnia!"

"Alternate insomnia! What is that "

"Whichever gets to sleep first keeps the other awake all night."—Stray Stories.

Skull Shows Skill of Indian Surgeon

Evidence that skull surgery was successfully practiced by prehistoric people in Michigan has been presented to the American Association for the Advancement of Science by Prof. E. F. Greenman of the University of Michigan. Pointing out that Michigan has been greatly neglected as a field for archeological investigation, he said:

"In Alpena county, Michigan, several trephined skulls, that is, skulls into which holes were drilled during the life of the patient, have been reported. One of them is in the University of Michigan museum and careful examination of anatomists of repute shows that a healing had begun after the operation and therefore the area of the practice of skull trephining must be extended far beyond Mexico."

Come and See

Young Husband—We are just at my house; will you come in and have a bit of dinner?

Friend (hesitatingly) — But your wife—

Young Husband—Oh, it's all right! If her cooking is a success, she will be pleased to have another eat it, and if it's a failure—I shall!—London Weekly Telegraph.

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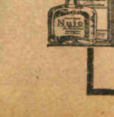

The Truant Soul

By Victor Rousseau

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MYERS

SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse. Without relatives or friends, and desperate, Joan, urged by her landlady, goes to Doctor Lancaster's office to ask him to overlook her blunder and reinstate her. She overhears a violent altercation between Doctor Lancaster and other men she does not see. Joan is struck by the favorable change in the appearance and demeanor of the doctor, recalling that at times in the hospital he has been gentle and thoughtful and at others supercilious and bullying. He tells her he can do nothing for her at the hospital, but offers her a position in a nursing institution in the country, telling her she can be of "great assistance" to him.

CHAPTER III—Continued

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"You're a fool! You don't know when you are well off. I tell you, I wash my hands of you. This is final—"

Joan could not help but hear. And as she emerged into the passage, all the time hearing the sounds of the quarreling voices, Myers came hurrying past.

He did not see her. He ran to the door, flung it open, and rushed down the steps into the street. As he went along the passage the girl saw him staring right and left; then, as she came out, he saw her and went toward her. She knew that it was she whom he had been seeking.

"What was it Doctor Lancaster was saying to you, Miss Wentworth, before I came in?" he asked in his rasping tone.

Joan stared at him in astonishment. Now she realized that she had mistaken him; he was not a servant, but apparently a member of the doctor's household.

"Will you let me pass, please?" asked Joan, as he blocked the way.

"I want to know what the doctor was saying to you," repeated the man doggedly.

"Are you going to refuse me passage?" demanded the girl, flushing with anger.

He stepped aside with a sneer and a mock bow. "O, very wel., if that's your attitude," he answered. "I shall find out."

Joan turned swiftly upon him. "I don't know who you are, but I shall complain of you to Doctor Lancaster," she said.

Myers looked at her and sneered and chuckled. Then, without a word, he went back into the doctor's room. And still the voices kept up their quarreling dialogue.

Joan found herself in the street in the twilight, and now the unreality of the absurd interview struck home to her. She tried to puzzle it out. Before she reached the boarding house she thought she had her clue.

That Lancaster, the terror of the nurses, should have been unable to promise immediate reinstatement, his evident good-will, his indecision and illness were explicable only in one way. The man Myers must be a relative, the third man perhaps a nephew. Lancaster had been supporting a worthless pair in idleness, and had turned on them in exasperation. That was the meaning of his look of illness, his preoccupation—the shock of some domestic discovery.

At any rate she was satisfied with some such solution. And she was certain that, if she pleased him with her mysterious mission, her reinstatement would follow. She went home happy, and Mrs. Webb read the news in her face the moment she opened the door.

"I knew it, my dear," she exclaimed with pleasure. "I knew that you could twist that old devil round your finger if you tried hard enough."

"Mrs. Webb, it was nothing of the kind," said Joan. "And Doctor Lancaster is one of the kindest of men. He's going to try to have his decision reversed, and—Mrs. Webb, he is sending me to a sanitarium, on a case, in the meantime."

She checked herself, suddenly remembering Lancaster's caution. But Mrs. Webb took the girl to her wide bosom and kissed her.

"You little humbug!" she said.

"Mrs. Webb," cried Joan, scandalized, "if you knew—"

But when she was upstairs she sat down suddenly and faced her conscience. What impression of herself had she given in the consulting room?

She did not know. This scene, like that of the morning, had become blurred in her memory, and time had begun to flow very fast after the slowness of her twenty-two years. Certainly stranger things had happened that day than at any time since her mother's death!

She leaned out of the window. She suddenly remembered that the institute was not many miles from her old home. It would be almost going home —and on the morrow. Joy leaped into her heart.

Then she saw something that for an instant chilled the blood in her veins. Across the street, leaning against the park railings and looking up at the house, was a short, square-built figure of a man wearing a hard hat. She could not distinguish the face, but she thought it was Myers. And she remembered his threat.

What did it mean? Bewildered, she turned into her room again. She half regretted now that she was to go to Lancaster.

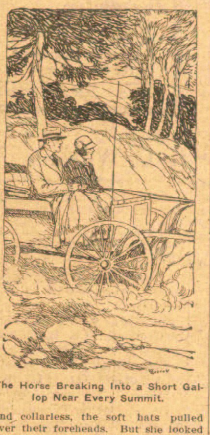
But in the morning she dismissed the incident from her mind as a fantasy.

Chapter IV

At half-past seven in the evening Joan descended from the train at Lancaster station, after an all-day ride.

It was like going home. Joan could not see her village, which was on a branch line, but at Medlington she was only four miles away. There were the same misty mountains, breaking the horizon line, the same small, straggling towns, the same fragrance of the deep forests, bringing back to her those remembrances which a chance odor suddenly unlooses, as at the touch of some magician's stave. The two years that she had spent at Avonmouth seemed to slip out of her recollection.

As the afternoon flew by the distant mountains changed into a semicircle of irregular heights. Now the train was climbing into the foothills. It was a lonely land. This was further in the back country than Joan had ever been. The villages were becoming mere clusters of negro cabins. There had been two changes of trains and each time the coach became shabbier and more disreputable, and more impregnated with tobacco smoke. The character of Joan's fellow travelers changed as well. They were uncouther, they wore chin beards and rough store suits; they sat perspiring and collarless, the soft hats pulled over their foreheads. But she looked at them with the loving appreciation of her own people that was in her heart, and they, in the presence of the pretty girl who was traveling alone, displayed the innate courtesy of the Southerner.



The Horse Breaking Into a Short Gallop Near Every Summit.

The sun descended; it was gilding the whole land with level rays of gold and dancing on the horizon like a red ball when the train pulled into Lancaster, the last station before Millville, the terminus. Joan got down and looked about her.

The station was a tiny place and seemed deserted. The booking office was closed. In the waiting room, appearing almost to fill it, was a stout negress with a dozen parcels; from the wicker sides of one two hens' heads with blinking eyes protruded. Outside a ramshackle buggy, with a lean chestnut horse attached, was drawn up to the edge of the muddy road.

A well-dressed young mountain boy in a hard-felt hat was standing beside it. As Joan came out of the station he turned toward her, took off his hat, and bowed.

"Miss Wentworth?" he inquired, in a well-bred tone.

"Yes. You are from the institute?"

"Yes, Miss Wentworth. Mrs. Fraser will be expecting you." He looked beyond her, and Joan, turning, perceived to her discomfiture the man Myers, in his hard hat. He must have traveled up in the train with her.

Myers came forward, taking off his hat grudgingly. "Miss Wentworth, I'm sorry if I annoyed you last night," he said. "I ought to have explained to you that I'm the secretary of the institution. I guess my manners ain't very good, but I meant no harm."

Joan, who had witnessed his presence with consternation, now felt a sudden reaction from her fears. Of course, Myers' explanation made the situation intelligible.

She bowed, and he turned to the boy. "You can take Miss Wentworth up," he said. "I'll find a buggy somewhere."

As there was only room for two in the buggy, Joan did not demur to the proposition. She stepped in, the young man holding out his hand to guard her dress from the wheel. Joan glanced at the man with momentary interest. He had the appearance of a gentleman, and the manners of one. There was no hint of either servility or presumption, and yet there was a sort of independence about the man which fitted him admirably. He flicked the horse, and the buggy began to crawl out of the station yard along the single street of a tiny village, straggling uphill. It was a white village, but clusters of shanties a little back among the pines betrayed the presence of the black element. There was a store or two, their fronts plastered with tobacco and baking powder advertisements, and in front of each stood a gaunt, yellow-faced hillman, chewing and gazing after the buggy with unanimated face.

"This is Lancaster?" asked Joan.

"Yes, Miss Wentworth."

"The people here look depressed."

"There's a good deal of sickness, Miss Wentworth. Hookworm, and what they used to call malaria. But there isn't any malaria here; it's bad diet—salt pork and soda biscuits. And there's pellagra; it's been here for generations, but it wasn't till last year that the medical commission discovered it."

The coachman's knowledge might have been ludicrous in most men of his class, but there was nothing ridiculous in the grave, refined face of the young mountaineer. He must have picked up some knowledge at the institute, thought Joan.

"But it's healthy up in the hills, Miss Wentworth," he added. "This village is Millville. They used to grow cotton in the valley over yonder, but the frost killed the crops three years ago, and the mill fell into ruin. Quite a little water power in that stream."

The buggy ascended a steeper grade, the horse breaking into a short gallop near every summit, and then resuming its leisurely crawl.

"That's the institute, Miss Wentworth," the coachman continued, pointing toward a straggling building on a little plateau. It had the appearance of a large but rather dilapidated farmhouse. "It's three miles by the road," he added, "but less than a mile over the hills."

The horse had stopped to gain breath again. Looking back, Joan saw a white line that crept upward over the rocky slopes almost direct from the station to the building. Half way up was a little speck of black that seemed to move. Joan knew it was Myers' hard hat, his body being hidden from view among the bushes. She shuddered slightly; the man was very repugnant to her.

The horse went on again, the road winding uphill through pastures gay with buttercups and white with little branched asters. It dipped between hedgerows pink with meadowsweet. The sun had set, but its light still gilded the hills. The scene was very peaceful. Now the institute seemed to swing out from among the undulations of the mountain flanks immediately in front of them.

The buggy came to a standstill before the long wooden building, which was of unshingled boards and very much the worse for weather. It had not been painted for years, and two windows in one wing were broken. A patch of weedy, unmown lawn extended between what had once been hedges, but were now mere tangles of undergrowth. Nearby was a large inclosure in which were a few chickens, picking for grains of corn, and a cow at pasture turned her head and gazed at them placidly.

The door opened and a pleasant-looking woman came forward.

"How do you do, Miss Wentworth," she said. "I am the matron, Mrs. Fraser. Doctor Lancaster telegraphed about your coming. I'll show you your room, and your supper will be ready in a few minutes."

Joan descended. The driver, who had leaped to the ground, held his hand over the wheel, but did not offer it to her. Then he re-entered the buggy, and, rather to Joan's surprise, drove off along the road by which they had ascended.

The mystery deepens, with Myers the secretary of the institution. Is Joan in for a disagreeable adventure?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Vision of Cookhouse Reads Like Gulliver

In Paul Bunyan's camp there was a great cookhouse with a kitchen like another Mammoth cave, and a dining hall wherein, under huge and lofty beams, the tables were ranged like the ranks of an army corps drawn up for parade on a plain. Here were served breakfasts of ham and eggs and hot cakes, and huge and incomparable Sunday dinners and the simpler weekday meals of which the coffee was most highly praised, writes James Stephens in the American Mercury.

Paul Bunyan invented a machine for the mixing of the hot-cake batter, so perfectly devised that paving contractors now employ small models of it for mixing cement. The range on which a battalion of cooks fried the hot cakes was greased by a ski champion from Norway, who skied to and from with sides of bacon strapped to his feet.

And that the men in the far end of the cookhouse might be served before the hot cakes cooled, the flunkies speeded on roller skates. It required a crew of 11 teamsters with teams and scrapers to keep the yard back of the cookhouse cleared of coffee grounds and egg shells.

Largest University

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Green's August Flower

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Gypsy Tongue in Print

The Gypsy language, which is not regarded as a written tongue, has been put into print for the first time this autumn for political-campaign purposes, says the New York World.

It is printed in Slavic characters, but most of the words are unintelligible to a Bulgarian or any other Slavic-speaking person. The political terms, however, are Slavic words.

An agrarian-campaign document, printed in the Romany language, points out that the late dictator, Stamboulisky, was anxious to enfranchise the entire Gypsy race, but the democratic union prevented the enfranchisement by putting an end to the Stamboulisky regime.

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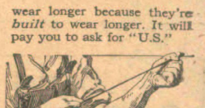

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jerome

Mrs. Martin VanTassel is seriously ill.

Jane Randolph is ill with chicken pox.

Thomas Brayton was in Albion Sunday.

Proceeds of the Community dinner Thursday were $16.00

Elmer Ward and Sherm Tower were in Jackson Thursday.

Robert Frantz and family were in North Adams Saturday.

Justice R. O. Sawdey was in Somerset Center Wednesday.

Charles Struble is improved but very weak, while Homer Marvin is still confined to the house.

George Lee and wife have gone to Blissfield where they will remain with relatives for several weeks.

There was a good attendance at church Sunday and Rev. Scott preached interestingly on "Lincoln the Christian." There will be no services at the local church next Sunday as Prof. Goodrich of Albion college will lecture on the "Holy Land" at the Somerset Center church at 11:30 a. m. and all local people are invited to be present at that time.

Whenever high school students develop into brilliant football, baseball or basket ball stars the newspapers at once make note of the fact. But whenever students display extraordinary abilities in deportment, the press rarely reports the matter to their readers, and as a result parents often wonder concerning the conduct of the young folks in public. Sometime ago a woman put a question to us as follows: "What do you think of my daughter and what do the boys say about her?" In reply, we said very little but if the public wishes to know what the boys are thinking we shall gratify its curiosity by saying that during the past few months, at least half a dozen high school boys have put themselves out of the way to inform us that Hilda Sawdey of the local high school was an ideal sort of person. This was interesting for we have been around school buildings most of the time since seven years of age and in the course of that time had never heard so many boys express such nice ideas about one single girl in such a brief space of time therefore we bribed the boys to tell the public why they thought as they did and here are some of the things they said "She is a perfect lady." "She doesn't use barn paint." "She doesn't stay out all night with the boys." "You have to act like a gentleman in her presence." Now, we would like to meet a certain college professor and tell him that he is off his trolley when he declares that the modern boys have no admiration for the girls who understand what modesty means.

Town Line

Mr. Oberlander and Eugene Culbert have an auction Feb. 18.

Mrs. Fred Giddings visited her daughter Gale at Detroit last week.

Forest Fry and wife spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fast.

Howard Wells is talking of taking the phone owned by Orlando Westcott.

Mrs. Gurn Baker attended the Womans club in North Adams last Thursday.

Orlando Westcott and wife of Addison were guests last week of Eugene Culbert and wife.

Ray Fast has bought the Phone and line right that was formerly owned by the late Mrs. Mary Culbert.

R. Horton and wife spent a few days at the parental home returned to Blissfield Tuesday last, Little Frances Horton went with them for a visit.

Mrs. Joseph Beecher is feeling better. Mr. Beecher is poorly. Mrs. Morgan of Moscow only stayed with them two weeks. Thelma Horton goes to school but stays with them nights.

John Horton who had the misfortune to have 3 of his fingers on the left hand nearly cut off buzzing wood recently is getting along nicely. he had the stitches taken out last Wednesday.

Mrs. John Sommers pleasantly entertained the Somerset and Wheatland Womans club last Thursday afternoon. Patriotic Day. anecdotes of Lincoln were given at the roll call. Ice cream and wafers was served by the hostess.

Edward Darlington and wife of California visited their cousin Mrs. Belle Jennings and family also the family of John Iveson Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. They spent a year with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dillon of Hudson and this Tuesday returned to their home.

Somerset Centre

J. P. Churchfield is on the sick list.

Don Rutan and wife were in Jackson Sunday evening.

C. C. Parker of Albion spent Saturday afternoon with his brother John Parker.

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Earl Rutan and wife were in Jonesville and Hillsdale Friday.

Ray Tuckerman and wife spent Sunday with Tom Tuckerman and wife.

Charles Lent and daughter Helen spent Saturday with Carl Lent and family.

Mrs. Sarah VanCamp who has been seriously ill is somewhat improved.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Kerr at Liberty last Friday.

Don't forget the Community dinner at the church Saturday. Potluck dinner.

The parents of Mrs. Clifford Clark are moving in the R. Turner house.

Mrs. M. Stearns of near Somerset was a Saturday guest of Mrs. P. Philips.

Lew Tuckerman and wife were Saturday guests of Tom Tuckerman and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Dilama are the parents of a son to be known as Henry Darwin.

L. A. Mercer and wife and J. P. Churchfield and wife were in Hillsdale recently.

Mrs. Frank Hudnut and Mrs. Wm LaFolliett were Friday guests of Mrs. Mark Rutan.

Alex Smith and wife of Hillsdale were Sunday evening callers at the home of Wm Shock.

Mrs. Joe Baker who has been ill for sometime is better. Her daughter of Cement City is caring for her.

Clayton Garver and wife and Mrs. Wheeler spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Louisa Wheeler of Addison.

Earl Rutan and wife entertained Sunday Mr. Appel and Mrs. Shortley of Jackson and Mrs. Cora Van Allen of Jerome.

Jonesville

Mrs. Verne Chase is ill at her home east of town.

R. S. Varnum and wife are visiting in Holly, Pontiac, and Detroit this week.

Mrs. Leon Guy entertained the Wednesday afternoon 500 club this week.

The Methodist Aid Society met with Mrs. R. B. Miller Wednesday of this week.

Richard Varnum Jr. spent the week end in Hillsdale at the home of Mrs. Emma Evans.

George Tubbs of Detroit was a guest over Sunday of his grandfather George W. Sharp.

The Jonesville Business Men's Association met Wednesday evening Feb. 11th in the K of P hall.

Philo Breckenridge of Jackson visited his daughters Mrs. M. J Ward and Mrs. George Clark last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Paquette of Lake View Michigan a son. Mrs. Paquette was formerly Miss Mary Bliss of this place.

Mrs. Dale Polsdorfer has returned to her home in Milan Mich after spending some time with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Austin here.

Mrs. Minnie Squires and grand daughter Evelyn Squires, went to Detroit Sunday for a weeks stay with the former's daughter Mrs. Harvey Randolph.

West Hoxie

Ione Young spent one night last week with Margaret Shambaugh.

Geo. Hayhoe is on the road to health aftor being sick two weeks.

Hubert Purcell is able to go to school again after a week's illness.

Jay Hayhoe was here attending his father in his recent illness.

Edward Bloemker spent the week end with his parents, Will Bloemker and wife.

Iris Sutton, Roy Householder and Clyde Sprague were Sunday visitors at Will Bloemker's.

Will Bloemker and family and Mrs. Sprague, Milred and Clyde went shopping in Hillsdale Saturday,

The W. C. T. U. held their annual banquet at the Pinkham & Wright building and elected new officers and re-organized the different sewing clubs in the county. The Blue Sewing Society of Hoxie have not yet been given any instructions but will be in the near future.

East Hoxie

Nearly the entire vicinity were shoppers in Hillsdale Saturday.

LaVerne Cox and wife spent Sunday at Will Tingleys at Addison.

L. O. Spratt and family were callers at Howard Wells Sunday.

Harry Hayhce and wife spent Friday evening at the home of Chas Cox.

Mrs. Will Stevenson visited John Hicks and wife of North Adams Monday.

Will Smith and family spent Saturday evening with Harry Hayhoe and family.

F. M. Thompson and wife, Walter Donihue and Mrs. Etta Welker were Jackson shoppers Friday.

Chas Kiel and family of Adrian visited from Sunday until Tuesday with his parents J. G. Kiel and wife

J. G. Kiel and wife, Lester and Chester Welker made a business trip to Nay Ohio Wednesday.

John Litchhult has returned from a short visit with his sister Mrs. Kajohn of Marshall. She also entertained George Litchhult of Detroit. and Mrs. Della Gillet. Mr. Litchhult also visited Williams Densmore and family at Otsego Mich. Mrs. Densmore is a neice of Mrs. Gillet.

Motorist Sued by Railroad

Here is the other side of it: A motorist who drove his car onto a Southern Pacific track in California and promptly went to sleep, succeeded in damaging a locomotive and the company sued him for the repair costs. Why not? Just because the railroad corporation is "big" it loses no right to decent protection. It is a public necessity and must be maintained. It has its right-of-way and no turn-outs; its trains must make regular schedules as provided by law. The motorist has no more right recklessly or maliciously to impose costs on the million dollar security holders than he has to steal from a blind apple woman; nor has he the right to go unscathed after causing a railroad wreck that kills railroad passengers. This suit along a new line of thought may establish a precedent for automobile responsibility that will effect the 22,000 automobile killings every year

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After Taking First Dose of Asthma-Tabs," is the Amazing Statement of a Canadian Resident.

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"A choking spell was relieved in ten minutes after taking first dose of Asthma-Tabs and Mrs. Gower hasn't had a spell of Asthma since," says E. P. Gower, Regina, Sask. "The wheezing stopped after two days and the cough and expectoration gradually diminished and has practically gone now. Mrs. Gower suffered from Asthma for thirty years and could do no real heavy work, but I am glad to say that since taking Asthma-Tabs nothing seems to bother her."

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No matter how bad your condition, no matter what your age or occupation, no matter what you have tried, if you are suffering from asthma, hay fever, etc., I am so confident that Asthma-Tabs will end these troubles that I offer to send to every reader of this paper my big $1.00 treatment absolutely free. This treatment will not cost you one cent now, or any other time. There is nothing to pay the postman on delivery—it comes to you free and postpaid. I merely want to introduce my famous treatment to the thousands of sufferers from this dread disease.

Just write R. N. Townley 555 Baker-Vawter Bldg., Kansas City, Mo., and I will send you my regular $1.00 treatment absolutely free, so write today before this introductory offer is withdrawn.

Jerome High School

Jane Randolph is absent from school on account of chicken pox.

Wilson and Donald Frantz have returned to school after being absent sometime on account of small pox.

A nurse from the State Health Department gave the first of a series of lessons in nursing to the girls of the Grammar and High school Tuesday.

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Mrs. Moorhead has resumed her duties as teacher in the Primary room after being absent a week on account of mumps.

The following pupils of the Grammar room were not absent or tardy during the month of January Bessie VanAllen, Genevieve Tryon, Catherine Sherrard, Norman Burr, Lucille and Lawrence Walworth.

The following pupils were not absent or tardy during January: Dorothy Ward, Minnie Kane, Dorothy Linsday, Mildred Evans, Walter Evans, Edward Olney, Marion McGee, Rex McGregor, Ruth Kane and Alice Brooks.

The Advocate will probably be without a phone for a ten days or longer period on account of having the phone repaired. Those who wish to talk with us please remember. If the call is real urgent we can go to a nearby phone.

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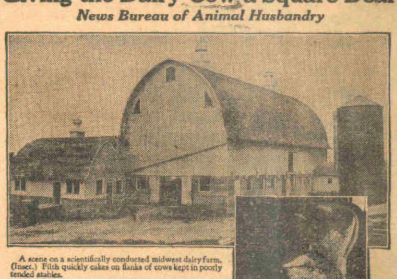
Giving the Dairy Cow a Square Deal

News Bureau of Animal Husbandry



A scene on a scientifically conducted midwest dairy farm. (Inset.) Filth quickly cakes on flanks of cows kept in poorly tended stables.

There are now 25,375,000 dairy cattle in the United States. Of these, says a recent report, only about one-half are cared for in a manner to enable them to return a fair profit to their owners.

Many a milk cow has been accused of being a "boarder" when the owner had only himself to blame. Unlike human beings, dairy cows never shirk intentionally, and frequent tests reveal that seemingly unimportant details in the care of milk cows have startling effects on milk production.

If you are considering drying up any of your milk herd because you believe them to be unproductive, fill in the questionnaire below for your own satisfaction. If you can write YES as an answer to all of the questions, it is safe to assume that, if your cows are not diseasesd, they are getting a square deal and therefore ought to repay you generously.

Are you feeding them a properly balanced ration?

If not, or if you are not quite sure of what makes up a properly balanced ration for milk cows, get in touch with your county agent. It will pay you to do this.

Are the stables kept clean—especially during the months you keep the milk cows in?

Clean stables and good ventilation are essential if the cow is to give full returns. Clean gutters, clean bedding and lots of pure air are important.

Has your milk herd access to all the fresh water they will drink?

If not, give it to them. Water is cheap, and they will repay you with more and better milk.

Do you keep the cows clean?

Filth adhering to flanks and udders takes money right out of your pocket. Impurities are absorbed into the system. That means more feed or less milk. Milk from a manure-caked cow is unclean and, on a strict interpretation, against the law. In just a few minutes, you can clip the udders, flanks and underlines of the cows. Thereafter, it is only a matter of seconds to wipe off all clinging foreign matter with a damp cloth. Farmers and dairymen who follow this practice say it increases milk flow and enriches the milk. And the cow is certainly more comfortable and contented.

Are you giving your cows a square deal?

AUCTION BILLS

Printed at this Office while you wait-

It is quite important that people coming to North Adams from a distance to get Auction Bills should be able to get the work at once and take it away with them. This is what we aim to do, and if you will call the Advocate on the telephone we can so arrange the matter. You furnish the copy we do the rest. Bills are necessary for stores.

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Local News

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Patronize the item box at the post office.

—See Clark cartoonist, at Grange hall next Saturday night.

John Haskell and family returned Tuesday morning from their extensive visit to the Pacific Coast. They came by train. They report a very pleasant trip.

Arthur Stevens was operated upon for Appendicitis at the Hillsdale hospital on Wednesday by Dr. McFarland. He is reported in a precarious condition.

Mrs. Ettie Corey has returned home from Ann Arbor where she has been for treatment. She expects to go back to the hospital for an operation later.

Kathyrn Ochenrider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ochenrider was operated upon for mastoid abcess recently and is improving at this writing. They reside near Milnes.

Word has been received by friends in North Adams of the sudden death of Mrs. Will Abel (formerly) Miss Ione Cutler. Feb. 8th of apoplexy, at Los Angeles, California.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Petro of Moscow Plains passed away Monday and the funeral services were held at the Plains church on Wednesday and burial there.

Frank Tiffany Sr. and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tiffany Jr. and son Robert of Angola Indiana, and Kenneth Tiffany of Fort Wayne were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Catherine Tiffany.

Mrs. Benjamin McLouth of Moscow died at her home in that village Friday, Feb. 13, at 8:00 p. m. Funeral services were held at the late home Sunday afternoon and burial at Moscow.

We were recently handed a copy of the De funiak (Florida) Springs Herald by Fred A. Rock of this village. It is quite interesting to read about the different climate down there. One item in particular we noticed was that that particular place was shipping two hundred barrels of radishes north on February 5th, this year.

The Woman's club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Ethel Clement on Monday afternoon. Roll call was responded to by sayings of Washington or Lincoln. The following program was given. Paper "The value of the farmer to the nation", Mrs. Lizzie Holcomb. Paper "Essentials of Americanization", Mrs. Addie Baker Musical contest, Mrs. Grace Williams at the organ, twenty five hymns were played, members to give name, author of words and music. The next meeting will be on Monday March 2nd at the home of Mrs. Alice Williams.

George Hayes formerly of this village died at his home in Milnes Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 17, after an illness of some duration, that was due to a complication of diseases. He was 74 years of age and had been proprietor of a store at Milnes 11 years. He was a Mason and Knight Templar of long standing. He was born at Leeds England, coming here when ten years of age. He is survived by three children, Louis of California Arthur of Lansing and Mrs. Warren Hepfinger of Grand Rapids, the widow and one sister at Coldwater. Burial at Coldwater.

It is claimed that the question of road building has so far engrossed our representatives at Lansing that they can do little outside work. It has practically been settled that beginning Jan. 1, 1926, the state shall pay for all road work instead of the county Report says that where there are expert engineers and paraphanalia both will be used by the state in the work. Altogether 25 bills have been introduced in Lansing to build individual stretches of road and likely none of them will get through. Another bill calls for 500 miles of good road on trunk lines only.

"Bill" Sheldon formerly of the Greendale Dairy of this village later of the Ford factories at Detroit, is now employed by the Freeman Dairy Co. of Flint and is making good as the following item from the Litchfield Gazette of Feb. 13 will show:

"W. E. Sheldon, manager of the butter department of the Freeman Dairy Co. at Flint, was elected president of the Michigan Association of Creamery Owners and Managers last Wednesday at the business session of their annual meeting held at the dairy building at M. A. C. in East Lansing. Mr. Sheldon has many friends in Litchfield who will be glad to learn of this honor conferred upon him."

Roy Johnson of Cement City was home over Sunday.

—Cartoonist, Grange hall Saturday evening, Feb. 21st

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24tf

Mrs. Etta Pray spent the week end in Jonesville a guest of Mrs. Winnifred Marvin.

Miss Mary Freitag of the H. S. faculty was in Jackson over Sunday to visit her parents.

George Rock who is employed by the North Western Electric Co. at Chicago spent the week end with his family in the village.

The Misses Ruth Williams and Sarah Frederich who are attending the State Normal College at Ypsilanti were home over the week end.

The Rebekah Aid will meet February 27 with dinner for the public at the Rebekah hall. Good program with one act comedy. Everyone welcome.

A Baby Clinic under the direction of the State Board of Health will be held in North Adams Monday March 9. Watch for details next week.

BAPTIST CHURCH

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Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45

Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

Sunday evening service 7:00

Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Annual Cemetery Meeting

The annual cemetery meeting of the Adams and Moscow Burial Ground Association will be held at the store of H. E. Young & Son North Adams, Mich., Tuesday, February 24th, 1925, at 2:00 p. m. for the selection of three trustees and such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting. 38t1

Harold Young, Secretary

Death of Edgar Piper

Edgar Piper of Moscow township, who has lived for many years just north of the town line passed away on Wednesday evening from the effects of a shock of paralysis sustained three weeks ago. He has been a constant visitor at North Adams and will be sincerely missed by all. He is survived by the widow and two sons Edgar and Alfred, two daughters Mrs. Mary Kane of Jerome and Mrs Dora Ward.

Mr. Piper was born in Saffon-Waldon England in 1853 and came to America 42 years ago. In England he was a clerk in a mercantile establishment. Funeral services will be held at the home of George Cousens a short distance south of this village Saturday February 21, at 1;00 p. m. and interment will be in the local cemetery.

High School Notes

Our debating team was defeated last Thursday night at Hudson.

Mrs. R. C. Young is entertaining the eighth grade Friday evening.

Mrs. T. N. Lamb returned to school Wednesday after her illness.

The boys first and second Basket Ball teams will play at Camden Friday night.

The Junior Valentine dance was well attended and they sold thirty five tickets. The total proceeds amounted to twenty five dollars and over.

Pupils in the Intermediate room who were neither absent nor tardy during the past five weeks and so earning a half holiday were: Mary Taylor, Hazel Walworth, Frances Fry, Ruth Young, Austin Wertz, Robert Keefer, Lawrence Keefus, Clair Edinger and Donald North.

Primary room: Alma Rock, Ellen Rock, Louise Taylor, Johnny Williams, Fred Rumsey, Edward Caswell, Harlow Walworth, Opal Allen Jean McFarland, Floyd Rock, Ruth Allen, Wayne Shufelt, Grace Ruffner, Helen Voorhees, Florence Allen Harry Hill.

Death of William R. Haskins

William R. Haskins son Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Haskins who took paris green with suicidal intent on Friday of last week, died Saturday just after midnight. He was at the home of his father when he committed the act, and Dr. McFarland was called and endeavored to remove the poison from the young man's stomach but failed.

William Robert Haskins was born in Moscow township August 4, 1890 and died at the home of his parents February 14, 1925 being 34 years, 6 months and 10 days of age. He was the second of three children and leaves to mourn the loss, father, mother, sister, 4 neices and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted at his parents' home on Monday afternoon February 16th. Rev. Virgil Hunt of the North Adams Congregational church, officiating, and the services were under the auspices of Leighr Wright Post of the American Legion Hillsdale which attended in a body. Burial was in the North Adams cemetery.

Results of Caucus

The regular village get-together which occurs every spring in caucus was held Monday evening the 16th with the usual results. There is an old saying that "if you don't go to caucus and do your bit you should not complain if the nominations don't suit" but it don't apply since we find if all went results would be just the same, hence some figure that until a more opportune time they will just let Village affairs drift along most any old way.

Frank Holcomb was nominated chairman and he appointed Josephine Jones and Julia Mercer tellers. Balloting proceeded and Howard Williams the only new nominee, was put up for clerk. Merton Wolcott president and Harley Fry, Darwin Carney and Glenn Mercer trustees full term (renominated) and Lew Eggleston appointed to fill vacancy. We understand the small sum of thirteen votes were polled while the Hillsdale Daily reported a large crowd present. There are times when two is a company and three are a crowd.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

The subject for Sunday morning worship will be "One hundred percent for Christ and the Church. And for evening services will be, "Modern Substitutes." Mr. Perkins will sing a solo entitled, "One sweetly solemn thought." Also special singing by the Epworth Choir.

Next Wednesday February 25th. the Ladies Aid Society will serve a new England Dinner in the Church parlors.

There are still a few whose place is vacant in the Sabbath school and we would be very glad if you would come and fill that place. We asked last week for a record breaker in attendance and instead of 150 as we asked for, we had 156 in attendance. Now don't get scared but it is not much farther to the 200 mark, we are wondering if we can make a record smasher and reach the 200 mark? we only need 44 more. Let's go.

The one hundred new chairs which the Ladies Aid purchased for the League room seems to have its desired effect on the attendance Sunday evening in Epworth League, as last Sunday evening we had 58 in attendance. The Pastor will lead the League Service next Sunday evening, with the topic "Our country's Christian Cornerstones." Let's all be there.

The Methodist Quartet will sing at the Wheatland Church at 2:30 p. m.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

At the morning worship period we will continue the discourse on the theme "The Life By Which We Live." The topic for this Sunday will be "They Were All Amazed."

These are interesting services for all who wish to join us in this meditation hour. There will be special music. We extend a cordial invitation to our Sunday school hour. We are growing every Sunday but we still need U! Come! It isn't too late to win the contest yet.

Our special programs are proving very beneficial and interesting to all of us.

There will be choir practice at the home of Frances Young Saturday evening at 7:30. All come.

Our Family Night Services will start the first Sunday evening in March. Watch for later announcements.

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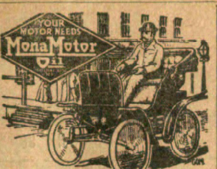

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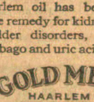

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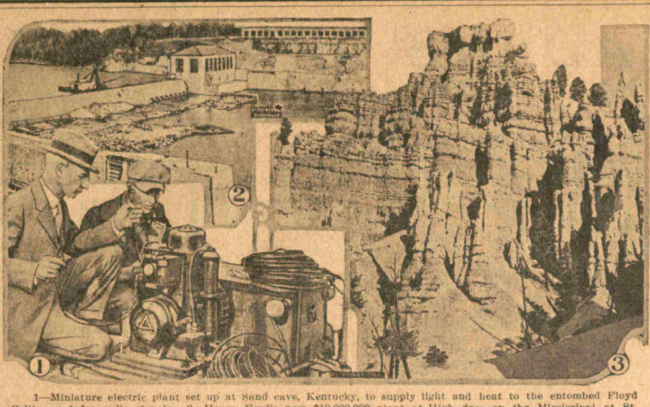

1—Miniature electric plant set up at Sand cave, Kentucky, to supply light and heat to the entombed Floyd Collins and for radio signals. 2—Henry Ford's new $10,000,000 plant at High dam on the Mississippi at St. Paul, which is to be opened about March 15. 3—Scene in Bryce canyon, in the Utah wonderland that opens as a national park May 15; it includes Zion national park and Cedar Breaks.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Eugene Funk or Dr. Jardine May Be Picked for the Agriculture Portfolio.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE is said to be, at the time this is written, nearly ready to name his new secretary of agriculture, to succeed Mr. Gore on March 4 when that gentleman becomes governor of West Virginia. For several days it was believed that John G. Fields of Oklahoma City, publisher of farm papers, would get the position. Then two more names were brought forward, those of Eugene Funk, Illinois farmer and brother of Congressman Frank H. Funk, and William M. Jardine, president of the Kansas Agriculture college and a member of the President's agricultural conference. Mr. Funk belongs to a famous family of corn-belt farmers and is himself not only a practical agriculturist but an authority on farm economics and the marketing of food products. He is a graduate of Yale and studied also in Germany. It was believed he was just the kind of man the President was seeking.

Doctor Jardine had the united backing of the Kansas delegation in congress though it had previously indorsed J. C. Mohler for the post. So far as the theoretical side is concerned, his experience would seem to fit him to take the portfolio. Starting life as a cattle puncher in Montana, he later attended the Utah Agricultural college and in 1896 went to Washington as assistant United States cerealist in charge of the grain work in the West. In 1900 he was made director of agronomy work in the Kansas college and in 1918 became its president. Doctor Jardine was in conference with the President last week, and also went before the senate committee on agriculture to explain some of his recommendations in the agriculture conference. He told the senators that agriculture in the United States is only passing through a normal post-war crisis and that it is certain to recover.

MEANWHILE President Coolidge is formulating an agricultural policy for the nation, based partly on the advice of Secretary Gore and the agricultural conference and largely on the ideas of Secretary of Commerce Hoover. Its fundamental principle is that the country shall be self-contained in the matter of production and consumption of food and clothing, that it shall raise all the farm products it needs, including those now imported, but shall cease to raise them for export. Another purpose is to increase the buying power of the entire community so as to increase the consumption of farm products at home and in turn warrant the increase of production beyond the normal accretion due to the growth of population. The fostering of co-operative marketing also enters largely into the plan. Representative Dickinson of Iowa, leader of the house farm bloc, says attempts are being made to "Hooverize" the Agriculture department.

UNDER suspension of the rules the house passed the Kelly bill providing for increases in postal salaries amounting to $68,000,000 a year and for changes in the mail rates that are designed to add more than $62,000,000 annually to the revenues of the Post Office department. This is a substitute for the bill which the senate passed and the house sent back. It provides for about $21,000,000 more revenue than did the senate measure, and it makes the salary increases retroactive to January 1, 1925, instead of to July 1, 1924.

GENERAL MITCHELL'S fight for a unified air service is attracting more and more interest daily, but those who agree with his views do not now believe they will prevail, especially since the official announcement that President Coolidge is not in favor of a unified service. The Navy department bolstered its stand by issuing a list of 21 eminent men and influential groups that are opposed to the views of Mitchell. This list comprised Gen. John J. Pershing, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, Maj. Gen. Charles T. Menoher, former chief of army air service; the general staff, United States army, Rear Admirals William S. Sims, Bradley A. Fiske, W. F. Fullam, Charles E. Badger, Henry T. Mayo; Admiral Robert E. Coontz, commander in chief United States fleet; Rear Admiral H. S. Knapp, Vice Admiral Joseph Strauss, Capt. T. T. Craven, formerly director of naval aviation; Capt. Noble E. Irwin, formerly director of naval aviation; Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, present chief of the bureau of aeronautics; the general board of the navy, the national advisory committee for aeronautics, Marshal Foch, Marshal Haig, Admiral Jellicoe, Admiral Beatty.

The house aircraft committee heard more testimony from Mitchell, gave out a denial that any witnesses were muzzled by their superiors, and asked permission to defer making a report until the next congress because the time before March 4 is too short for the reaching of comprehensive conclusions.

CONGRESS learned officially last week that Coolidge and Dawes won the Presidential election. The houses met in joint session and received the tidings in the form of two mahogany boxes containing the certificates of the electors. The ballots were examined and pronounced "regular in form and properly authenticated" and Senator Cummins, the presiding officer, solemnly announced that Coolidge and Dawes had received 382 votes, Davis and Bryan 136 votes, and La Follette and Wheeler 13 votes. This, he declared, was under the Constitution a sufficient decision of the persons elected, so the joint session came to an end. The mahogany boxes are made new each four years and are presented one to the outgoing vice president—or in this instance to Senator Cummins—and the other to the incoming vice president.

ARRANGEMENTS for the inauguration of Coolidge and Dawes on March 4 are nearing completion, but they have been tremendously curtailed by the President's determination that economy shall rule. As now planned, the affair will consist of the swearing in ceremony at the Capitol and a brief parade down Pennsylvania avenue to the White House. The governors may join in the procession, with their staffs, if they wish to, and army and navy detachments around Washington will be included. The projected fireworks display in the evening has been abandoned, and in place of the inaugural ball there will be a charity ball.

SO SERIOUS is the opposition to Charles B. Warren as attorney general that his appointment may fail of confirmation by the senate at this session of congress. It is due to his connection with the sugar trust and is voiced especially by Basil Manly, director of the People's Legislative service. In the first place Mr. Warren was at one time a representative of the American Sugar Refining company in the maintenance of holdings in beet sugar companies. Until a few days ago he was president of the Michigan Beet Sugar company which, together with other beet sugar concerns, has just been accused by the federal trade commission of conspiracy to suppress competition. Warren is named as one of the defendants.

Mr. Warren's friends retort with the assertion that the trade commission is continually instigating charges that turn out to be unfounded. They point to the fact that the commission in the course of its career has been upheld by the federal courts in 14 cases and has been overthrown in 35 cases.

SENATOR NORRIS is to have the investigation of the so-called power trust for which he has been clamoring. The senate has called on the federal trade commission to make such an inquiry, naming specifically the General Electric company and seeking to know the extent to which that company or its stockholders or security holders monopolize or control production, generation or transmission of power or electric energy. An amendment to the resolution was adopted calling for an investigation of the American Tobacco company and the Imperial Tobacco company of Great Britain and their alleged efforts to hamper tobacco co-operatives.

STILL another investigation was demanded in the senate by Senator Howell of Nebraska, the subject of the proposed inquiry being the Van Sweringen-Nickel Plate merger of the Nickel Plate, Erie, Pere Marquette, Chesapeake & Ohio and Hocking Valley lines, and the acquisition of the Gulf Coast lines by the Missouri Pacific. Mr. Howell said the Van Sweringen merger was being financed by J. P. Morgan & Co. and the First National bank of New York.

RAILROADS will continue to impose surcharges on passengers using Pullman facilities, the practice having been approved by the interstate commerce commission. The majority opinion says "there is less warrant for eliminating the surcharge than for reducing the basic passenger fare which applies even to travel in mixed trains of freight and passenger cars."

GREAT BRITAIN, through Chancellor of the Exchequer Churchill, has made an informal proposal to France concerning the Anglo-French debt. Briefly, Britain repeats Balfour's offer to make a heavy reduction in the debt provided France agrees to make fixed annual payments irrespective of the actual receipts from the Dawes annuities. Finance Minister Clementel and other officials in Paris considered the British plan fair in principle and offering a satisfactory basis for negotiations. The government press in France agreed with this view, but the proposal was bitterly attacked by the nationalist and reactionary papers, which blamed America for forcing Britain to demand reimbursement. The finance committee of the French chamber of deputies has named a subcommittee to study the matter, and it is believed a conference will be held in London within a few weeks.

FOLLOWING the withdrawal of the United States and China because of dissatisfaction, the international opium conference at Geneva adopted a protocol and convention and adjourned sine die. Japan had threatened to quit but was placated by the insertion of a clause reaffirming the obligations of The Hague convention and making it clear that opium smoking is permitted only temporarily. The signers were Great Britain, India, France, Japan, Holland, Portugal and Siam.

ONE of the greatest disasters in German mining history occurred in the Stein mine at Dortmund where 144 men were entombed by an explosion, and at least 138 of them perished. The tragedy aroused the people to a state of anger that threatened revolution, for the mine owners were accused of failing to safeguard their employees and also of paying them starvation wages while selling coal at higher prices than the British and Americans.

MORE than 325 hours after Floyd Collins became entombed in Sand cave, Kentucky, by the fall of a bowlder on his foot, the rescuers who were sinking a shaft from the top of the hill had reached the limestone roof of the cavern near which the young man was trapped. He had been without food for eight days and for two days those who listened with a microphone outfit for sounds of his heartbeats and breathing had heard nothing.

During the week the state military board conducted an investigation into the efforts at rescue that had been made and also into persistent reports that the whole affair started in a publicity scheme to attract visitors to the cave. There had even been stories that Collins was not in the cavern at all, but these and other wild tales were discredited by the testimony of most of the witnesses. However, the idea was held by many persons that Collins was the victim of a hoax, and the county attorney announced that there would be a grand jury inquiry and that charges of homicide might be lodged.

Bonded Train Crews to Carry Securities

New York.—The National Surety company has announced that financial houses in the downtown district will, within a few days, employ bonded train crews, employed on commuters' trains, to transport securities. These men are normally idle from 10 o'clock in the morning until 4 in the afternoon. Special arrangements have been made by the surety company with the railroads interested, it was announced, and the railroad unions have given their approval to them.

As a result of replacing irresponsible boys with trusted trainmen the surety company, which serves about 80 per cent of the financial institutions in the Wall street district, hopes to reduce thefts to a minimum. Bankers and brokers informed of the plan gave their enthusiastic approval.

The men will be equipped with a new patent steel vest made with inside pockets for the carrying of large amounts of currency. This vest is locked when the man starts out and cannot be opened without the key. The telltale bag which attracts the attention of highwaymen thus will be abolished in the carrying of valuable securities.

The trainmen range in age from twenty-five to sixty, are bonded and are regarded as highly responsible individuals. It is estimated that they should be able to add $50 to $60 a month to their wages without in any way competing with other labor.

Michigan Happenings

Thirteen fliers from Selfridge field, comprising the first pursuit group of the United States army air service, will leave there under command of Major T. G. Lanphier, commanding officer at Selfridge field, for a series of maneuvers unique in army flying annals. They will head north to Oscoda, where their planes, equipped with an adaptation of skis as landing gear, will be put through their paces, testing their usefulness as defense units in a northern clime at a season when neither army nor navy could work at highest efficiency.

Petoskey's new municipal charter now is in effect and the present officers are working under the new rules and regulations until their successors are elected in April. Nominations will be made through ward caucuses March 16 and at city-wide convention to be held March 18. Each ward will nominate and elect its councilman and supervisor and the city-at-large the mayor, clerk and treasurer. The new city manager must be a registered engineer and will serve as engineer-manager of the city.

Addition of 500 miles of state highway to that already under the supervision of the state highway board is planned under an agreement reached at a conference of the board's members at Lansing. Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck was present at the meeting. Under the agreement, counties of the state will be relieved of the burden of maintenance and construction, Jan. 1, 1926. Repeal of the Covert county reward system was agreed on.

Commissioner Hugh A. McPherson of the State Banking Department has issued a bulletin concerning reports of the 585 state incorporated banks, and the two industrial banks of Michigan at the close of business Feb. 2. The bulletin shows a decrease of $61,160,395.11 in aggregate footings since the last reports which were of date of Oct. 24, 1924, and an increase of $28,235,252.56 since Dec. 31, 1923.

An American Railway Express Co. truck containing $15,000 to $18,000 in merchandise was stolen in a holdup at Detroit last week. Bandits, in a touring car, forced the truck to the curb where they ordered the two drivers and messenger into their car at the point of pistols. They were driven several blocks away and released. The truck was found later but its contents had been taken.

David M. Pierce, manager of the Cunningham drug store, Detroit, is considering adoption of the "notch" system of mortal statistics used out west, following a gun fight in the store, in which he slew his second bandit. The holdup was the third at that store within two weeks. In another robbery attempt there two years ago, a bandit was shot and killed by Pierce.

Voters of Michigan are not to have an opportunity to register their opinion of the two cent gasoline tax law at the polls. This became a certainty when the Supreme Court denied the mandamus petition filed by the Detroit Automobile Club, which had sought to nullify the immediate effect clause of the law.

A reduction of fire insurance rates of from 2 to 4 per cent on Adrian business and industrial property has been assured by members of the Michigan Inspection bureau which determines insurance rates. The change will give Adrian the lowest fire insurance rate of any city of its size in the state.

Mary Gogoff, 13-year old daughter of a wealthy merchant of Battle Creek, known as "the girl without a country," because of her entry into the United States from Canada was held up by immigration officials, was admitted to the country by Secretary of Labor Davis under $1,000 bond.

Sheriff A. J. Hanchett has notified dance hall managers throughout Shiawassee county that all Saturday night dances must stop at midnight. The action was made necessary, he said, by many complaints he has received against dances continuing far into Sunday morning.

Miss Margaret Elliott, a graduate of Wellesley and Radcliffe colleges has been named assistant professor in the economics department at the University of Michigan, it was announced, Professor Elliott is the first woman instructor in the economics school.

Peter Mizura, 35 years old, a farmer living near Richmond, died in a Mt. Clemens hospital following the breaking of the fly-wheel of a buzzsaw, which tore off his right arm.

President Calvin Coolidge will come to Ann Arbor on June 15 to attend the commencement exercises of the University of Michigan, it is announced. It will be the first time a United States president has ever made the commencement address at Ann Arbor.

First Opium Conference Ends

Geneva—The international opium conference here adjourned without date after adopting both the protocol and the convention concerning opium smoking. The conference closed with the understanding that despite the withdrawal of China, the possibility of her delegation's signing would be left open. Great Britain, India, France, Japan, Holland and Portugal and Siam signed the convention, with the protocol adopted by the first opium conference.

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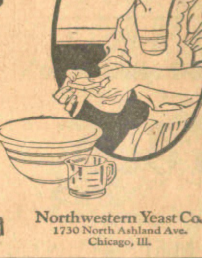

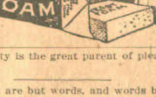

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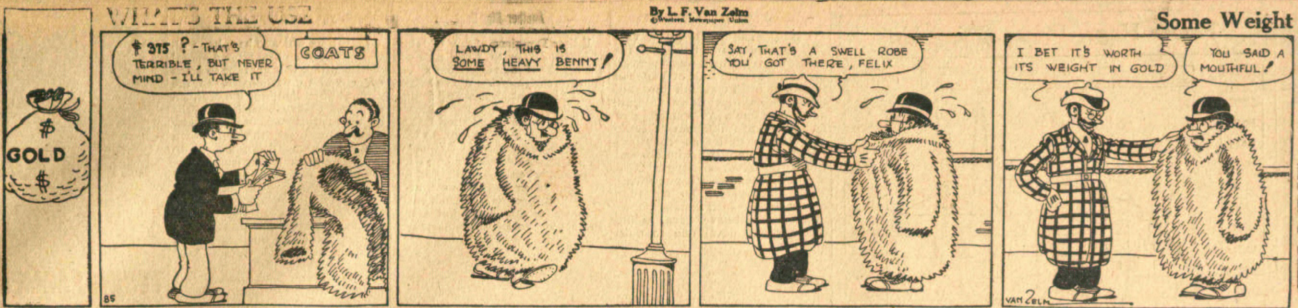
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Oh God, on High:
This is the month of heroes.
The month of Washington, who was the father of his country—
And of Lincoln, who was its saviour,
It is a short month.
But it is a month crowded with greatness
And with splender!

And so, God—
When temptations assail us,
And when doubts beset us,
And when pettiness is close to us
Let us remember to be calm,
And steadfast.
And great of heart,
In the face of our soul's battle,
As was Washington.
And let us have the strength
To be true to an ideal,
As Lincoln was true.

This is the month of heroes,
Oh, God—
Let us, in our small way,
Be heroes, too.
So that our countrymen, who have gone on
Ahead—
May be glad that they have given us a nation,
To call our own! —Amen.

The American Creed

I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a Sovereign nation of many Sovereign states; a perfect union, one and inseparable, established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which the American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies.

HERE GROWS A MAN FOR AMERICA

"My child, remember that the land in which you live was bought by the blood of your forefathers that every man might live in freedom and justice. It has been kept safe for you by the blood of your fathers and brothers. You—who shall inherit this priceless possession—are a child of liberty, an American. Walk upright in your native land; fear no man; harm no man. Reverence the flag of your country. God grant you may never stain its folds by any act of injustice to another little brother whom it protects—it matters not what his color or creed. Be honest; be pure; be truthful, that men may look into your eyes and say, 'Here Grows a Man for America'!"

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Not merely in the calm assertion of rights, but in the glad assumption of duties.

Not flaunting her strength as a giant, but bending in helpfulness over a sick and wounded world like a good Samaritan.

Not in splendid isolation, but in Christ-like co-operation.

Not in pride, arrogance, and disdain of other races and peoples, but in sympathy, love and understanding.

Not in treading again the old, worn, bloody pathway which ends inevitably in chaos and disaster, but in blazing a new trail, along which, please God, other nations will follow, into the new Jerusalem, where wars shall be no more.

Some day some nation must take that path—unless we are to lapse once again into utter barbarism—and that honor I covet for my beloved America.

And so, in that spirit and with these hopes, I say with all my heart and soul, "America First."

February's Heroes

Two national heroes came to this earth in February. A very good month for America.

George Washington seems a shadowy figure to young folks now But his romantic story goes beyond the thrills of fiction. His military skill would have made him a famous general in any age. Greater still was his unconquerable courage. If it had not been for that resolute spirit, we might still be serving the English king. Who knows?

When ordinary human nature sank into despair, George Washington began to get into full action. When they told him a thing couldn't be done, he began to get thoroughly interested. We can't rise to that level. But if we would follow our best leaders as Washington's men followed him across frozen Valley Forge, we would get somewhere in this country.

Abraham Lincoln could direct the fighting armies with the relentlessness of any warrior. But when the fighting was over, the beaten man was his brother, to be welcomed back to his old place in the family circle. If his big heart could have guided this country through the tragic reconstruction days, the bitter taint of that time could never have the relations between North and South.

Lincoln was a plain man. To him the shows and tinsel of the world, its glories and pomposites, were but dust and ashes. If his warm sympathy were leading us now, the deep chasm between rich and poor would be obliterated. Men would be ashamed, in the revealing sunlight of that great soul, to strive for selfishly used wealth or to shirk honest toil.

The spirit of these great men asks us here in North Adams for higher civic aspirations. It calls to us from across the years, to manifest Washington's courage and resolution, and Lincoln's insight and sympathy, as we enter the unknown future and deal with the problems that lie behind its veil.

New M. A. C. Radio Station Now On Air

Radiophone Station WKAR, the M. A. C., is now on the air regularly as one of the leading broadcasting stations of the country.

Programs from the college station, which opened only three weeks ago, have been heard all over the United States and Canada many replies from the Pacific coast being included in WKAR's mail bag regularly.

While the programs broadcasted from the college station are varied educational material is receiving consideration. On Monday evenings members of the M. A. C, staff furnish general educational programs, covering agriculture, engineering, home economics, and general subjects. On Friday evenings, departments of state government at Lansing furnish the educational programs, the departments alternating in going on the air.

A college music and entertainment session on Wednesday evening, a special late dance program Saturday morning, noon weather reports, and accounts of home athletic contests at M. A. C. complete the regular broadcasting schedule.

WKAR(M. A. C.) Operating Schedule (Until March 1) Eastern Standard Time. Monday 7 to 8 educational, M. A. C. faculty. Wednesday 7 to 9:15 music. Friday 7 to 8 educational, state departments. Saturday 12:30 to 1:30 a. m dance programs, Pastime Players. Daily(except Sunday) 12 noon weather forecast. Home basketball games at M. A. C. February 20, 28 and March 3.

To Start New Farm School Of The Air

A new "school of the air" will offer its courses of study to citizens of Michigan, as well as all other states of the middle west, when WKAR, the powerful M. A. C. station, goes on with regular farm courses after March 1.

The first of these courses will deal with agricultural engineering, covering everything from gas engines to household convenience equipment. It will start on Monday, March 2, and run for two weeks. The lectures, two of which are booked for each evening, will run from 7:15 until 8;00 o'clock, eastern time, from Monday through Friday, inclusive of each week.

Following the agricultural engineering course, other special phases of agricultural will be covered in courses of similar length. The school will be kept up through the spring and early summer months it is understood, with crops, dairying, gardening, and other subjects included.

The radio farm school, the first of its kind ever attempted in this part of the country, is expected to prove of interest and value to the thousands of Michigan farmers who now own radio receiving sets. Additional thousands of city folks will also be interested in the gardening courses, and other general material to be sent in the school.

Registration for any of the courses can be made by any radio listener in the state. Those who register and complete the work of the course will be given official certificates, copies of the lectures and other material to round out the courses of the school. The Director of Short Courses, M. A. C. East Lansing, will serve as registration officer for the radio courses

Pyrotol Proves To Be Good Explosive

Pyrotol, the war salvage explosive which has been released to farmers of the State, is about equal to a twenty percent dynamite or to sodatol in strength, according to Larry Livingston, agricultural engineering specialist with the M. A. C. extension staff. Sodatol, which was delivered last spring, gave such excellent satisfaction that government officials are said to have endeavored to make pyrotol of equal strength.

The average person using explosives knows the power of a twenty percent dynamite, and those who have developed pyrotol have made an explosive equally efficient Just as long as pyrotol is used on stumps and stones or for tree planting, entire satisfaction will result.

This war salvage explosive is being distributed to the farmers of the State through the M. A. C. and is being handled in the counties by the county agricultural agents. In those counties which have no agricultural agent, information can be secured from the Extension Department of the M. A. C. at Bay City, East Lansing or Marquette, Michigan. The only cost to the farmers is the cost of cartridging, boxing, and transportation.

Agricultural College

For week of February 23rd

Monday, Feb. 23—12:00 noon, weather forecast 7;00 p. m. educational program.

Tuesday, Feb. 24—noon, weather forecast.

Wednesday, Feb. 25—noon, weather forecast; 8:00 p. m. musical program, orchestra and vocal.

Friday, Feb. 27—noon, weather forecast; 7:00 p. m. State Department program (Michigan department of conservation.)

Saturday, Feb. 28—12:30 p. m. Special dance program (pastime players) 8:00 p. m. Basket ball game (Michigan Aggies—Oberlin College.)

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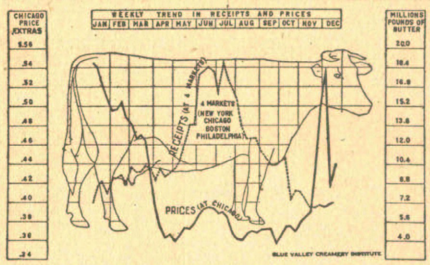


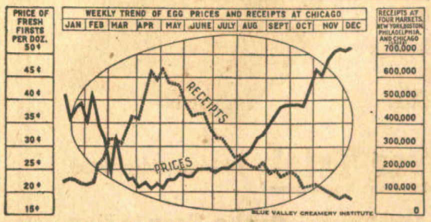
DAIRY product markets have rung a number of surprising figures on America's agricultural cash register during the year 1924. The diversification program which many farmers have adopted has led, on the whole, to better production and larger profits, says the Blue Valley Creamery institute in a review of the dairy situation.

General opinion held that during 1924 butter prices would tumble from the stable level they had kept for the past three years and reach a lower price level in harmony with the extremely heavy production anticipated. January marked a high point for 92 score butter in Chicago at 55 cents. In April the drop in price occurred and 92 score fell to 35 cents. Then suddenly the unexpected twisted into the situation. The former heavy imports dropped off when prices fell, for the importers could no longer make profits over the United States tariff wall of eight cents. Production within the country fell short of expectation during the spring and summer. Prices jumped accordingly.

The unusually favorable late summer and fall sent calculations flying again. At the time of the year when production is usually expected to slow up, 1924 turned the tables and output failed to decrease as rapidly as ordinarily during this period. Cows produced heavily. Consequently butter prices hung low over a doubtful market, running ten cents lower part of the time than during the same period in 1923.

With every man, woman and child in the country consuming an average of 50 gallons of milk in 1922 and a per capita increase of three gallons in this consumption showing for 1923, the possibilities of fluid milk markets loom up in dollars and cents. Fluid milk flooded the markets during a large part of the year, due to the favorable weather. It continued to pour into the nation's markets during the late summer and fall, but seasonal declines in November and December helped to hold the market steady at the close of the year.

Fewer Eggs for "Ham and"



EGG production did not live up to its early promises during 1924, according to a review just completed by the Blue Valley Creamery institute. A survey shows that on January 1, 1924, more chickens were counted on farms throughout the country than ever before. Diversification, which has become a part of the program for poultry as well as dairy and hog products, stimulated a rapid increase in the size of poultry flocks and put the mark at 474,000,000 on the first day of the year. This was an increase of 32 per cent since 1920.

In consequence, the eggs were counted far in advance, and a record production was forecast. Prices held very low, for storage men were reluctant to buy since storage holdings had lost money during the past two years. The entire country was ready for an onslaught of eggs and prices were ready to meet the oversupply.

But the oversupply never arrived. Receipts for the year were 14,644,583 cases as against the receipts of 15,837,529 cases in 1923. This is the first decrease in receipts for the past four years.

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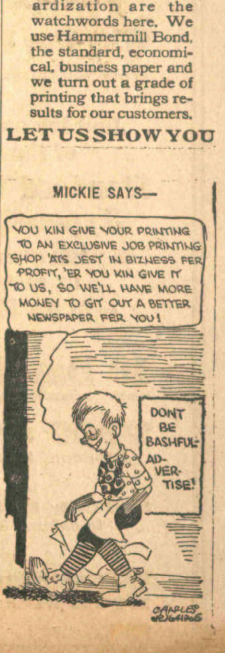
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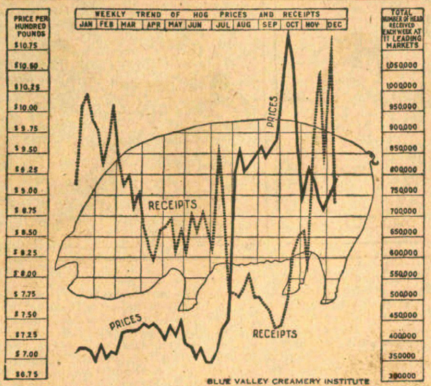
Fewer Hogs—Prices Going Up



BLUE VALLEY CREAMERY INSTITUTE

EXPERIENCED hog breeders and buyers believe the period of excessive shipments and low prices for hogs will be followed by a period of a lowered production and higher prices, according to reports received by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute.

For every ten hogs grown in 1923 only eight were grown in 1924. A careful survey over the hog belt further shows a 15 to 20 per cent reduction in the coming spring pig crop as compared with last year's short pig crop. This actual shortage on farms will naturally result in a lowering of shipments to markets and higher prices.

Exactly when this lowered pork supply will be felt is not certain, but it is expected during the early part of the year. Recently prices have averaged from $2.00 to $2.50 per 100 pounds higher to the producer than last winter. When the 1923 pig crop was marketed the average price of hogs at Chicago was $7.65. The corn situation and short hog supply is expected to drive prices up to more profitable levels for the producer.

No signs are visible for a falling off in the demand for hogs during 1925. If pork consumption holds up and if there follows a normal corn crop in 1925, hog feeding this year promises to be far more profitable than it has been for some time.

Where Nation's Milk Ends

FACTORIES absorb over 34 per cent of the American dairy cow's yearly milk production. More than three-fourths of this amount is turned out as creamery butter, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. The amount of milk used as creamery butter is steadily increasing. To supply the demand of creameries in 1922 required seven billion pounds more than were used in 1914.

Cheese factories are the smallest unit of manufacture of any branch of the dairy industry. Only 3.7 per cent of the annual milk production is made into cheese.

There was a tremendous boom in the condensed milk industry during the European war. By 1919 the volume of exports totaled 40 per cent of the total manufacture. This was an increase of 5,100 per cent over prewar years. In 1920 exports were cut in half. This, with a 17 per cent shrink in domestic consumption, caused a sharp reduction of manufacture. Since 1920, however, condensed milk consumption has again doubled and the export trade is steadily improving. Nearly 90 per cent of the condensed milk made is manufactured in eight states—Wisconsin, New York, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio, Washington and California.

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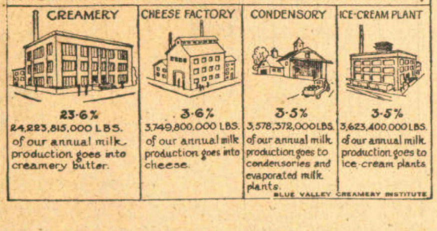
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Tut-Ank Hamen's Tomb Is Rich

Last summer we heard a vast deal concerning the tomb of the great Pharaoh which was uncovered on the desert sands of Valley of the Kings in Egypt, but most of the ravings we set down as pure newspaper bunk. As a matter of fact King Tut-Ank Hamen's Tomb was discovered by an American Howard Carter, and himself and Lord Carnarvon, an Englishman, were the first to visit it after being sealed 3300 years. The sensation of getting into such a museum as this tomb must have been, would certainly be a novel one to most anybody.

James T. Nichols, the world traveler, says he visited the tomb of this monarch but was not able to get into it as the entrance had been re-walled and it is the intention of the Egyptian government to leave intact the sarcophagus of the great Pharaoh while most of the treasures which were in the tomb have been transferred to the Cairo Museum. Nichols says of the richness of this display; it is simply unbelievable. The first room broken into was the ante-chamber:

In this room were rich couches, chairs, jewels, necklaces and ornaments of various kinds. The remarkable thing was that much of the furniture such as couches and chairs are similar to those we use today. Most of this furniture was overlaid with pure gold and the treasures in this one room were worth many thousands of dollars.

It was a tremendous job to take care of this treasure and guard it there in the mountainous valley, miles from civilization. In the meantime, Lord Carnarvon hastened to England and sold the exclusive right of all news of King Tut's tomb to the London Times. It was February of 1923 before all the treasure found in this first room was catalogued and taken to places of safety.

When they were ready to open the next chamber in February, both Mr. Carter and Lord Carnarvon were there. As they cut thru the wall they came to heavy golden doors with great bronze hinges. These doors were unbolted and forced open. Here was a smaller chamber and another set of doors were found bolted and sealed with unbroken seals which opened into the real tomb.

Upon the walls of the inner chamber containing the shrine were paintings and inscriptions of texts from the Book of the Dead. Of course, many of the treasures were so deteriorated with age that the intrinsic value is not great, but there are many exceptions. There were alabaster vases which were hewn from alabaster blocks at the quarries of Oswan. Two life sized wooden statues of King Tut had upon them head-dresses covered with gold leaf, gold collar, bracelets, slippers, etc. These figures were awe-inspiring and each had in the right hand a heavy gold walking stick and in the left a gold mace. The eyes and eyebrows were inlaid with pure gold.

I recently saw much of this treasure found in the ante-rooms and some from the inner shrine, in the museum in Cairo. It is said to be by far the most marvelous collection of gold and treasure, jewels and ornaments ever found in a tomb.

The most wonderful of all the vast treasure, however, was found in the shrines containing the body. The first of these shrines is a great chest seventeen feet long, twelve feet wide and nine feet high. This was overlaid with pure gold all over the outside. There was seven hundred and twenty-six square feet of gold covering on the outside of this shrine, and practically as much on the interior.

When the great golden doors of this outer shrine were forced open, the whole thing was found to be overlaid with gold on the inside also. In this was a second shrine fifteen feet long, ten feet wide and six feet high. This, too, was overlaid with pure gold on the outside but painted on the inside. There were four hundred and fifty square feet of pure gold on the exterior of this shrine.

When the golden doors of this second shrine were opened, it was found that within was a third shrine thirteen feet long, nine feet wide and five feet high. This was overlaid with pure gold, there being three hundred and thirty-seven square feet of gold on the exterior. The interior was only painted.

Inside this was a fourth shrine also overlaid with pure gold, there being two hundred and fifty square feet of gold on this as it was eleven feet long, eight feet wide and four and one half feet high. Inside this was the great mummy case in which was the body of the monarch who died more than three thousand years ago.

In addition to the gold on these shrines there was one hundred and fifty square feet of gold plate on large couches, walking sticks, staves, scepters and maces. Then there were gold plated chariots, etc., so that all told there was more than three thousand square feet of gold plate. This alone was worth an immense fortune. It is actually said that the treasure in King Tut's tomb was worth fifty million dollars.

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Another Big Deal

Editor Douglass of the Oklaloosa News, claims to have received a proposal of marriage from a woman worth $50,000. We've known men to jump at all sorts of foolish speculatibns, but we have always given the women credit for having more sense. When a woman with fifty thousand dollars is willing to spend the whole wad for one Florida editor, when she could get every quill driver in the state at a dollar and ninety-eight cents each, it shows mighty poor judgment. She'd buy gold bricks and pay fancy prices for hook-worms.

Fifty thousand dollars!

There isn't any such money.—De funiak Springs (Florida) Herald.

The Great Lakes Being Drained

The recent imbroglio in regard to the Chicago Drainage Canal is going to wake up a mighty lot of heretofore sleepy-heads and we are glad the newspapers are giving it publicity. The Dearborn Independent calls it just plain "water steal" and no other word seems applicable. For a number of years Chicago has been drawing off lake water in a gigantic spigot at the rate of 10,000 cubic feet per second, and at this rate we shall become a dry hole before many years. Who among us would care to see the beautiful great lakes surrounding Michigan reduced to small muddy inland lake? Not many we imagine And that is what is coming as sure as fate unless Chicago Drainage Canal is shut off. Chicago does not own one twentieth of the great Lakes yet she boldly defends the right to sap our water supply. This should not be so—Let the great city make arrangements to turn her filthy sewerage into other channels. Neither do we propose to allow beautiful Lake Michigan to be polluted with excretia from the teeming thousands, Chicago must come away from it.

"Chicago began "stealing bases" on the amount of water taken partly because more water was needed for the original purpose for which any of it was conceded. She got up to 10,000 feet a second, they say. That excess was stopped by the supreme court until a legal permit was granted.

Now such a permit has been granted, legally, by the secretary of war, for a diversion of 8,000 feet, not so much as Chicago was taking, yet more than the original permit.

Meantime Chicago has been directed to devise a sewage disposal system which will not take so much water, and to participate to the extent of its liability therefor, in the cost of oompensating works for the readjustment of lake levels.

Chicago used the withdrawn water on its way down stream to produce electric power which was the proper and economical thing to do. Nobody was the worse off. If it hadn't been used industry, which is valuable to the country wherever carried on, would have been just so much worse off as may be calculated by the value of the power produced.

Now that the condition of nearly everybody going stark mad over the subject has passed, it becomes the duty of sensible people interested in lake navigation to initiate proposals and have them carried out, in the direction of erecting compensating works which will restore the old levels. This is a perfectly feasible engineering project which involves calculation, design and expenditure, but not hot air."

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Jane Truitt, Defendant

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Hillsdale in Chancery, at Hillsdale, on the 3rd day of January, 1925.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Jane Truitt, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Defiance in the state of Ohio, on motion of John F. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Jane Truitt appear or cause her appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance, that she cause an answer to plaintiffs bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney, within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed, by the said non resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days, the said plaintiff, cause a notice of this order to be published in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

John F. Steward, Attorney for Plaintiff — Guy M. Chester, Circuit Judge
Business address, Addison, Mich,
Attest; A True copy.
Frank O. Hancock,
Clerk of the Court.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65, which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds Smith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277 ,65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the fore going amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods, thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginniag, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.
Farmers & Merchants' Bank
Foster, Fisher & Co., a Co partnership, Assignee for Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee
Hudson, Mich. 29t3

Ingham Officers After Dance Halls

The annual J-Hop at the University of Michigan used to be so odoriferous that the faculty stopped them altogether or banned them. This season the faculty has consented to the ball under certain restrictions. The Ingham county sheriff says that of course every dance hall proprietor is sure he is running the right kind of place, and if he isn't he cant help himself. But he is convinced that some of the proprtetors have very little concern about how the dances are run just so they can cash in on them, which means that they are all willing to shut one eye all the time and both eyes part of the time as long as the cash rolls in. The sheriff says:

"I am positive that parents do not know where their young daughters and sons are and of the dangers lurking around these dances. Cheek dancing, toddling, undue hesitation and other immoral and suggestive dancing is going to be stopped around these public dances and bottle toting is going to be more than frowned on, and I ask the co-operation of every decent, respectable citizen to help.

You can't say "decent" dancing to some of these proprietors. You've got to put it in print in order that all may have fair warning; a set of rules such as have been adopted in several cities and posted in each pavilion about the county, and if they are not obeyed complaints will be made to the cours to have them locked up as nuisances."

The rules are as follows in Ingham county:

1. No shadow or spotlight dances allowed.

2. Moonlight dances not allowed where a single light is used to illuminate the hall. Lights may be shaded to give hall dimmed and illuminated effect.

3. All unnecessary shoulder or body movement or grotesque dances positively prohibited.

4. All unnecessary hesitation, rocking from one foot to the other and see-sawing back and forth of the dancers will be prohibited.

5. No loud talking, undue familiarity or suggestive remarks unbecoming in the least to any lady or gentleman will be tolerated.

POSITION OF DANCERS

1. Right hand of gentleman must not be placed below the waist uor over the shoulder, nor around the lady's neck. Ladies' right hand and gentleman's left hand clasped and extended at least six inches from the body, and must not be folded across the chest of the dancers.

2. Heads of dancers must not touch. No toddling.

MUSIC

No beating of the drum to produce jazz effect will be allowed.

Any and all persons violating any of these rules will be subject to expulsion from the hall, also arrest for disorderly conduct.

Hugh Silsby, Sheriff

We have noted that our remarks about dancing heretofore have not been very cordially received by a certain class but we respectfully call the attention of the public to recent rulings of the police in Ingham county. Nobody on this earth can say that the police force are influenced in the least by prejudice old woman's notions or prudery. Their sole basis for putting on the ban is what they know about the limits young people will go to be downright ornery. Why the students at Ann Arbor got so bad that they would go to Detroit and Ypsilanti and indulge in spells of obscenity called dancing, which if made public, would have dazed old Nick, himself, and it is a marvel that the faculty can see their way clear to allow any kind of toe exercise at all.

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YOUNG FARMER PLEADS GUILTY

STATE DETECTIVE UNCOVERS CONCLUSIVE PROOF OF MURDER OF WIFE

When Ralph Lindsley, a young farmer of St. Joseph county, pleaded guilty in circuit court to the murder of his wife, he admitted the facts which had been disclosed by unusual detective work.

One morning Lindsley drove into Sturgis and reported to the chief of police that Mrs. Lindsley had committed suicide by shooting herself. The coroner and other officials found the woman's body lying in a pool of blood, with a bullet wound in the forehead, and a revolver lying close by.

H. Erickson of the state Bureau of Identification was sent for and took a complete set of photographs, also taking the finger-prints found upon the revolver barrel. Lieutenant John S. Palmer, in charge of the criminal investigation bureau of the Department of Public Safety then took the case.

Tests were made with the revolver which showed that the woman could not have shot herself, inasmuch as powder burns were lacking which would have occurred if she had held the gun

In seeking a clue to the motive for the killing, Lieutenant Palmer learned that Lindsley had been attentive to a young married woman of the neighborhood. Search was made and the fragments of a 16-page letter, which had been read and torn up and the pieces thrown away, were gathered, it took a day and a night to put the letter together and then the motive was plain.

Lindsley had planned to get rid of his wife and also of the other woman's husband, it appeared.

Finger prints of the revolver and measurements showing the direction of the bullet and approximate fixing of the height fro mwhich it was fired were other details entering into the case.

Finally, the burden of evidence being too strong to be overcome, Lindsley came into court and pleaded guilty. He is now serving his sentence in Jackson prison.

MICHIGAN HAS NAVY ON DETROIT RIVER

Commissioner Harry H. Jackson of the Department of Public Safety might now add the title of "admiral" to his name. He is in command of a fleet of four armed speed boats which are now plying the border waters between Ontario and Michigan. Their mission is to do away with the smuggling, principally of liquor, which has been such a heavy traffic in the narrow waters.

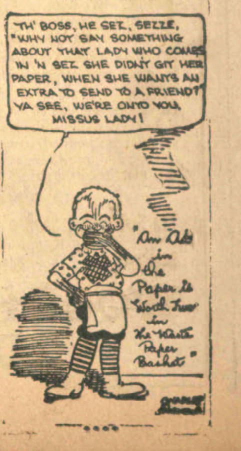
Inasmuch as Ecorse, in Wayne county, has been the receiving point for a very large share of the liquor slipped across the border, it will receive particular attention from the fleet both by day and by night.

Several smuggling vessels were picked up in the first week of operations of the fleet.

KNOCK A WHOLE ROW OF MAIL BOXES DOWN

A dozen rural mail boxes at the roadside near Memphis, Macomb County, were found knocked down one morning. Sergeant Frank Walker of the St. Clair detachment of the State Police found an automobile hub cap nearby. He searched the garages in Memphis until he found a car with a bent radiator and missing cap. Orville Kinsey was the owner and he pleaded guilty to destroying property and paid a fine of $50.

MICKIE SAYS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Seeing Troubles First

Taking troubles cheerfully as they come is to be commended, but still better is the habit of seeing them coming and taking the necessary steps to head them off.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

Heart of Midlothian

The Heart of Midlothian was the name popularly applied to the old jail, torn down in 1817, which stood in the center of the city of Edinburgh, which is the capital of Midlothian county, Scotland.

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> **SOMETHING HIDDEN**
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> SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse. Without relatives or friends, and desperate, Joan, urged by her landlady, goes to Doctor Lancaster's office to ask him to overlook her blunder and reinstate her. She overhears a violent altercation between Doctor Lancaster and other men she does not see. Joan is struck by the favorable change in the appearance and demeanor of the doctor, recalling that at times in the hospital he has been gentle and thoughtful and at others supercilious and bullying. He tells her he can do nothing for her at the hospital, but offers her a position in a nursing institution in the country, telling her she can be of "great assistance" to him. A man named Myers demands she tell him what the doctor had said to her. She denies him the information, and he covertly threatens her. At the institution, which is owned by Doctor Lancaster, Joan finds Myers. He tells her he is the secretary. She instinctively dislikes and fears him.

CHAPTER IV—Continued

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The girl, after a moment's hesitation, preceded Mrs. Fraser into the building. She saw a long corridor, with a number of doors on either side, and the stairs in front of her.

"You would like to see the building, Miss Wentworth?" asked the matron. "Or perhaps you are tired and would prefer to go to your room."

"No, I should like to see it. Have you many patients?"

"Only Mrs. Dana. She's always here, you know. There was a boy with a broken arm, but he left this morning. In winter, though, we're often crowded. It isn't much of a place, Miss Wentworth, but we do a little good. This is the doctor's apartment. He sleeps here; next door is the clinic, and next to that the operating room. Here we keep the supplies. This is my room. Mr. Myers, the secretary, has his room opposite the doctor's. This is the dining room, and here is the kitchen. Now I'll show you your room upstairs, Miss Wentworth."

The corridor above was a replica of the one below. At the head of the stairs a little passage branched off toward a large window in the wall, with a door to one side of it.

"Mrs. Dana occupies this room," said the matron. "Perhaps the doctor mentioned her?"

"Doctor Lancaster said something—"

"She is out of her mind, poor woman, but she is perfectly quiet. You see, Miss Wentworth, she is like an infant mentally. She will not trouble you. Excuse me a moment."

She drew a key from the bunch that hung at her waist and unlocked the door very softly, and with a certain furtiveness, Joan thought. Looking in, the girl saw a strikingly handsome woman of about seven and thirty years, seated in a chair beside a window, with a shawl over her knees. She was in a dressing gown, and her hair hung over her shoulders in two braids. She did not look up or stir as the matron entered, and Mrs. Fraser, after closing the door behind her, presently came out and locked it again.

"I'll show you your room now, Miss Wentworth," she said. "You will be alone on this floor except for Mrs. Dana, but you are not afraid of her?"

"Not in the least. Is she incurable?"

"Yes, quite, poor thing. She has sat in that chair all day for nearly three years."

"And never goes out?"

"Out? No, we don't let her out. It might excite her. But I am not supposed to speak about the cases. It's very sad, though. She comes of a very good family, and they neglected her when she was in trouble, Miss Wentworth, and she's as good as dead to everyone now. She never speaks, but I don't know whether she could. I've never heard her since I came here three years ago. This is the ward. And this is your room."

The open doors along the corridor had revealed clean little rooms with iron bedsteads and plain furniture; the room at the end of the passage, however, was well furnished, with a heavy new carpet and old mahogany furniture. Outside the window, through the twilight, appeared the distant mountains.

Joan, turning, was surprised to see Mrs. Fraser watching her intently. As their eyes met the matron lowered her own in some confusion. There was a furtiveness about her glance that momentarily revived Joan's uneasiness. It was a strange journey, and Doctor Lancaster's behavior had been strange. Then there was the man Myers. Joan felt a sudden sinking of the heart; she was almost regretful that she had come.

A colored maid brought up her suitcase.

"This is Lucy," said the matron. "She will do anything you tell her. She sleeps overhead in the attic. And my room is underneath," she added; "so if you should want anything at any time, just tap on the radiator, and I'll come up at once. And supper will be ready as soon as you are."

In the hall Joan found Mrs. Fraser, ten minutes later, talking to the secretary.

"Miss Wentworth, this is Mr. Myers," she began.

"We've met already," said Myers, scrutinizing her closely. He seemed now to wear the same furtive air as Mrs. Fraser; it seemed part of the atmosphere of the institution. Joan had perceived it in the coachman, too.

"Miss Wentworth is to have charge of the nursing under Doctor Jenkins," said Mrs. Fraser.

"I hope I shan't conflict with—" began Joan doubtfully.

"Not at all, not at all," said Myers, speaking with false heartiness. "I hope we shall all get along well together."

Joan refused to face the problem of Myers' undoubted hostility. She went into the dining room, and found to her relief that the table was only laid for one.

"Mr. Myers has had supper?" she asked.

"You are to have your meals alone, Miss Wentworth," answered the matron.

"But I should not wish—"

"It is the doctor's orders," said Mrs. Fraser, in a tone of finality.

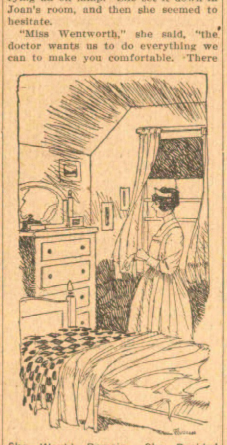
Coming in with the dessert, Mrs. Fraser found her nodding at the table. The girl had begun to feel an intense fatigue after the all-day journey. She began to realize, too, that her work at the hospital had been harder than she had known.

"I believe I shall go straight to bed," she said.

"The best thing you can do, Miss Wentworth. Everybody feels sleepy when they first arrive here. It's the hill air. You must rest well, Miss Wentworth, and please remember it's you who give the orders."

She preceded her up the stairs, carrying an oil lamp. She set it down in Joan's room, and then she seemed to hesitate.

"Miss Wentworth," she said, "the doctor wants us to do everything we can to make you comfortable. There isn't likely to be any work unless some patient comes in. You were not to attend Mrs. Dana, I think?"



She Would Remain. She Decided That While She Was Dressing.

"I was told not."

"That's so, Miss Wentworth." The matron's air was a very decided one, and again conveyed the impression of something hidden, which was, further, meant to remain hidden. "The doctor wired me that. I don't suppose he said anything about Mrs. Dana to you? Or—or Mr. Myers?"

Her stealthy watchfulness now seemed of ominous portent, and the matron made no attempt to suppress the eagerness with which she awaited Joan's answer.

"No, Doctor Lancaster said nothing," answered the girl.

Then, seeing that the matron was still regarding her doubtfully, she added:

"But is not Doctor Jenkins resident here? I have not seen him yet, you know."

The matron stared at her in astonishment. "Why, Miss Wentworth, that was Doctor Jenkins who drove you up from the station! Didn't you know?" she asked.

"That was Doctor Jenkins?"

"I thought Doctor Lancaster would have told you about him. He's a graduate of Johns Hopkins. Old Doctor Lancaster wanted to build up an institution here where we hill people could work among our own. But the plan fell through. You see, the hospital in Avonmouth got hold of most of the money, and then—there were other difficulties. I don't know about them—I've only been here three years, and Doctor Jenkins wasn't graduated then, and we never pay attention to the gossip of the villagers."

She checked herself hastily, as if she was afraid of compromising herself.

"Doctor Jenkins has given up his life to the work here," she continued. "He lives at Millville, but we hope some time that Doctor Lancaster will build up the place again, if only—if only he—"

There was almost a look of agony on her face, and again she turned her eyes upon Joan's face as if to search out her thoughts. Then, with an abrupt "good night," she turned away.

Joan called to her as she was leaving the room. "Mrs. Fraser," she said, "I understood there was a patient here besides Mrs. Dana."

The matron turned slowly round. "There was the boy who left this morning," she said inquiringly.

"But I understood from Doctor Lancaster—at least, he didn't tell me in so many words, but he gave me to understand that there was a special case here, requiring care and sympathy."

The matron stared at her. "No, there's nobody," she said. "Nobody except—"

Suddenly she uttered a convulsive sound, and, putting her hands over her face, ran from the room. Joan heard her stumbling down the corridor outside as if she had gone blind.

She stood irresolute in her room. Her sleepiness was gone; she was afraid, and she seemed to have got out of her depth. It had begun with John Lancaster's strange behavior in his office the evening before. She had not been able then to reconcile him in any way with the Lancaster whom she had seen, smug, self-satisfied and vain, in the operating room, the bully who kept the nurses in agitation and fear, though he was the traditional John Lancaster of whom she had heard. Then there was the man Myers, equally strange; and the matron. Some mystery was at the heart of it all; and Joan was the more afraid because the reason for her fear was unknown to her.

Her sleepiness was gone. She stood beside the window, looking out into the darkness. A whippoorwill was calling monotonously among the pines; here and there among the hills a solitary light was twinkling. The air was cool and balsam scented. It was like the dearly remembered days at home. But in the heart of that peace was apprehension.

Looking back now, Joan thought that she had undertaken a rash and extraordinary adventure in coming so far from Avonmouth alone, and at the proposal of a man whose reputation was an evil one. She would go home on the morrow.

Something was wrong, and in spite of his apparent kindness an inner prompting warned her to beware of Lancaster. He was at the heart of all this, and had enmeshed her in some scheme for his own purposes. She locked her door and went to bed, to sleep restlessly.

Chapter V

When she awakened it was morning. The sun was streaming brightly into the room. Through the window Joan saw a scene of exquisite beauty in the rolling hills, the winding road, the forest glades. Underneath the chickens were scrambling for the corn which the matron was flinging to them. A thousand birds were awing, the universal robin and the bluebird of her beloved home. The dew lay heavy on the leaves and grass. Joan felt a sudden ecstasy. This was her own country, and she had come back to it. Her fears were dissipated with the night shadows.

She would remain. She decided that while she was dressing. And yet a doubt was in her heart. And with it came the remembrance of something that had disturbed her during the night. Filtering into her consciousness came the recollection of an automobile rolling up to the door, and of men's voices conversing in low tones under her window. Then the machine had rolled away. It must have been about two in the morning.

Perhaps a patient had been brought to the institute, thought the girl, as she went downstairs. Mrs. Fraser's door was closed, and the only person astir seemed to be the colored maid, who nodded and smiled as she looked up from her sweeping. Joan began to pace the long verandah in front of the building, looking out across the hills and thinking over her situation.

Perhaps it was only morbidness, or mental fatigue, that had made her read things in the faces of Myers and Mrs. Fraser which did not exist there. Perhaps the day would disclose her position more definitely.

She was walking past the open door of the building when she saw a man leaving the doctor's room. It was Myers, the secretary. He saw Joan and came briskly out upon the verandah.

"Good morning, Miss Wentworth," he said, in his rasping tones. "Pleasant weather, isn't it? Much better here than in the heat of Avonmouth!"

"How do you do, Mr. Myers," said Joan, trying to overcome her instinctive disgust of the man. "You have a new patient here, haven't you?"

He looked at her with a sort of quizzical shrewdness. "What makes you think that, Miss Wentworth?" he inquired.

> Evidently the institution is a place of mystery. And what brings Doctor Lancaster?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Old Weather "Saws" Based on Good Sense

Admiral Fitzroy, who invented the barometer and commanded the brig Beagle on its expedition to the American coast in 1831, declares that most of the old "saws" regarding weather are reliable and based on common-sense investigation. As a weather expert he commended an old saying to the effect that the glow of dawn high in the sky denotes wind, and a low dawn fair weather. He bade us believe that soft-looking, delicate clouds mean wind-fair weather, and hard, ragged ones wind. Mist on a hilltop means rain and wind if it stays long or comes down—fine weather if it rises and disperses. Rain is due when distant objects look near as on what is called a good hearing day. And rain is foretold by pigs carrying straws to sties. The pig as a prophet appears in an old riddle: Question: Why is a storme to followe presently when a company of hogges runne crying home? Answer: A hog is most dull and of a melancholy nature; and so by reason doth foretell the raine that cometh. In time of raine, most cattell doe pricke up their ears; as for example an asse will, when he perceiveth a storme of raine or hail doth follow.

Seven Wise Sayings

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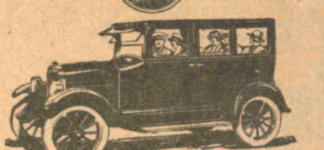

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County Uersey Club Meets

The annual meeting and election of ;officers of the Hillsdale County Club was held at the garage of Pinkham & Wright in Hillsdale on Saturday and the attendance was very good. Officers as follows were elected; President, Fred Anderson, Litchfield; vfce president, Jay North, of this place; secretary and treasurer, Herbert Halsey, Hillsdale. At 12 a basket dinner was enjoyed and the afternoon devoted to talks on the work in the county for the coming year. "Putting Jerseys on the map of Hillsdale county" is to be the slogan of the Jersey Cattle Club as these members go up and down the country-side in their various duties. The press of the county will do well to help this laudable undertaking.

The Editor Discourses on Ministers

The erstwhile editor of a Florida paper that recently came to our notice, gets up quite a sweat writing certain gushings concerning his local minister. We can truthfully say we have ever found little to criticise in the local ministers we have known, and right now we have no talking timber whatever, but this item in the Florida sheet appealed to us as being funny, so here it is:

"A PASTOR'S FAREWELL"

A minister in a certain town in Indiana took permanent leave of his congregation in the following pathetic manner:

"Brothers and Sisters, I come to say good bye. I don't think God loves this church because none of you ever die. I don't think you love each other because I never marry any of you. I don't think you love me because you have not paid my salary. Your donatious are mainly mouldy fruit and wormy apples, and by their fruits ye shall know them.

"Brothers, I am going away to a better place—I have been called for chaplain of a penitentiary. Where I go ye cannot come yet I shall prepare a place for you, and may the Lord have mercy on your souls. Good-bye."

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CORRESPONDENCE

West Hoxie

Mrs Grace Sprague is recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Edward Bloemker was a caller Sunday afternoon on Clyde Sprague.

Little Donald Sutton is now able to sit up after a serious attack of gland fever.

Fred Reasoner and wife of Frontier were callers last week at the Shambaugh home.

Ed Pursell and wife are the owners of a new Chevrolet coupe. Quite fancy, we'd say.

Quite a few from here attended the basket ball game at the Community hall in North Adams.

Charles Sprague and father, Ellsworth Sprague went to Bowling Green, Ohio for a few days on business,

Mrs. Wm. Bloemker and Phyllis and Don Sutton visited on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Mayme Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Shambaugh and Ben Pendell went to Hillsdale Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Shambaugh is taking X-ray treatment in Dr. Sawyer's office and is improving.

Mrs. Mayme Pendell entertained the Club of ten of the S. P. 1. class of the Methodist Sunday school recently. Seven only responded the others being detained on account of illness. They report a good time with ice cream and cake being served by the hostess.

Center Adams

Harry Foust and son Howard made a business trip to Ann Arbor on Thursday.

Mrs. Luella Helmick of North Adams spent Tuesday with Mrs. Addie Wyman.

E. S. Gray and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gray near North Adams.

John O'Melay and family of Hudson were Sunday guests at the Will Keith home.

Mrs. Coryell was in Hillsdale Tuesday and spent a part of the day with Mrs. M. J. Kearns.

Marion Coryell and family were Sunday guests at the James Bumpus home near Churches corners.

Will Burse and wife of Osseo were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wright on Sunday.

Charles Randolph and mother went to Morenci on Sunday and spent the day with his sister and family.

Nathan Webster and wife attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Roufe on Tuesday. This party was in honor of the birthdays of Mr. Roufe and Ross Scovill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ambler and daughters visited Glenn Butler and family of Jefferson on Sunday and incidently made the acquaintance of Dorothy May Butler the new daughter in the Butler home.

East Hoxie

Howard Wells and family were Sunday callers at L. O. Spratt's.

Mrs. F. M. Thompson and Mrs. Will Stevenson were Hillsdale shoppers Monday.

Clyde Kiel and family spent Friday with his brother Herbert and family near Hudson.

Chas Cox and mother Mrs. Corwin Cox spent Sunday afternoon at Chas Oaks of Church.

LaVern Cox, daughter Geraldine and father Corwin Cox visited at Will Sanfords of East Addison on Saturday.

Frank Welker and wife and J. G. Kiel and wife went Sunday for a few days stay with relatives in Ohio. Mr. Welker's father is reported very ill.

The Washington and Lincoln program given at the Hoxie school by the teacher and pupils was fine. After which a Valentine box was opened with valentines for everyone. Miss Anson and pupils then served ice cream, wafers and cake to one and all. About fourteen were present.

Jonesville

Avery Houseknecht and wife have returned from a visit in Kalamazoo.

Mrs. E. M. Collins entertained the Culture club Tuesday February 17.

Mrs. Olive Wisner and sons Donald and Edgar spent the week end in Toledo.

Mrs. Frank McGowan entertained the Investigator club last Tuesday afternoon.

L. W. Sibbald and wife and Miss Maude Wolcott left this week for Fort Sanderville Florida.

Arthur Wells and family visited at the Harry Gowdy home near Quincy this week Friday.

Ed J. Gilmer has bought the house on Maumee street which he has occupied the past year.

Last Sunday was another record making day at the Presbyterian Sunday school there being 182 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Randolph of Detroit, former residents of Jonesville are the parents of a daughter.

The Helen Childs Missionary Society met with Mrs. Winnefred Marvin on Wednesday February 18.

The February meeting of the Mothers club was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carl Rock.

The 90th birthday of Mr. Joel Benedict was celebrated last Sunday at the home of his niece Mrs. F. M. McGowan.

Mrs. Cora Rainey and daughter Mrs. Olive Bishop were called to Mt Pleasant Saturday on account of the death of a relative.

Mrs. Emma Evans of Hillsdale is spending the week at the R. S. Varnum home here while Mrs. Varnum is visiting in Detroit.

Arlington Rodlam and R. B. Howard attended the Auto Owner Agents convention in Lansing Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Jerome

Lee Parks was in Hillsdale Friday.

Blenn Tower has been visiting in Hudson.

I. W. Wertenberger and family were in Hillsdale Saturday.

A. Godfrey and wife of Coldwater attended the community social at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening.

Chas Clement and wife of Coldwater, Mark Clement and family of Jackson visited Sunday at the home of R. M. Seeley and wife.

In order to obtain a glimpse of the lawmakers at work, Supt Wertenberger and his law class went to Lansing Tuesday. Those taking the trip were: Charley and Lewie McGee, Vernon Ballard, Philip Gochanour, George Little, Geraldine Carpenter, Eslow and Vergil Richards Bessie Olney.

Funeral services for Mrs. Martin VanTassel were conducted Sunday by Rev. Scott at the M. E. church. Mrs. VanTassel passed away Saturday following a stroke of apoplexy which occurred Monday. Deceased was 76 years of age and had lived at Somerset Center and Jerome most of her life with the exception of several years spent in New York state and near Jonesville. Mrs. Van Tassell who was a life long member of the Somerset ctr. church put into practice those tenents of Christianity which many of us follow only in theory. She is survived by the husband, one brother Benjamin Greek and one sister Dorcas Greek.

Last week through the machinations of Robert Frantz, local merchants came to an agreement whereby their places of business are to be closed on Sunday. Now if only something sensational would occur on any Sunday in Jerome, various correspondents of the many Daily Blats throughout the state would point their fingers at this locality and say "There is a fine example of the bad results of Blue laws or Sunday laws when they are put into effect by the influence of church people" but Mr. Ostrom informs us that business men usually favor Sunday closing laws rather than oppose them and Mr. Pullen voices his approval. of course, Sunday laws are probably religious laws as has been pointed out by Rep, Coleman of Penn the supreme court of North Carolina and the supreme court of California and if Sunday laws are religious laws then Sunday laws are the result of the union of church and state, a thing which Protestants usually deplore undoubtedly the keeping of Sunday as a day of rest should be left to the individual rather than to the lawmakers and this is what has been done in Jerome. The community thanks the merchants.

Mrs. Wealthy Clement aged 78 years passed away Sunday at her home in Coldwater. Mrs. Clement was formerly Wealthy Seeley and was born in Moscow township. She was a member of the Jerome M. E. church for a number of years but changed her membership with her residence. She is survived by one brother Ralph Seeley who is the last of a family of five children. Funeral services were held Wednesday in Coldwater with burial in Jerome cemetery. Mrs. Clement had many friends here.

Mrs. Merl Morehead, Mrs. W. E. Anson and Mr. and Mrs. Ola Baker were in Hillsdale Sunday.

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Mud Lake School Notes

Fred Miller received the pencil for the arithmetic contest.

The 4th Grade are making hatchets and shields to decorate for Washington's birthday.

The Girl Reserves met at our school Saturday, Feb 14. There was a good attendance and the next meeting will be held at the Bross school the second week in March.

We observed Lincoln's birthday by giving the following program: Quotations, 1st and 4th grades; essays on the life of Lincoln, 5th 6th and 8th grades; song "America" by school.

Last Friday the pupils enjoyed a Valentine box. There was also a heart hunt, Merle Coryell winning the prize. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

Some of the warm dishes served this month have been as follows: Potato soup, creamed peas cocoa and graham wafers, apple dumplings, hamburg and onions, bean soup, beef soup, escalloped potatoes and gravy, hash, creamed corn and mashed potatoes.

The following books nave been added to our library recently: "The Story of washington" "Old Time Stories" "Cattle Ranch in College" "Five little Peppers Grown up" "Bunny Brown and His sister Sue, at Aunt Lu's City Home" "The Children of Mother Goose".

Report for month ending February 20th:

The following have been neither absent nor tardy during the month: Merlin Church, Merle Derby, Fred Miller, Mildred and Merle Coryell, Loceal and Lorena Shull, Eudora Binkley and Dorr Harwood.

—Clark cartoonist, at Grange Hall Saturday Feb 21st at 8:00 p. m. Admission 10c and 20c. All come.

Service

"I keep six honest, serving men;
(They taught me All I Knew):
Their names are WHAT and WHY and WHEN,
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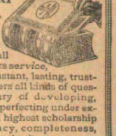

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Wayne Dinsmore. secretary of the Percheron Horse Association of America will state the case for the horse and the side of the tractor will be preeented by Dave E. Darrah of the Hartt-Parr Tractor Company of Charles City, Iow.

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Jackson Bread. per loaf 10c
Klenzo Toilet Soaps, per bar 10c
Klenzo Toilet Soap, Three bars 25c
Vanilla Extract. per 5 oz. bottle 25c
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Hubinger's Starch 4 lbs. 23c
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A. J. Pendell left Saturday for a visit with his daughter Mrs. Geo Combs in Romeo.

Mary Frietag of the high school faculty spent the week end at her home in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hinkle of Hillsdale spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker.

Lloyd Hicks and wife have removed to the Sarah Kinney house in the north part of the village.

Mrs, A. J. Pendell spent the week end in Hillsdale, the guest of her granddaughter Lillian Pendell.

Marjorie Young of the Hillsdale schools spent the week end with her parents Harold Young and wife.

Rex Northrup and wife were in Reading the last of the week visiting his father Elmer Northrup who is ill.

Mrs. L. N. Dubois of Somerset, spent the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Leo Ballard and family.

Mrs. Blanch Irish and little son of Elmira Mich. are guests at the home of her father Jackson Barber east of this village.

Wanted to Rent—House in the village of North Adams. Inquire of Roland Benge at the Shoe Store. 39t3

Born to Mr, and Mrs, Ray Walters Sunday, Feb. 22, a daughter to be known as Audrey-Gertrude Mother and daughter doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker spent Sunday with Harry Wilcox and wife, the occasion being the birth day of both Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Wilcox.

Clide Haskell and wife of Toledo Frank Tiffany Sr., and family of Angola, Indiana, were over Sunday guests at the Catherine Tiffany home.

Edson J. Benge has taken advertising space in the Advocate and cordially invites you to visit his shoe store and view his new Spring Pumps.

Clyde Wertz is still offering some very good prices on groceries. Friday and Saturday he offers ten pounds of sugar for 59c with $2.00 purchase.

Mrs. Ann Voorhees spent Sunday in Ann Arbor, the guest of her daughter Mrs. Frankie Esseltyne, who is residing there, educating her daughters in music.

Jone Young and Janette Roberts were awarded the Lincoln medals which have been on exhibition at Payne & Green's store for some time past, the donation of the Illinois Watch Co,

Lewis West and family who have been residing on the Gurn Baker farm the past year, have removed to North Adams and will reside with his grand-mother Mrs. Eva West, for the present.

The S. E. Class of the Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Tuesday evening March 3rd. Potluck supper at 7:00 o'clock. Program will be games Answer to roll call with Irish sayings.

Mrs, O. G. McFarland entertained several little girls and their teacher Mrs. Etta Pray, at a six o'clock dinner on Wednesday evening in honor of her daughter, Jean, who was celebrating her eighth birthday anniversary. The honor guest received several pretty gifts.

Pioneer (Ohio) has been without a lock-up or village jail for some time until recently, when the village dads procured steel cages and have them installed in the village building. Camden has no jail whatever, and don't know as they need one. If anyone gets too owley they are invited over to Hillsdale where Sheriff and Mrs. Midgley conduct an inn and are prepared to care for all who do not travel the straight and narrow path.—Camden Advance.

The Sorosis Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Ethel Rock on Tuesday afternoon. There was a very good attenance to answer to Roll Call with sayings of Lincoln and Washington. After the business meeting the following program was given: Music by the Club; paper on "art" Mrs. Ellen Williams; paper, "Some points about banking that every woman should know" Mrs. Elizabeth Northrup; After repeating the collect the club adjourned. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Celia Duguid March 24th.

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Sunday morning service 10:30.
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Sunday evening service 7:00

Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

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Mrs. William Corey returned Sunday to the University hospital at Ann Arbor for treatment and an operation.

Mrs. Jeanette Collins who has been visiting her neice the last 3 weeks has returned to her brother's M. Kempton.

Mrs. Alta Schilling and mother Mrs. Carrie Updyke of Hillsdale are visiting Mrs. Schilling's daughter Mrs. Howard Williams.

Lestor Ford and Clyde Graves of Jonesville spent part of last week in Grand Rapids attending a convention of dealers. They went by automobile.

The Silver medal contest will be held at the Bross School house Saturday evening March 7th, beginning at 7:30 under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Howard Williams was hostess to a company of 20 Friday evening in honor of her husband's birthday. Supper was followed by games and a social evening.

Rosene Baker entertained members of her Sunday school class Thursday evening February 19. Games, music and refreshments were features of the evening.

The Basket Ball game between North Adams-Camden was played Monday evening at the Gymnasium with a full house. North Adams got beat, the score being 27-22 and 32-4 respectively.

T. N. Lamb's Dodge car and the Ford car of Elmer Whan collided on the main four corners of this village Saturday morning. Both cars were not traveling at high speed, otherwise the damgea would have been greater. The Ford car sustained a broken windshield and shattered rear wheel while the Dodge was not injured.

Elgin Turner will conduct an auction on the Leon Strait farm 3 miles south of Hanover, 2 miles west and three fourths mile north of Moscow just off the pike, Tuesday March 3, beginning at 1:00 p. m. and will sell three head horses, two cows, 2 brood sows, 6 shoats, stock hog considerable farm tools, 2 tons alfalta hay, etc. Andy Adams Auctioneer, Hanover Bank Clerk. See his big ad on inside of paper.

Mrs. Burr Anderson spent Saturday forenoon in Hillsdale with M. F. Turrell and family on her way to Milwaukee where Mr. Anderson has a position as Roentnologist of a corporation hospital. He has been acting in that capacity at the Universtiy of Michigan for the past ten years. Mrs. Anderson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs Fred Westcott of this place.

Ula Lloyd Eikenberry, a former Hillsdale college student, and Miss Josephine Stiles, of Leslie, Michigan were married by the Rev. Virgil Hunt, pastor of the North Adams Congregational church, at the parsonage at 8:30 o'clock on Sunday morning February 22. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served in honor of the bride and groom. Mr. Eikenberry is a professor in the science department of the Leslie high school. He was also a Fraternity brother of Rev. Hunt.

Pierce Hatchery

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Registration Notice

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of North Adams that the Board of Registration will meet at John Williams Store in North Adams Saturday, Feb. 28th and Saturday March 7th, 1925, from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., of both days for the purpose of registering the names of all unregistered legally qualified voters of said village for the annual spring election which occurs March 9. 1925.

Dated February 26, 1925.
F. E. Caswell, Village Clerk
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METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

The subject for morning worship will be "Joshua's Weakness." The subject for evening service will be "The feasibleness of Modernism." Don't forget the solo to be sung by Mr. Perkins, and the music by the Epworth Choir in the evening service. Hear this subject!

Service at Wheatland church at 2:30 p. m.

The Sabbath school Sunday morning will be in the hands of Mrs. Wattles's class, at which time a special communication from our Superintendent of Mission work in Africa, with special features of the work being done there, which will be especially interesting. Wouldn't you like to hear of their customs and work in Africa? Come!

The Ladies Aid Society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. John Duguid next Tuesday March 3rd. Potluck dinner, and everyone come prepared to do some sewing. Gents. and children are exempt from sewing but you are expected to eat and bring someone with you to eat too.

The subject for Epworth League service Sunday evening will be, "The place where I live, keeping it well." James Meeks, leader. An interesting subject, an interesting leader, and, an interesting bunch of young people, You are invited.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

"The Sincerity of Jesus" will be the theme for our morning service next Sunday. Last Sunday our number was smaller than usual; let's all be back in our regular places this Sunday. We missed U. Sunday school immediately following the preaching service to which you are all cordially welcomed and urged to attend. We still have those pleasing introductory programs as arranged by our Supt., Mr. Holcomb. You will like them.

NOTE: There will be no Sunday evening service as announced last Sunday. Watch for a further announcement.

Choir practice will be held at the home of Frances Young Saturday evening at 7:30.

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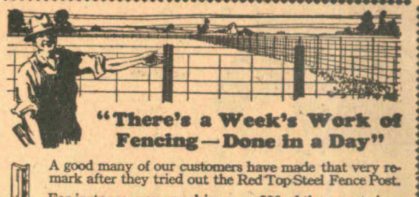

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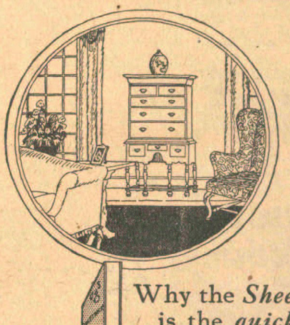

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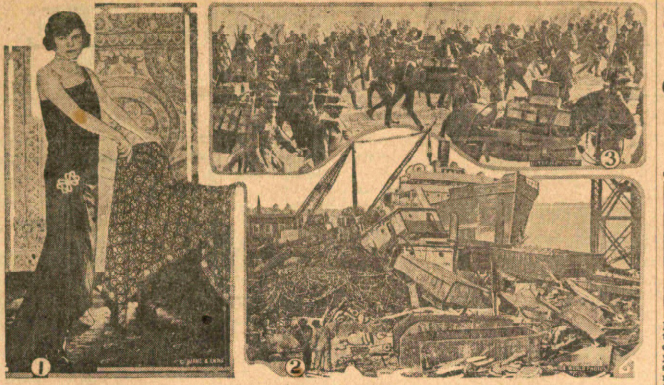

1—Mme. Edmond Willm, beautiful wife of new naval attache of French embassy in Washington. 2—Scene at plant of the Western Marine and Salvage Co., at Alexandria, Va., where hundreds of wooden ships built during the war are being scrapped. 3—View of the great Spanish retreat in Morocco after the victories of the Riff tribesmen.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Navy Board Declares Battleship Still Is Backbone of Our Naval Defense.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

CONTRARY to the opinion of Brig. Gen. William Mitchell and those who support his contentions, the battleship is still the backbone of naval defense and the airplane, while a very valuable arm, will always be an auxiliary instrument of warfare against whose attacks the battleship can be made practically invulnerable. Such is the finding of the special board of the navy created by President Coolidge to investigate the claims of those who asserted that aircraft could sweep navies from the seas.

This board, headed by Admiral Eberle, chief of naval operations, reported last week. Its conclusions, summarized, are these:

"The battleship is the element of ultimate force in the fleet, and all other elements are contributory to the fulfillment of its function as the final arbiter in sea warfare. The other elements have their important, and at times, indispensable functions.

"Aviation has introduced a new and highly important factor in warfare, both on land and sea. It was utilized on an enormous scale and with great effectiveness in land operations during the World war, but did not seriously influence sea operations. Its influence on naval warfare undoubtedly will increase in the future, but the prediction that it will assume paramount importance will not be realized.

"The airplane (heavier than air) is limited in performance by physical laws.

"The airship (lighter than air) has some valuable characteristics, but due to great vulnerability, is of doubtful value in war.

"Aircraft cannot operate from territory that is not controlled by the military or naval forces of their own country.

"Airplanes cannot occupy territory, nor can they exercise control of the sea.

"Airplanes cannot reach distant overseas areas under their own power with any effective military load, and therefore, cannot operate there offensively or defensively until supplied with weapons and fuel.

"The battleship of today, while not invulnerable to airplane attack, still possesses very efficient structural protection, as shown by the experiments on the Washington. The battleship of the future can be so designed as to distribution of her armor on decks and sides, and as to interior subdivision, that she will not be subject to fatal damage from the air.

"The effect of plunging long range gun projectile hits on a ship's deck has now become closely analogous to the effect of hits by heavy aerial bombs.

"By armoring the battleship's deck with six or seven inches of armor, we effectively meet any practicable attack from the air and also attack by gun projectiles fired at the greatest probable battle ranges.

"The interior subdivision will resist any mining effect from aerial bombs. It cannot be said, therefore, that air attack has rendered the battleship obsolete.

"The observation value of the airplane has been extended to assisting gunnery by observing and reporting the fall of shot relative to the target.

"Airplanes have demonstrated their great value to the fleet in scouting, observation and bombing. The use of torpedo planes, gas and smoke screens is still in the process of development. Airplane carriers are necessary elements of a properly constituted fleet to carry airplanes to the scene of action."

As to the plan of unifying navy and army aviation in a separate department of the government, urged by General Mitchell and many others, the board says it would be most injurious to the continued efficiency of the fleet and is a step that should not be taken.

The board made recommendations for a rather elaborate immediate building program to be completed in three years at a cost of $80,000,000 a year. For this the President has substituted this initial program costing $30,000,000:

1. Modernization of three of the coal-burning battleships.
2. Continuation of the construction of the two aircraft carriers.
3. Three million dollars for airplanes for the carriers. (This is in addition to $1,000,000 for this purpose included in the budget for 1926.)
4. Laying down and commencing the construction of two 10,000-ton cruisers.
5. Commencing the construction of gunboats for patrol service on the Yangtze river.

COINCIDENT with the publication of this report came the story from Los Angeles of the performance of navy bombing squadron No. 2 under Lieutenant Commander J. Strong. From a height of 7,200 feet the bombers made 20 direct hits on a small sea target that was being towed at 15 miles an hour. Strong's comment was: "Brigadier General Mitchell was correct as to effectiveness of air bombardment on war vessels. We have known it for a long time. Today we proved it."

He added the assertion that his bombers were 1,200 feet above effective anti-aircraft gun range and said the test was made more difficult than expected because a bank of clouds necessitated much preliminary maneuvering to get a peek at the tiny target.

WASHINGTON dispatches of the same date declared that President Coolidge had decided to discipline General Mitchell for casting discredit on his superiors in the War department and presumably would give him the choice of accepting removal from the office of assistant chief of the army air service and reduction to his regular rank of colonel, or resignation from the service. Mitchell is quoted as saying he would accept the demotion and continue to work for a unified air service.

High officers of the army and navy appeared before the house committee on aircraft to tell it the nation's actual situation as to defense by air, and while their testimony was not made public, it was learned that they showed that the country was utterly unprepared to resist attack, so far as aircraft are concerned.

Another interesting witness was Frank B. Gorin, secretary of the Chemical Warfare association, who told the committee in polite language that Secretary of the Navy Wilbur did not know what he was talking about when he minimized the possibilities of poison gases in war. Gorin laughed at Wilbur's statement that it would require 5,000 planes and 3,700,000 pounds of mustard gas to attack a city the size of Washington. From 12 to 16 planes, he said, could demoralize a manufacturing center like Pittsburgh, and one ton of gas would cover a territory a mile square.

Eleven planes from Selfridge field have been carrying out winter maneuvers in Michigan that have taught the aviators most valuable lessons especially in the quick handling of the planes in extremely cold weather.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, it was admitted last week, is sounding out the powers on the advisability of calling another naval disarmament conference to extend the Washington treaty limitations to auxiliary craft. Our ambassadors have been carrying on preliminary conversations in London, Tokyo and Rome and are said to have met with considerable encouragement there. France also, of course, has been consulted but her attitude is not yet revealed. Her assent is necessary. A London paper says Mr. Kellogg, the retiring ambassador, is bringing to the President a message from Foreign Secretary Chamberlain stating that Great Britain would welcome American initiative in the calling of such a conference, which probably means that the British government recognizes that the Geneva peace protocol is practically dead. In Tokyo it was said Foreign Minister Shidehara would insist on preliminary conversations in that city to fix the agenda of the meeting.

THAT Germany's warlike preparations are continuing and that the Berlin government has not been acting in good faith are the charges made in the report of the interallied control commission presented to Marshal Foch's Versailles committee, and the charges are supported by a great array of alleged facts. With this comes reiteration of the French government's position that evacuation of the whole or a part of the Rhineland would remove France's last tangible pledge for security against aggression without giving anything but vague promises to replace it.

THE tragedy of Sand cave, in Kentucky, reached its climax and conclusion when the miners sinking the shaft for the rescue of Floyd Collins got down to the unfortunate young man and found he had been dead for several days. To release his body from the imprisoning boulder that fell on his foot January 30 would have been difficult, and dangerous to others, so it was decided to make the cave his tomb. Funeral services were held on top of the hill and the entrances to the cavern were filled up. Above the shaft will rise a rock cairn that will stand as a memento of the unselfish and brave efforts of those who toiled for many days and nights to extricate the trapped man.

CONGRESS has now authorized a project that has been long urged by citizens of the North and the South as a symbol of national unity, and by artists and architects as well. It is the Arlington Memorial bridge to link the Lincoln Memorial on the north shore of the Potomac with the Arlington National cemetery and the old home of Gen. Robert E. Lee on the south side. The bridge is to cost $14,750,000 and is to be the most beautiful structure of the kind in the world. It will be completed within the next six years.

IF THE senate has its way, the salaries of members of both houses will be raised from $7,500 a year to $10,000, and those of cabinet members from $12,000 to $15,000. This was provided for by a senate amendment to the legislative appropriation bill which was adopted without a record vote, despite the warm opposition of Senator Willis of Ohio and some others. It was considered likely the amendment would be approved in conference and accepted by the house.

WILLIAM M. JARDINE, president of the Kansas State Agricultural college, is to be secretary of agriculture after March 4. President Coolidge selected him from the field of some 200 candidates after long and careful consideration, for he feels that the operations of the Department of Agriculture will have much to do with the success of his administration, as well as with the prosperity of the country. Doctor Jardine, who began his career as a cow puncher in Montana, is a practical as well as a theoretical farmer and has a thorough knowledge of farm marketing.

DR. MARION LE ROY BURTON, president of the University of Michigan and one of the country's leading educators, died at Ann Arbor after several months of illness. He was a native of Iowa and was only fifty years old. Before going to Michigan in 1920 he had been president of Smith college and of the University of Minnesota. In the Republican national convention last June he made the speech placing Calvin Coolidge in nomination.

Frederic W. Upham, for years until last June the national treasurer of the Republican party and one of the leading business men of Chicago, died at Palm Beach, Fla., where he had gone in the hope of regaining his health. He was national committeeman from Illinois.

M. H. De Young, founder and publisher of the San Francisco Chronicle and one of the Golden Gate city's most notable figures, passed away rather suddenly after an emergency operation.

Another death of note was that of Addison G. Proctor of St. Joseph, Mich., who was the last surviving member of the Republican convention of 1860 in Chicago that nominated Abraham Lincoln for the presidency.

Claims America Had First Civilization

Springfield, Ill.—Ample proof exists for the belief that American civilization antedates that of either Europe or Asia, says Edward W. Payne, Springfield, noted collector of relics in the Middle West, who addressed the Illinois Academy of Science on "The Stone Age in the Mississippi Valley."

"Most people believe the highest civilization ever known on this continent was that of some 350,000 savages here at the time of its discovery by the white race," he asserts. "The common explanation is that the progenitors of these savages came across Bering strait from Asia and that the Indians were their descendants.

"The fact is that people from this continent went from here to Asia. I base this opinion on the fact that relics and curios found in the Mississippi valley are all duplicated in other parts of the world.

"Hairpins illustrate the case. The Chinese made a certain hairpin from jade. Many are beautifully carved, but none give evidences of age which hairpins of similar design, found in Arkansas, show.

"Another stone found near Winchester, Ill., provides another clue. It is beautifully made and of an unusual shape, but not until I had talked with an army captain who had served in the Philippines did I know its use. He said it was a bath brush. In the interior of the islands he had seen Filipino women washing their children with a similar device."

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Flint—An army airplane, piloted by Staff Sergt. Charles M. Wisely, was sent here from Selfridge Feld to pick up a quantity of spark plugs from a Flint factory for use in the army maneuvers being staged at Lake Vanetten.

Port Huron—A program calling for the construction of more than 20 miles of gravel roads in St. Clair County this year has been outlined by county highway officials. Hearings on the projects will be held in March.

Battle Creek—Mary Gogoff, 13-year old daughter of a wealthy merchant here; known as "the girl without a country," because of her entry into the United States from Canada was held up by immigration officials, was admitted to the country by Secretary of Labor Davis under $1,000 bond.

Mt. Clemens—The Mt. Clemens city commission has confirmed the result of the special election here authorizing the grant of a new franchise to the Mt. Clemens Gas Light Co. The franchise will supplant the present one granted 30 years ago, which has still three years to run.

Monroe—Thousands of fish are floating or frozen in the ice of the River Raisin, west of the dam in the village of Dundee, 14 miles west of Monroe, according to report received here. It is said that some poisonous substance has been drained into the river. The authorities are investigating.

Manistee—Manistee voters will decide at the spring election whether the city is to have a boulevard lighting system. The proposal provides $5,000 for the first section of the system covering six blocks along the principal street and extensions by approval and appropriation in the future.

New Baltimore—Anti-rabbies treatment has been given Lucy Carpenter and Donald Meldrum, two new Baltimore children as a protection against wounds which they received recently when bitten by a mad dog. An examination of the dogs head made at Ann Arbor, showed that it had the rabbies.

Midland—Life imprisonment in solitary confinement was the sentence imposed upon Victor Badgley, 29 years old, who pleaded guilty to slaying 11-year-old Lena Todd, of Coleman. He was sentenced in Circuit Court here by Judge Ray Hart and was taken to the Branch State Prison at Marquette.

Richmond—Harold "Red" Grange, all-American foot ball star from the University of Illinois, is a "very sick man," his physician, Dr. J. F. McCarthy, announced. Grange is suffering from a relapse of the mumps, with which he was stricken when he came here to deliver an address to Richmond High school students.

Detroit—Patrolman Phelin McDonough, was killed in preventing a robbery of a Brownie drug store at 8200 Hamilton avenue. In a gun battle with two of a trio of prospective holdup men he was shot at close range through the head and expired 30 minutes later in the Henry Ford hospital. The bandits escaped in an automobile.

Sturgis—The Sturgis Memorial hospital, one of the finest and best equipped hospitals in Michigan, has been formally opened. The hospital comprises 21 private rooms, two wards, three surgical rooms, nursery and dining rooms, sun parlors and baths. Miss Annie Hill of Woodstock, Canada, has been named superintendent.

Olivet—Four Winton township girls are seriously injured as the result of a concrete wall falling upon them at school. Several other children escaped injury. The partition was constructed a short while ago to separate the boys' and girls' cloakrooms. It was made of concrete and is said to have been fastened loosely to the walls of the building.

Menominee—For the second time within a year the village of Daggett, Menominee County, was visited by a serious fire, four buildings being destroyed and two persons being injured. A lose of more than $30,000 incurred. The postoffice building, general store of John Dunham, residence of Axel Swanson and barber shop of John Logan were burned.

Hart—Residents of Hart opposed to the construction of a community-owned dam and power plant have asked an injunction in Circuit Court, restraining the village council from carrying out the plans, indorsed recently in a special election. Those signing the petition for an injunction say that their action is brought through fear that taxes here will be considerably increased if the dam and power plant are built.

Ann Arbor—Ordinary dirt is to replace wood and brick in constructing houses if experiments of Prof. F. N. Menefee and R. E. P. Franklin of the University of Michigan mechanical engineering, are followed by general adoption. The experiments have shown, it is claimed, that using only earth and pure sand, mixed with 12 per cent of water, a rigidity capable of maintaining 100 times the weight of the ordinary frame house can be secured. The mixture is tamped in forms, and after drying has the consistency of concrete.

Mt. Clemens—Thirteen fliers from Selfridge field, comprising the first pursuit group of the United States army air service, will leave here under command of Major T. G. Lanphier, commanding officer at Selfridge field, for a series of maneuvers unique in army flying annals. They will head north to Oscoda, where their planes, equipped with an adaption of skis as landing gear, will be put through their paces, testing their usefulness as defense units in a northern clime at a season when neither army nor navy could work efficiently.

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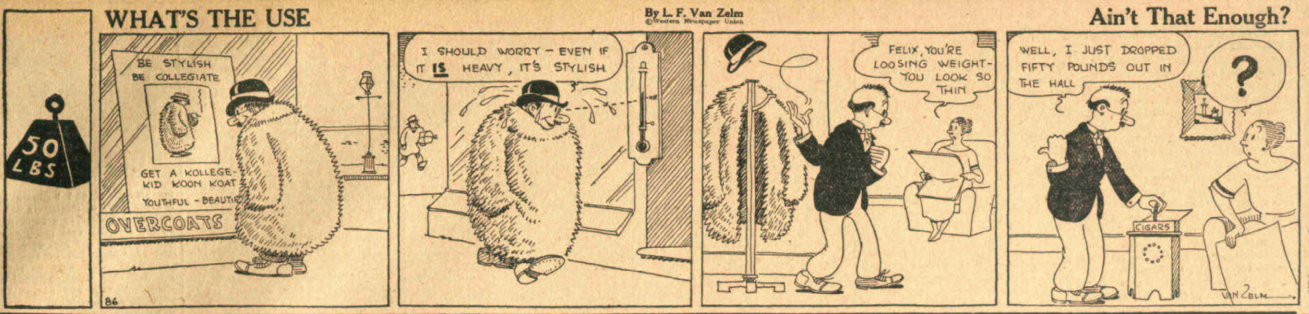
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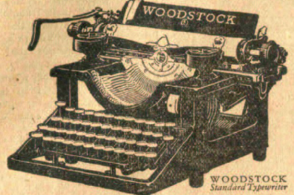

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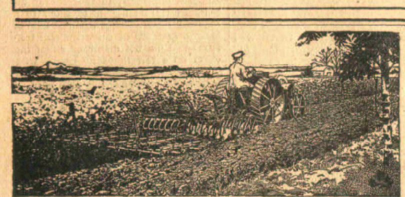

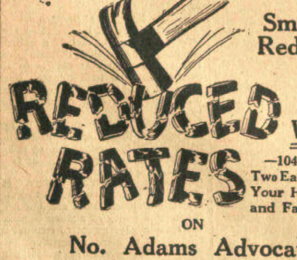

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

"Home-Made Thugs"

Thieves, murderers, bootleggers hi-jackers and others of the motley crew of crime do not come out of law abiding homes, and the prevalence of crime and criminal tendencies in youth, finds a Brooklyn grand jury, is an indictment of the domestic hearth. The adult generation has sought by various arguments to lay the responsibility for the waywardness of youth on the war, on the rapid developments of science which have increased leisure and the opportunities for worldly pleasure, on woman's sudden access to freedom, on any argument that was handy. But it is the old generation itself, we are told more and more often now, which is responsible for the ills it attributes to youth. Parents have shirked their responsibilities by ignoring the spiritual welfare of the children, says the Brooklyn grand jury in its presentment to County Judge Vause. Business and pleasure pursuits of parents have deprived their children of the right of loving companionship. "Others by their own defiance of law have taught their children defiance of of law. Law breaking homes do not produce law abiding children. Law breaking breeds law breaking." As we quote it from the press, the presentment goes on:

"An alarming number of children in Brooklyn are growing up with no religious training whatever. A prominent jurist (Judge B. J. Humphrey) recently declared that in his twenty years on the bench he could recall but one of the thousands of criminals brought before him who had a Sunday school training. If this record is to be accepted at its face value, it means that the arch enemies of crime are our religious institutions of whatever creed.

"What are the remedies? We are convinced that the most essential is a revaluation of religious influence in the home. The perfect home is that which trains its sons and daughters not only in mind and body, but also in spirit. We believe the people of Brooklyn must set for themselves a new standard of fealty and devotion to church and synagogue. Let us not send our children to them but go with them and show them that we believe the things we want them to learn are worth while.

"Let us see to it that our children shall have learned the Golden Rule rather than the rule of greed. Let us see to it that they have a square deal. Join the children in their amusement seeking, and insist that their conception of life shall not be corrupted by vicious movies and filthy books.

"Gunmen, thugs and bootleggers are not made in a day. They are the product of homes where laxity and indifference reigned. The criminals of tomorrow are in our homes and school and on our streets today, impressionable, eager to learn looking for a hero to worsnip and a gang to join."

There is no lack of evidence to prove the indictment of the Brooklyn grand jury. Albert B. Hines, director of the Boys' Club, New York, asserts that 80 percent of the crime in this country is committed by men or boys who have had no religious training.

In Brooklyn, he finds, there are only 30,000 boys under religious influence. As he is quoted by Mabel Abbot in the New York World Mr. Hines declares, in common with the Brooklyn grand jury, that

"The home as a source of spiritual culture, educaiion and moral training is not functioning. The boy is turned out on the street for his pleasure. Every boy has about 4,000 hours a year when he is awake. One thousand of these are spent in school, leaving him, perhaps, 2,500 hours to spend on the street.

"To find out what the actual influence of the street are, I made a study some years ago of our neighborhood, with the help of a lot of older boys in the club. We observed the boys of certain blocks on a week day afternoon, in the evening, and on a Sunday afternoon. We found that 24 percent of the boys on the week day afternoon were doing things that were actual violations of law, such as throwing stones at windows, shooting craps, stealing, building fires, etc., and that 50 percent were doing things that were destructive to moral character or dangerous to their lives."

To emphasize the careless attitude of some parents and, in a few cases, their utter disregard for the welfare of their children. Judge George C. Appell, of the Westchester County Juvenile Court, New York, gives some striking evidence. To a Yonkers Herald reporter he cited the case of a little fourteen year old girl who was unfortunate enough to have been thrown in contact with the lowest types of man. She finally came under the eyes of authority, and was brought into court, her mother with her. When the conditions under which her child was living were made known to her, the mother said, "Well, she's got to know some time in her life how rotten men are. Why not let her know it now?" While such an extreme case is fortunately rare, we are told, there are hundreds no less pitiable Frequently girls break down when the full knowledge and understanding of what they have done dawns on them in court. One wailed, "Oh if my mother had only told me all this!" In a series of character tests prepared and reported by Paul F. Voelker in "The Function of Ideals in Social Education," the group which ranked the lowest "is made up of boys who do not seem to have the advantages of good home training, and whose public school training is not designed to improve them in trustworthiness."

The score made by this group was 42.1 percent, while the highest score, 82.3 percent, was made by a Boy Scout group which had been in training two years, thus exemplifying the possibilities of moral training. Boy Scouts in training six months made 80.4 percent and a private school group made 78.2 percent, whereas the score of a public school group was only 56.8 percent, a distressingly low mark.

Is Mars Inhabited?

For many years the astronomers have been debating concerning the likely habitation of the planet Mars. Recent developments in the line of telescopes do not help to any great extent since the star is so far from us that at best its aspect is badly blurred in the most powerful lenses in use on this earth today, but it is reported that scientists on the top of Mount Jungfrau in the Alps using a powerful magnifier have seen some very queer changes and symptons on Mars for which they can offer no excuse. Of course the only belief is imagination and ever will be, but discoveries have shown Mars to be the most similar to our earth of any satellite that roams the heavens. Mars is one and a half times farther from the sun than we, or 128,000,000 miles, hence it is natural to suppose the climate on that planet is much colder than ours, possibly too cold to for any kind of life. The days, as we reckon them, are 40 minutes longer on Mars than with us, and as we suppose our earth looks to them, so Mars looks to us, showing different zones or spots on its surface which may be the results of different temperatures. For instance near the poles of Mars are white caps looking exactly like snow covered mountains would appear at a distance of 128,000,000 miles, but whether this is the correct solution will never be known. It is settled, however, that the surface of Mars changes regularly at stated intervals, because the colors range from green to blue, and vice versa, which leads observers to believe there are seasons of vegetation and seasons of winter and bleakness. Then there are queer markings running straight in all directfons (showing much plainer at times) which some astronomers are pleased to call canals, and according to our laws of nature these lines could not be natural channels but must be the handiwork of some kind of human agency, otherwise they would be crooked and irregular.

Scientists have figured that at the distance of Mars from the sun the temperature at warmest would not be higher than 48 degrees, hence no vegetation such as we have could grow there. White spots appear at times crossing and recrossing the surface and they are pleased to call these clouds which they very much resemble. The polar caps or white spots near the poles in the summer season disappear, only to come again in winter, hence it is natural to suppose that the heat in summer dissipates the snow from these high mountain peaks and the resulting moisture runs down into the valleys and irrigates them causing an abundance of some kind of vegetation.

Some of our scientists would like very much to believe that the residents of that planet are trying to signal to us, since flashes of light at times are recognized on the surface of Mars. When we take into consideration that nothing smaller than 30 miles square can be seen from our earth on Mars the above statements shrivel up like an autumn leaf. It is more than likely that an even larger area than thirty miles square is hardly visible, so that if there are any here who are worrying about the Martians putting up signals to us which we cannot answer they can cease, since nothing short of a forest fire on Mars would be visible in our telescopes up to date. When it is feasible to build machines with 30 times the magnifying power of the biggest telescopes now known it may be possible we shall learn something.

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A second truck and tractor course, planned to give practical instruction in the care and operation of gasoline powered machinery on the farm, will open at the M. A. C. on March 9 and run for four weeks. A similar school is under way at East Lansing now, with good enrollment from all parts of the state.

Registration in the truck and tractor course, which is part of the Regular winter short course work at M. A. C. is open to anyone in the state over 16 years of age. There is no charge. Those who wish information should write to R. W. Tenney, director short courses, M. A. C., East Lansing.

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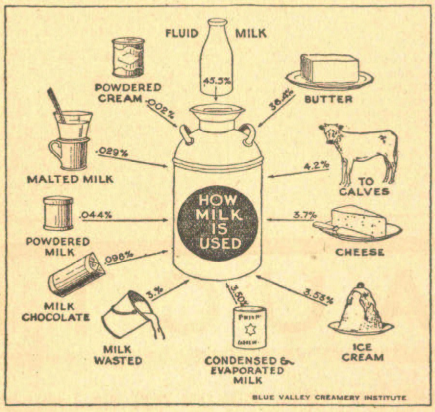


BLUE VALLEY CREAMERY INSTITUTE

TWENTY cents out of every food dollar is spent for dairy products. Milk or milk products are used in almost every dish included in the daily meal, according to the Blue Valley Creamery institute.

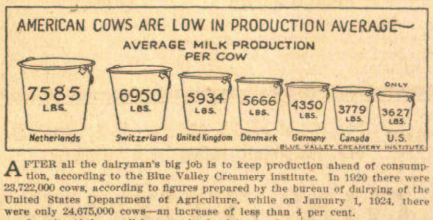
Latest statistics prepared by the bureau of dairying of the Department of Agriculture show that 45.5 per cent of the American milk production, or almost one hundred billion pounds, is used directly in the form of milk. It is estimated that every man, woman and child consumes on an average of 50 gallons of milk each year. This is an increase of eight gallons over the 1917 per capita consumption figures.

The nation is eating more butter as well as drinking more milk. Per capita consumption of butter averages around 16.5 pounds, while in 1918 the average was but 14.6 pounds. More than one-fourth of the yearly milk supply is made into butter, 23.6 per cent of this is turned out as a commercial product.

Americans are not big cheese eaters. The average consumption is less than 3.7 pounds per capita. Only 3.7 per cent of the annual milk production is made in cheese. Condensed milk consumption has more than doubled since 1920 when the average consumption was six pounds per capita. Today the average consumption is 12.69 per capita.

Condensed milk plants last year absorbed 3.5 per cent of the milk produced. Ice cream takes about the same amount. Calves drink around 4.2 per cent. Less than 2 per cent of the year's milk supply is used for such miscellaneous products as powdered milk and cream, malted and canned milk and milk chocolate. It is estimated that around 3 per cent is wasted or lost.

European Cows Yield More Milk



BLUE VALLEY CREAMERY INSTITUTE

AFTER all the dairyman's big job is to keep production ahead of consumption, according to the Blue Valley Creamery institute. In 1920 there were 23,722,000 cows, according to figures prepared by the bureau of dairying of the United States Department of Agriculture, while on January 1, 1924, there were only 24,675,000 cows—an increase of less than 4 per cent.

In spite of the small increase in the dairy herds, production has not lagged behind consumption, due to the fact that by better feeding and breeding more pounds of milk have been produced. However, as the chart shows, the average American cow would have to double her milk yield to equal the production of cows of some of the European nations. It is estimated that the average production per cow in the United States is 3,627 pounds, although many pure bred animals give six and seven times this amount. During the last quarter of a century the United States has increased her production of milk per person about 60 pounds a year, approximately 8 per cent. This increase has been sufficient to a little more than supply the same amount of milk per person that was available in 1900.

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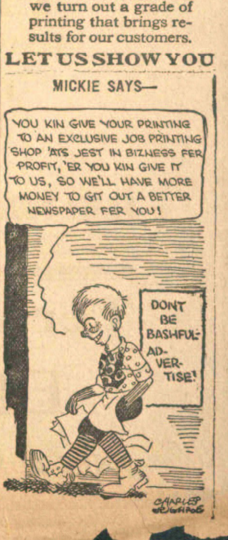
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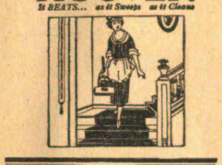

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Letter From Lawrence Kempton

Lawrence Kempton, who recently went to Mount Vernon Ohio, where he is manager of a Farm Bureau for the county, sent the following letter to his parents and we are publishing the same for the benefit of farmers who use fertilizer It gives them a good idea of how fertilizer is manufactured. Lawrence speaks of Muscle Shoals project and well he may, since the refusal of the government to allow Henry Ford the management of this great plant in our opinion is one of the worst calamities which has happened to the farming population of this country in many years but of course Washington is not controlled by the needs of the farmer—far from it. The lame duck politicians get lots more consideration up there than the man who tills the soil.

"Dear Folks:

I have not writtən you for two weeks so I will try and make up for it this time. Two weeks ago today was the beginning of a very busy week and it sure was a busy one. It was the last week of Farmers Institutes and we had eight in one week. I missed one on Friday as one of the head men at Columbus had the expenses of a bunch of the state service managers paid over to Cincinnati and back, to give us all a chance to go through the largest fertilizer plant in the state and the third largest in the United States. The sales of this enormous plant are entirely controlled by the Ohio Farm Bureau and all of the fertilizer is put up in our own sacks with our name on them. I saw twenty seven thousand tons of acid phosphate in one pile and in all they had about sixty thousand tons piled up curing out and waiting for the spring orders, It gave me a new idea as to the power of thirty seven thousand farmers when banded together. That is the membership of Ohio state at this time. In making commercial fertilizer, this plant uses a Florida rock which is supposed to be better than any other rock in this country. It is mined out and reminded me of the top layer of a crushed stone road, grey in color and very hard, flinty and sharp. This is phosphate rock. This is run through a machine and ground as fine as flour, then it is mixed with sulphuric acid in the ratio of about 8 to 10 in a machine that looks like a giant bread mixer In two and a half minutes a plug is drawn from the bottom as a very rapid chemical action takes place, and if left in too long the composition will get so hard that they have to pick it out.

When it leaves the mixer it goes into a large cement silo where it reaches a temperature of 300° Fahrenheit. Within 30 minutes it is dug out with huge clam-shell buckets operated by a crane and is then piled up to allow it to cool and to permit the chemical action to complete itself. This takes from two to six months and the longer it lays the better. When farmers speak of getting green goods it is because the fertilizer has not laid long enough. This pile becomes nearly as hard as cement and then before it is shipped it is re-ground and sacked. This is the basis for all fertilizer and this mixture makes what is known as 20 per cent acid phosphate. When you order 16 per cent acid they give you 1600 pounds of this 20 per cent and add 400 pounds of sand to make the ton.

For complete fertilizer which also contains ammonia of nitrogen and potash; these ingredients are added in whatever proportion you may desire. For instance an analysis like 2-12-2 which means 2 per cent nitrogen, 12 per cent acid and 2 per cent potash, they would use 200 pounds of nitrates, 1200 pounds of the acid and 200 pounds of potash and 400 pounds of sand which is just to make the ton. The sand has no value. From this you will see that a grade like 2-16-2 would contain no filler. The nitrates are shipped here from Chile and that is where the value of Muscle Shoals lies, in its rich deposits of nitrates. The potash comes from Germany and France.

I left Mt. Vernon on Thursday night and arrived at Cincinnati on Friday morning, and left there on Friday night and was back home for a meeting on Saturday. Sunday I was tired and laid around all day and had a fever that night and was sick all day Monday. Thought sure I was coming down with the la grippe, but threw it off and went to Columbus on Wednesday to the State Live Stock meeting as I was on the program add so of ccurse did not feel that I could miss it.

This week will be mnch easier as it will be just our regular routine and I think that I am glad that the rush of two or three things happening all the while in differənt places is over for a while."

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Lenawee County Corn Grower Sets Record

The honor of having produced the largest corn crop in Michigan last year probably goes to O. E. Ridge, of Deerfield, Lenawee County, according to H. C. Rather crops extension specialist at M. A. C. and secretary of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association.

Ridge harvested seven thousand bushels from his 108 acres of corn, an average yield of nearly seventy bushels to the acre. Otto Wagner, of Riga, won the state honors for yield on a five acre plot last fall, but Mr. Ridge's total production is considered a record for the year, both in total volume and in average yield over a big acreage.

"This yield is unusually remarkable in view of the fact that 1924 was an adverse corn year", says Mr. Rather. "It would come near to being a record in any season. The state average last year was only 26 bushels to the acre."

"Mr. Ridge's unusual crop is attributed mostly to good seed, although good soil and careful cultural practices played an important part. The seed planted was Clement's Whitecap, a well adapted variety.

Safety First Holds Good With Pyrotol

That there will probably be more agricultural explosive used in Michigan this year than in two years previously, and that this added use of explosives calls for special attention to the safety factor in its handling, is the opinion of Larry Livingston, specialist with the M. A. C.

Pyrotol, the cheap but efficient war salvage explosive available for farmers of the state this year, will be responsible for the stimulus in agricultural blasting operations, it is said, and Pyrotol should be handled with the the same respect in regard to danger that is accorded dynamite.

"While Pyrotol is not as sensitive as some dynamite," says Livingston, "it has the same tearing, shattering action as dynamite when it is exploded. After a cap and fuse have been lighted, the blaster should not return until the next day if the charge fails to explode. Work can be conducted in another section of the field with safety, thus leaving the 'hangfire' to take care of itself. Men using Pyrotol should remember that one charge exploding while the blaster is making an examination of a 'hangfire' nearly always results in death.

"Blasting caps which are used with Pyrotol are always a source of danger, unless they are handled carefully. Every method possible should be employed to protect the blaster and others, particularly children, from the blasting caps. Store the caps in a dry, cool place away from children. Use cap crimpers instead of teeth for crimping."

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CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Hillsdale, In Chancery,
Doa Truitt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jane Truitt, Defendant

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Hillsdale in Chancery, at Hillsdale, on the 3rd day of January, 1925.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Jane Truitt, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Defiance in the state of Ohio, on motion of John F. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Jane Truitt appear or cause her appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance, that she cause an answer to plaintiffs bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney, within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed, by the said non resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days, the said plaintiff, cause a notice of this order to be published in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

John F. Steward, Attorney for Plaintiff — Guy M. Chester, Circuit Judge
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65, which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the fore going amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north - east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods. thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginniag, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.
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B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee
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Having bought a smaller Farm I will sell on the Leon Strait Farm 3 miles south of Hanover, 2 miles west and 3-4 mile north of Moscow, first corner on Pike east of Plains Church

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1925

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Sorrel Mare 12 years old, weight 1250 pounds. Roan Mare 9 years old, wgt. 1350 pounds, Gray Mare 14 yrs. old Weight 1,400 pounds

TWO COWS 4-year-old Cow with calf by side
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FARM TOOLS: Osborne Mower. Wagon, Gale Riding Cultivator, 2 Walking Cultivators (one new) Grasshopper Plow Grass Seeder drill (good as new) Moline Corn Binder. Nisco Manure Spreader. Single Buggy. Surrey. Set Back-pad Harness. Set Light Driving Harness [nearly new] John Deere Gang plow [nearly new] Two 20-inch Collars. Forks and Shovels, 2 Tons Alfalfa Hay. Two-unit Milking Machine foot power. Wheel Barrow. One 10-gallon Milk Can.

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Collins Case Without a Parallel

After 18 days of imprisonment the Collins case is finally settled. Inasmuch as funeral services have been conducted on the hill above the cave where the unfortunate young man was entombed. Undoubtedly the radio fiends have made the most of this case and throughout the United States radios have worked overtime thus demonstrating that wireless is bound to become one of the important factors in news peddling. Not very many moons ago it was prophesied that news would be distributed to the masses by radio at all times, and that public speakers would be installed in the streets which all day and all night would blat out the daily happenings for all who cared to listen, and verily this is being fulfilled. We doubt if there is a town, four corners or locality be it ever so remote in this country where Radio does not touch and edify the thousands. While it is admitted that the apparatus up to date has serious failings, yet the day is not far distant when every whisper on the air will be recorded in all weathers and under all circumstances. If necessary this miracle can work through solid earth in the depths of the mines and tunnels, in the Ocean and anywhere there is air or water. "What Hath God Wrought?"

Book Five Courses For Radio School

Five separate radio extension courses, each running for two weeks, will be included in the special "air" school to be conducted by the M. A. C. from March 2 until May 8, according to announcement made here this week.

Starting with an agricultural engineering course, the school will include courses on crops and soils, livestock gardening, and home making, in the order named. Any radio listener in Michigan can enroll without cost for any or all of these courses, receiving copies of the lectures as they are given and being given an opportunity to qualify for a certificate at the end of the course.

Members of the M. A. C. agricultural faculty will handle the work of the school, two appearing on the program each evening from seven fifteen until eight o'clock, eastern time. Ralph W. Tenny, director of short courses at the college, is handling registration for the radio courses.

Scientific Investigation of Radio

A late magazine devoted to Popular new mecanics says that it is only a matter of a short time when diseases will be diagnosed by the doctor without seeing the patient at all by means of the radio. Appartus which will transmit every sympton of the patient to him sitting in his office 50 or a hundred miles away and he will make a correct diagnosis of the diseese and send medicine. The possibilities of Radio are increasing every hour and 60 years hence there will be some wonderful conditions on this earth by means of it. Scientists are by developing ways and means of using wireless in time of war and the next conflict will be conducted along vastly different lines we imagine. The death ray is now merely a phantasy, but believe us the day is not far off when this "Ray" is going to be far more important in war practice than poison gas now is. Germany as usual has gone farther in Radio science than we, and today she makes a state business of receiving and transmitting world wide messages over the wireless and she has the largest plant we believe of that kind on the globe. From all accounts the Germans are not idle on war science either and no doubt they are busy secretly building munitions and drilling soldiers against that great day when she will renew her struggle for supremacy of the world. Old Kaiser Bill in his castle at Doorn Holland probably seems innocent enough but as a matter of fact that old bruiser is thoroughly informed on every point of government up to the minute in Germany. Germany outwardly seems to be diffident but inwardly she is a raging monster. She supposes she has been underhanded by the Allies and it is too bad the World conflict did not last a short time longer—so as to completely annihilate the Hohenzollerns and their followers from the face of the earth. If war ever breaks out again Germany can be depended upon to use all of these latest inventions and use them with destructive results.

It is possible some of us do not realize that it is necessary we should ballot at the spring elections. It is too bad some neglect this very important part of our citizenship. There are a large number of officials who get their job by just such happenstances as that then when the chaps begin to get in their work we wonder why somebody voted for them. Of course their friends nominated and voted for them, and just because you and I remained away from the polls and did not cast an offsetting vote these men got their office but they represent about one-tenth of the popular voice we should imagine. Now while elections don't always turn out as we might wish when we do vote, is is no sign we should not try to oust the candidates we don't want.

Monday, March 9th, s village election.

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS ASSOCIATION

BETTER ROADS

manufacturing and business centers. A great mass of foreigners come here and get together in groups, but they do not get any real touch of Americanism. They are just as Jewish and just as Italian ten or twenty years after they come here as they were the day they came, because nobody appears to take any particular interest in them. But when an institution like a savings bank begins to take an interest in the problems of the people, to let them feel that here is a group of people engaged in a business that is willing to listen to them, their troubles, their trials, is willing to advise them, willing to steer them straight, willing to be sort of Big Brother to them, I do not think there is any better Americanization work than that being done.

That is the kind of work the progressive savings bank is starting on,—telling people that if they will come to them with their troubles they will be glad to give them the best disinterested advice, to do things for them free, that otherwise they would be charged for by somebody. They are willing to advise them when they get a little more money than the savings bank can take care of, what they can invest it in, or in some cases what not to invest it in.

If the savings and commercial banks all over the country adopt that particular attitude toward our foreign fellow-citizens, it will give them an entirely different view of Americanism. It is this changed attitude that has resulted in the tremendous growth of deposits that have taken place in the savings banks since the war. There has been a different spirit breathed into the relations between the depositors and the men on the other side of the counter.

MORE BACKBONE, LESS WISHBONE

Why not think on the matter of wishbones and backbones and decide to take the power out of our wishbones and put it in our backbones? That's the place we need it if we are to accomplish things worth while.—*Banker-Farmer.*

The raising of the revenue required to conduct our government is intimately connected with our economic welfare. If it is done by wise and just laws, the burden will be most easily borne. But if the method of taxation is not sound disaster will follow, reaching even to financial panic. Our first thought should be to maintain unimpaired the activity of agriculture and industry That tax is theoretically best which interferes least with business.

Asks Just Taxation.

"Only about 3,500,000 people pay direct income taxes. The remainder pay, but pay indirectly, in the cost of all purchases, from a pair of shoes to a railroad ticket. This country has at least 107,000,000 of these indirect taxpayers. I am not disturbed about the effect on a few thousand people with large incomes because they have to pay high surtaxes. They can take care of themselves, whatever happens, as the rich always can. What concerns me is the indirect effect of high surtaxes on all the rest of the poeple. Let us always remember the poor. Whatever cry the demagogue may make about his ability to tax the rich, at the end of the year it will always be found that the people as a whole have paid the taxes. We should, therefore, have a system of taxation under which the people as a whole are most likely to be prosperous. Our country will be better off if, disregarding those who appeal to jealousy and envy, it follows in taxation and all else the straight path of justice.

For Economical Campaign.

"Economy should be practiced scrupulously in the conduct of a national campaign. I know it is difficult to distinguish between real service to the people and mere wastefulness. Costs have increased by doubling of the electorate, rendering close calculation impossible.

"Nevertheless, I can perceive no reason why the budget system should not be beneficial in a campaign, as it has proved to be in government. It is to be tested by our committee. derstandings with those nations. He recited the help given Mexico to avert domestic violence there, and the indication of a policy of making it worth while for a government to conduct itself so as to merit recognition. He pointed to the written agreement with Mexico to negotiate a treaty of amity and commerce such as has not been in existence since 1881.

Equal Opportunities for All.

Of discrimination of all kinds, President Coolidge said: "This is one country; we are one people united by common interests. There should be no favorites and no outcasts; no race or religious prejudices in the government. America opposes special privilege for anybody, and favors equal opportunity for everybody. It has adopted these conclusions because they are the logical conclusions of our ideals of freedom. Moreover, we believe they contribute to our material welfare. We oppose the artificial supports of privilege and monopoly because they are both unjust and uneconomic. They are not right. They do not work."

The Farm Situation.

Reviewing the situation of the farmer, the President said that one of the first thoughts in 1921 was for the relief and revival of agriculture as a fundamental industry, and touched upon the credits of between three and four hundred million dollars extended through the War Finance corporation, an additional $50,000,000 provided for the relief of the cattle industry, and the formation of a $10,000,000 corporation in the spring which, it was estimated, can furnish $100,000,000 for diversification and relief in the Northwest. He told of the activities of the intermediate credit banks, directly and indirectly assisting 500,000 farmers.

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from this live elastic rubber

THOUSANDS upon thousands of times—day in and day out—your boots are bent and wrinkled. It takes *real live rubber* to stand this constant wrinkling and still *stay waterproof.*

And that's just what the rubber in "U.S." Boots will do! No more live and elastic rubber has ever been used in boot construction.

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Small Matter, Anyway

Judge—But what were you fighting with Horrigan about?

Casey—Sure, I'm under oath, Yer Honor, so I don't care to do much guessin'.—Legion Weekly.

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Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

The Only Home Body

"An old man in a house is a good sign," wrote Ben Franklin. Nowadays it is about the only sign of habitation that is usually visible.—Houston Post-Dispatch.

Two beetroot factories, the only ones in England, produced more than 13,000 tons of sugar last season.

Green's August Flower

The remedy with a record of fifty-eight years of surpassing excellence. All who suffer with nervous dyspepsia, sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, torpid liver, dizziness, headaches, coming-up of food, wind on stomach, palpitation and other indications of digestive disorder, will find GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER an effective and efficient remedy. For fifty-eight years this medicine has been successfully used in millions of households all over the civilized world. Because of its merit and popularity GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER is found today wherever medicines are sold. 30 and 90 cent bottles.—Adv.

Life is an uphill road—if you are lucky enough to be going that direction.

FAILURE TURNED INTO SUCCESS BY NECK TIE KING OF THE WORLD

(By Elmer M. Hill)

Failure has been turned into success by Eugene P. Beaumont of Buffalo, N. Y.

A little more than two years ago Beaumont was penniless, his little upstairs waist shop on a side street failed when women's styles, fickle as they are, changed and waists gave way to tunics, the one-piece frock and the costume ensemble.

Although badly in debt, Beaumont had courage and vision. With $200 borrowed capital he started into the mail order sale of men's neckwear from the kitchen of his little home. Without funds with which to buy envelopes, he and his wife made them from wrapping paper. He could not rent a second hand typewriter so the mail was addressed by hand.

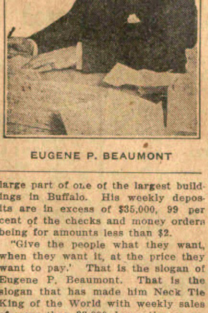
Today—a little more than two years later—Eugene P. Beaumont is head of the Tie-Art Inc., of Buffalo, N. Y., with an annual business in excess of $1,500,000 and is the world's largest retail distributor of men's neckwear with the title of Neck Tie King. He is the largest parcel post shipper at the Buffalo postoffice with a monthly postage bill of more than $65,000.

Fourteen neckwear mills are working night and day shifts supplying the demands of Mr. Beaumont and in addition he takes almost the entire output of a garter factory, suspender mill, a handkerchief factory, two hosiery mills and a belt factory with sales running into the millions of articles annually.

Did you ever get four neckties by mail on approval?

The chances are that you have because Mr. Beaumont has sold neckwear to more than 1,500,000 men in the United States from Maine to California and from the Canadian border to the Gulf of Mexico. Upwards of 200 typists and clerks are employed in the Beaumont plant.

From the kitchen of his home, Mr. Beaumont has been enlarging his plant from time to time in the last year so that today he occupies a large part of one of the largest buildings in Buffalo. His weekly deposits are in excess of $35,000, 99 per cent of the checks and money orders being for amounts less than $2.



EUGENE P. BEAUMONT

"Give the people what they want, when they want it, at the price they want to pay.' That is the slogan of Eugene P. Beaumont. That is the slogan that has made him Neck Tie King of the World with weekly sales of more than 33,000 dozen ties or approximately 400,000 individual ties. He sold more than 3,000,000 ties last year and his goal for this year is 10,000,000 ties.

This tremendous volume of business built up through night and day work by Mr. Beaumont in a little more than two years is not luck, he says. He points to the fact that what he has done can be duplicated by any individual who gives honest values. The Neck Tie King has found American men are honest, for his losses, although shipments run into millions, are less than two per cent.

The TRUANT SOUL

by VICTOR ROUSSEAU

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"THEN HELP ME!"

SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse. Without relatives or friends, and desperate, Joan, urged by her landlady, goes to Doctor Lancaster's office to ask him to overlook her blunder and reinstate her. She overhears a violent altercation between Doctor Lancaster and other men she does not see. Joan is struck by the favorable change in the appearance and demeanor of the doctor, recalling that at times in the hospital he has been gentle and thoughtful and at others supercilious and bullying. He tells her he can do nothing for her at the hospital, but offers her a position in a nursing institution in the country, telling her she can be of "great assistance" to him. A man named Myers demands she tell him what the doctor had said to her. She denies him the information, and he covertly threatens her. At the institution, which is owned by Doctor Lancaster, Joan finds Myers. He tells her he is the secretary. She instinctively dislikes and fears him. The only patient at the institute is a Mrs. Dana, demented but harmless. Joan is vaguely uneasy, feeling that there is some mystery about the place.

CHAPTER V—Continued

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"I thought I heard an auto drive up to the institute last night."

Myers looked at her in the same manner. "The doctor came back last night unexpectedly," he said.

"But I thought Doctor Jenkins lived at Millville?"

"Not Jenkins, Miss Wentworth. Doctor Lancaster."

"Why," stammered the girl, "I must have misunderstood, then. I hope Doctor Lancaster is not ill. He was looking unwell when I saw him the day before yesterday."

"That's just what you might have told me when I asked you about him," said Myers triumphantly. "Well, Miss Wentworth, if you are going to ask me questions I suppose I can ask you questions."

"If I can answer them."

"Precisely," said the other. "I want to know if you can answer them. Now let's be frank. What do you know about all this?"

"I beg your pardon?" Joan inquired, declining his invitation to seat herself beside him.

"About all this," repeated Myers. "Come, now, you know what I mean as well as I do. How did Doctor Lancaster come to engage you?"

"If you have really a right to know, Mr. Myers," said Joan, "you had better ask Doctor Lancaster himself."

"O, all right," said Myers huffily. "Only the time will come when you'll wish you'd been frank with me. If we put all our cards on the table we can have a frank look into the situation."

"Really, Mr. Myers, I had no idea that I had come to a gambling house," said Joan, more nettled by the familiarity of his tone than by the words. "I have no cards at all, as you term it. I am simply an employee of Doctor Lancaster, and if that is not satisfactory to you I must refer you to him."

Myers grew red. His short, stocky figure with the wide shoulders looked abominably mean as he planted himself upon the porch and surveyed Joan with a furtive, sneering expression. He was not in any sense a gentleman, just a low class of bully, as Joan could plainly see from his gestures, even if his next words had not made this plain.

"So that's your attitude, is it?" he said, jerking out the words between his teeth. "All right, Miss Wentworth, you and I will play our hands separately. Don't come to me afterward, though, and say I didn't warn you. And if you don't like my ways and speech, and think I'm too ordinary for your taste—here comes the doctor! Go and make a complaint about me!"

Joan, turning from the man in disgust, saw Lancaster standing at the door. She went toward him, and then she looked at him in consternation. For Lancaster was undeniably ill. His face was a dead white, and he was leaning on a stick, as if to support himself.

"Doctor Lancaster—" Joan began.

He straightened himself with an effort, held out his hand and took her own. "I am very glad you came, Miss Wentworth," he said. "I hope you like the institute?"

Myers, who had come up and planted himself between them, flung out his challenge.

"She likes the institute all right, doctor," he said, with a short laugh, "but I reckon she don't like me. Bad taste, I call it. What do you say, doctor?"

There was an indescribable insolence in the man's tone. Joan looked for one of Lancaster's explosions of flaming wrath. But to her amazement none came. He seemed struggling to control himself. He flushed and looked from one to the other.

"Well, well, Myers," he said, hesitating, "I think things will turn out all right. Miss Wentworth and you won't conflict in any way. You mustn't quarrel, you know. I want all my employees to like each other," he ended weakly.

And he gave Joan the impression of pitiful impotence, as if he were somehow in the secretary's power and had surrendered his will to him—Lancaster, the tyrant of the Southern hospital, the smug bully of the operating theater! Joan saw a flash of triumph in Myers' eyes, and, with another laugh, the man left them and went into the building.

"I think breakfast is ready, Miss Wentworth," said Lancaster, after a moment, offering the girl his arm.

But Joan gave him hers instead, and they went together into the dining room.

She was glad to see that Myers was not to eat with them. Hungry as she was, she could not have taken breakfast in the man's presence; and even now she could hardly manage to eat, with Lancaster, so evidently ill, seated opposite her, swallowing gulps of hot coffee, and making pretense of eating thin strips of toast. His whole demeanor was that of a very ill man. And the transformation terrified her. All her preconceived ideas of him had vanished. She could make nothing of him. She felt a deep sense of relief when the meal ended.

Then Lancaster looked at her with the same furtive expression that she read in the face of everybody there.

"I thought I would run up and see how the institute was getting along, Miss Wentworth," he said.

They had risen from the table. Joan turned and faced him. "Doctor Lancaster," she said, "you spend a good deal of your time here. There was nothing unexpected about your visit last night. You knew that you would come here when you employed me."

"Why, Miss Wentworth—" Stammered the Doctor.

She must have spoken more angrily than she knew, for the web of deception was smothering her, and she felt that her position was becoming unendurable. For an instant a glimmer of amusement passed over the doctor's face.

"Why, Miss Wentworth, you are a regular spitfire," he said.

"It is true, then?"

"Well—yes, it is true. My work at Avonmouth is not too exacting for me to come here frequently."

"You knew you were coming, and you did not tell me. And you hinted at a patient requiring care. There is no patient, unless it is yourself. Doctor Lancaster, you engaged me for certain work here, and I am ready to fulfill it. It is not requisite that you should explain anything to me. But please give me the work you hired me to do, and do not try to deceive me."

Lancaster, who had been regarding her intently as she spoke, glanced hurriedly into the hall before replying. A look of fear had come into his eyes. Joan knew that it was Myers whom he feared. There was something dreadful in seeing this man cringe before the bully, this man who had, in turn, made others cringe before him.

"Miss Wentworth," said Lancaster in a low tone, "believe me, I have no intention of deceiving you. On the contrary, it is my wish to confide in you. Will you come out on the porch and permit me to smoke?"

She bowed, and they went out together. They took their seats upon two chairs at the end of the verandah, Joan purposely seating herself between her companion and the door. She knew why he kept glancing toward it.

"Miss Wentworth," Lancaster began, "we spoke of loyalty the other night. If you saw a human being in trouble of his own making, would it be your impulse to help him, or to leave him to fight his battle alone?"

"I should help him if I could," said Joan.

"Then help me," said Lancaster. "It was myself of whom I spoke to you. Will you help me with loyalty and sympathy, and refuse to be discouraged?"

The girl softened toward him; he was obviously sincere, and obviously distressed. "Gladly, Doctor Lancaster," she answered.

"I thought that I could trust you when I saw your face, and I was sure of it when you talked of your vocation. And I cannot trust anyone else. I have no opportunity—" he broke off irresolutely and then went on, "I have had no opportunity of taking up that matter with the board yet," he continued.

Joan knew that he was not speaking frankly now; but his next words were in the same tone of sincerity.

"Miss Wentworth, that matter and this is all bound up together. You must help me before I can help you, as I said to you when you came into the consulting room. I cannot explain any more now. I want help in the biggest fight of my life, and, if I fail, I want a witness that I have fought. I saw you and thought you would give me your help. For God's sake don't refuse me!"

In spite of his sincerity the idea flashed through Joan's mind that his troubles might be the fancies of a sick man.

"If I discharge you before the month is over, don't go. Refuse to go. Nobody can make you go. I am at the head of the institute. Ignore me. Stay!"

"I'll stay," said Joan, and then, looking at his white face and trembling hands, she thought she knew what was the matter with him.

"Listen, Doctor Lancaster," she began, laying her fingers on his arm. But then she saw that he was not looking at her. He was looking past her toward Myers, who was coming across the pasture toward the entrance. His expression was transformed.

"Miss Wentworth," he said, with a sudden change of tone, "what was I saying to you? I am not myself at all today. I have been greatly overworked, and talking nonsense. Don't remember it. I meant nothing at all. Of course you must remain your month, in case any patients come, and then we'll see what we can do about the position."

And, as Myers came up to them, the same hopeless, cringing expression came into his eyes.

The secretary ignored Joan completely. "Well, doctor," he said, "I have the quarterly statement ready for you. Won't you come and look over it? I must have your signature, and you know how hard it is to fasten you down."

"Yes, I'll come, certainly, Myers," said Lancaster, rising.

The two men went into the house together. Joan heard the door close behind them. She was left to ponder over that interview.

She was conscious of two conflicting impulses: to leave, and to remain for Lancaster's sake. There was something about the man's pitiable condition that aroused all her sympathies. But there was something about the whole place repulsive in the extreme.

She must get allies in this blind fight against the secretary if she remained. Whom? Mrs. Fraser? That was impossible as yet.

At that moment she saw Doctor Jenkins driving up the path, and went to meet him.

The boy sprang to the ground and raised his hat. "Good morning, Miss Wentworth. How is the doctor today?" he asked.

"Doctor Lancaster looks very ill," she answered. "And Doctor Jenkins, I want to ask you—"

"Pardon me, Miss Wentworth. Can I see him?"

"He is with Mr. Myers."

Jenkins' face assumed an aspect of profound discouragement. "Then I'll come back this afternoon," he said, preparing to enter the buggy again.

But he found Joan intercepting his passage. She had noted the look on his face, and she felt that he understood much which could be explained.

"Doctor Jenkins," she said quietly, "Doctor Lancaster is unwell and I am his nurse. Will you not tell me what is the matter with him?"

"Why, Miss Wentworth—" stammered the doctor.

So Doctor Lancaster himself is the sick man! And Joan says she'll help him. What ails the doctor?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Growths of Mangroves Serve Good Purpose

The trees known as "mangroves" form dense thickets along the seacoast in the tropics of the old world as well as of the new. They are characterized by the production of many prop roots from the trunks and branches; these prop roots reach into the mud and form practically impenetrable tangles. They thus serve to hold the mud together and are said to act as natural sea walls, protecting the soil against the inroads of the sea. The bark of the tree is sometimes taken for its abundance of tanning material; otherwise the several species are of no economic importance.

In many of these species the roots branch repeatedly before reaching the mud, instead of growing straight down. The root divides into two branches, one of which soon dies away, while the other continues the growth. After extending for some distance this also divides into two, one of the branches persisting, and so on.

The Dutch botanist Van Leeuwen had an opportunity to study a mangrove tangle near Samarang, in Java, and he discovered the cause of the peculiar habit of root branching to be a small beetle. The female beetle lays her eggs near the tip of the root. The injury causes a new root to sprout out just above the tip and the old tip continues to grow

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Claims That Humanity Gains in Good Looks

One of the results of modern civilization is that men are growing more handsome. No lesser authority than the conservator of the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, in London, is responsible for this graceful compliment. He is supported in his assertion by the man who compiled photographic records of the nation's most famous men for the national photographic gallery. It appears that modern man does not use his jaws so much as his forebears and that the change in the bony framework of the face is making it narrower and more refined. The virile beauty of the square jaw has been the subject of song and story. More recently the movie sheik has been accepted as the high point of masculine perfectability in looks. Both displaced Jupiter, Ammon and Apollo. "Handsomest-man" votes have never proved quite satisfactory. How, then, are we to tell whether or not men are becoming more handsome?

Cuticura Soap for the Complexion. Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment now and then as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. Add to this the fascinating, fragrant Cuticura Talcum, and you have the Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Advertisement.

His Condition

"Howdy, Gap!" shouted Gabe Giggery from his front porch, addressing an acquaintance who was driving by in his wagon. "How're you coming on since that fall you had?"

"Whoa — p'tu!—which?" returned Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge.

"I asked you, how're you coming on, since your fall?"

"Aw, I can sorter hobble around on crutches, but I hain't climbing no more roofs to help no d—n cats outer trouble."—Kansas City Star.

Landlords in the Netherlands are permitted to charge 50 per cent more than was payable at the beginning of 1916.

Altogether Too Strong

Brown—Yes, sir. Speaking of strong men, I once saw a fellow hold up an auto with five men in it.

Green—Say, he must have been in a circus.

Brown—No, he's in the pen. The judge gave him ten years for it.

Hosts of people writing plays—and yet, not enough. The number of good ones show that.

Motherhood

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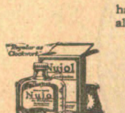

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Clyde Sprague will work his father's farm this season.

Charles Sprague and family are moving to Tontogany this week.

Ben Pendell and wife and Wm Bloemker and family went to Jackson Friday.

Wilbur Sprague of Detroit will visit the Sprague home over the week end.

Frank Welker has received word of the death of his father of Van-Wert Ohio.

Mr. Birchfield of near Hoxie has rented the Duguid farm and will move there soon.

Jay Hayhoe will spend Sunday at the home of his parents George Hayhoe and wife.

The Ladies Aid held at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Thompson was well attended. The hostess served a chicken dinner.

Somerset Centre

C. D. Carl and wife were in Hillsdale Friday.

Wm Shock and wife were in Hillsdale Wednesday.

Clayton Garver and wife spent Saturday in Jackson.

Mrs. Arvilla Becker of Hinsdale New York is here for a visit.

C. D. Carl and wife entertained Sunday Charley Carl and wife.

Miss Gilbert, a nurse is giving a course in Child Study at the school.

Jim and Dan Riley and wives of Jonesville visited with Earl Rutan and wife.

Frank Sherman of Jackson was a Tuesday visitor at the John Parker home.

George Baker and family of Jackson were Sunday guests of L. A. Mercer.

Mrs. Jim Carl returned to her home Monday. She has been in the Addison Hospital.

Mrs. C. Lent, John Lent and Carrie Lent spent Sunday with relatives in Hanover.

Henry Haas and wife and Mrs. Lottie Wilcox spent Sunday with J. P. Churchfield and wife.

Seymour Roberts and Leonard Foltz and wife were in Jackson Saturday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Jonesville

Jennie Burnett was in Grand Rapids last week.

Miss Whitten of Coldwater was in Jonesville Tuesday.

Mrs. Grace Coleman will entertain the 500 club this week.

Donald Wisner left Monday night for Florida for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Grace Coleman is visiting her son Harry and family in Bronson.

C. A. Brooks and family of Jerome spent Sunday at the R. B. Howard home.

Mrs. Harry Tubbs is here from Detroit to see her father George Sharp who is reported quite ill.

Members of the K of P Lodge of this place were entertained by the Litchfield Lodge Tuesday evening.

Maurice Pierce and wife of Plymouth Mich. spent the week end at the Geo McKercher home on West Chicago street.

Henry Varnum of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hamilton of Redford were here for the funeral of Mrs. F. G. Varnum Monday.

The death of Mrs. Freeland G. Varnum occurred very suddenly on Thurday February 19 at her home here. The funeral was held Monday.

Earl Porter and wife of Hillsdale will move here the first of the week and occupy the Marks residence. Mr. Porter will work in the office of the local paper.

Wm Skinner died at his home on Wright street Thursday Feb. 17th. The funeral which was held Sunday afternoon was in charge of the Masons with burial in the Jonesville cemetery.

The death of Mrs. Ira Bentz occurred at the home on Maumee street on Saturday February 21. She leaves to mourn their loss, the husband Ira R. Bentz. Two daughters Mrs. Irene Bourke of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Emily Williams of this place. Two step sons. Mark Bentz of Bay City and Frank of California

Center Adams

Alfred Rose has started his summer's work for a party near Litchfield.

Mrs. Linnie Post visited her cousin Mrs. Beebe of Hanover on Friday.

Mrs. L. E. Chase spent Wednesday with Mrs. Hiram Densmore of Bross district.

D. A. Pettit of Hudson visited his sister Mrs. M. C. Church and family on Sunday.

Marion Coryell and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Clara Wooston northeast of North Adams.

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Carl Vincent and family of Frontier were Sunday guests of James Post and wife.

The girls sewing club met at the home of their teacher Mrs. Addie Wyman on Saturday. They invited in the Mothers and a few friends and served luncheon at this meeting.

Town Line

Frank Anson's mother who lives with them is very ill.

John Horton is trying out Radio's in neighborhood with prospect of selling them.

George Fast and a nephew from Haviland Ohio were guests of Ray Fast's last week.

Jack Oberlander and family and Ray Fast and family were Sunday guests at George Reiser's.

Clarence Jennings and wife made a business trip to Reading last Friday, They took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snyder.

Deb Draper who moved from the Baker farm to the Wood farm in Somerset is now baling hay and is drawing it to market.

The Somerset and Wheatland improvement Club was very nicely entertained last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. LaFollette.

Mrs. Eugene Gamble has returned from Toledo where she visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Mallory.

Orlando Wescott and wife spent a few days at Eugene Culberts last week and attended the auction. Mr. Culbert will rent his farm for the year but as yet has not decided who the renter will be.

Clarence Jennings returned home from Muskegon Sunday evening week, by way of Jonesville, getting a ride from there with Mr. Patten of North Adams. On his way from there a young man out for an auto ride with his best girl stopped and asked him to ride. Not many young men like Keith Williams, Clarence thinks he will be a friend of his for a time as he left him very near his home.

Feb. 19 was the 52 wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beecher, thinking they might forget the eventful day, J. Wescott and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Jennings of Town Line and Mrs. Esther Sutfin of Addison spent the day with them and as is always the way with the host and hostess was made very welcome. At the dinner hour a fine repast was served by the ladies and we only have to regret Mr. and Mrs. Beecher are not in better health.

Jerome

Mrs. Claud Greening has been very ill with gall stones.

Paul Anson and Manley Payne were in Hillsdale Monday.

Ira Wertenberger and family entertained Frank Kies and family of Moscow Sunday.

Gilbert Curtis and family of Jackson were guests last Wednesday of H. A. Voorhees and family.

Vinton Green, Thomas Lane, Harley Lane, L. D. Walworth and son L. D. were in Hillsdale Saturday.

Jerome High School

Theron Randolph visited school Monday.

Emma Welch of Somerset visited school Monday,

Mrs. Frantz and Mrs Linsday visited the Grammar room Friday.

Genevieve Tryon returned to school Tuesday after a weeks absence on account of mumps.

The following pupils of the Grammar room were not absent or tardy during the month of February: Norman Burr, Lawrence Walworth, Florence Hammons, Bessie Van-Allen, Herbert Anson and Catherine Sherrard.

The following pupils of the Intermediate room were not absent or tardy during February: Dorothy Ward, Minnie Kane, Dorothy Linsday, Mildred Evans, Walter Evans, Marion McGee, Edna McClanahan, Ruth Kane, Alice Brooks and Edward Olney.

The Grammar and Intermediate rooms held a debate Friday afternoon on the question: Resolved: that Washington was a greater man than Lincoln. Marion McGee led the affirmative and Lawrence Walworth the negative. The judges decided in favor of the negative, two to one.

Jackson School Notes

Report for month ending February 27 1925.

The Third grade have been making picture books in Language work.

The seventh grade has started the study of "The Courtship of Miles Standish" for reading.

On Feb. 13 our spelling contest ended, with the "Always Wins" as loosers. The afternoon was spent with a Lincoln and St. Valentine program, followed by a Valentine box which was much enjoyed by all. This was followed by the treat, popcorn and candy, which was furnished by the losing side in the contest.

Those receiving gold stars for perfect attendance during this month are: Howard, Louise, Ina and Bertha Petrie. Alvin and Erwin Wells, Merle and Harold Arbogasl, Leah and John Holcomb, Althea Delamater, Rufus Roberts, Muriel Holcomb. Muriel Shambaugh Wilbur Bchn, Rizola and L. Z. Comstock, Jennie Black, Emma Beecher William Fowler and Roscoe Haynes

Local News

Mrs. R. C. Young entertained members of the eighth and ninth grades of the school at her home Friday evening. Games, music, stunt and luncheon were on the program.

The Missionary Union of the Congregational church will serve a Public dinner Wednesday March 4 in the parlors of the church. Regular meeting with program after dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Niblack and daughter Patricia Ann of Hillsdale were Thursday evening dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt, and also spent the evening at the same place.

About fifty members of Rural Lodge No. 72 I. O. O. F. drove to Hanover Friday, where they were entertained by Lodge No. 176. The visitors conferred degrees on a class of candidates. Supper was served.

Wid Pool and James Post attended a meeting in Lansing on Friday of last week called by the Co-ops of Michigan. Several good points were gained by these gentlemen in regard to Co op welfare and management.

The Children's Clinic

A Clinic for mother and children under the auspices of the State Board of Health in charge of Dr. Lillian Smith will be held in the parlors of the Congregational church Monday, March 9, from 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. and from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. This is part of an organized national effort under the Sheppard-Towner Act to take a census of our young and to point out how defects may be remedied before serious trouble comes to the child. All mothers and children up to 5 years are welcome and each one will be given in a private room a thorough physical examination and if medical attention is needed will be referred to the family physician. This is not a work of charity, but service paid for by the state, and is a step in lessening infant mortality; it is free to all, and is an opportunity that should be taken advantage of by local people. Clinics are being held all through the county and every child should attend one. If North Adams is your nearest town, do not fail to be here. The W. C. T. U. is taking charge of work here with Ethel Clement as Chairman.

Obituary

Edgar C. Piper was born at Saffon-Waldon England in the year 1852 on the 22 of February, and departed this life at the age of 72 years 11 months and 17 days.

He was the son of Charles and Miriam Piper of England. In the year 1881 he was united in marriage to Mary Cousins of England. They resided in England a short time and bidding farewell to friends, they set sail for America, they reached here safely. Mr. Piper was naturalized and became a citizen of United States.

To this union were born 6 children namely: Mary Kane of Jerome, Mrs. Elmer Ward of Jerome, Edward and Alfred Piper residing at home, Charles Piper in Florida and Ethel dying in infancy.

Besides his wife and children and friends, he also leaves to mourn the loss, two brothers Charles and Alfred Piper of England.

Mr. Piper was a person of a very cheerful disposition always singing. His favorite songs were Rock of Ages and Nearer My God to Thee. Funeral services were held at the home Saturday afternoon February 21 at 1:00 p. m. Rev. Virgil Hunt, pastor of the Congregational church officiating, Burial was in the North Adams cemetery.

Card of Thanks

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15c Ivory Soap Flakes 2 pkgs.	25c
18c Wax Beans special per can	10c
20c Can Pineapple " " "	14c
50c Brooms, "Our Leader" ea.	39c
60c Quality Broom, special ea.	49c
85c Liberty Maid Broom. ea.	59c
50c DeWitt Syrup Figs and Senna Special, per bottle	39c

Dry Goods

75c Ladies' Apron each -	49c
$2.25 Ladies' Apron, each	$1.69
$2.75 Ladies' Apron, each	$2.19
12c Men's Work Socks, per pair	9c
$1.00 Boys' Fancy Belts, special	69c
50c Box Stationery, per box	39c
25c Rexall Headache Powders Per package	19c
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John Litchhult is confined to the house by a severe attack of pleurisy

Daniel A. Wisner received a shock of paralysis Monday evening and has been unconscious since.

Dr. and Mrs. O. G. McFarland spent Friday afternoon at the Horace Fowler home near Montgomery

Alice Wright of Lansing has been a recent guest at the home of her grandparents Ase L. Crane and wife.

W. R. Corey was in Ann Arbor on Sunday to see Mrs. Corey who is taking treatment at the U of M hospital.

Mrs. George Durga of Jackson has been spending the week at the home of her parents Albert Collins and wife.

Mrs. Frank Graves of Albion was a week end guest of her sisters, Mesdames John Blackmer and Elizabeth Miller.

The Misses Ruth Williams and Sarah Frederick who are attending the State Normal college were home over Sunday.

Max Fitzgerald and wife of Adrian and Homer Wood and wife of Hillsdale spent a few hours at the Harvey home on Sunday.

Wanted to Rent—House in the village of North Adams. Inquire of Roland Benge at the Shoe Store. 39t3

The infant son of Jesse Dewey and wfie was operated upon at the Hillsdale hospital on Thursday March 5th for mastoid abscess.

For Sale—Black Gelding nine years old weight about 1450 pounds Work in all harness. Carlos Shull 2 miles south of North Adams. Phone 1301 38t3

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter No 288 O. E. S. on Tuesday evening March 10th. Potluck supper at 6:30 sharp. Initiation and program.

Harley L. Fry reports the sale of the Edinger farm northwest of town to William G. Neff of Jackson who will probably move there in the near future.

The Order of DeMolay will confer the degrees of the Order at Masonic Hall . Wednesday evening March 11th. Supper at 6:30. All Master Masons are welcome.

Alpha Chapter 288 will hold a St Patrick's party at Community Hall Tuesday evening March 17th. O. E. S. ladies will please bring sandwiches or doughnuts. Music will be furnished by L'Amoreaux's orchestra. The Public is invited to attend. 40t2

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held with Mrs. Winchell on Friday March 13 at 2:00 p. m. Topic, "Women and Prohibition". Rollcall What I can do to help Law Enforcement; Leader, Mrs. Westcott; Devotionals, Mrs. George Holcomb, Parliamentary Drill, Mrs. Jones.

We want to call attention to the sermon of Rev. Hutton last Sunday evening. We wish a thousand people could have heard it. Especially he reviewed the dangers of modernism usurping the good old-time religion, and it is literally true that "modernism" has made a buffoon of every christian who has embraced it. Away with such acrimonious jesting!

H. W. Beach and Maurice Mills will conduct a partnership auction an the farm 4½ miles north and 1½ miles east of Pittsford, 1½ miles west of Churches Corners on what is known as the Witherll farm and will sell beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. four horses, span of mules, five milch cows, 30 tons of hay, alfalfa clover and timothy, 300 bushels of oats, some corn, considerable farm implements, 150 feet almost new hay rope etc. Lunch stand on premises. James Post auctioneer, Everett Williams clerk. See ad on the inside page,

The Woman's club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Alice Williams on Monday afternoon March 2nd. Eighteen members and three guests were present. Roll call was responded to by naming a late book and giving the name of the author. After singing America the Beautiful and repeating the Club collect the following program was given. Book Review, Harold Bell Wright's "The Uncrowned King", Lulu Wells. Paper, "Equal Suffrage or the Blank Amendment" Allie Holkins. Music for the afternoon was furnished by the hostess who gave several selections on the player piano. The club adjourned to meet on Monday March 16th at the home of Addie Baker.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24tf

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Registration Notice

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of North Adams that the Board of Registration will meet at John Williams Store in North Adams Saturday, Feb. 28th and Saturday March 7th, 1925, from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., of both days for the purpose of registering the names of all unregistered legally qualified voters of said village for the annual spring election which occurs March 9, 1925.

Dated February 26, 1925.
F. E. Caswell, Village Clerk
39t2

Village Election

Notice is hereby given that the annual village election of the Village of North Adams will be held in the Council Rooms in said village on Monday, March 9th, 1925 at which time the following officers will be elected: President Clerk, Assessor, Treasurer, three Trustees for full term and one Trustee to fill vacancy. Polls of said election shall be open on said day of election from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.

Dated March 5, 1925.
F. E. Caswell, Village Clerk

For Sale—Young work horse, weight 1300 pounds, Guernsey cow fresh in a few days.
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Death of Edd Carter

Edd E. Carter of Moscow township passed way at his home on the old Sarah Ann Wilcox farm north west of this village, on Wednesday evening about five o'clock from heart trouble. He had recently removed to the present home and being exhausted lay down to sleep. Later he was found dead by neighbors. He was 79 years, 6 months and 28 days of age, and had resided in Moscow township for forty years or more. Deceased was born in Royalton, New York August 6th, 1845 and came with his parents to Michigan at an early date. He is survived by the wife, one sister Mrs. Orson Crapser of Moscow township, one brother William Carter of Fort worth. Funeral services will be held Saturday March 7th at 2:00 p. m. at the Moscow Plains church and burial in the Plains cemetery.

Why We Have The Baby Clinic

The Baby Clinic to be held in North Adams on Monday, March 9th, from 9:00 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. comes because a Federal Act in operation July 1, 1922, gave each state a sum of money equal to the sum the state would appropriate to aid in promoting infant and maternal welfare. Michigan voted $30,000 making a total of $60,000 for our state. This federal act was known by the name of the men who sponsored it "Sheppard Towner" and was deemed necessary because the United States ranks too high in death of mothers and children compared with other civilized nations. Two and one half years of work have elapsed and a very satisfactory report of accomplishments is submitted by the State Health Department. The Educational Program has been carried on in three ways: Through the public press, through the instruction of groups of girls and mothers' classes, and through letters sent the individual mother.

Eighty-three counties have been surveyed by State Workers and a greater general interest has been developed. On the basis of the average of births and deaths during 1921-22-23-24 we shall have a saving of more than 600 babies for this year under one year of age, and the lowest death rate in the history of the State Records. Part of this is unquestionably due to infancy and maternity work. Total attendance at Health Talks numbers 49,957, babies examined 41,137: clinics held 638; individual letters sent out 47,196; all three figures show a remarkable interest in the work We are fortunate in having such a clinic in our town and a good attendance is expected at the Congregational church parlors next Monday.

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Morning worship 10:30
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The subject for morning worship will be, "Forgiveness." This subject will be the beginning of a series of the "Seven utterances from the cross" leading through Lent to Easter. The subject for evening service will be "Destiny" the second utterance.

The service at Wheatland church at 2:30 p. m. There will be special singing from North Adams choir.

The Fidelis class in the Sabbath school will give a Bake sale Saturday, at Mr. Wertz's store. Buy your Sunday's baking and save you trouble.

Sunday March 15th. there will be a representative of the Anti-saloon League to lecture morning and evening in the North Adams church and in the afternoon at the Wheatland church at 2:30 p. m.

March 25th the Ladies Aid Society will give a Poverty Social in the church parlors and an entertainment. Supper to begin at 6:30 sharp And all of the good eats and entertainment for only 25 cents.

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Congregational Church Calendar

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On Sunday, March 15th. there will be a speaker here representing the Anti-Saloon League of Michigan.

Thursday evening, March the 26th. we have a treat for every Father and Son in this community. A Father and Son Banquet a speaker who will cause every one to set up and take notice. Watch ads for further notice.

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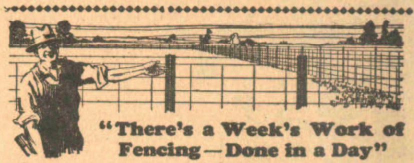

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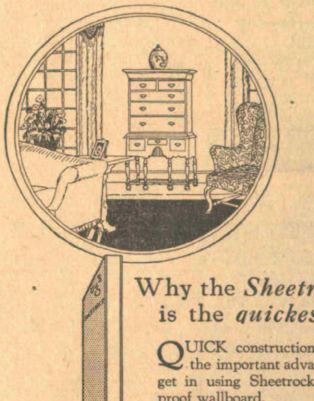

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Pontiac—Miss Lucille Avery, of Pontiac, register of deeds of Oakland County, and the first woman ever elected to hold a county office in the county, has been married to Edward S. Whitfield, of Pontiac.

Houghton—That the influence of the Northern Sportmen's association will be thrown in opposition to the state department of conservation's proposed changes in the deer and partridge seasons, is indicated in a letter recently sent to upper peninsula sportsmen by their association.

Holly—Lack of funds with which to erect a church building does not discourage the Holly Catholic church society. The organization, which owns a building site here, has decided to erect a church from stones to be gathered from fields in this vicinity Members of the society will haul the rock to the building site.

Lansing—Reports given at the annual meeting of the Michigan Livestock Co-operative Shipping Association here showed that $13,000,000 worth of livestock has been handled through the Detroit and Buffalo offices, and in addition to obtaining lower rates, the association has returned $20,366 in dividends to shippers.

Mt. Clemens—With no effort on his part being made to furnish the $10,000 bail bond demanded by Justice Dusse, Andrew Quigley is still in jail and his hearing again has been adjourned. Quigley is one of the defendants named in the warrants issued as a result of Judge Leland Carr's one man grand jury last autumn.

Detroit—In a short range pistol duel, Patrolman Edward Perrin shot to death an unidentified gunman and frustrated the robbery of the drug store at 2439 Woodward avenue, corner of Duffield street. Unaware that he was stepping into holdup or gun battle, the policeman entered the store to purchase a package of chewing gum.

Flint—Mrs. W. Earl Ross, wife of the assistant treasurer of the A. C. Spark Plug Co., of this city, was found burned to death in the kitchen of her home by the husband when he came home for lunch. Police officers expressed the opinion that there had been an explosion of gas from the kitchen stove. The house did not catch fire.

Ann Arbor—Albert H. Lloyd, dean of the graduate school of the University of Michigan, was appointed acting present of the University of Michigan by the board of regents of the university at their meeting here Dean Lloyd will occupy the position made vacant by the death of Dr. Marion LeRoy Burton for the remainder of the academic year.

Ionia—The Michigan State Farm Bureau has started suit against 28 farmers of Berlin, Campbell and Odessa townships for the collection of delinquent Farm Bureau dues and Justice Taylor has summoned the defendants to appear in his court March 6. It is alleged that nearly all these defendants signed for memberships during a membership drive put on some four years ago.

Albion—Ground for the new $175,000 Stanley Kresge gymnasium has been broken on the Albion College campus, George E. Dean, Albion manufacturer, who is chairman of the college building committee, wielding the spade. The entire Albion student body witnessed the ceremony, which was followed by addresses by Mr. Dean, president; John L. Seaton and Lyman Judson, of Plymouth, president of the Student Senate.

Grand Rapids—E. A. Mavis, chairman of the extension committee of the Grand Rapids Safety Council, who is in charge of the organization of the Central Western Michigan Safety Council, has arranged a program of organization meetings in 12 cities in this region prior to April 1. When these communities have formed locals, each will be asked to name delegates to the central council which will attempt to co-operate in enforcement of uniform traffic and safety laws.

Detroit—In a closely contested fight the Republican state central committee, in convention here, elected Kennedy L. Potter, of Jackson, as chairman in place of Burt D. Cady of Port Huron who has held that position for seven years. The vote was 568 to 507. The chairmanship was the last business before the convetion to be decided. First, the composition of the new state central committee in accordance with nominations at district caucuses was fixed. Then the resolutions of the convention were approved, and nominations were made for th evarious state offices that are to be filled at the April 6 election.

Marshall—The wish of a dead woman that part her money, $5,000, be used to build a club house for the "Women of Marshall," may not be fulfilled for years. The Monday club, which was bequeathed the money, has no other funds. The woman, Miss Elizabeth K. Hughes, asked that somewhere in the contemplated building a memorial plate to her memory be placed. She also left a bequest of several thousand dollars to the public library without specifying the purpose for which it is to be used.

Lansing—Poor support given the social service bureau here led to the resignation of Miss Grace Cone, secretary of the bureau for the last five years and a member of the staff seven years. Miss Cone plans to go to Tulsa, Okla. Miss Margaret Campbell, head of the local chapter of the American Red Cross, also announced her resignation. Failure of a drive here last fall to raise money for the Community Welfare fund in sufficient amount for the needs of the city's organizations have greatly handicapped the social service bureau.

1—Eighteen crack musicians from United States army band selected to play for the charity inaugural ball in Washington. 2—Flettner's famous rotor ship at Danzig on its first practical voyage. 3—United States World War Amps placing a wreath on statue of Washington at Washington arch, New York.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Indiana Democratic Solons Leave State to Prevent Alleged Gerrymander.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

DEMOCRATS of the Indiana senate, taking a leaf from the book of the Rhode Island Republican senators of last year, ran away from their capital and their state last week to save their party from what they feared would be a dangerous gerrymander. Eighteen of them bolted, and fifteen took refuge in Ohio where, it was asserted, they were safe from arrest. Thus the quorum was broken and no legislation was possible.

It all started with a plan of the Republicans to pass a bill taking Lawrence county from the Third congressional district, which is normally Democratic, and adding it to the Second district, which is doubtful. As Lawrence county is strongly Republican this scheme would decrease the chances of the Democrats for electing a congressman from the Second district. So, calling themselves "God's own minority," they absented themselves from the senate session. When the chief doorkeeper was sent to arrest them they locked themselves in a hotel room, and later, hearing that the militia was to be used in coercing them, they sought sanctuary outside the state. Only three Democratic senators remained in Indianapolis—one as a lookout and two who were ill. Warrants were issued for the arrest of 16 of them, but the Ohio authorities said they saw no way in which they could aid the Indiana Republicans. Nothing like this has happened in Indiana since 1869 when the Democratic minority in the legislature resigned so that the fifteenth amendment to the federal Constitution could not be taken up for ratification.

Later in the week some sort of compromise was arranged and the bolting senators started back to Indianapolis.

ABOUT one hundred women, representing a million members of national women's organizations, spent several days in Washington in a conference on ways of keeping the peace of the world. They are not pacifists, not advocates of immediate disarmament, but patriots who believe the dangers of war may be lessened. The government, led by President Coolidge himself, took a lively interest in the meeting and he and other high officials gave the women brief but snappy lectures on national defense as a peace insurance. The President talked to them on rational reduction of armament, saying:

"About in proportion as the nations shall make progress in creating effective tribunals for the peaceful settlement of international differences they will find themselves able to lessen their military establishments. For the present the most we can hope is to secure general acceptance, in good faith and without reservation, of the view that whatever armaments we create, whatever preparations we make, shall be limited by the reasonable requirements of security. I do not think we should set a good example by abolishing our army and navy."

Then Secretary of War Weeks discussed impractical idealism and practical preparedness, and Gen. John L. Hines, chief of staff, gave an illuminating talk on the national defense act and what is needed for self protection. Preparedness, industrial and military, were discussed by Assistant Secretary of War Davis and Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely, commandant of the army war college. Gen. Ely Helmick gave a lesson on "The Undermining of the Youth of the Nation" and told the women: "Radical societies that teach socialism, communism and syndicalism, and that advocate violent changes in our governmental system, exist in George Washington university, the University of Chicago, Northwestern university, Wellesley college, Bryn Mawr and Vassar."

Rear Admiral W. W. Phelps furnished the sensation of the second day's session with a series of startling statements concerning oil, trade and Great Britain. Said he:

"The American open door principle has been invoked to help American citizens secure oil concessions. Wherever we turn, this principle has been so successfully combated by the imperialistic powers and fought by our own provincial politicians for temporary partisan ends, that American rights and interests have been pretty generally defeated.

"The result is that the bulk of the world's oil supply is in English control, and within another generation, when our own oil pools are drained, as they are being drained not only by us but also by England and Japan to conserve their own oil reserves, your navy and merchant marine will be at England's mercy for their fuel. You will be glad to be allowed to buy your gasoline at a dollar a gallon.

"One of the primary objectives of the League of Nations, under the leadership of England, is to devise some policy to destroy the American favorable balance of trade.

"Serious differences are brewing with England over shipping policies. These differences can be prevented from developing into a conflict only by a strong navy. That America determines to build up a great merchant marine fleet has created against us the bitter animosity of the English shipping interests."

Secretaries Hughes, Weeks and Wilbur declined to back up the rear admiral's alarmist views.

TWO more United States senators have been charged with improper use of influence before federal government agencies and both, denying the accusations, have asked for full investigation. They are Spencer of Missouri and Bursum of New Mexico. The charge against Senator Spencer is made by Henry Wood Elliott and has to do with the renewal of a contract under which the Fouke Fur company of St. Louis dresses and dyes the government furs from seals slaughtered at the Pribilof islands. Justice officials did not disclose the exact nature of the charges which have been made against Senator Bursum by Carl Magee, a New Mexico newspaper man, who was a witness in the Teapot Dome investigation. Assistant Attorney General Donovan said that his investigation thus far had developed nothing of importance but that he intended "to see the matter through."

DEATH and disease made serious inroads in the ranks of the prominent men of the world. Last Wednesday morning Medill McCormick, the retiring United States senator from Illinois, was found dead in bed in his Washington hotel apartment, the cause of his demise being myocarditis. Well educated, widely traveled, wealthy and in many ways brilliant, Mr. McCormick had been for years an outstanding figure in American political life. For a time he was editor and publisher of the Chicago Tribune, and afterward served in the Illinois legislature, as congressman-at-large from that state, and then as senator. As a Progressive he gave active support to Theodore Roosevelt, and in the senate he was a leader of the "irreconcilables" who defeated the ratification of the Versailles treaty. Mr. McCormick was defeated for renomination last fall by Charles Deneen. He had been mentioned as a possible choice for several diplomatic posts, and it was certain that his connection with public affairs was not to be ended by his enforced retirement from the senate.

Europe lost by death Hjalmar Branting, long the leader of the Social Democrats of Sweden and three times premier of that country. Other well-known Europeans who passed away were Sir Thomas C. Allbutt, famous English physician; Admiral von Usedom of Germany, who defended the Dardanelles against the allies, and Joseph Rowntree, one of the greatest chocolate manufacturers of the world and a leader of English Quakers.

King George of Great Britain is so ill that his physicians have ordered him to the Mediterranean, and as the prince of Wales is about to start for South America, the duke of York is in Africa and Prince Henry is not well, it is taken for granted that a privy council will be appointed to exercise the functions of the crown.

President Ebert of Germany also is very sick—so sick that at this writing his recovery is scarcely expected. He was operated on for appendicitis and peritonitis ensued. Premier Mussolini of Italy has had a severe attack of influenza but is reported to be on the way to recovery.

DISSENSION threatens to wreck the plans for the Confederate memorial on Stone mountain near Atlanta, Ga., already partly carried out. Gutzon Borglum, sculptor of the memorial, heads one faction and Hollins Randolph, an Atlanta lawyer, the other. Last week Borglum was discharged by the memorial association, and he retaliated by destroying the models and working plans. The association claims these were its property and says the sculptor and J. G. Tucker, superintendent of operations at the mountain, will be prosecuted for destroying them and also sued for $50,000 damages. Borglum says he was dismissed because he is a Northern man.

ENGLAND'S foreign office is said to have proposed to Premier Herriot the formation of a quadruple entente consisting of Great Britain, France, Belgium and Germany. This, it is intended, shall make France secure along the Rhine and also keep Germany from alliance with Japan and Russia; but it would mean, too, the virtual abandonment of Poland by France, and it is not likely the French will consent to this.

REBELLION in Kurdistan appears to have been successful for the time being, and dispatches from Constantinople say the Kurds have Prince Selim as their king. He is a son of former Sultan Abdul Hamid and cousin of former Sultan Mohammed V, and was considered as the latter's successor when he abdicated in 1922.

Another revolt, nearer home and of more importance to America, took place in Panama, where a lot of San Blas Indians, armed with rifles and shotguns rose against the government authorities, killed a number of Panamans and burned the government quarters in the territorial capital at Porvenir. It was said at Colon that R. O. Marsh, the American explorer who claims to have discovered "white Indians," is in the country again and is urging the Indians to resist the government.

KANSAS CITY has joined the long list of cities that have adopted the manager plan, and is the third largest American municipality with this form of government. The plan, as adopted in Kansas City, has several improvements over the system in other cities. The mayor is to be elected by the people rather than chosen by the council from its membership. Further, councilmen are to be chosen, four from as many districts and four by the city at large, rather than by districts alone, as in Cleveland and other cities. The Kansas City plan permits the mayor to demand reconsideration of ordinances, to appoint the heads of one city department, parks, and to exercise other appointive powers.

MANUEL C. TELLEZ, the new ambassador from Mexico, was received last week by President Coolidge, and Ambassador Sheffield is back from Mexico City, and now negotiations are in progress in Washington on several proposed agreements with Mexico. The first of these is a new treaty of amity and commerce, which will include many of the features of the trade treaty with Germany, recently approved by the senate. Other contemplated pacts are treaties for the suppression of illicit drug traffic and other smuggling and for the protection of migratory birds; and a convention to replace the temporary postal agreement reached at San Antonio last December to devise ways and means to prevent wholesale swindling operations which are reported to have been going on by mail.

SIMON GUGGENHEIM, mining magnate and one-time senator from Colorado, announces a preliminary gift of $3,000,000 to endow the John Simon Guggenheim foundation fellowships for study abroad, as a memorial to his son who died in 1922. The scholarships are open to men and women, married and single, of any race, creed or color, and there are no restrictions on the subjects to be studied. The first ones will be awarded for the academic year 1926-27. A board of trustees and an advisory committee have been named.

Yale Decides to Favor Sons of Its Graduates

New Haven.—By taking the stand that sons and grandsons of its alumni are to be allowed to enter the university ahead of other applicants, Yale has introduced a new policy intended to prevent overcrowding, from which many colleges now suffer.

The rule just passed indicates that the 850 selected for entrance under the present limit will include the sons or grandsons of the graduates of the university, although others may have passed the tests with higher marks.

In announcing the adoption of this rule, President Angell stated that a committee had been at work studying the scholarship marks of Yale students who are descendants of Yale alumni, and that the committee report shows that the Yale men's sons have an average mark of two-tenths of 1 per cent higher than those who are not.

Recently the Yale Weekly Alumni stated that figures showed that the university could be largely recruited from the descendants of the graduates if this was desired.

A move to select members of the freshman class largely through personal interviews is at present under discussion.

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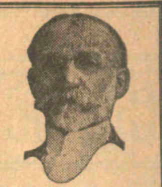

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Fish That Bark

The River Parana, in Brazil, is inhabited by fish that "bark like dogs." E. F. Knight, in "The Cruise of the Falcon," writes: "The fish we caught were all very fierce, biting everything they came across when landed on our deck, and barking like dogs."

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Obliging Murderer

A young Japanese student, after killing Kimimatsu Nakagawa, principal of a large school, went to the latter's home and told his wife where she could find the body. He then disappeared. The slaying resulted from a dispute between the principal and the student over his conduct in school.

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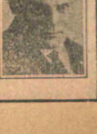

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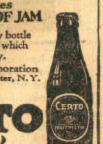

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Earthquake Saturday Evening

Michigan was drafted into the zone of destructive subterranean disturbances, say the seismographs in different cities. In Detroit it was actually feared the quake of Satnrday night might have seriously damaged a few old-time buildings right around the heart of the city, but close inspection fails to disclose anything ruptured, or any water or gas mains disturbed sufficient to damage them. At a town near Quebec in Canada, a large stone church was wrecked by the tremors which lasted over one minute. As luck would have it, the worshipers had all left the church but a short time before, so no one was injured. In New York city on Manhattan Island the immense sky scrapers trembled and rocked perceptibly, but there is no report of any serious damage.

Scientists claim the whole Atlantic coast is due sooner or later for a severe earthquake, and are warning the inhabitants to be prepared.

In such a case the outlook would not be cheerful for Gotham dwellers, especially those on the 25th floors of high buildings. Steel framework construction was supposed to be earthquake proof up to the time of the SanFrancisco calamity, but at that time large numbers of steel structures were shaken to pieces like a child's block-house.

"A Wife-Saving Station" is the unique label advertising on the Illinois Power and Light Company device. The company proves its claim by its showing of the many conveniences for the home that save the housekeeper's time and strength. With almost 14,000 homes supplied with electric current, 500,000 of them on farms, many a wife is indeed being saved.

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Thurs. Mar. 12

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County Man Exhibits in National Show

C. B. Willets of Reading is one of the prominent Hillsdale County exhibitors in the National Seed Corn Show to be held in Chicago March 2 to 7, according to advices from the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural foundation which is sponsoring the show and offering $17,000 in prizes. Mr. Willits is out after the Kittle trophy of $1,000 offered for the best ear of seed corn in America. The National Seed Corn Show is bringing home to corn growers the necessity for careful selection and testing of ears this spring in order to insure a normal crop for 1925. E. B. Heaton, general manager of the show, estimates that if farmers will pick out their seed corn and test it for germination before planting it will mean a total increase of one billion bushels next harvest time.

The National Seed Corn Show is unique. Any corn grower may share in the prizes, but no one may enter more than a single ear. In addition to showing the best specimens of leading growers, the Chicago show will also display representative ears from thousands of corncribs. No ear will be awarded a prize until tested for germination power and resistance, the judges to be selected by the American Society of Agromony. Entries should be mailed to the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, Chicago, not later than March 1.

Jackson County Court House

Jackson county seems to be obsessed with the idea that a new Court House should be erected since the fire, but the county solons say "No" with a loud voice and they mean it. It is claimed several thousand people throughout the county have expressed themselves in favor of junking the old building on West Main street and removing to a location more centralized whereon to erect a combined city hall and court house which would astonish the natives of even staid old Jackson. The yellow crowd are trying hard to put the question to a plebiscite, but so far the Supervisors have overruled the motion.

There is one sure thing—Jackson county is financially "hard up" or else she is composed of New England thrift, since the old rookery known as the Court House, has for years been looked upon with astonishment by visitors to the city, and we hate to say it—real ridicule has been more or less saddled upon the shoulders of innocent taxpayers because of it.

Looking at the matter from the standpoint of a disinterested party one would say that it seems unbelievable so rich and opulant a county and a city so large and prosperous as Jackson, should both he without a public building suited to municipal needs. Well, as Postum Cereal says "there is a reason" and some of the funds which should have gone into commodious county and city buildings, have probably been side-tracked and consumed by the beautiful (?) concrete structure known as the Grand Stand. My! My! What a state of affairs! Just think of it: Here is a county fair conducted in the most prosperous inland city in southern Michigan, and has been given liberal bran mashes in the shape of donations of county and city money for several years, yet has not grown a set of legs sufficient to uphold its own body. A dozen Burris' Lourims and Cobbs amalgamated into one individual would find hard sledding to bring Jackson county out of the errors into which it has fallen by reason of catering to the gaudy dictates of the gambler and fly-by night speculator. However, there is still some life in the animated corpse of city management—and where life is, there is hope.

Boost Better Seed With Special Week

The importance of a safe seed supply for Michigan farmers, and the effect of such seed on the prosperity of agriculture in general, will be brought home to the state during the week of March 16 to 20 designated as official "Better Seed" week for Michigan.

During this week practically every farm interest in the state will join the campaign to bring out the importance of an adapted, guaranteed seed supply. Meetings will be held at local points over the state, an effort being made to reach a large percentage of the farmers of the state with informational material on seeds.

An outstanding feature of the Better Seed week will be a series of radio lectures to be given over station WKAR, the M. A. C. station. These lectures, which will be part of the regular extension radio school from the college station, will be given between 7:15 and 8:00 o'clock, eastern time, each evening of the week. Local groups throughout the state will organize radio parties where there are receiving sets, taking in the Better Seed talks in this way.

"Michigan farmers will be sowing ten million dollars worth of seed within the next few days," says C. R. Megee, acting head of the farm crops department at M. A. C. "A two hundred and thirty million dollar crop will depend on the quality of this seed. The Better Seed week will aim to help in the efficient expenditure of this big agricultural investment."

Seek Electric Power For Michigan Farms

More complete electric light and power service for Michigan farms will be discussed in a special conference at the Michigan Agricultural College on March 20, according to G. W. Bissell, dean of the college engineering division, who is calling the meeting.

A national committee on the relation of electricity to the farm has already instituted systematic study of farm power questions in a number of other states. The American Farm Bureau Federation, the National Grange, The American Society of Agricultural Engineers, the U. S. departments of Agriculture, Commerce, and Interior, and the National Electric Light Association are all represented on the national committee. The chief speaker at the March 20 conference will be Dr. E. A. White, chairman of the national committee.

"The problem of electric service in rural living is extremely important," says Dean Bissel, "and we hope at this conference to work out a constructive program for the state." Everyone interested in the farm light and power question is invited to attend the conference, Dean G. W, Bissell being prepared to furnish more complete information to those who may be interested.

Rumor says that the state of Michigan is preparing to build concrete into the pike beginning at the state line of Indiana and connecting the various concrete links clear across Michigan. The other day a big concrete mixer went through here on the railroad designed for state use on the Pike in the vicinity of Clinton where operations began last fall to pave the highway. At the end of this summer it is expected the old territorial road from end to end as far as Michigan is concerned, will be paved for auto travel. Then Hurrah Boys! Won't it be great sport to warm up the old gas buggy some fine morning in June and start for Chicago or most any other place we wish at our own convenience. We are hedged in by no time tables, no schedules appeal to us, no conductors or Captains yell "All Aboard" in our sensitive ears. When we get right down to the bosom of old Nature and we decide we want to picnic along the road we stop when we please, we pick flowers where and when we choose and tell the world to go Hang! Speed the day, Governor Groesbeck.

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Hillsdale, In Chancery,
Doa Truitt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jane Truitt, Defendant

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Hillsdale in Chancery, at Hillsdale, on the 3rd day of January, 1925.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Jane Truitt, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Defiance in the state of Ohio, on motion of John F. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Jane Truitt appear or cause her appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance, that she cause an answer to plaintiffs bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney, within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed, by the said non resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days, the said plaintiff, cause a notice of this order to be published in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

John F. Steward, Guy M. Chester.
Attorney for Plaintiff Circuit Judge
Business address, Addison, Mich,
Attest; A True copy.
Frank O. Hancock,
Clerk of the Court.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65, which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers aud Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the fore going amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, [that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods, thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.

Farmers & Merchants' Bank
Foster, Fisher & Co., a Co partnership, Assignee for Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee
Hudson, Mich. 29t13

Henry Ford's subdivision of Detroit known commonly as Dearborn, is certainly a mighty good place to invest money according to our deductions. In all 75 new homes and a splendid "Watsonian" theatre are now building in that suburb. What Detroit will be in twenty five years from now staggers description—and old Chicago must look to her laurels since it only needs the St Lawrence to Ocean Waterway to make Detroit the greatest inland city in the United States. The latest news state that the D and C Navigation Company of Detroit contemplates putting on a regular schedule steamer line between Chicago and Detroit via the Straits of Macinac, and will put in service the two magnificent steamers "Western States" and "Eastern States" two of the largest and most palatial fresh water boats in the world. Fares will be reasonably priced and no doubt a larger number of people will take advantage of this opportunity to visit Chicago and at the same shot enjoy an unparalleled trip by water.

New Bulletins Off Press at M. A. C.

Among the new agricultural bulletins just off the press at M. A. C. are two which are attracting particular attention among farmers of the state. One on "Profitable Pruning of the Concord Grape", written by N. L. Partridge, of the college horticultural department, is of interest to the grape growers of the state, while potato men are calling for "Marketing Michigan Potatoes a comprehensive bulletin edited by J. T. Horner, of the M. A. C. economics staff. These bulletins may be obtained by writing to the Bulletin Clerk, M. A. C., East Lansing.

$2,000,000 A Year Spent On Rat Poisons And Traps

Figures recently collected by the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture indicate that a little more than $2,000,000 is expended annually in the United States on products sold for rat control. Although this is a comparatively small item compared with others in the list of losses chargeable to rats, it is one that can be measured with a reasonable degree of accuracy.

Letters were written to all concerns in the United States which were listed as being engaged in the manufacture of preparations or devices to combat rats. Reliable figures were received from 22 manufactures of chemical poisons, from nine manufacturers of bacterial viruses, and from four trap manufactures. A compilation of the figures received showed that approximately $1,380,000 is expended annually for chemical poisons to combat rats The amount spent for bacterial rats viruses is about $500,000, The records of money spent for bacterial rat viruses is about $500,000. The records of money spent annually for rat traps were incomplete, but indicated an expenditure in excess of $233,000, which brings the total to about $2,000,000.

Thousands To Attend M. A. C. Radio School

That thousands of Michigan farm people, in addition to other thousands from states scattered all over the country, will "attend" the special radio extension courses which started at M. A. C. on March 2 was indicated by enrollment this week for the first of the courses.

The idea of sitting at home in comfort and "taking in" educational programs along the technical lines of their business seems to appeal to the state's rural population An actual count of those who listen to the lectures is an impossibility, according to college authorities in charge of the radio school, only a relatively small percentage actually registering. It is certain, however, that the number will run well into the thousands for each of the courses to be given.

The five agricultural extension courses, registration in which is open to anybody in the state, are listed as follows: March 2 13; farm machinery and home conveniences March 16 27; farm crops and soils; March 30 April 10. Poultry and Livestock; April 13 24, home gardens; and April 27 May 8, homemakers' course.

McCall's And Advocate $2.00

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both one year for the small sum of $2.00 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions from Paris, the best works of Harold Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

An Irish recruit was being examined for his eyesight. Thinking to spoof him a bit, the serjeant pointed to a steeple which appeared over the trees five miles away and said: "Pat, can yez see the pigeons aronnd yon tower?" Pat replied promptly: "No Sir, but bedad oi kin 'ear 'em steppin' around."

Monday, March 9th, is village election.

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS ASSOCIATION

BETTER ROADS

Save on Your Gas and See the Scenery!

By WILLIAM E. KNOX
President American Bankers Association.

A long, long time ago, a very great teacher said, "Man shall not live by bread alone." That is true. A man who lives by bread alone and simply feeds his body will be nothing more than an animal. There is more than bread that goes to the making of a life. There are the things of the mind and the spirit, and we are all of us making a great mistake if we measure success in this world by material things. Material things are all right and ought to be emphasized to some extent, but they should not occupy more than their proper place in the scheme of things. Over and above and beyond them are the things of the intellect, and over and above those are the things of the spirit, the finer things of life. If, in reaching out for material prosperity, we forget those things, we may get the material prosperity, but we will not get true joy and true happiness out of life. I want to commend to every one that, in addition to striving for the good things of this life which are good in their way, to remember the other things also.

William E. Knox

I promise you if you do that, it will not make any difference whether you get great rewards or not; it will not make any difference whether you arrive at high position or not. You will have instead a great inward satisfaction, and you will feel that you have lived a pretty good life and had a good time while you were doing it.

Have your good time as you go along. Don't be like the automobilists that go whizzing over the country at sixty miles an hour and arrive at their destinations at the end of the day's run not having seen the beauties of the country they went through; having seen nothing of the birds or the flowers, of the streams and the trees and the hills, but having just totaled up so many miles on such an expenditure of gas. Save on your gas and enjoy the scenery as you go along through life. Just put that into operation—save on your gas and see more of the scenery!

WHY FARMING DECLINED

A review of the present status of agriculture in New England has shown that the more important contributing causes of the condition which exists are: Waste of farm resources; failure to understand and practice the fundamental principles of business; lack of an adequate program of farm management and soil management, with the attendant depletion of soil fertility; choice of unsuitable and oftentimes unmarketable varieties; the use of poor seed; the keeping and breeding of inferior animals; the use of purchased feeds instead of home grown grain; quantity instead of quality production; and failure to grade produce properly and according to law. The decline of New England agriculture presents a serious problem which deserves the most careful study.—*Banker-Farmer.*

Banks of Lee County, Mississippi, have a budget of $5,000 which they use in keeping an expert going about the county urging more dairying and better dairying, an advisor on all dairy operations. Two hundred cars of heifers and cows were shipped out of the county last year.

A story of today, one of the most interesting you have ever read—

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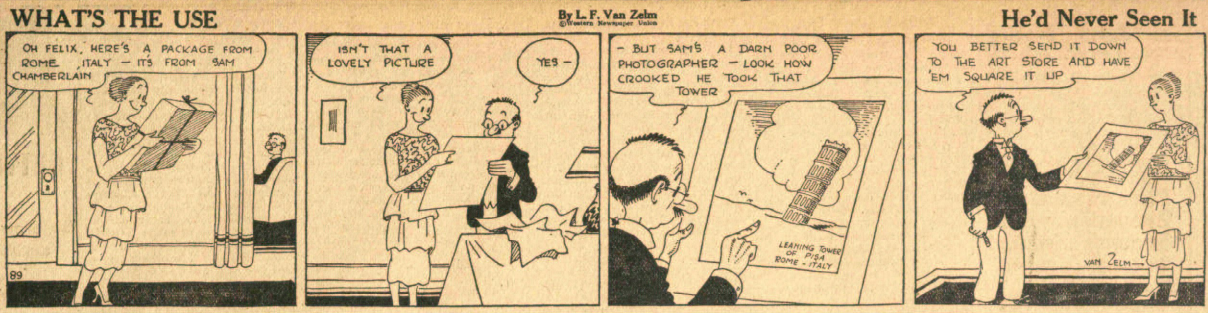
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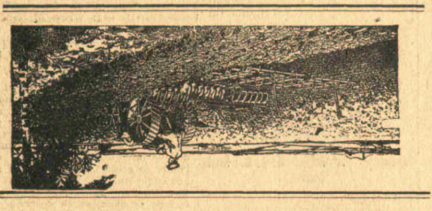

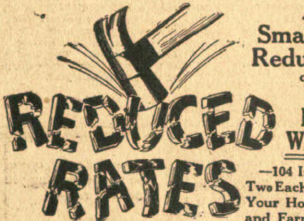

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Fifth Anniversary of the 18th Amendment

It is hoped that every local union will observe this anniversary. If it cannot be done on January 16, be sure and hold it some other date. It is good educational work and the program should help to answer the howls of those who want the liquor traffic back. Don't miss the opportunity to educate the people in your community.

Following program is suggested by the National W. C. T. U.:

Singing, "America." Salute to the Flag, led by a Loyal Temperance Legioner, or some young person. "American's Creed," in Concert by Everybody. Short Address, "The W. C. T. U. and the Eighteenth Amendment." Reading. "Proclamation for National Constitutional Prohibition," written by Mrs Lillian M. N. Stevens, and read by a Junior member if possible. Singing, "Allegiance." Address, "What the National Prohibition Law mean to the United States,—To the Children, To its Economic Life, To its Social Welfare. Singing "America, the Beautiful." Address "Life of Our Republic is Dependent Upon Law Observance." Exercise, "Eminent Americans on Law Enforcement." Address, "International Value of Prohibition." Singing, "Work for Enforcement." Address, "Co-operation—the Secret of Success." Address, "Holding Our Legislative Lines." Offering for Lillian Stevens Legislative Fund. Singing, "Onward, Christian Soldier."

LAW ENFORCEMENT

With police, sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, prosecuting officers, and judges, some of the public imagine that they have discharged their full duty as citizens and contributed their full share toward upholding and enforcing the law when they have voted for the election of these officers, or for those who are responsible for their selections, and then paid their taxes. This is a grave error, and easy to fall into and if the public generally would take this view, few, if any laws could be enforced. We officers are but servants and agents of the people, and as such, in order to do the thing you employ us to do, we must have the unselfish and constant support of our masters, the people. Without this we are not able to accomplish very much.

Michigan's Road Program

Fifteen million dollars worth of good roads have been completed in Michigan under the Federal aid plan since its inauguration in 1916. Seven million dollars was the government's share of the cost of construction of these highways. Of the 570 miles that have been built in the state under this plan, 151 miles were completed up to the end of the last fiscal year at a cost of $4,327,152 of which the Federal government contributed about half. Practically all this money went into the construction of concrete highways.

Investigations of road conditions before and after improvement has shown that good roads reduced hauling expenses 50 percent, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. The expense of hauling crops from farm to shipping points is one of the most expensive steps in the marketing system. Under average conditions expense of hauling milk is 4.5 percent of its value and of potatoes 15 percent and hogs 2 percent of their value.

Good roads are making hauling possible the year around in Michigan regardless of weather conditions and reduces marketing expenses through larger loads carried at greater speed. For every urban family in the state 3,936 pounds of dairy products, vegetables, fruit, grain and meat products are hauled over country roads. Good roads will help materially to bring down the cost of living under present conditions. Ten cents out of every dollar's worth of farm products hauled over the roads in this state goes to meet the expenses of local and long distant transportation service. The average haul from farm to shipping point is 8 miles and 9 hours hours is consumed to a load averaging 2500 pounds.

There are 45 automobiles for each 100 farms in the state.

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Father Slane Dies in New York

Right Reverend Father Slane, formerly of St. Anthony's Catholic church in Hillsdale, was recently found dead in a hotel at Coney Island, New York. What he was doing and how he came there tradition doth not tell. Of course the nomadic lonely life led by a priest makes it difficult at times to locate them. The Father had been at Owosso since leaving this county, and left six weeks ago to go home to old Erin and visit his relatives. Investigation of his affairs shows him to be immensely wealthy. It is claimed by the Catholics that his salary never exceeded $750.00 per annum, yet he died possessed of a quarter of a million dollars. He made investments in Brooklyn (New York) real estate which turned out real lucky. How fortuuate he had been will probably never be known. Besides receiving the confessional and conducting mass the good Father found time to invest his earthly substance where rust and mildew corrupteth not and thieves do not break in and steal.

Sculptor Borglum Hits a Snag

What probably is the largest job of sculpture ever let in this country is the contract awarded to Gutzom Borglum, famous chiseler, for hewing out of solid rock on the face of Stone Mountain near Atlanta, Georgia, a replica of Gen. Robert E. Lee, famous Confederate leader and his staff on horseback. The gigantic proportions of this work can scarcely be imagined but the Association at Atlanta which made the contract for several million dollars, has been enjoined by Borglum for squandering the funds, hence the trouble. In retaliation they cancelled the contract. No sooner had this been done than the irate sculptor destroyed his working models, and there is a chance for a long litigation. Borglum is a bit ugly and swears vengeance.

The methods of Borglum indicate a wonderful ability to plan details. In order to get a few outlines on the side of the mountain Borglum had constructed a gigantic magic lantern which would project a picture several hundred feet. Having prepared drawings of the piece, he put them into the reflector and succeeded in getting a fairly good outline to work from.

The carving began over a year ago and at present some of the figures are partially completed, but it would be a hard task to find an artist who can take up the work where it has been dropped, and carry it through to completion.

Telephones In Japan

Any person who complains if he has to wait several days to have his phone installed, should read the experience of an American woman who has gone to Japan to live. In Japan the telephone system is owned by the government. She writes:

"I have given up hope of having a telephone. That utility, deemed a necessity in America, is a luxury in Japan that only rich can afford. In Tokio telephone subscribers must buy the instrument itself, paying for it all the way from one thousand to four or five thousand yen. And after one has bought and paid for a telephone, one must pay the usual monthly fee for service. Of course, telephone owners may sell their phones just as they would sell any other article of furniture. However, very few telephone operators want to sell. An applicant waits years, sometimes, to get an instrument in his home. It is common to see an advertisement for a telephone run for months."

A Real Degenerate Discovered in Jackson

On Sunday evening in Jackson occurred what is believed to be the most ghoulish and execrable crime in the history of the city when the body of a young woman was forcibly yanked from the grave in the cemetery and stripped of its jewelry and clothes and badly mutilated by a man who coolly confesses the deed and seemingly defies the law. Benjamin Uphold 35 years of age is the culprit and he confesses he went to the cemetery at 8:30 o'clock or 9:00 taking a spade and a butcher knife also an axe. He worked steadily for two hours.

According to the story of the officers who investigated the affair they were called to the cemetery by Undertaker Knickerbocker of Jackson who had been notified by the cemetery caretaker that something was wrong with the grave of Mrs. Ray Shinn who was buried last Thursday in Woodlawn cemetery. Indications of the grave having been opened were noticed and the undertaker, accompanied by William Boyden the dead woman's father went to the place and the body was disinterred by them and removed to Knickerbocker Undertaking Parlors where an examination was conducted by two physicians. All of the clothing had been removed from the body and some locks of hair snipped from the head. The body had been cut open and the heart, part of the lungs and other organs removed. These were found later out behind the woodshed in a quart glass jar. The officers who made the discovery were amazed at the spectacle when they lifted the cover of the casket which had been hurriedly replaced after the crime and the casket re-buried.

Mrs. Shinn was the wife of Ray E. Shinn and had been married only a short time previously. She died in the Foote hospital. Uphold claims he has been in service in the World War but investigation shows he was confined in a hospital most of the time at Richmond Indiana. He says he formerly kept company with the young woman who was 19 years of age, and claims he was not angry when she married Shinn. As near as can be learned he has been very shifty in in his habits working at several different plants in Jackson in the past few weeks. He will probably be examined for his sanity at once and Kalamazoo will be his final disposition no doubt.

Booming Sunday schools seems to be the leading occupation in Southern Michigan at this writing and the latest sensation is the fact that Jackson Haven M. E. church has challenged the Drexel Park church of Chicago for a contest from now until Easter Sunday to determine which is the most popular. Haven Methodist church in Jackson during February showed the following record attendance: Feb. 1, 260; Feb. 8, 308; Feb. 15, 300. Chicago's attendance record ranges from 386 down to 350 during the same period, hence the Jackson people can reasonably expect to catch the Drexel church soon.

In all the world there is not a man so hardened in crime but he has spells of downright decency and remorse for his misdeeds. The bandit and train robber might have been a better man if had met an object lesson at the critical moment.

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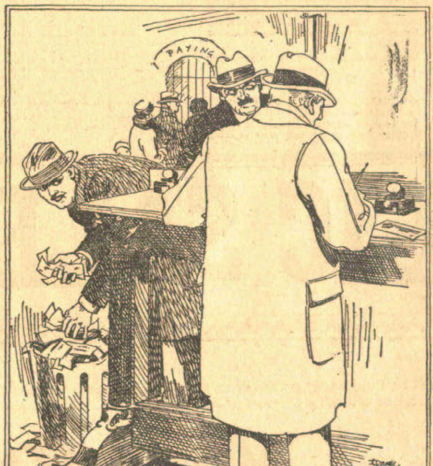
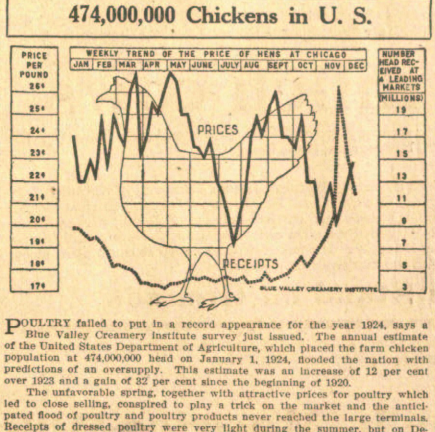


Pointing out that forgeries cause losses of $100,000,000 a year, the American Bankers Association has issued a warning against "Signature Snatchers." They pick discarded deposit slips out of bank wastebaskets to copy depositors' signatures on fake checks. "Be careful of your signature," says the association.—*News item.*

474,000,000 Chickens in U. S.



POULTRY failed to put in a record appearance for the year 1924, says a Blue Valley Creamery Institute survey just issued. The annual estimate of the United States Department of Agriculture, which placed the farm chicken population at 474,000,000 head on January 1, 1924, flooded the nation with predictions of an oversupply. This estimate was an increase of 12 per cent over 1923 and a gain of 32 per cent since the beginning of 1920.

The unfavorable spring, together with attractive prices for poultry which led to close selling, conspired to play a trick on the market and the anticipated flood of poultry and poultry products never reached the large terminals. Receipts of dressed poultry were very light during the summer, but on December 1, 1924, 16,000,000 pounds more dressed poultry were on hand than on the same day a year ago.

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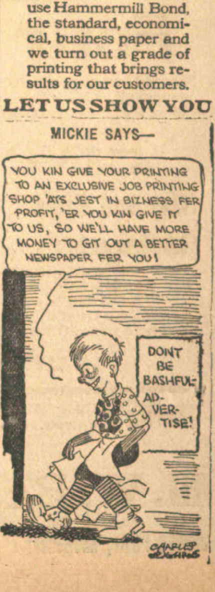
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"IT IS TOO LATE"

SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse. Without relatives or friends, and desperate, Joan, urged by her landlady, goes to Doctor Lancaster's office to ask him to overlook her blunder and reinstate her. She overhears a violent altercation between Doctor Lancaster and other men she does not see. Joan is struck by the favorable change in the appearance and demeanor of the doctor, recalling that at times in the hospital he has been gentle and thoughtful and at others supercilious and bullying. He tells her he can do nothing for her at the hospital, but offers her a position in a nursing institution in the country, telling her she can be of "great assistance" to him. A man named Myers demands she tell him what the doctor had said to her. She denies him the information, and he covertly threatens her. At the institution, which is owned by Doctor Lancaster, Joan finds Myers. He tells her he is the secretary. She instinctively dislikes and fears him. The only patient at the institute is a Mrs. Dana, demented but harmless. Joan is vaguely uneasy, feeling that there is some mystery about the place. Doctor Lancaster arrives. Joan accuses him of deceiving her, declaring her intention of leaving. He tells her he is the patient who needs her, saying he wants help in a "big fight," but makes no further explanation. She decides to stay. Evidently Doctor Lancaster is afraid of Myers.

CHAPTER V—Continued

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"There is no reason why you should not see him because he happens to be with Mr. Myers."

"Well, Miss Wentworth, you see, Mr. Myers is his secretary, and there's always a lot of business to be done."

"Doctor Jenkins, Doctor Lancaster is in no condition to attend to business," said Joan. "What is the matter with him?"

The doctor looked right and left, as if trying to find some refuge. But the girl was standing in front of him, and he could not enter the buggy without pushing her away.

"Miss Wentworth, please don't ask me about the doctor," he said. "I do my best for him. It isn't in my power to do more than I am doing."

"It is in your power to help him to be master of himself. How can the most famous surgeon in the South come here and be at the mercy of a man like Myers?"

"Why, Miss Wentworth, you've got that wrong," protested Jenkins. "Mr. Myers is only the secretary. Mr. Myers does all he can for the doctor. We've got to keep the institute together, Miss Wentworth, and we're each doing our best. You see, the trust fund wasn't made over to the doctor. He was only in charge of it, and when the money was missing it worried him. And—and—"

He stopped, as if he had caught himself babbling about something that should not have been mentioned. Then, as Joan stood aside, he leaped into the vehicle. "Good morning," he muttered, raising his hat, and drove away furiously.

Joan remained where the buggy had been. She realized that for the present she could get no help from Jenkins.

He had seemed afraid, not for himself, but for Lancaster. What had Lancaster done, then, that he should be in the power of Myers? Had he embezzled the funds of the institute?

The question was an absurd one. It was unbelievable that Lancaster should be a thief; besides, the explanation would not solve the problem at all.

She went back to the verandah. She was resolved to reach the bottom of the mystery, for Lancaster's sake; to prove her loyalty although he had withdrawn his demand on her.

As she reached the front door she was startled to hear her name spoken in the matron's room. The speaker was Myers.

"But she knows nothing at all," Mrs Fraser was saying.

"She knows a good deal too much," Myers answered. "What do you suppose the doctor brought her here for, if not to try to publish his shame to the world?"

"Aye, his shame," repeated the matron bitterly. "It's hard work for three people to try to hold up one man, without a fourth coming in."

"Well, is that his game?" demanded the secretary. "Is it or isn't it?"

"We want a nurse. You know we've often tried to get one, Mr. Myers, but they won't stay here. It's hard work taking care of the patients sometimes, when there's a rush."

"Rush!" repeated Myers scornfully. "Who'd rush to this old place with the doctor's reputation?"

"They do come, and the people trust him," said Mrs. Fraser, half crying.

"Yes," scoffed the other. "And the doctor still has his grandiose ideas about building up the institution—him that wrecked it."

"Well, that girl knows nothing, anyway."

"I tell you she means to help the doctor in his crazy plan of notoriety. She means to undo all our work in his own interests," cried Myers vehemently.

Joan walked away. She had overheard unwillingly, and enough to convince her that there was a mystery, with Myers at the bottom of it, and she had rightly sensed an enemy in him, and he in her. Now her mind was resolute to remain and fight for Lancaster. It was as if her decision, suddenly crystallized, had suddenly grown crystal-clear.

But she had not passed the entrance when the matron's door swung open violently and Myers came out. He stood confronting Joan with his insulting leer.

"Miss Wentworth," he began, "when you and I had our talk this morning you hadn't seen the doctor. You didn't know how things were situated, and I don't blame you. Now you've seen that the doctor needs a guardian. Well, I'm his guardian."

"I do not think that Doctor Lancaster needs a guardian, Mr. Myers," answered Joan, facing him steadily.

"See here, now, Miss Wentworth," said Myers, swallowing hard. "You don't get the drift of things, just as I thought. You think I'm trying to stand in the way of your work, when I'm only trying to reach a sort of working agreement to keep things in running order. That's my aim. Am I right?"

"I don't know whether you are right. I think you are extremely uncivil. Take off your hat!" flashed Joan.

Myers removed the hard hat from his head and stared at her in astonishment. He could not understand her sudden initiation of hostilities.

"Well, I reckon that's my nature, and I'm sorry," he said. He was trying to be conciliatory now. "I'm sorry if I get on your nerves, Miss Wentworth," he persisted, "but I wasn't brought up to be a ladies' man. However, I know my job, and I reckon you know yours. If you think I'm trying to stand between the doctor and you, come and see him right now."

"I have no complaint to make, and I have made none," said Joan.

"Come and see him," persisted Myers. "You're the nurse, and I guess it's up to you."

She looked at him, dismayed by his expression. "Is Doctor Lancaster worse?" she asked.

"Well, nothing that I didn't expect, but he might be better," said Myers, sneering.

He walked toward the door of Lancaster's room and opened it. Through the aperture Joan saw Lancaster stretched out in a large chair, his head bent forward on his breast, his limbs immobile. She hurried into the room.

But Myers preceded her to Lancaster's side. He raised the limp arm and turned up the sleeve. Joan saw that the skin was densely scarred with tiny punctures. Lancaster was breathing heavily, and beside him, upon a little table, was a syringe, and near that a little bottle containing a few drops of a pale fluid. Joan drew in her breath quickly. It was what she had feared.

"Morphine," said Myers. "He always does this when he comes home. Now you understand what I was trying to get at this morning, Miss Wentworth. I'm responsible for him. It's my job to keep him straight if I can. When I can't, I try. Now you see, perhaps, why he's lost his will power, and why I have to keep after him like a dog following his master. And I guess you won't think I'm trying to set him against you."

The bully in the man was coming to the surface again. He thrust out his head toward Joan.

"Because, if you do, I may as well say, Miss Wentworth, I'm the boss here. Understand that?" he continued, with a blustering air. "The doctor hires all sorts of people when he's like this, and it doesn't mean nothing. He can't pay out no salaries unless my O. K.'s on the vouchers. We want a nurse, and if you like to stay on you can. But if you stay you help me so far as the doctor's concerned, and you do what I tell you. That's straight. Is it clear or isn't it?"

Joan looked at him indifferently. "Help me put Doctor Lancaster on the bed," she said, "and then run and get me a hot-water bottle."

He scowled furiously, but he obeyed her. And all the while Joan sat at Lancaster's side watching him, her mind ran over the questions that were puzzling her.

Why had Myers spoken of Lancaster as coming home, when he lived in Avonmouth?

Who had hired him to be the doctor's keeper?

And with whom had Doctor Lancaster been speaking so bitterly in his consulting room that evening when Joan called at the house?

Chapter VI

She sat for hours beside the sick man, conscious sometimes that Myers had come in and spoken to her. But she never answered him. As the pulse strengthened she let her mind work upon the problem again. Lancaster had taken an immense overdose, one inconceivable in the ordinary morphine habitue. And he must have taken it during the brief period when Myers was with him; he must have taken it as soon as he got back to his room. Why had Myers permitted it?

At last Lancaster opened his eyes. His gaze fell upon Joan's face, at first without recognition, then with wonder.

"Water!" he gasped, after a few ineffectual attempts to speak.

Joan drew a glassful and gave it to him, and then another. Lancaster gulped down the liquid greedily. Presently he sat up, stood on his feet, and groped his way to the chair.

"I'm sorry," he said, looking at Joan with a whimsical expression. "I should have told you."

"Doctor Lancaster, I am ashamed of you," said Joan.

"God knows I'm ashamed of myself," he burst out fretfully. "Miss Wentworth, in the third drawer of that desk, beneath a pile of letters, you'll find a bottle—"

"No," said Joan decisively.

She knew by the wholly unnecessary secrecy in the concealment, characteristic of the drug habitue that Lancaster had gone a long way down the declivity.

"Miss Wentworth, you misunderstand me. It's an antidote for alkaloidal poisoning. I was experimenting with a new drug."

Joan found herself sobbing, and she was astounded. It was the wreck of the man's moral nature that was unbearable. She saw the latent fineness in him, and it was as if the needless lie was the voice of the morphine devil that spoke through his lips.

Lancaster looked distressed. "Miss Wentworth, you had better leave me and go back to Avonmouth on the evening train," he said. "I ought never to have brought you here. It was pure selfishness on my part. Miss Wentworth, please don't cry. Go away now, and we'll talk it over before you start for the station."

"If I go away," wept Joan, "you'll take another hypodermic."

"I pledge you my word of honor no," said Lancaster, with almost ingenuous candor. "I am really not accustomed to such a thing; that is why it knocked me out. I have been suffering from insomnia, and I tried a new alkaloid—not morphine, you know, but a derivative—for the benefit of my patients."

The words came from his lips so glibly that Joan was almost convinced—would have been, had not the first lie been different. She hesitated. She had no intention of leaving the room, but she turned away.

Lancaster misunderstood her action. With incredible swiftness his hand shot out toward the little bottle. He had uncorked it and plunged in the syringe before the girl could snatch it away.

"Your word of honor!" said Joan.

He leaned back in his chair and looked at her with amusement.

"Miss Wentworth," he said, "you are a nurse. Surely you are aware that I am not to be trusted, that my word of honor is worthless? That I am essentially devoid of honesty and decency? Don't you know that this accursed thing"—he pointed toward the bottle—"robs men of their honor and self-respect, and lowers them beneath the beasts?"

He spoke as if at a clinic, and quite impersonally; there was the shadow of a whimsical smile about his lips, which twitched, nevertheless, with pain.

"That does not refer to you," answered Joan. "You asked me to help you in the biggest fight of your life. Well, I am going to help you in that fight."

"It is too late," said Lancaster.

"Never!" replied Joan valiantly.

"You don't understand, Miss Wentworth. That's the mistake all people make in trying to cure us. Don't you know that a man or woman never becomes a victim to a drug except from sleeplessness, or physical pain, or under stress of mental anguish? If you could cure me the old trouble would still be there. I should fall a victim again. Life is worthless to me, Miss Wentworth," he ended, quite simply.

> The truth is out at last. The morphine habit is hard to cure. Will Joan succeed?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Names of Irish Towns

The following are the names of some townlands in Castleisland district, with English meanings: Ahaneboy, "Little Yellow Ford." Anglore, "Noisy Ford." Ballynaboul, "Town of the Holes." Bawnaskehy, "Lea Field of the White Thorn." Bawnaluskaha, "Bawn of the Burning." Beheenagh, "Birch Tree District." Caheragh, "Chieftaincy." Cahereen, "Little Mansion." Canguilla, "Hill of the Gallaun (Standing Stone)." Coolavanny, "The Field of the Milk." Coolnageragh, "The Field of the Sheep." Crag, "The Rock." Dooneen, "Little Fort." Dromulton, "Wethers' Ridge." Fahaduff, "Black Field." Farranabrack, "Land of the Trout Streams."

Writing on Pinhead Is No Longer a Novelty

Wandering about town one might get the idea that America had developed a new industry—that of engraving the Lord's prayer on pinheads. The impression is strengthened if one takes to visiting the regions in which sideshows flourish, near town or along the rustic routes of the traveling shows.

Considering that the man who engraved the prayer on a pin a few years ago was reported to have gone blind and insane as a result of his three years of application, one might almost pause to ask if all this pin engraving were not dangerous. There is no fear, however; the engraved pin business has been placed on a safe and sane basis, remarks the New York Times.

The original pin was all that has been said for it. On a disk forty-seven one-thousandths of an inch in diameter there were engraved 65 words with 254 letters, and nearly 2,000 lines had to be cut in doing it. The original might conceivably have got lost in a sewing basket and gone the way of all pins. But a die was made of it—no inconsiderable job in itself—and the market is now supplied from the die.

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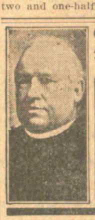

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Report for month of February:

We have recently secured a drinking fountain, a thermometer and erasers.

Our enrollment has increased by the entrance of Eileen and Russell Randall.

Books which have been added to our library are; "Beginners Geography", "Health in Rural Schools" and "Bible Story Book."

Those who have been neither absent nor tardy for six months thus far are; Robert Winchell, Joseph John and Marie Wilcox.

Friday afternoon February 20 we observed Washington's birthday by a short program attended by the mothers, followed by a dinner.

Those who received gold stars for perfect attendance are: Robert Winchell, John Meyer, Joseph John Lloyd Robb, Beulah Robb, Mildred Robb, Marie Wilcox, Louis Meyer.

The following received prizes for the month of February; Jeanette Hills, Orpha Hills, Marjory Rogers, Beulah Robb, Lloyd Robb, John Meyer, Robert Winchell and LaVern Kane.

Visitors since Christmas have been; Elda Rock, Doris Hill, Elna Knowles, Helen Draper, Mrs. Viola Moore, Henry Meyer, Myrtle Rogers, Marguerite Rogers, Viola Hick Gladys Kane.

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Local News

Central Moscow

Mrs. John Adams called on Elthea Leatherman last Thursday.

Mrs. George Brayton and son Tom were in Hillsdale last Saturday.

Vivian Richards has been quite sick the past week but is better at this writing.

Allen Kies and Lee Kies of Jackson visited their parents Chas Kies and wife Sunday.

John Crapser, Charley Leatherman and John Adams were in Hills dale last Thursday.

John Adams and wife were callers at Edd Carters and Douglass Shepards last Wednesday.

Clyde Begal and family visited at John Adams's Sunday also Mabel Sturtevant and family.

East Hoxie

J. G. Kiel, wife and son Clyde were in Nay Ohio Wednesday.

Warren Goble and L. O. Spratt were in Hillsdale Wednesday.

L. O. Spratt and family were Sunday guests of Arch Smith and family.

Grace Smith was at home Sunday and Monday caring for her mother.

Mrs. Will Steveson, Mrs. Will Smith and little Mary Spratt are on the sick list this week.

Mr. Birchfield's people hope to move to their new home in the Bross district this week.

Mrs. Mary Rickard has returned home from a long visit with her son Gaylord and wife of Detroit.

Little Mary Spratt had the misfortune to get burned quite badly. Monday evening. A celluloid comb which was worn around her neck becoming inflamed by a lamp. She is doing as well as can be expected.

A farewell party was given Chas Sprague and family Saturday evening by the friends and neighbors. About 60 children and adults attended. Everybody enjoyed a lovely evening but we are sorry to lose them. Wish them every bit of happiness and prosperity in their new home.

Center Adams

Mrs. G. R. Ambler visited her aunt Mrs. Minerva Fairbanks of Hillsdale on Saturday.

Carl Shull and wife entertained the members of I. C. E. Club very pleasantly Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ardeth Schwab spent the first of the week in Detroit with Mr. Schwab who is working there.

Richard, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dewey is quite ill with gathering in the head and ears.

Master Harry Gordon son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gordon who has been seriously ill with Tonsilitis is much better.

E. S. Gray and wife were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rumsey on Sunday, helping Mrs Rumsey celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. C. N. Williams is in Hillsdale helping to care for her mother Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks and sister Mrs. Robert Bates who are both ill.

The Coterie club which was to have been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williams will meet with Will Keith and wife on Friday evening on account of illness in the Williams home.

James Post and wife, Mark Caskey and family of Hillsdale visited Sunday at the home of Frank Powderley and family of Hillsdale. These three families take turns in entertaining once each year.

Jonesville

Mark Grill and wife were in Jackson Friday and Saturday.

The Eastern Stars will have a party in the town hall March 17.

Gladys Westcott of Albion spent the week end with Mrs. Roy Howard.

Mrs. Jay Wickman of Milwaukee Wis. is visiting her parents G. C. Varnum and wife.

J. V. Gibson of Leslie came last Thursday to take part in the annual K of P Roll call.

Ed Jones of Kalamazoo was in Jonesville last week and attended the K of P Roll call.

E. J. Gilmer has been confined to the house the past week on acconnt of an injury of the hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Depue of Detroit were guests during the week at the Perry Kimball home.

Mrs. M. J. Ward was in Jackson during the week to visit her parents Philo Breckenridge and wife.

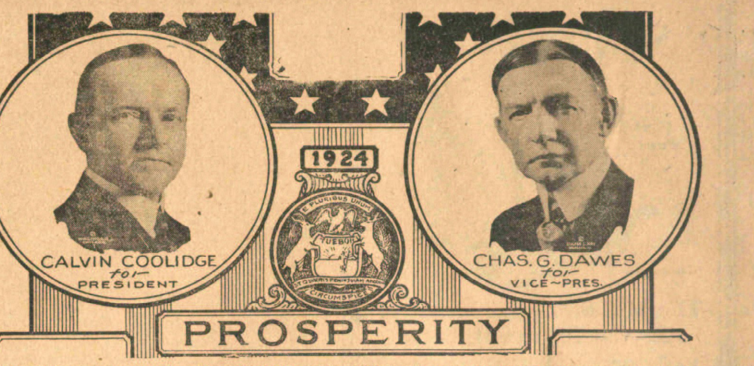
Mrs. Mary Weston was in Mosherville Friday Feb. 27 and attended a shower in honor of Miss Veda Weston.

Mrs. Garrett Walcott visited her sons Carver and Clifford and their wives in Ypsilanti over the weekend.

The meeting of the Helen Childs Missionary Society was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Wetmore.

Samuel Wood will move his family here, and will occupy the Dow house until his own house at Chicago and Hillsdale street is completed.

COOLIDGE & DAWES



THESE MEN were handed the reins of government on Wednesday and swore the solemn oath of all the Presidents to uphold the Constitution of the United States to the best of thefr ability. They will go into officc with vastly better prospects and backing than either Woodrow Wilson or Warren Harding, since the country is at peace, commerce is re-instated after the World war, and transportation problems are pretty much ironed out In the choice of Calvin Coolidge for President, the Nation has shown a wonderful discretion. Honest "Cal" has shown his ability to cut down expenses, and the days of extravagence which this government has been subjected to under other administrations will not recur under the careful management of our Puritan president. Matters pertaining to Domestie affairs will be adjusted so as to aid the class who feed us all—the great middle class who till the soil, the great National backbone, without which no nation could long endure, and our commanwealth would be a rope of straw. Of the man who has become vice president we have no conscience to speak. We believe the country will be immensely fortunate if he is never by necessity placed in the Presidential chair. If the same calamity shonld befall this country the second time, then it would indeed be a hard trial to place Charles Dawes at the head of affairs with his "Hell and Maria" tactics,

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Douglass and Joseph Randolph of Detroit, have been with their grandparents Harry Randolph and wife for a three week's visit.

The Presbyterian Mens club entertained the members of Friendship Chapter, Order of DeMolay last Wednesday evening in the church parlors. There were 100 men and boys present, a banquet served at 6:30 was in charge of Mrs. James Kaiser. R. S. Varnum's Sunday school class of young men serving.

West Hoxie

Burl Shambaugh and wife entertained relatives of Fort Wayne and Monroeville Sunday.

Several from this vicinity expect to attend the child clinic to be held at North Adams March 9.

Ellsworth Sprague and brother Clyde tapped their sugar bush last week. They report a good run of sap.

Mrs. Gobel received word that her father is at the hospital in Fort Wayne. His hand is in a serious condition.

Mrs. Puff and sons Lawrence and Fred and families of Tontogany O. spent Sunday at the home of her daughter Mrs. Mayme Sprague.

Edward Bloemker, Iris Sutton Roy Householder of Reading and Clyde Sprague of near Hoxie were Sunday guests at the Bloemker home.

The Larkin Club 10 was entertained at the home of Mrs. Flora Spratt last Tuesday. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Howard Wells.

The neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sprague gave them a farewell party Saturday evening. They came with well filled baskets. The host and hostess were presented with an aluminum roaster.

Jerome

Ora Potter was in Jackson Saturday.

C. W. McGregor has installed a radio.

Harley Voorhees and family spent the week end with relatives in Marshall.

Lee Parks, Milton Turnley and Ralph Tuttle are employed in Jackson.

Fred Foltz of Sunfield has been a recent guest of his brother John and family.

Mrs. T. J. Lane spent the week end in North Adams with J. E. Lane and family.

Miss Lillian Gilbert gave her fourth lecture to the Home nursing class at the school Wednesday.

Rev. Scott commenced a series of four sermons dealing with war, its causes and cure last Sunday.

W. C. Wertenberger of Lansing and Thomas McCready of Liberty visited I. W. Wertenberger and family one day last week.

Homer Marvin and family have moved from the Mrs. Dan Sawdey house to the L. D. Walworth house south of the lower railroad.

The other day, Merl Morehead shot an owl which measured 53 inches from tip to tip. This is the second big owl which Merl has hornswoggled during the winter.

Charley Dawes is now vice president ot the United States. Charley is the boy who helped Lorimer to put a bad deal over on the Illinois bank inspectors a few years ago with the result that some four thousand bank depositors lost one and one fourth millions of dollars. Lorimer was expelled from the U. S. Senate while Dawes went free for seven years when the Illinois Supreme court held him financially responsible, according to the Toledo News Bee which is one of the real representatives of the people. But Charley will never serve any time behind the walls of Joliet prison, of course not: because Charley is one of the biggest bankers in the country and then he is also one of the bossess of Chicago University, an institution where professors dare not express an opinion concerning the menace of the money power If a bandit takes a six shooter, holds up a pedestrian robs him of a dollar is caught and convicted, the judge if he desires, may send the bandit to prison for twenty years, but here is Dawes helping Lorimer to wreck the life savings of not one person but thousands of persons and while the bandit receives a prison sentence, Dawes, through the assistance of 15 million voters gets the vice presidency of the United States

Viehle School Notes

Those having 100 percent in attendance during the month of February are: Laura Sommers, Gurney Westcott, Elwood Horton, Donald Horton, Cleo Poling, Martha Baker Dale Wells, Roland Jennings, Violet Poling, Eunice Fast, Carlos Wells, Raymond Jennings, Laurel Poling, Clarence Fast, Lazala Horton, Mae Poling, Betty Westcott, Robert Simmonds and Orpha Poling.

Rex Baker was absent Friday of last week.

The seventh grade has begun the work book in geography.

The Courtship of Miles Standish is being studied by the seventh grade.

We are reading "Bunny Brown" and "Sister Sue", for morning exercises.

Tests were given Wednesday and Thursday of last week closing the month of February.

Seven out of eight pupils in the first and second grades received pencils this month for good work in reading.

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Wool Growers Meet March 11

There will be a meeting of the wool growers of Hillsdale county at Pinkham & Wright's Hall in Hillsdale Wednesday afternoon. March 11th at 1:00 p. m. for the purpose of discussing the Wool Pool for 1925. J. H. Walker, secretary of the Ohio Sheep and wool Growers Association will be present. Mr. Walker addressed the meeting last year and many interesting points were learned by those present in regard to shipping and preparing wool for sale. The Wool Department of the Michigan State Farm Bureau will be represented by an efficient speaker. All who are interested are welcome to attend this meeting and learn the details firsthanded.

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Robert Bentz of Hillsdale was in town Wednesday.

Miss Murel Owen spent the week end with friends in Hillsdale.

Mrs. A. L. Crane and Miss Florence Benson are on the sick list.

Prof. Herron of Hillsdale was in North Adams Thursday on business.

Mrs. T. N. Lamb has been confined to the house by illness since Saturday.

Mrs. C. J. Knapp is in Adrian visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lena Stoner for a few days.

Mrs. Alice Burley and daughter Mrs. Grace Doolittle spent Sunday in Jackson visiting relatives.

Mrs. O. R. Thompson has been here since last Friday helping to care for her father Daniel Wisner.

A. J. Hoffman and Dean Williams were business visitors in Lansing and Detroit part of last week.

J. C. Oberlander and family are new residents of this village. occupying the Levi Rickerd house.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Andrew Pendell Wednesday afternoon, March 18th.

—You Fathers and Sons cannot afford to miss hearing Dr. Whitehouse Thursday evening March 26. at the Congregational church.

The many friends of Mrs. Lillian Cole Bernhardt will regret to learn that she is in the hospital for treatment of a serious case of cancer.

Mrs. Anna Payne has quit house-keeping and is storing her goods in the old Adriansenns house in the north-east corner of the village.

The Jonesville DeMolays came to North Adams on Wednesday evening and put on special work. Keith Williams received special degrees. Masons were present from Sturgis, Jonesville and other points.

Mrs. William Corey writes from Ann Arbor hospital that she expects to return home before long and resume her millinery business which at present is in charge of Mrs. Addie VanAken.

The two weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walters passed away on Sunday last and funeral services were held at the home on Monday afternoon. Rev. Hunt offered prayer and a short service was held at the grave.

One case of diphtheria was reported in North Adams the first of this week in the person of Alfred Gary but Mr. Gary has been out on the street since that time. The only explanation is that he has had diphtheria germs in his throat.

Fern Wells Stokes formerly of this village has been granted a divorce from Paul Stokes whom she married in 1920, and the custody of two young children. The Judge also granted alimony of $8.00 per week for their support.

Alpha Chapter 288 will hold a St Patrick's party at Community Hall Tuesday evening March 17th. O. E. S. ladies will please bring sandwiches or doughnuts. Music will be furnished by L'Amoreaux's orchestra. The Public is invited to attend. 40t2

The Alpha Chapter No. 288 of the O. E. S. met at Masonic Hall Tuesday evening. A pot-luck supper was served at 7 o'clock. Degrees were conferred on two candidates, Harold Young and Rev. Hunt. After the initiation a fine program was enjoyed. There was a large attendance at the meeting.

Reports indicate that the baby clinic which was held at the Congregational church on Monday proved more of a success even than had been anticipated 27 mothers and children were present and the examinations were carefully conducted by Dr Lillian Smith of Lansing assisted by a nutrition expert and a nurse Considerable data was secured by mothers in regard to diet and general care of their children as suited to their individual needs.

Harvey A. Fuller "the blind poet" 90 years old, passed away at his home near Akron, Ohio, last Sunday after a long illness. Former students of Hillsdale College will remember Mr. Fuller as he graduated from that institution and made a passably good livlihood by lecturing tours and writing books. He was possessed of an unfailing fund of good nature and was a philosopher in regard to his own personal misfortunes as well. Not very long ago a delegation from the College visited him at Akron. He is survived by his wife and his remains were interred in Oak Grove cemetery at Hillsdale.

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Death of Daniel A. Wisner

Daniel A. Wisner who has resided near this village for many years and has been confined to the home for over one year and ill much longer than that, passed away Tuesday.

Daniel Allen Wisner the fourth child of Horace and Rachel Hudnut Wisner was born in the town of Nunda, Livingston County, New York on March twelfth 1843 and died at his home near North Adams Michigan, March tenth 1925, two days before his eighty second birthday.

In May of the year of his birth his parents came as pioneers to Michigan and settled in Moscow township, Hillsdale County where he passed his youth and early manhood.

January fifth 1865 he was united in marriage to Henrietta Warner. To this union were born two children, a son who died in infancy and Jessie Henrietta who died in early womanhood. Mrs. Wisner died in 1868 soon after the birth of Jessie.

On September fifth 1871 Daniel was married to Cynthia Jane Curdy who survives him. To their union were born five children: Ina Claire of Cleveland, Ohio; Adah Elizabeth (Mrs. O. R. Thompson) of Jackson Michigan; Fred Curdy of North Adams; Burr Allen of Garden Grove California; and Rubie Jane (Mrs. M. D. Good) of Charleston, West Virginia.

Mr. Wisner was always interested in the welfare of his community and his fellow citizens honored him by electing him to serve as treasurer of the township for two terms and as supervisor of the township for seven terms. In those offices he tried to serve honestly and efficiently.

For over fifty years he was a member of Adams Lodge No. 189 of the Free and Accepted Order of Masons. It was his purpose to live up to the ideals of his fraternity and he was liked and respected by his brother Masons.

The funeral services were held at the residence Thursday March 12th at 10 a. m. conducted by the Rev. Virgil Hunt. Burial was in the North Adams cemetery. The burial service at the grave was conducted by Adams Lodge No. 189 of the Free and Accepted Order of Masons.

Village Election Monday

We understand the voting interest shown at the polls of the village on Monday was not very strong as only 25 ballots were cast The personnel of the village officials is as follows: President, Merton N. Wolcott; clerk, Howard Williams; assessor, Frank W. Holcomb; treasurer, Fred W. Payne; trustees (full term) Darwin Carney, Harley Fry, Glenn Mercer; (vacancy to fill unexpired term of W. W. Clingerman) Lewis Eggleston, Fred Baker and Bert Taylor

We have been promised some repairs on the back streets this season, something which has been woefully neglected for too long. It is hoped the town selectmen will see the necessity of a few loads of gravel in the spots which are in worse shape this spring than ever before.

Benjamin Uphold, confessed desecrater of graves and body snatcher in Jackson who was ordered examined by two doctors pending insanity has been dubbed as plain nutty by the physicians, but their word don't go with Judge Parkinson who questioned Uphold a little himself. He is not satisfied with the verdict of the doctors and will order a jury trial. If the good and true men agree that the culprit is insane, it will have to stand and Uphold's destination will be the asylum, otherwise he will have to take prison punishment. The Judge is adverse to committing the prisoner to the bug college probably thinking if he could get out in Indiana, he might do likewise here and for other technical reasons. Uphold's line of conversation if correctly quoted would lead one to believe he was merely lacking. or a half witted degenerate and he may be neither. His latest story is that he had intended to dig up the body and secrete it, but his claim of former acquaintance is indignantly denied by the girl's father William Boyden who says that his daughter attended the same church and Sunday school as Uphold, and that was all. The father may and he may not know whereof he speaks at any rate the case is bound over to the court, and from Judge Parkinson's attitude it would appear matters are not as they seem.

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Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

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Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Dr. F. H. Clapp, the District Superintendent will be with us Sunday morning and at Wheatland Center in the afternoon next Sunday March 15th.

A week from next Sunday, March 22nd. our regular Thank offering will be taken.

The W. C. T. U. will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Winchell Friday March 13, The topic will be "Women and Prohibition." Roll call, What I can do to assist in law enforcement. Leader, Mrs Westcott. Devotional, Mrs. Holcomb. Parliamentary drill Mrs. Jones.

The Hoxie Ladies Aid Society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Will Bloemker, Thursday, March 19. Potluck dinner.

The Epworth League will be led by Margaret Meeks. The subject will be, "The place where I live, keeping it happy." That is what we believe in, so let's all be there, Sunday evening at 6:00.

There will be special singing at the Wheatland church Sunday afternoon furnished by North Adams Epworth choir or Methodist Male Quartet.

The Big Brothers class in Sabbath school will have charge of the program Sunday morning. Don't miss it.

Friday evening March 20, the S. P. I. class will entertain their husbands and the two corresponding classes from the Congregational church, in the parlors of the church.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time there will be a speaker representing the Anti-Saloon League of Michigan. Don't fail to hear him.

Sunday school convenes at 11:45 There are classes for everyone and the Sunday school needs U and you need the Sunday school.

NOTICE! Are all of You Fathers and Sons keeping Thursday evening March 26 open for the Father and Son Banquet. Dr. Whitehouse is one of the most outstanding speakers in the State of Michigan and you cannot afford to miss hearing him. His theme will be "Life's Supreme Challenge."

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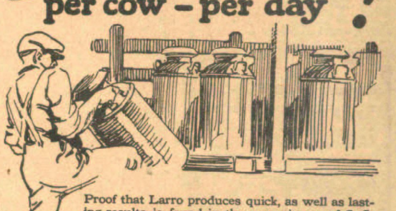

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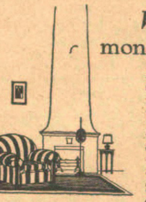

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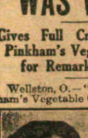

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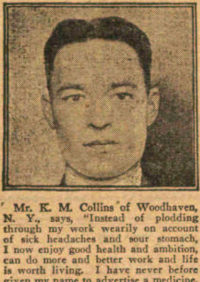

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"ARE YOU A WITCH?"

SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse. Without relatives or friends, and desperate, Joan, urged by her landlady, goes to Doctor Lancaster's office to ask him to overlook her blunder and reinstate her. She overhears a violent altercation between Doctor Lancaster and other men she does not see. Joan is struck by the favorable change in the appearance and demeanor of the doctor, recalling that at times in the hospital he has been gentle and thoughtful and at others supercilious and bullying. He tells her he can do nothing for her at the hospital, but offers her a position in a nursing institution in the country, telling her she can be of "great assistance" to him. A man named Myers demands she tell him what the doctor had said to her. She denies him the information, and he covertly threatens her. At the institution, which is owned by Doctor Lancaster, Joan finds Myers. He tells her he is the secretary. She instinctively dislikes and fears him. The only patient at the institute is a Mrs. Dana, demented but harmless. Joan is vaguely uneasy, feeling that there is some mystery about the place. Doctor Lancaster arrives. Joan accuses him of deceiving her, declaring her intention of leaving. He tells her he is the patient who needs her, saying he wants help in a "big fight," but makes no further explanation. She decides to stay. Evidently Doctor Lancaster is afraid of Myers. Joan discovers that the doctor is a victim of the morphine habit. Joan takes charge of him, helping him to overcome temporarily his craving for the drug. Myers accuses her of "meddling," but she refuses to leave or to give up her care of Lancaster.

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"For happiness, perhaps—I don't know. But not for duty. Your life is to be used, Doctor Lancaster, for the sake of the people, and I am going to help you use it. Your wonderful skill—"

He groaned at the words. Joan saw that, though he was suffering physically, there was some mental trouble which her words had evoked.

"Doctor Lancaster," she said, "the first thing you have to do is to use your will. And I am going to give you your first test, a little one only. It will last thirty seconds. Can you put forth your will for just that length of time?"

He fixed his eyes anxiously on hers and nodded. Yet she saw them waver toward the bottle.

"I am going to cross the room," she said. "Don't stir a finger till I return."

She heard Myers in the hall, and, going to the door, she turned the key. She heard Myers halt near her door. But she had no time to think of him. She went back to Lancaster, whose hands were strained hard against the arms of the chair.

"Well done!" she said.

"Miss Wentworth, I must have that hypodermic now."

"I want you to wait. Wait half an hour, Doctor Lacaster.

"I can't!" he cried, starting up. "I tell you I must have it. After an overdose one must have a smaller one. It will set me up nicely. Just half the quantity, Miss Wentworth."

"In half an hour," said Joan.

He sprang to his feet, shaking and furious. "Give me that bottle at once!" he cried.

"In half an hour."

Lancaster sat down. "Confound you, why ever did you come here?" he asked. "Suppose that I discharge you?"

"I shall not go, Doctor Lancaster. We have covered that point in our conversation already."

Then, seeing his distress, she went on rapidly: "Listen to me, Doctor Lancaster. You brought me here upon an impulse, because you had no one whom you could trust. You wanted to fight and you wanted me to fight with you. Well, I am going to do it, and we are going to win." She took out her watch and laid it on the table. "In twenty-five minutes you shall have half a dose. Then we shall have won the first skirmish. O, Doctor Lancaster, fight like a man and help us win!"

She spoke with so much earnestness that she kindled his enthusiasm. "Yes, we'll make the fight!" he cried, with blazing eyes. "If only I had had you long ago!"

He was in the full reaction from his despondency. He struck his fist emphatically upon the arm of the chair. "I'll be a man again!" he cried. "If you knew everything, Miss Wentworth, you might understand how a man can be caught in a snare of his own making. But I'll win, with your aid, and I'll be my own master again."

"You are your own master now, Doctor Lancaster. Always think that and remember it."

"My own master? When that hound follows me—"

"Mr. Myers is your servant."

Lancaster laughed harshly. "By heaven!" he cried, "I'll tell him so. Miss Wentworth, give me that dose now, so that I can feel like a man again and have the strength to send him about his business."

"It will give you strength," she answered, "but it will not make you yourself, your better self. You will no longer want to send him about his business."

Lancaster stared at her. "How do you know that?" he asked. "Are you a witch? It's true. But I can't wait any longer. I have waited fifteen minutes. Half an hour next time. Miss Wentworth, the third drawer—"

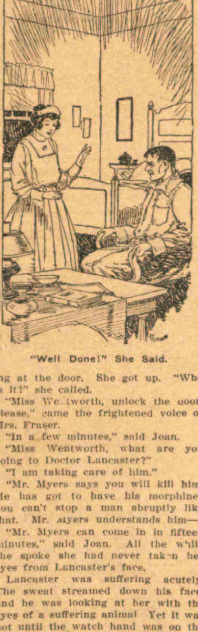
As her eyes went toward the desk he snatched up the bottle and hypodermic from the table. Joan caught at his wrist. But Lancaster had already plunged the syringe into the fluid, and he was upon his feet.

He tried to free his hand, he fought furiously, but Joan succeeded in knocking the bottle from his grasp. It fell upon the table. Lancaster righted it, and suddenly darted toward the desk. Joan caught him. He flung her across the room. He had got the drawer open when she grappled with him again.

He struck at her with his right hand, beating her about the wrists, but she would not let go. She would never leave go, not though he struck her in the face. He tossed her this way and that, but she never unclasped her hold. At last he dropped into his chair exhausted and covered his face with his hands.

"Twelve minutes more," said Joan triumphantly, looking at her watch.

Then she realized that all through the struggle there had been a hammering at the door. She got up. "Who is it?" she called.



"Well Done!" She Said.

"Miss Wentworth, unlock the door, please," came the frightened voice of Mrs. Fraser.

"In a few minutes," said Joan.

"Miss Wentworth, what are you doing to Doctor Lancaster?"

"I am taking care of him."

"Mr. Myers says you will kill him. He has got to have his morphine; you can't stop a man abruptly like that. Mr. Myers understands him—"

"Mr. Myers can come in in fifteen minutes," said Joan. All the while she spoke she had never taken her eyes from Lancaster's face.

Lancaster was suffering acutely. The sweat streamed down his face, and he was looking at her with the eyes of a suffering animal Yet it was not until the watch hand was on the hour that Joan took the bottle from the desk.

"The whole bottle is a normal dose," said Lancaster, through his teeth.

Joan drew one-fourth into the syringe.

"You must give me all, Miss Wentworth. That little quantity is useless."

He was lying about the strength of the dose, and he knew that Joan knew. She did not answer him. He extended his arm, and she plunged the needle into the wrist. Then she corked the bottle and she put it into the pocket of her uniform, having previously added the small quantity in the bottle upon the table.

The hammering at the door had begun again. But the girl waited until the spasms of pain disappeared from Lancaster's face. He rose.

"Miss Wentworth!" he began gratefully. Then, catching sight of her bruised wrists, he took her hands in his.

"Did I do that?" he cried.

"Not you, Doctor Lancaster," answered Joan, snatching her wrists away. "Your enemy—our enemy, who is now worsted in his first field of battle."

"Miss Wentworth, you see now what I am. I can't hold you to your promise. You must leave me. Who's that at the door?"

"We shall see," answered Joan, and unlocked it.

Myers was standing outside, white with rage, and with him was Doctor Jenkins, looking uneasy and embarrassed; his eyes fell before Joan's.

"Tell her what you told me!" stammered Myers, beside himself with his anger.

"Miss Wentworth," faltered Jenkins, "indeed you don't understand what you are doing. Doctor Lancaster—"

"Is a mighty sick man," burst out the secretary. "And it's my job to prevent him from being killed by meddlers. He picked this nurse up somewhere and she's trying to get rid of me and have the charge of the doctor. I won't stand for it," he added to Joan. "I warned you twice today, and you paid no attention to me. Now you can pack up and leave the institute. Isn't that right, doctor?" he added, to Lancaster.

To Joan's stupefaction, Lancaster's old irresolution had already returned, and more; he seemed to ally himself with the secretary. The morphine, which had restored his body, had lent him its own false personality.

"Well, you see, Miss Wentworth means well," he said slowly, "but she doesn't realize conditions. You see," he added, turning to Joan but not meeting her eyes, "one has to taper off very slowly in a desperate case like mine. I'm very far gone, and heroic measures are useless."

"That's right. Now tell her to go," said Myers.

"Yes, Miss Wentworth, I really don't believe that you can do any good here," said Lancaster obediently. "It was a mistake. You shall be paid a full month's salary. Ask Mr. Myers to make out your check."

"She can drive back with Doctor Jenkins now," suggested Myers

"She can drive back with Doctor Jenkins," agreed Lancaster, and Joan saw the secretary's pale face blaze with triumph.

"And you might get me a few more bottles from the storeroom," whispered Lancaster to Myers. "I'm very shaky. I must have enough on hand in case I wake up in the night. You understand my needs, Myers," he continued, with a catch of self-pity in his voice.

Joan did not hesitate a moment. She slipped between the two men and ran to the storeroom. With a muttered oath Myers ran after her. The girl was just in time to slam the door in his face and lean against it inside, bracing her foot against a plank and using the whole weight of her body.

She heard Myers breathe heavily as he tried to force his entrance. He dashed himself madly against it, but Joan knew that she would die rather than yield.

"Open that door!" shrieked Myers, in uncontrolled fury. "Open at once, do you hear me?"

Joan looked hastily about her. Some instinct seemed to tell her that the case of morphine bottles was hidden under the linen pile in the near corner. By stretching out one hand without giving way in the least Joan could just reach far enough to toss away the napkins. There were dozens of the tiny bottles in the packing case beneath—enough to kill a herd of oxen.

Joan heard Jenkins' protesting voice outside, and the irresolute tones of Lancaster. The matron was speaking, too. The girl did not know what they were saying to Myers, beyond the general sense of their expostulations, but she felt her will ride high above the storm of conflict.

A hammer lay on the shelf. Joan took it in her hand.

"Listen!" she cried to those outside. "I have the morphine and I have the hammer. And I am going to break every bottle in this room—"

Lancaster cried out pitifully at her words. "Miss Wentworth, you will kill me if you do!"

"Unless this case passes into my possession. I am going to have the storeroom key, and I am going to take charge of Doctor Lancaster, who has employed me for that especial purpose, during this month."

The silence of stupefaction outside was complete. Joan flung the door open boldly and stood before the group, the hammer in her hand. She saw Lancaster, with eyes bent inquiringly upon hers, the matron and Jenkins, mute, and Myers, leaning against the opposite wall of the passage, regarding her with venomous impotence.

"Well, what do you say to that, doctor?" he sneered.

Joan is putting up a good fight against big odds. Is Doctor Lancaster worth saving?

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These glass flowers are used extensively in museums, both to show details of plant or flower formation and as backgrounds for displaying specimens of birds and beasts.

This May Mean Something

The intelligence of the lower animals is something remarkable. We once knew a writer of popular songs who could stand on his hind legs.—Duluth Herald.

Keep cool, and you command everybody.—St. Just.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

State Will Assume Trunk Line Costs According to Bill Passed By House

Lansing—The Ming proposal for the assumption by the state of all responsibility and cost of construction and maintenance of trunk line highway, has been passed by the house by a vote of 71 to 14. The counties have been paying half of the cost, and it is estimated that the Ming scheme will save between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000 for the various counties, and saddle that amount, as Ming described it, on the automobiles of the state, where it belongs.

All the work would be done by the state highway department, which operates under the administrative board.

Before the Ming bill passed an attempt was made to amend it. Representative George Watson, of St. Clair county, proposed that the counties be required to pay 10 per cent of the costs of maintenance and 5 per cent of the costs of construction of the highways, simply, he said, so that the counties would be able to have a voice in the state highway commission's operations in their individual cases. Several Wayne county members favored this amendment, which was lost by a vote of 78 to 19.

Handbook Bill Reported Out

The Bahorski Anti-Gambling Bill was voted out of the Senate Judiciary Committee with the recommendation that the bill pass.

No opposition to the bill has developed in the Senate and it is expected to ride through to final passage without interruption. In 1923, practically the same measure was adopted unanimously, and there is no reason to believe there has been any serious change in sentiment.

As the bill comes from committee it is unchanged even in verbiage. When it came up in the Judiciary Committee several suggestions for improving it were made, but in each instance Senator Joseph Bahorski, sponsor of the bill and co-author with Detroit judges and other persons interested in stamping out the gambling evil, was able to show that the original wording excelled the suggestions.

School District Bill Passes

Relief for the congestion of Redford Union school districts is seen in the passage by the House of the Bristow bill providing for the exemption of rural agricultural school districts from the bonding limitation of 8 per cent on districts with from 15,000 to 100,000 population. The bill, introduced by Rep. Fred W. Bristow, of Highland Park, passed unanimously.

The population of this district is now 18,000. Two years ago it was 5,000. Its school facilities consist of an eight-room building erected in 1922, and twice remodeled. The bond limitation, according to Rep. Bristow, precluded the building of more schools. Under his bill if it becomes law, the district may issue bonds in amounts to provide sufficient schools.

Agree On Transit Bill

William M. Donnelly, attorney for the Detroit Rapid Transit Commission; John L. Lovett, secretary of the Michigan Manufacturers Association, and Rep. Sherman D. Callender, of Detroit, met here and agreed to the amendments that the Callender Rapid Transit Bill will carry when it is brought up before the House Committee on City Corporations. Most of the amendments were suggested by Mr. Lovett who was responsible for tying up the bill when it seemed that it might be reported out of committee in its original form.

Would Revoke Driver's Licenses

A bill introduced by Rep. Sherman D. Callender, of Detroit, would make it mandatory on the secretary of state to revoke automobile operators' licenses upon conviction of any felony in which a motor car figured, of driving while drunk, or under the influence of drugs, of and leaving the scene of an accident without reporting name and address.

To Limit Christmas Trees

Senator James C. Quinlan, of Grand would prohibit the cutting of Christmas trees with a butt diameter of less than four inches, and to license wholesalers at $10 each, and retailers $5, according to a bill which he has introduced.

Reports of Tax Collections

Senator James C. Quinian, of Grand Rapids, has introduced a bill to require county treasurers to make monthly reports of tax collections to the state treasurer, and to pay 1 per cent interest on all sums withheld.

Stockholders May Lose Rights

Stockholders in trust, security and deposit companies would be shorn of heir present rights to vote for directors under the so-called cumulative plan, if a bill introduced in the House by Rep. Charles H. Culver, of Detroit, is passed. Mr. Culver said that the bill was sent to him by an official of a Detroit trust company, but he declined to divulge the name of the official or of the company. The cumulative plan was created for the small stockholder.

State Plans Probe of Charges

Investigation of charges by Eugene Brown, of St. Ignace, that members of the highway department were profiting by contracts, has been ordered by the state administrative board. Attorney General Andrew B. Dougherty will have charge of the investigation. The charges were made in a letter by Brown to Governor Alex J. Groesbeck. Highway Commissioner Frank F. Rogers told the board Brown was disgruntled because he had failed to obtain paving contracts.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Stanton—Floyd E. Winter, 45 years old, a Greenville attorney for 20 years, was found guilty of unprofessional practices by a special tribunal which directed his permanent disbarment. Winter entered no defense.

Ionia—Officials of the National bank of Ionia still are investigating the origin of the recent fire that caused $15,000 damage to the interior of the structure. Temporary quarters were opened on the west side of the lobby.

Cheboygan—Heavy damage was done when fire broke out here in the rear of a downtown art shop. Chief of Police Leahale was injured by falling glass when attempting to force an entrance previous to arrival of the fire department.

Lansing—Gladnil B. Williams, local postal deliveryman, was bound over to the federal grand jury in Detroit after examination by Joseph Dunnebacke, federal commissioner, on a charge of retaining c. o. d. payments he collected on mail.

Mt. Clemens—Andrew J. Quigley, alleged gambler and the last man to be arrested in connection with the alleged swindling of Anton Morvich last September, was freed under reduced bail of $3,000 here by William J. Dusse, justice of the peace.

Muskegon—Four steamships were fast in the ice floes off Grand Haven. They were the Goodrich ship Alabama, the Peninsula and Northern ship United States, and the Grand Trunk car ferries Grand Haven and Milwaukee. All were seeking to enter the river.

Kalamazoo—A gift of $50,000 has been made to the Young Women's Christian association of this city by Mrs. Anna Louise Raymond, of Chicago, a former resident of Kalamazoo. The donation is to be known as the Anna Louise Raymond endowment fund and is to be held in trust.

Hartford—Petition for authority to pay an additional five per cent to creditors of the Hartford exchange bank, conducted by the late George W. Merriam, has been filed by Trustee Stephen A. Doyle with Referee in Bankruptcy Willard J. Banion. The creditors already have received 50 per cent.

Adrian—State health officials are investigating local conditions relative to the large number of scarlet fever or scarlet rash cases that have developed in this city during the past few months. An examination was made of all pupils in the public schools to determine if there were any cases not under quarantine.

Ann Arbor—A gift of $100,000 to the University of Michigan by a Detroit alumnus was disclosed with the publication of the annual report of the president of the institution. The donor, whose name was not revealed, has directed the use of $50,000 a year for two years by Professor E. T. Kelsey, who is conducting archeological research in the Near East.

Battle Creek—Building inspectors and the board of education were investigating the collapse of part of the ceiling in the auditorium of the high school. Twenty of 360 seats in the room were demolished and had the collapse occurred a few hours later, many lives would have been lost. According to members of the school board, the collapse was due to defective workmanship.

Lansing—The Michigan commercial aviation association was formed at a meeting of airplane pilots and owners of commercial planes here. Fliers, operators and owners of airplanes are eligible to membership. The organization will parallel the work of the National Aeronautical association to a certain extent, although it will not take over the work of that body. It is planned to have the two work together.

Mt. Clemens—So far as George T. Smith, sheriff of Macomb County, is concerned, the metropolitan police, operating under township supervision, are nil in Macomb County. In a communication addressed to Milan C. Bea and Charles W. Mackemson, of the citizens police, Sheriff Smith has revoked their appointment as deputy sheriffs, meaning that hereafter they shall operate, if at all, under the law governing township police alone.

Highland Park—The Ford Motor company was the highest taxpayer in Highland Park, paying the sum of $2,249,738.33 in city, county and state taxes in 1924, according to the announcement of Robert M. Smith, city treasurer. This amount, which was paid on property assessed at $104,445,500, constituted 56.07 per cent of Highland Park's total tax collection. Total wages paid by the Ford Motor company for 1924 were $253,001,528.37.

Grand Rapids—Absence of a capital punishment law in Michigan was deplored by Circuit Judge M. L. Dunham when he sentenced to life imprisonment at the State Branch Prison at Marquette the three youthful slayers of Frank L. Kugler, 66-year-old North Park merchant, whom they shot as they attempted to hold him up in his store. "If it was the law in this State that a death sentence should follow offenses of this kind, I should be perfectly satisfied to sentence you three boys to death," said Judge Dunham.

Cadillac—The most disastrous down town fire in the history of Cadillac caused a loss that will exceed $100,000, when the Russell hotel was destroyed and the Granite block was damaged badly. The flames quickly spread through the old wooden building and in two hours the structure collapsed, a pile of glowing embers, twisted iron beds and smoldering furniture. The firemen early saw the futility of trying to save the hotel building and concentrated their efforts on the Granite block the adjoining building.

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John Owen recently handed us some copies of the Hillsdale "Weekly Business" published at Hillsdale June 17, 1871 one of the early papers published in this county. It consists of two pages only six columns and is filled with college news and general stuff. In it we note the poem of Will Carleton which has since been given world wide fame "Over the Hill to The Poorhouse" also a copy of the ancient "Hillsdale Democrat" published by William Tallman bearing date October 10, 1879. In this paper we note the names of W. D. Childs and Co. Drygoods dealers, The Poor Man's Friend, Kochenthal Brothers, B. B. Hecock, W. R. Montgomery, Lawyer; A. F. Whelan, physician; R. A. Everett, physician: Edwards and Chambers and Marsh Brothers and McIntyre lawyers. Following were the officers of the Hillsdale Fair: President George A. Smith, Somerset; Secretary, F. M. Holoway; treasurer Charles H. Winchester, Allen.

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Liquor doesn't grow on trees but you can find it almost any place on the ground near a dance hall. If you don't believe it ask Ernest Maurer of Homer, who found a bottle of the high-powered substance underneath a coupe in Allen on Saturday Feb. 28. Ernest took a drink of it, then he drank a little more and finally he got pretty drunken. Ernest was quite earnest when he looked up the dance hall in the village and demanded attention while he displayed the latest in shimmy steps

Everything seemed to go all right except Ernie's feet. On the dance floor wherever he went his feet just wouldn't go. In trying to assemble himself, he was arrested and before Justice Glenn E. Miller he pleaded guilty and took his dose which was $10 fine and ten days in jail. Ernie thinks it is easy to find liquor most any place, at least that's what he told Justice Miller.

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Training Camps

Brigadier General Benjamin A. Poore at Headquarters Sixth Corps Area announced today the allotment of candidates for the Citizens' Military Training Camps to be held in the Sixth Corps Area, which comprises the states of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. Under instructions from the War Department 5600 applications must be secured from the states of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Two C. M. T. Camps will be established, one at Jefferson Barrack Mo., for young men from southern and central Illinois, and one at Camp Custer, Mich., for young men from northern Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. Four thousand four hundred young men will be trained in these two camps.

The purpose of these camps is to bring together young men of high type from all sections of the country on a common basis of equality and under the most favorable conditions of outdoor life; to stimulate and promote citizenship, patriotism and Americanism; and, through expert physical direction, athletic coaching and military training, to benefit the young men individually and bring them to realize their obligations to their country. Any healthy, normal young man between the ages of 17 and 24, who is of good moral character may attend the camp. The government will pay expenses for young men attending camp, transportation from their home to camp and return, and will provide uniforms, food, medical attention, housing and laundry while at camp.

This is the fifth year for the Citizens' Military Trainiug Camps, which are becoming increasingly popular with young men and their parents so much so, in fact, that even with the increase in numbers that can be trained, made possibly by increased appropriations by Congress for this purpose, places for all applicants cannot be provided. It therefore behooves young men who wish to be assured of an opportunity to avail themselves of this privilege to make application at once.

The Commanding General, Sixth Corps Area, 1819 West Pershing Road, Chicago, Illinois will gladly furnish further information about attendance and application blanks.

Private Owned Airplanes Not For Near Future

Future progress in the aeronautical industry will not be made through the development of the privately owned and operated plane but by the regular air lines, operated and controlled by private companies. This is the belief of William F. Gerhardt, late of the aeronautical engineering college of the University of Michigan and now Chief of the Flight Research Branch of the Flight Division at McCook Field.

"I look for much more cautious development of privately owned planes because the problem of maintenance in the airplane is much more intricate and costly than that of the automobile." he said recently. "Danger of operating a private plane is another element which affords a considerable draw back to the development of privately owned planes" he added, expressing at the same time the belief that with "proper education of the public and regulation by the government the commercial light plane will become as widely used a vehicle as the automobile."

Commenting upon the recently expressed opinion of Major Edward Rickenbacker before the military affairs committee of the House, chief Gerhardt stated that "present estimates of the ultimate application and wide use of aviation are not at all exaggerated." Major Rickenbacker's prophecy was that within 25 years the United States would be spanned both from east to west and north to south by air trunk lines, with an airdome and landing field in every city of 25,000 or over, for the use of air mail and commercial aviation.

The beginning of the year 1925, Mr. Gebhardt said marked the opening of a new era in aeronautics, during which "we may confidently look forward to a development of the aeronautical industry as swift, if not swifter, than that of the automobile. Mr. Gerhard cited the recent meeting of the heads of the larger commercial aircraft companies with representatives of the Army and Navy in New York, to determine defintely the amount of support to be given the industry by the goverment.

Regarding the advisability of government subsidy of the industry an arrangement now in effect in several countries of Europe, Chief Gerhardt indicated that he thought such a move in this country at this time would undoubtedly work harm to the industry.

An Ingenious Reporter

The Jackson Daily News certainly has a clever reporter, inasmuch as he is able to manufacture most any kind of hair-raising tale out of ordinary news items and his latest is an account of a recent accident which happened at the Meadow Lark Inn in the suburbs of Jackson, when there was an explosion of gases in a soft coal heater in the home and pieces of the stove flew in all directions, one fragment of the magazine weighing 30 pounds striking the back of a chair in which the lady of the house had been sitting. Fortunately no one was hurt but burning coal and soot were thrown helter-skelter, which threatened a serious fire but the man of the house put it out with a fire extinguisher. not until a large rug and other furniture were ruined.

It transpires that back of the stove was an old-fashioned stoue fire-place alongside the bake oven. This was somewhat torn up and in the debris were found two human toes in a good state of preservation cut cleanly off, and no one could account for them. The News reporter at once got busy and he had a grewsome murder hatched which took place a long time ago. Investigation shows that 50 years or so ago a former owner chopped off a couple of toes with an axe, and wishing souvenirs he put them in alcohol and hid them in the oven. At that time alcoholic products could not have been as scarce as now, or he would have drank the pickle and put the toes in his pocket. Last fall an old barn caught fire in an alley at Jackson. After the excitement had fizzled parts of a dismembered human body were picked up. Believe us, the News cub got right down to business. The remains he stated were evidence of a terrible murder and arson. It developed that a scientific and unfeeling doctor had procured a cadaver for experimental purposes and immersed arms and other parts in alcohol. Later he removed or died, and left his doings behind, which indicates that doctors are uncanny cusses anyhow. Thus the old world waggeth along —and the wags increase.

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CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Hillsdale, In Chancery,
Doa Truitt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jane Truitt, Defendant

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Hillsdale in Chancery, at Hillsdale, on the 3rd day of January, 1925.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Jane Truitt, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Defiance in the state of Ohio, on motion of John F. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Jane Truitt appear or cause her appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance, that she cause an answer to plaintiffs bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney, within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed, by the said non resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days, the said plaintiff, cause a notice of this order to be published in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

John F. Steward, Attorney for Plaintiff
Business address, Addison, Mich.
Guy M. Chester. Circuit Judge
Attest; A True copy.
Frank O. Hancock,
Clerk of the Court.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65. which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds Smith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277 .65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods, thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 10, 1924.

Farmers & Merchants' Bank
Foster, Fisher & Co., a Co partnership. Assignee for Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee
Hudson, Mich.

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Capital Punishment in Michigan

An example of how things have changed the sentiment in Michigan during the last two or three years, the Capital Punishment Bill which is again under consideration in the capital gets a favorable hearing before the law makers. The bill is sponsored by Representative McEachron and would provide the death penalty by electrocution for murderers and homicides only and they on other than purely circumstantial evidence. The speaker of the House anticipates some mud throwing antics when this bill comes up for consideration before that august body for its final disposition, as there are bitter opponents as well as friends. However, it is not likely so much sob stuff from the female contingent will be heard as formerly. The last appearance of this bill before congress was the signal for the dolorous squad and "conscientious objectors" to create a disturbance, In fact they made a "vale of tears" in the galleries. The advocates are positive they have enough votes to swing the measure through.

No Freedom Like United States

An anti Bolshevist meeting was held in New York recently to hear Morris Gordin tell "Why I lost my faith in Communistic Russia."

Newspaper reports stated that "One third of the 600 persons at the meeting were women. The audience applauded every point Gordin made against present condition in Russia, and there seemed to be unanimous approval of this declaration that Russia was slowly but surely progressing toward a republic of the United States of Russia. "The speaker, formerly a student at University of Chicago was a draft soldier in the American army during the World war. Until 1921, when he went to Russia, he was one of the leaders of the New York Communist Party. He returned here last September. Describing his conclusions regarding his nearly three years of experience in Russia, Gordin said:

"I went there expecting to find a heaven of the people and for the workers; instead I found a hell. The people may change this situation at any time, but when I left they seemed everywhere, so far as I noted, to be passively resentful, too hopeless to assert themselves. All around there was going on the economic, industrial and moral ruin of Russia.

In the meantime the leaders of this situation are holding on to the shreds of Communism in their visionary scheme of getting thro propaganda among other nationals support for Communistic domination. These selfish, misguided men now in control, have trampled Russia politically into a big prison a red dungeon. Before the unfortunate Russian people, most of whom would like to end their sufferings under this colossal failure can expect any concrete help from other countries they must show their resentment of this false doctrine by attacking it themselves.

Piosonous Gas and Aeroplanes

Undoubtedly the next war is going to be one fought in the main with poisons and aircraft. Foreign powers have in the recent past made and are still making far reaching experiments with various types of poison gases. Futhermore, one foreign nation has at least two thousand five hundred airplanes in active peace time service and possibly four thousand eight hundred other planes in reserve. Contrast this with our nineteen battleplanes and our very few serviceable observation planes Suppose that the above mentioned foreign power were to declare war on us and establish an air base on or near this continent. Two thousand of her planes, each carrying a quarter of a ton of gas, could drop five hundred tons of death dealing material. Such a fleet of planes could wipe out any of the large cities of this country in record time. And the tragic part of this whole story is that the inhabitants of a city would probably have no knowledge that an attack was being made until they felt the effects of the gas. This would be particularly true in the case of gas bombs dropped outside the city limits, so that the clouds of poisonous material shall be blown toward the habitations by wind.

The effectiveness of gases is increased by the fact that they hug the ground and penetrate cellars, subways and coal mines.

Although the other powerful nations of of the world are proceeding as usual in the construction of battle planes and other aircraft, the United States is falling far behind. According to Brig. General William Mitchell, New York, the greatest city of the United States and the most important seaport, is defenseless against an aerial attack. Only 19 planes in the United States today are fit to fight and the General says that because of their age and condition he would not be responsible for ordering out any one of these planes for active battle service. He furthermore states that commercial aviation in the United States is practically at a standstill, whereas in other countries that branch of aerial navigation is progressing with leaps and bounds.

In the particular case of New York City, a fleet of large battle planes could quickly annihilate every living being. The gas would settle in the cellars and subways and would penatrate every building. Every line of transportation would be completely tied up, and as New York City is entirely surrounded by water, the millions of inhabitants could not leave the city quickly enough to prevent enormous loss of life. Our aerial defense needs stimulating.

BETTER ROADS

The KITCHEN CABINET

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It was never yet loving that emptied the heart,
Nor giving that emptied the purse.

TASTY FOODS

An old Virginia recipe for johnny cake may be prepared as follows, but baked in an oven if the old-fashioned method is not available:

Virginia Johnny Cake.—Sift one quart of corn meal into a bowl, pour on gradually one pint of warm water in the center and mix gradually until a smooth batter is formed. Beat until light, adding a teaspoonful of salt. Spread thick on a smooth board and bake before the fire until brown. When done cut into squares, split and butter and send to the table.

Windsor Sandwiches.—Cream one-third of a cupful of butter, add one-half cupful each of chopped cooked chicken and ham that has been boiled. Spread the mixture on buttered bread and cover with another slice of buttered bread. Cut into fancy shapes and serve.

Oyster Salad.—Select large, plump oysters, allowing six for each person. Parboil them in their own liquor and drain. Cut the oysters into bits and mix with an equal quantity of crisp fresh lettuce broken into bits. Stir in a boiled dressing and pile on a plate edged with lettuce.

Steamed Brown Bread.—Take one cupful of sweet and sour milk, two cupfuls of corn meal, one and one-half cupfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of salt, two-thirds of a cupful of molasses, two teaspoonfuls of soda, beat well and steam two hours.

Celery and Oyster Bisque.—Cover one cupful of finely chopped celery with one pint of water and stew slowly one-half hour. Drain and wash two dozen oysters; throw them into a saucepan and shake over the fire, cooking them five minutes. Drain, saving all the liquor. Mix the celery with the oysters which have been chopped, add the liquor and one quart of rich milk. Mix well two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour, add to the soup and cook ten minutes. Strain through a fine sieve, adding salt and white pepper to taste. Serve in bouillon cups.

Stuffed Figs.—Use the pulled figs, cut a slit in the side and stuff with seasoned cream cheese.

Nellie Maxwell

The KITCHEN CABINET

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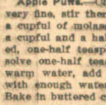
May I reach that purest heaven, be to other souls
The cup of strength in some great agony,
Enkindle generous ardor, feed pure love,
Beget the smiles that have no cruelty,
Be the sweet presence of a good diffused
And in diffusion even more intense.
So shall I join the choir invisible
Whose music is the gladness of the world.

—George Eliot.

TEMPTING GOOD THINGS

A good vegetable soup should be served frequently in every family.



Cream Vegetable Soup.—Scrape and slice thin three large parsnips and two carrots. Peel and slice one large onion, two white turnips and one cupful of the outside stalks of celery cut fine. Cook all slowly in three tablespoonfuls of butter, until well-browned. Sprinkle with two tablespoonfuls of flour, add gradually two quarts of boiling water, cover and simmer gently for an hour and a half. Add one pint of cooked chopped spinach, cook fifteen minutes longer and rub all through a sieve. Return to the fire, add salt and pepper to season, two lumps of sugar, a pinch of dry mustard, and one cupful of thin cream. Simmer for ten minutes, take from the fire and stir in the yolks of four eggs beaten, with one-half cupful of cream.

Apple Puffs.—Chop four sour apples very fine, stir them into one-fourth of a cupful of molasses, one beaten egg, a cupful and a half of corn meal sifted, one-half teaspoonful of salt; dissolve one-half teaspoonful of soda in warm water, add the above mixture, with enough water to make a batter. Bake in buttered cups in a quick oven.

Orange Ice Cream.—Scald a pint of milk in a double boiler, add two tablespoonfuls of flour blended with a little milk, cook twenty minutes. Add three well-beaten eggs, one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, the grated rind of two oranges. Stir, cook carefully, strain. Chill and add one pint of cream and one cupful of orange juice. Freeze as usual.

Grape Juice Sherbet.—Take a pint of well-sweetened grape juice, a tablespoonful of lemon juice, and a pint of rich milk. Freeze as usual. Serve with the meat course.

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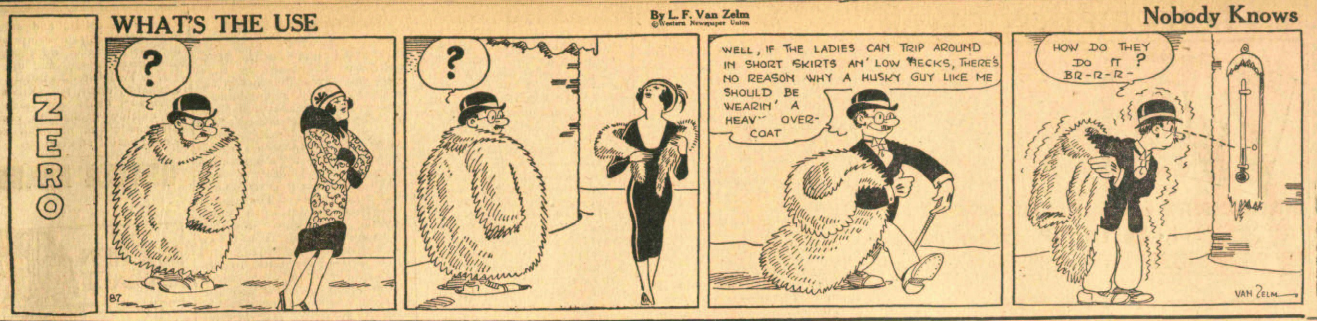
WHAT'S THE USE

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WELL, IF THE LADIES CAN TRIP AROUND IN SHORT SKIRTS AN' LOW NECKS, THERE'S NO REASON WHY A HUSKY GUY LIKE ME SHOULD BE WEARIN' A HEAVY OVER-COAT
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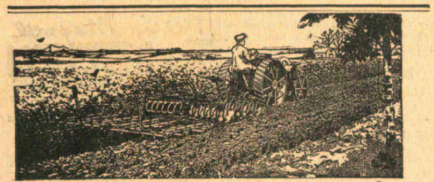

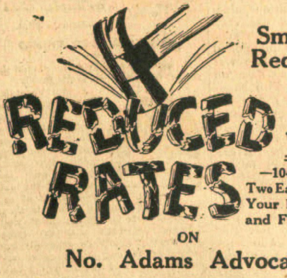

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

The Practice Of Citizenship

In lands where Christianity is most active democracy is also most advanced. This suggests there is a direct relation between the spirit of Christianity and the principles of democracy. This truth is significant, but there is another fact just as significant. It is that Christians living in a democratic state have a great opportunity to influence the course of government and to make the principles of Christ felt in civil affairs. Several of the things that are implied in the practice of citizenship by people of good-will are well worth considering.

THE PLACE OF THE STATE IN HUMAN LIFE

There are four great institutions known to man which in some form are universal: the Family, the Church, the State, and the industrial Order. These four institutions cover the range of human life, and hold a direct relation to the progress of man. Each has its own mission, though they occupy much the same sphere. They all work together toward one common end. Each is a field for the expression of God's will, and each is an agency through which man seeks the Kingdom of God.

(1) The Family, "the Institute of the Affections," which Mazzini has called "The Soul's Fatherland," is the medium through which the person begins to be. It is the channel through which the stream of life flows on from generation to generation.

(2) The Church, "the Household of Faith," is the agency through which living influences are brought to bear upon the unfolding life. Through the Church man is brought to God and the human spirit is lifted up into fellowship with the Divine.

(3) The State. Man is a being of relationships. These relationships are natural to him and are a part of his very being. It is necessary that there be some agency that shall define these relations, that shall protect man, that shall establish justice, and promote the common security. What we call the state, "the Institute of Rights," is the agency through which these needs are met. The state is concerned with what we call the civil and political interests of man; it exists that it may secure these rights and that its authority may be employed in defending them. The state is the people organized in a political capacity to protect and promote their necessary civil and political life. The government of the state is the machinery through which the state does its work.

(4) The Industrfal Order. Man has certain constant and necessary needs, as food, clothing, a home, and fellowship. In the Lords Prayer we are taught to pray, "Give us day by day our daily bread." It is thus God's will that his people shall have necessary food. In a general way, the Industrial Order includes all of the factors that enter into the production, the transportation, and the distribution of life's necessities. It is thus the means God has designed whereby his children shall have their daily wants supplied.

THE CHRISTIAN IDEA OF THE STATE

The Old Testament. The Old Testament teaches that it was God's purpose to make of Israel a people for himself. He called these people out of Egypt and gave them a law for their guidance. The underlying idea of the Jewish legislation was the kingship of Jehovah. He was their lawgiver and the king; back of the nation was God; back of the law was the righteousness of the Eternal. Judges and kings were not regarded as sources of authority, but only as channels. The judges are charged to judge righteously, "For the judgment is God's."

The New Testament. The new Testament builds upon this conception and enlarges it. The Master gives little direct teaching on this subject, but his example is The Master paid his taxes; he obeyed the laws of the land. In this connection we have two striking sayings from his lips. One day he was surrounded by a crowd of people in the temple, when a scribe approached him with a cunning question, "Master, shall we pay tribute to Caesar, or shall we not? 'Bring me a penny," says the Master. "Whose image and superscription has it?" They say unto him, "Caesar's; and he replies, "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's." In this saying the Master charges each party to fulfil the other half of its duty, and, in this reply, he shows that the duty to government is equal to the duty of God.

The other incident is still more striking. He was on trial before Pilate, and the Roman finally asks, "Whence art thou?" That was not the question at issue, and Jesus gave him no answer. Pilate became irritated at the silence of Jesus, and said: "Speakest thou not unto me? Knowest thou not that I have power to crucify thee, and I have power to release thee?" The Roman thought of his power as something which he might use as his own will might dictate. Tne answer of Jesus is most significant, and is one of the most suggestive words he ever spoke: "Thou couldst have no power at all against me, except it were given thee from above. Therefore he that delivered me unto thee hath the greater sin.' The words imply that Pilate was there to represent the justice of God; that power which the Roman was about to use wrongfully has its source in that mysterious unseen world whence the Son of man had come. They remind Pilate that he is not free to follow his own will; and they are a searching appeal intended to remind the Roman that he is accountable to the King of all the earth. This truth, that the ruler was God's representative, was fundamental in Israel's life. Therefore, the Jewish leaders who believed that the ruler was God's representative on earth were guilty of most heinous sin in perverting government to suit their own evil ends. Government is a divine ordinance, and the ruler is to represent God's justice.

(Continued next week)

Second Air Course On Crops and Soils

A new course will start in M. A. C. radio extension school on March 16, when the two-weeks series of lectures on crops and soils subjects gets under way. The "air" course will start with hundreds definitely registered, and it is expected that a large percentage of Michigan's farmers will "listen in" on the talks during the two weeks period.

The first week of the course will be given over to the radio feature of the special "Better Seed" week which is being sponsored in the state by the farm crops department at M. A. C. The talks given over station WKAR at the college will be picked up by local groups throughout the state, gathered around receiving sets.

Among prominent farmers of the state who will appear on the "Better Seed" week radio programs along with crops specialists from the college, are Garfield Farley, of Calhoun County, president Michigan Crop Improvement Association; Paul Clement, Lenawee County, the state's leading seed corn grower; Ralph Arbogast, Branch Co., vice president of the Improvement Association; and I. R. Waterbury, editor of the Michigan Farmer.

Three other two weeks radio courses will follow the crops and soils course. They will be; Livestock and Poultry, March 30 to April 10; Home Gardens, April 13 to 24; and Homemakers, April 27 to May 8. Any radio listener can register for the courses, registration entitling him to outlines of the lectures and a certificate in the course.

New York Hens Win Winter Egg Contest

First honors for the winter cycle of the International Egg Laying contest being held at M. A. C. have been won by a pen of Rhode Island Reds, entered by the West Neck Poultry Farm, of Huntington, Long Island, New York. The New York birds produced 800 eggs during the four month period ending March 1, an average of 80 eggs each for the ten hens in the pen.

Second place at the end of the winter stretch of the contest went to a pen of Barred Rocks, entered by F. E. Fogel of East Lansing, Mich. White Leghorns, entered by the Royal Hatchery, Zeeland Michigan stood third.

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Michigan Potatoes Staging Come Back

Michigan potatoes have staged a come back on the principal consuming markets of the county. The 1924 crop regained much of the former prestige held by state tubers taking preference, with special reference to the reception of the Michigan crop, discriminated against in recent years on some markets.

"There is still a discount made on account of Michigan's recent reputation on the potato markets", says Weston, "the price offered per 150 pound bag being slightly less than that from such states as New York and Pennsylvania. This reputation, however, can be completely recovered by continuance of the better producing practices which have been started in the state, and by continuing the compulsory grading work which was put into operation by the State Department of Agriculture in 1923.

"There is generally an improved feeling and sentiment among the trade for Michigan potatoes this year."

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Michigan Professors Experiment With Earth Houses

Earth as a building material for houses has made a good showing in tests conducted by Professors F. N. Menefee and R. E. Franklin of the College of Engineering of the University of Michigan. Already through their researches these men have discovered that earth can be so treated and tamped as to give a rigidity capable of maintaining more than 50 times the weight of the ordinary house. Prof. Franklin is having plans drawn for a rammed earth house.

Ordinary earth, with the exception of pure sand, which will not pack, and pure clay, which will crack, can be used in the construction of walls. The earth is treated so as to contain less than 10 percent of water. It is then tamped in forms and after drying it has an enormous strength, according to Prof. Menefee.

The process for the making of "rammed earth" involves no delay for drying. When the earth has been packed with the rammers until it rings against the iron, another layer can be packed on until the desired height is reached. A difficulty is seen by the experimenters in procurring a waterproof covering for such a house.

Rammed earth, or as it is called elsewhere "Pise de Terre" in a crude form was used to construct the first house in St. Augustine, Florida, the oldest city in the United States. It should be differentated from adobe and other such materials.

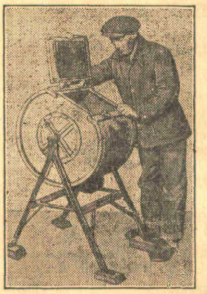
POWER ON THE FARM A NATIONAL BENEFIT

Rural Development Through Electricity Will Mean Secure Foundation for Country at Large.

By E. A. WHITE,

Director Committee on Relation of Electricity to Agriculture.

Up to this time electrical developments have been applied chiefly to urban conditions. The farmer has been watching this with wonder, amazement and appreciation—appreciation of the fact that the economic application of electric service to agriculture offers great possibilities for improving living conditions on the farm.


The Hired Man Gets Acquainted With the Electric Churn

And back of this lies the hope that it may be a real factor in reducing production costs.

Farm life has been changing in many respects during the past twenty-five years. Rural isolation is gone forever. Daily mail delivery, the telephone, the radio, the automobile and good roads have made it possible for the man on the farm to establish effective contact with the rest of the world.

This contact has been so well established, in fact, that, largely for economic reasons, approximately two million persons left the farms in 1922. About 800,000 of this loss was offset by the movement of urban population to the farm.

LIGHT FOR HENS IS RATED HIGH

After Ten-Year Study of Subject, Cornell University Endorses Idea With Enthusiasm

POSSIBLE VALUE IS GREAT

Prof. James E. Rice, head of the poultry department at Cornell University, sums up the result of a ten year investigation of artificial illumination in hen houses in these words:

"I would no more think of undertaking to handle poultry in this latitude without artificial light than I would undertake to keep house without this modern convenience."

Basing his views on many experiments and a thorough practical analysis of the subject, Prof. Rice added that he did not sympathize with the view that artificial illumination injured the birds by producing an unnatural condition. "We are firmly convinced," he said, "that an exceedingly important factor in overcoming the unnatural conditions to which fowls are subjected during our short late fall and winter days is the practice of lengthening the days by artificial light.

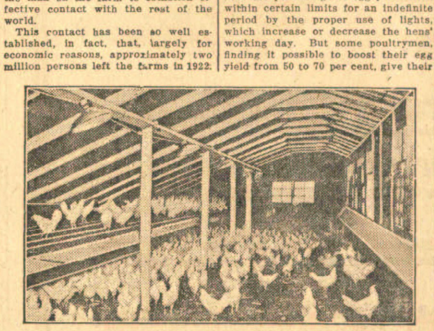
Proper Use Essential

"This has proved remarkably effective in causing an increase in egg production during fall and winter—which is the best possible reason why this potent ally of the winter egg producer should be used with caution and in accordance with the physical condition of the fowls."

Careful inquiry into methods on farms where artificial illumination has not proved satisfactory has convinced Cornell University poultry authorities that in these cases the lights have not been properly used. It is declared that the most important single factor in the matter is that of holding the rate of production within the hen's natural laying capacity.

Reasons for Failures

Prof. Rice says that experience proves conclusively how easy it is to hold the percentage of egg production within certain limits for an indefinite period by the proper use of lights, which increase or decrease the hens' working day. But some poultrymen, finding it possible to boost their egg yield from 50 to 70 per cent, give their hens a sixteen or eighteen hour working day, and thereby invariably put the birds out of condition.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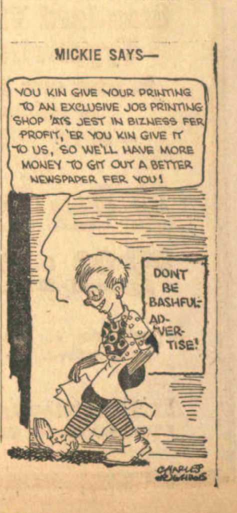
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Invention of Great Value

A chemical product resembling glass and useful for many of the same purposes recently was perfected by Fritz Pollak, a German inventor, says Popular Science Monthly. It can be rolled, bored, polished or cut, without the tendency to splinter that glass has. Because of this quality it is useful especially for automobile windows, optical instruments, ornaments and toilet articles. The inventor arrived at this product by condensing carbamide and theocarbamide with formaldehyde.

Some friendliness arises from setting too high a standard for friendship.

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After You Pass Sixty

He was nearly seventy and, arriving at the office of the doctor who was trying to save the hearing he had, said he had stopped on the way at a dentist's about his "plate" and at the oculist's about his glasses.

"That reminds me," said the doctor. "Mrs. ——, who is about your age, said to me: 'After you pass sixty it is just patching and patching.'"

Grave Kept Lighted

The strangest memorial in honor of the dead has been put into effect by a resident of Hartford, Conn., who has had two electric lights placed over his wife's grave. These lights are turned on 24 hours daily and the bereaved husband expects to create a fund to keep them burning for all time.

The gain which is made at the expense of reputation should rather be set down as a loss.

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It was in 1843 that Charles Goodyear, Yankee inventor, accidentally discovered the secret of vulcanization. The accident consisted of dropping a mixture of rubber and sulphur on a hot stove in his home. Today, says the India Rubber Review, vulcanized rubber literally holds up the stockings and trousers of the world. More than 15,000,000 motorists ride on it. More than 50,000,000 person walk on it daily. Infants cut their teeth on it and old age uses it for false teeth. Balloons and dirigibles of rubber float aloft, while submarines plow beneath the ocean surfaces, propelled by electricity stored in rubber cells. Yet Charles Goodyear was pauperized by expensive lawsuits instituted to protect his 60 different patents which were awarded him after years of struggle, and he was deprived of the fruits of his discovery through a technical irregularity in the registration in France and England of his patents. He spent his last days in humble circumstances.

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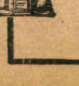

REDUCE TAXES, SAYS COOLIDGE ON INAUGURAL

President Dedicates Self and Administration to Lightening Tax Burden.

Washington.—Clothed with a direct mandate from the people, Calvin Coolidge dedicated himself and his administration to the lightening of the tax burden at home and to the promotion of peace through mutual understandings with the nations of the world.

These two purposes were outlined by Mr. Coolidge in his inaugural address, delivered from a simply decorated stand at the east entrance of the Capitol just after he had taken his second oath of office as President of the United States.

Text of Inaugural Address.

Following is the text of President Coolidge's inaugural address:

My Countrymen: No one can contemplate current conditions without finding much that is satisfactory and still more that is encouraging.

Our own country is leading the world in the general readjustment to the results of the great conflict. Many of its burdens will bear heavily upon us for years and the secondary and indirect effects we must expect to experience for some time. But we are beginning to comprehend more definitely what course should be pursued, what remedies ought to be applied, what actions should be clearly manifesting a determined will faithfully and conscientiously to adopt these methods of relief.

Already we have sufficiently rearranged our domestic affairs so that confidence has returned, business has revived, and we appear to be entering an era of prosperity which is gradually reaching into every part of the nation. Realizing that we cannot live unto ourselves alone, we have contributed of our resources and our counsel to the relief of the suffering and the settlement of the disputes among the European nations. Because of what America is and what America has done, a firmer courage, a higher hope, inspires the heart of all humanity.

We stand at the opening of the 150th year since our national consciousness first asserted itself by unmistakable action with an array of force.

Birth of the Nation.

The old sentiment of detached and dependent colonies disappeared in the new sentiment of a united and independent nation. Men began to discard the narrow confines of a local charter for the broader opportunities of a National Constitution. Under the eternal urge of freedom we became an independent nation.

We made freedom a birthright. We We extended our domain over distant islands in order to safeguard our own interests and accepted the consequent obligations to bestow justice and liberty upon less favored peoples.

In the defense of our own ideals and in the general cause of liberty we entered the great war. When victory had been fully secured, we withdrew to our own shores, unrecompensed save in the consciousness of duty done.

First of All American.

Throughout all these experiences, we have enlarged our freedom, we have strengthened our independence.

We have been, and propose to be, more and more American.

But if we wish to continue to be distinctively American, we must continue to make that term comprehensive enough to embrace the legitimate desires of a civilized and enlightened people determined in all their relations to pursue a conscientious and religious life.

Forces for Defense.

The physical configuration of the earth has separated us from all of the old world, but the common brotherhood of man, the highest law of all our being, has united us by inseparable bonds with all humanity.

Our country represents nothing but peaceful intentions toward all the earth, but it ought not to fail to maintain such a military force as comports with the dignity and security of a great people. It ought to be a balanced force, intensely modern, capable of defense by sea and land, beneath the surface and in the air. But it should be so conducted that all the world may see in it, not a menace, but an instrument of security and peace.

In common with other nations, it is now more determined than ever to promote peace through friendliness and good will, through mutual understandings and mutual forbearance.

Policy of Disarmament.

We have never practiced the policy of competitive armaments. We have recently committed ourselves by covenants with the other great nations to a limitation of our sea power. As one result of this, our navy ranks larger, in comparison, than it ever did before.

Removing the burden of expense and jealousy, which must always accrue from a keen rivalry, is one of the most effective methods of diminishing that unreasonable hysteria and misunderstanding which are the most potent means of fomenting war.

This policy represents a new departure in the world. It is a thought, an ideal, which has led to an entirely new line of action. It will not be easy to maintain. Some never moved from their position, some are constantly slipping back to the old ways of thought and the old action of seizing a musket and relying on force.

America has taken the lead in this new direction, and that lead America must continue to hold. If we expect others to rely on our fairness and justice, we must show that we rely on their fairness and justice.

Has Faith in Parleys.

If we are to judge by past experience, there is much to be hoped for in international relations from frequent conferences and consultations.

I am strongly in favor of a continuation of this policy, whenever conditions are such that there is even a promise that practical and favorable results might be secured.

We cannot barter away our independence or our sovereignty, but we ought to engage in no refinements of logic, no sophistries, and no subterfuges to argue away the undoubted duty of this country by reason of the might of its numbers, the power of its resources, and its position of leadership in the world, actively and comprehensively to signify its approval and to bear its full share of the responsibility of a candid and disinterested attempt at the establishment of a tribunal for the administration of even-handed justice between nation and nation.

The weight of our enormous influence must be cast upon the side of a reign, not of force, but of law, and trial, not by battle, but by reason.

Peace will come when there is realization that only under a reign of law, based on righteousness and supported by the religious conviction of the brotherhood of man, can there be any hope of a complete and satisfying life. Parchment will fail, the sword will fail; it is only the spiritual nature of man that can be triumphant.

It seems altogether probable that we can contribute most to these important objects by maintaining our position of political detachment and independence.

While we can look with a great deal of pleasure upon what we have done abroad, we must remember that our continued success in that direction depends upon what we do at home.

No one would deny that there should be full and free expression and an opportunity for independence of action within the party. There is no salvation in a narrow and bigoted partisanship. But if there is to be responsible party government, the party label must be something more than a mere device for securing office.

Hits Party Disloyalty.

Common honesty and good faith with the people who support a party at the polls require that party, when it enters office, to assume the control of that portion of the government to which it has been elected. Any other course is bad faith and a violation of the party pledges.

This administration has come into power with a very clear and definite mandate from the people. The expression of the popular will in favor of maintaining our constitutional guaranties was overwhelming and decisive.

There was a manifestation of such faith in the integrity of the courts that we can consider that issue rejected for some time to come.

Likewise, the policy of public ownership of railroads and certain electric utilities met with unmistakable defeat.

The people declared that they wanted their rights to have, not a political, but a judicial, determination, and their independence and freedom continued and supported by having the ownership and control of their property, not in the government, but in their own hands. As they always do when they have a fair chance, the people demonstrated that they are sound and are determined to have a sound government.

When we turn from what was rejected to inquire what was accepted, the policy that stands out with the greatest clearness is that of economy in public expenditure with reduction and reform of taxation.

The principle involved in this effort is that of conservation. The resources of this country are almost beyond computation. No mind can comprehend them. But the cost of our combined governments is likewise almost beyond definition.

Not only those who are now making their tax returns, but those who meet the enhanced cost of existence in their monthly bills, know by hard experience what this great burden is and what it does. No matter what others may want, these people want a drastic economy. They are opposed to waste. They know that extravagance lengthens the hours and diminishes the rewards of their labor.

I favor the policy of economy, not because I wish to save money, but because I wish to save people. The men and women of this country who toil are the ones who bear the cost of the government. Every dollar that we carelessly waste means that their life will be so much the more meager. Every dollar that we prudently save means that their life will be so much the more abundant. Economy is idealism in its most practical form.

America's Problem Simple.

If extravagance were not reflected in taxation, and through taxation both directly and indirectly injuriously affecting the people, it would not be of so much consequence. The wisest and soundest method of solving our tax problem is through economy.

Fortunately, of all the great nations this country is best in a position to adopt that simple remedy. We do not any longer need wartime revenues. The collection of any taxes which are not absolutely required, which do not beyond reasonable doubt contribute to the public welfare, is only a species of legalized larceny.

Under this republic, the rewards of industry belong to those who earn them. The only constitutional tax is the tax which ministers to public necessity.

The property of the country belongs to the people of the country. Their title is absolute. They do not support any privileged class; they do not need to maintain great military forces; they ought not to be burdened with a great array of public employees. They are not required to make any contribution to government expenditures except that which they voluntarily assess upon themselves through the action of their own representatives.

Whenever taxes become burdensome a remedy can be applied by the people; but if they do not act for themselves, no one can be very successful in acting for them.

Further Tax Reduction.

The time is ariving when we can have further tax reduction, when, unless we wish to hamper the people in their right to earn a living, we must have tax reform.

The method of raising revenue ought not to impede the transaction of business; it ought to encourage it.

I am opposed to extremely high rates, because they produce little or no revenue, because they are bad for the country, and, finally, because they are wrong.

We cannot finance the country, we cannot improve social conditions, through any system of injustice, even if we attempt to inflict it upon the rich. Those who suffer the most harm will be the poor.

This country believes in prosperity. It is absurd to suppose that it is envious of those who are already prosperous.

The wise and correct course to follow in taxation and all other economic legislation is, not to destroy those who have already secured success, but to create conditions under which everyone will have a better chance to be successful.

The verdict of the country has been given on this question. That verdict stands. We shall do well to heed it.

Moral Issues Involved.

These questions involve moral issues. We need not concern ourselves much about the rights of property if we will faithfully observe the rights of persons. Under our institutions, their rights are supreme.

It is not property, but the right to hold property, both great and small, which our Constitution guarantees. All owners of property are charged with a service. These rights and duties have been revealed, through the conscience of society, to have a divine sanction.

The very stability of our society rests upon production and conservation. For individuals or for governments to waste and squander their resources is to deny these rights and disregard these obligations. The result of economic dissipation to a nation is always moral decay.

These policies of better international understandings, greater economy and lower taxes have contributed largely to peaceful and prosperous industrial relations.

Under the helpful influence of restrictive immigration and a protective tariff, employment is plentiful, the rate of pay is high, and wage earners are in a state of contentment seldom before seen. Our transportation systems have been gradually recovering and have been able to meet all the requirements of the service. Agriculture has been very slow in reviving, but the price of cereals at last indicates that the day of its deliverance is at hand.

Nation's Chief Problem.

We are not without our problems, but our most important problem is, not to secure new advantages, but to maintain those which we already possess.

Our system of government, made up of three separate and independent departments; our divided sovereignty, composed of nation and state; the matchless wisdom that is enshrined in our Constitution—all these need constant efforts and tireless vigilance for their protection and support.

In a republic, the first rule for the guidance of the citizen is obedience to law. Under a despotism, the law may be imposed upon the subject. He has no voice in its making, no influence in its administration, it does not represent him. Under a free government, the citizen makes his own laws, chooses his own administrators, which do represent him.

The essence of a republic is representative government. Our congress represents the people and the states. In all legislative affairs it is the natural collaborator with the President. In spite of all that criticism which often falls to its lot, I do not hesitate to say that there is no more independent and effective legislative body in the world. It is, and should be, jealous of its prerogative. I welcome its co-operation, and expect to share with it, not only the responsibility, but the credit, for our common effort to secure beneficial legislation.

These are some of the principles which America represents. We have not by any means put them fully into practice, but we have strongly signified our belief in them.

America seeks no earthly empire built on blood and force. No ambition, no temptation, lures her to thought of foreign dominions.

The legions which she sends forth are armed, not with the sword, but with the cross. The higher state to which she seeks the allegiance of all mankind is not of human, but of divine origin. She cherishes no purpose save to merit the favor of Almighty God.

First to Declare Coolidge Presidential Possibility

Washington.—When President Coolidge took the oath of office on March 4, near at hand was a man, a little under medium height, rather portly, and slightly gray, who was thinking, even though not saying: "I told you so."

That man was Frank W. Stearns, friend, counselor and ardent supporter of Mr. Coolidge. He sometimes is described as the one who "discovered" Mr. Coolidge.

Mr. Stearns is a Boston merchant and makes no pretense of being a politician. Yet he was the first to predict that some day Calvin Coolidge would sit in the White House, and Wednesday was the day of days for the Boston man, because he saw not only a prediction, but a dream come true when Mr. Coolidge became President by vote of the American people.

It was at Frank Stearns' urging that Mr. Coolidge became a candidate for lieutenant governor. It was with Frank Stearns' aid that he was elected governor. It was Frank Stearns who backed the move to obtain the Republican Presidential nomination for Mr. Coolidge in 1920. That move failed, but it won the Massachusetts governor the vice presidential nomination. His election with Warren G. Harding followed, and Mr. Harding's death made him President. And in the recent preconvention and election campaign the Boston man had a quiet but, the campaign managers say, a not inconsiderable part.

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

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Have you given any attention to your kidneys? Grip, colds and chills, you know, are apt to be mighty hard on the kidneys. And if the overtaxed kidneys fail to properly filter the blood, impurities accumulate and throw the whole system out of tune. Then may follow daily backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness and annoying kidney irregularities.

In such conditions a good stimulant diuretic should help the kidneys flush the poisons out of your system. Use *Doan's Pills. Doan's* have helped thousands. Are recommended by folks you know. *Ask your neighbor!*

A Michigan Case

William Neason, retired farmer, Arcade St., Gladwin, Mich., says: "Backache was the first symptom of kidney trouble in my case. As time passed, the muscles in my back and limbs became lame and sore. My kidneys were weak and acted far too often, sometimes causing me to get up during the night to pass the secretions. After using Doan's Pills, the trouble left me."

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Old California Mission

The mission of San Diego de Alcala, about six miles north of San Diego, is the oldest of the missions in California. It was founded by the Franciscan father, Junipero Serro, in the year 1769.

Bulgarian Rose Crop

Roses were more plentiful than ever in Bulgaria last season and this important crop of the country brought higher prices than before.

The doing of evil to avoid an evil cannot be good.

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Jerome High School

Louise McClanahan is absent on account of sickness.

Florence Hammons had an attack of appendicitis last week.

Gordon, Norris and Rex Cook have moved to the Knowles district.

The ninth grade English class are studying Goldsmith's "She stoops to Conquer."

Marion McGee returned to school Monday after being absent several days on account of mumps.

The seventh and eighth grade are studying "The Courtship of Miles Standish" by Longfellow.

The seventh grade have completed their "Reading notebooks" and will soon begin "The pupils workbook in the Geography of Michigan"

Mrs. Clarence Brooks entertained at dinner on Friday in honor of her daughter Alice. Guests were Mrs. Ada Rynex, Bertha Olney and Mrs. Vera Morehead of the school faculty.

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18t5

My shop will be in charge of capable management until my return. Mrs. W. R. Corey.

W. H. North and R. M. Eldrer of Fort Wayne were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. North's sister Mrs. J. Jones.

The March meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Sarah Winchell on Friday afternoon March 13.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt are in Hillsdale for a few weeks to care for the home of Mrs. Hunt's sister, Mrs. William Niblack.

Ona Fowler, Science teacher in a Synodical College at Fulton Mo. was called home by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Henry Fowler.

Lucille Cole who is attending the State Normal at Ypsilanti was an over Sunday guest of her brother Edward Cole at the Ann Voorhees home.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our friends, neighbors, Congl S. S., Club and Orders for the flowers and kindness during our recent illness and loss of our little one, also Rev. Hunt for his words of comfort.
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Somerset Centre

L. Jones and wife were recent guests of Charles King and wife.

Seymour Roberts and family spent Sunday with Walter Roberts.

C. D. Carl and wife were Sunday guests of Charley Carl and wife.

Wayne Cornwell and wife spent Monday with Earl Rutan and wife.

Miss Bonnie Roberts of Jackson is spending the week with her father.

L. A. Mercer and wife spent Sunday evening at the home of Jay Pullen.

J. P. Churchfield and wife and Mrs. Arvilla Becker were in Jackson on Sunday.

Wolcott Branch and wife of Detroit, spent Sunday with J. Parker and wife.

Earl Rutan and wife entertained Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. T. VanAllen and Cora VanAllen.

Mrs. George Baker and children of Jackson spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

West Hoxie

Mr. and Mrs. Bloemker spent Sunday at Ray Haines.

Mrs. Sprague is well again after being sick for two weeks.

Will Bloemker, Ray Haines and Ben Pendell spent Tuesday in Jackson on business.

Heman Owen and wife of Pioneer, Ohio, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Ray Haines home.

The clinic for the children was pretty well attended Monday afternoon, A few from this neighborhood were present.

The Hoxie Ladies' Aid will be entertained Thursday, March 19, at the Mrs. Will Bloemker residence. All are cordially invited to come.

Mrs. Charles Sprague and children went to their new home near Tontogany, Ohio, Sunday, Charles Sprague having went with the household goods during the week

Town Line

Clarence Jennings has been building a new sugar shanty.

So glad to learn Joseph Beecher and wife are slowly improving.

Oliver Simmonds has been visiting relatives in Indiana for a few days.

Those who have tapped their sugar bushes are having an excellent run of sap.

Mrs. Eugene Gamble is on the sick list, also Mrs. Albert Pease and little grand-daughter.

George Riser and wife ate Sunday dinner with the family of Mr Davis in Wheatland Sunday.

A most delightful day was enjoyed March 4th at the home of Mrs. and Miss Walters of Aldrich

Town Line friends of Mrs. Henry Fowler of Adams are much grieved to learn of her recent illness.

The family of Mr. Draper have moved into the tenant house of Eugene Culbert. They are to work the farm this season.

Clarence and Abner Jennings had hay bailers this week. Miller and Turnley of Jerome are the bailers and they have a fine press

John Horton and wife were called to Blissfield the first of the week to attend burial services of Mrs. Horton's mother, Mr. Parmer.

Jonesville

Earl Squire is at home from Fort Myers Florida.

Mrs. Bert Decker of Jackson was in Jonesville last Saturday.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome were in town Sunday.

Ed McKercher and James Shook arrived home from Florida this week.

Mrs. Fred Freeman of Sycamore Ill. is in Jonesville for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Grace Coleman entertained the 500 club Thursday at a one o'clock luncheon followed by cards.

Mrs. L. P. Holiday of Crystal Falls is here for a visit with her parents S. W. McIntosh and wife.

George Gray and wife have been in Jackson this week visiting their daughters Mrs. Lois David and Mrs. Lila Balser.

Mrs. Pearl Monsell Peters died at the Hillsdale hospital last Saturday March 7th where she had been operated upon for appendicitis.

There will be an Eastern Star party on March 17th in the town hall. The program will be given by the Star Common Wealth boys of Albion.

Mrs. C. V. Burnett who has been with her daughter Mrs. E. W. Howard in Chicago since the holidays went to Detroit this week to visit another daughter Mrs. DuPont and will return to her home here from there.

J. H. Wickman of Milwaukee Wis, spent the week end at the G. C. Varnum home here. Mrs. Wickman who had been with her parents for several weeks returned home with him.

The older boys Conference held here last Friday and Saturday was a success in every way. The banquet Friday night was in connection with the annual Father and Sons banquet and was attended by 200 men and boys.

Center Adams

Carl Shull and family spent Sunday with the Jess Shull family in West Adams.

Len Deitz and family of Jackson were guests of her parents Clarence Smith and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ackley and children of Rollin were Sunday visitors at the home of Lawrence Binkley and wife.

Eudora Binkley won the silver medal at the contest held at the Bross school house Saturday evening. Congratulations.

Eugene McBain and Clifford Hitchcock opened the season for sheep shearing on Wednesday March 11th. Starting on the flock of Ernest Stevens of West Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Chase were in North Adams Tuesday helping the latters sister move her household goods from the Holcomb house to the place owned by Mrs. A. Stevens.

The many friends of J. R. Dewey and wife will be glad to learn that their little son, who underwent a mastoid operation at the Hillsdale hospital last Thursday is so far improved that they brought him home Tuesday afternoon.

Members of the United National Beagle Club and Beagle Fanciers in general are receiving the catalogues for 1925 announcing the Field Trials for this year, which are to be held in this vicinity during the last week of October.

Jerome

Leon Walworth was in Hillsdale Friday.

Ora Potter has hired out to Gurn Baker for the summer.

George Morehouse and wife have returned home from Florida.

Mrs. M. H. Morris entertained Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson on Sunday.

Mrs. Loren Hewitt of Detroit is ill at the home of her mother Mrs. Eva Shurlow.

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sawdey and grandchildren of North Adams Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Kies and son of Moscow visited last week with her parents Than Linsday and wife also with T. J. Lane and family.

"Can a Christian Fight" at the M. E. church next Sunday after which election of Sunday school officers and teachers will take place.

Local News

Melvin Cummins of Detroit is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. McFarland.

Mary Frietag of the H. S. Faculty was in Ann Arbor on Saturday to visit a friend.

Washing and Days work wanted. Call 1005. Mrs. Den Marvin. North Adams Mich. 4 1t4

—See our hats before buying elsewhere, as we have the one to suit your taste. Corey Hat Shop.

Mrs. Arthur Hoffman is convalescing nicely from a recent operation performed at a Detroit Hospital.

Mrs. Minor Knight and children of Cambria spent the week end with her parents Henry Porter and wife.

Mrs. Judd Gray and little son were in Quincy over the week end to visit her parents George Gilchrist and wife.

Rev. W. H. Hutton, wife and daughter, Elaine, and John Duguid and wife were guests on Friday of Henry Porter and wife.

The Ladies of the Congregational church will hold a baked goods sale at the home of Mrs. Abe Williams March 20th. Commencing at 10:30 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Little of Pontaic and Mr. and Mrs. George Combs and son Walter of Romeo spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with A. J. Pendell and wife.

Mrs. Caroline Culver of Jonesville who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. M. N. Wolcott for a few weeks went Sunday to the home of her daughter Mrs. Louis Meeks.

A letter recently received from Will Schilling of Glendale California states that he and wife are well and very happy and he says that our account of extremely cold weather here in March did not sound good to them. Will wishes us to say to inquiring friends here that the item saying he had been promoted to Chief of Police in Glendale is a mistake although he feels that he has a good position and an easy one. Mr. Schilling says they have had an ideal winter there and sends us a sprig of orange blossoms which sure wafts us to ethereal realms of tropical climate.

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High School Notes

The basket ball girls play Hillsdale team at that place Friday evening.

Mrs. Lamb is sick and is not teaching this week. Mr. Lamb is taking her classes.

Our boys basket ball team will go to Ypsilanti to play in the tournament Friday and Saturday.

Because of the game being in the middle of the week, Mr. Young asked the other students not to go to Hudson as it would keep them up late.

Our basket ball teams went to Hudson Tuesday night. Score for the boys stood 50 to 22 in Hudson's favor. The girls did not play.

The Patron Teachers enjoyed a fine program Monday evening. Miss Jones from the State Health Department was present and gave a fine talk and showed the slides. also a debate was held.

The Friendship club will meet with Mrs. Bertha Stranger March 20th for an afternoon meeting.

—Boys! You will have a chance to have a treat from your Fathers Thursday evening March 26th. Place. Congregational church.

Service

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Their names are WHAT and WHY and WHEN,
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Dated Wednesday, March 4, 1925
Frank W. Holcomb
30t3 Clerk of Adams Township

Wanted to Rent—House in the village of North Adams. Inquire of Roland Benge at the Shoe Store. 39t3

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it is quite important that people coming to North Adams from a distance to get Auction Bills should be able to get the work at once and take it away with them. This is what we aim to do, and if you will call the Advocate on the telephone we can so arrange the matter. You furnish the copy we do the rest. Bills are necessary for stores.

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65c Broom, special -	49c	$1.00 Men's Wool Hose " "	79c
Honey Crust Bread, per loaf	10c	$1.00 Naco Corset, special, each	79c
18c Wax Beans special per can	10c	50c Ladies Lisle Hose, spec. pr.	39c
18c Apple Butter, special -	14c	50c Dolls, special each -	39c
25c Honey Cookies lb.	17c	Spark Plugs, each - -	60c
15c Macaroni, 2 pounds for	25c	$1.00 Wahoo Bitters, a good spring Tonic, special per bottle	65c
20c Can Corn, special per can	16c	25c Prussian Poultry Tonic, pkg	17c
2 ozs. Pure Lemon Extract for	25c	$1.00 Bottle Hog Tone per botle	69c
15c Ginger Snaps, 2 pounds	25c		

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Local News

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Mrs. Henry Fowler is improving at this writing.

Will Rogers suffered a stroke of paralysis Wednesday, March 18th.

The 4th grade have done some fine work in passe partouting pictures.

Clifford Allen and wife are the parents of a son born on Monday March 14th.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet at I. O. O. F. Hall Friday, March 27th.

—Custom Hatching done. Mrs. J. B. Pendell. Phone 814. North Adams Mich. 41t3

John Litchhult who has been ill for some time is improving at this writing.

—Four young Brood Sows for sale. Phone 1109 North Adams. E. C. Wiley 42t3

Myron Fish of Adrian was a guest of Mrs. D. A. Wisner and family Friday.

Born to Cavera Roose and wife March 13, a daughter to be known as Belma Lucille.

The Public Library will be open from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. Saturdays until further notice.

Chas Hopkins and family of South Bend have been recent guests of Mrs. Edna Robins.

Born to Claude Boardman and wife February 16, a son to be known as Dane Merle.

Washing and Days work wanted Call 1005. Mrs. Den Marvin. North Adams Mich. 41t4

Mrs. Amelia Norris of Hillsdale has been spending a week with her neice Mrs. Edna Hewitt.

Mrs. Mable Goodacre and Inez Elliott visited at the home of Luella Helmick. Wednesday,

Mrs. E. C. Williams was in Ypsilanti over the week end to visit her daughter Ruth who is a student at the Normal College,

Mrs. Mary Gray was hostess to a company of ladies on Friday for dinner and a social afternoon. The guests were, Mrs. Eliza Williams, Mrs. Edna Robins and Mrs. Helen Wilkenson.

The S. P. I. class of the M. E. S. S. will hold their regular monthly social and business meeting one week from today, Friday March 27 at the Parsonage. A good attendance is hoped for.

For Sale — 1 Dresser with large glass. 1 writing desk. 1 wardrobe. 1 kitchen table. 1 cupboard and flour bin combined. 1 small stand for plants. 1 15 gallon pork crock. Mrs. Williams Pearson. 41t1

Alfred Gary of this place who has been ailing for a short time back underwent an operation on Thursday for removal of tonsils. Dr McFarland performed the operation. Mr. Gary also has a severe attack of neuritis in the left arm.

George Stalhood of Hillsdale a brother of Mrs. George Hanning of this village died at the home of his son on West Street in Hillsdale Monday March 16th and funeral services were held on Wednesday at 2:00 at the home. Rev. Wonder officiating and interment was at Jonesville cemetery.

Chas Fogg of Jonesville was coming along the Chicago pike just this side of Somerset Center on Monday when he collided with a truck coming west at Brands Corner. There was a sort of mix-up as to which way the truck turned. Results were the sedan was overturned and Mr. Fogg's foot caught between the door and the body, breaking two bones in the foot. Dr. McFarland was called and took care of Mr. Fogg's injuries, also took him home.

Rev. M. D. Carrel of State College, Pennsylvania, is visiting at the Tiffany home and shaking hands with old friends in this village. He was the Methodist minister here over 40 years ago and likes to come back occasionally and look over the village. He has been spending the winter at Lynn Haven, Florida, which is comparatively a winter ressort 15 miles from the Gulf of Mexico, and situated on beautiful St. Andrews Bay.

A St, Patricks Day party was given here March 17th in the Community Hall by the Alpha Chapter No. 288, O. E. S. The hall was decorated with American flags and green and white crepe paper. The L'Amoreaux orchestra of Hillsdale furnished music for dancing. The grand march was lead by Miss Edna Holkins and Keith Williams at the head of one line and Frances Young and Lawrence Wilcox at the head the other.
The proceeds of the party are for the O. E. S. Villa fund.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24tf

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will continue his series of discourses on "The Life By Which We Live."

Sunday school at 11:45. There are classes for all people.

Don't forget! Father and Son Banquet Thursday March 26 at 6:30 in the Congregational church parlors. Good program, Good eats, Extra good Speaker.

Choir practice Saturday night at the home of Frances Young.

The Misses Fay and Shirley Marshall and Clyde Fales of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. Fales mother, Mrs. F. M. Keefer.

Last Saturday Mrs. Emma Relyea received a box of oranges and grape fruit, which was sent from Pass-a-Grille Florida by her daughter Anna who has been spending the winter there.

Prof. Hemp of Albion College English Department was called here by the State Anti Saloon League on Sunday morning in accordance with their regular program of supplying churches in the district with speakers. The remarks of Prof. Hemp were clean cut and contained no acrimonious slurs as do some of the speeches delivered against liquor. Hearers were surprised to learn that the government placed the embargo on liquors in this country in the World war time not specifically because of the evils of intemperance but for saving the precious grains like wheat, barley and rye which were annually going into the breweries to come out in the form of liquid hell. The army needed the wheat, hence the embargo, but after trying out the stunt it was found so tremendously successful as a temperance measure the Anti Saloon League had comparatively smooth sailing to put into effect the Volstead and other dry laws. Prof. Hemp recalled the days of limitation of coal and flour supplies, when a man's supply of these articles was limited to thirty days only. He told how he had bought the season's supply of coal and had the mortification of seeing the trucks back up to the cellar door and take the fuel for the use of Uncle Sam when at the same time the breweries of the conntry were burning millions of tons of black diamonds each and every day. He pleaded for a saner consideration and less criticism of the officers of the law whose duties often led them into the jaws of sure death. The awful disregard of bootleggers for human life today appeals to every right thinking man and we should as a rule respect the law's officials who often show the highest tyes of human grit and bravery in pursuing the booze toters. Prof. Hemp thinks the dry officials as a rule are far better than they are credited for, for it takes nerve and manhood to go up against a real desperate hooch peddler armed to the teeth and not afraid to shoot. Prof. Hemp warned his listeners that finances as well as pep were essentials in keeping up the tirade on liquor, and he especially called attention to the wonderful array of legal talent whice the "wets" have on their list including the magnificient and most capable lawyer in America, Elihu Root formerly of the president's cabinet, backed by untold millions of money. He asked us to consider for a moment what the temperance element had to offset such a stupendous array of talent. He answered "Nothing" but the contributions of thousands of good people who wish the country dry. He quoted the episode of Hon. Ex-Secretary of State Hughes who turned down a princely sum rather than stand as the "wets" attorney and cited few sacrifices equal to it. Altogether the talk on Sunday morning at the Congregational church could not be other than an uplift to the minions of temperance.

Results of the Caucuses

The Republican caucus was held at the Town Hall on Saturday March 14, Frank W. Holcomb being clerk and C. W. Bleech chairman, and the following nominations were made: Supervisor, Giles Stevens, clerk, Frank Holcomb; treasurer, William Anderson; justice of peace (full term) Darwin Carney; Highway Commissioner, Ernest Burd, member board of review, Herbert G. Wells (full term) board of review (one year) J. Edgar Kempton; constables, Ray Goold, Raymond Barker, Floyd Wilcox and Frank E. Caswell. The Democratic caucus was held on Monday with the following nominations: Supervisor, Reid B. Shepard; clerk, Elizabeth Northrup; treasurer, Merton N. Wolcott; highway commissioner, James McLaughlin; justice of peace, (one year) Fred N. Baker; board of review (one year) Bert S. Taylor; board of review (two years) Eugene McBain; constables, Glen Mercer, Parker B. Shepard, George Bates, William E. Frederick.

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Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

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REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Next Sunday morning North Adams will have the rare privilege of listening to a man who forty four years ago traveled North Adams charge in its pioneer days, Dr. Carroll who united in marriage a great many of the Fathers and Mothers of the citizens of the surrounding community, many of these Fathers and Mothers are still living, but most of them have long since passed to their reward. Also many of the pioneer members of the church are still living and active in the church activities whom he Baptised and took into church membership here. You will have the privilege of hearing him at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "The Comradeship of Christ."

In the evening the Womens Foreign Missionary Society will render a very interesting program in which there will be Mr. Perkins's solo, entitled, "A dream of Paradise," Readings, Duets and demonstrations, to which the public is invited. The regular thank offering will be taken at the close of the program.

Friday evening March 20th. the S. P. I. class in our Sabbath school will entertain their husbands and the two corresponding classes of the Congregational Sabbath school. Refreshments and entertainment in the church parlors.

The Ladies Aid Society will have a Poverty Society in the church parlors, March 25th. Refreshments and program. Supper at 6:30. Program and supper only 25c.

The S. P. I. class will hold their regular monthly meeting Friday March 27th at the Parsonage, potluck dinner will be served. This will be in the nature of a "Backward Party." Dress backward, Eat backward, Talk backward etc.

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Somerset Township Ticket

Following are the nominations for the different township offices this year in Somerset township: Republicans — Supervisor, Bert Harper: clerk, Vera Morton; treasurer, Roland Randolph; highway commissioner D. M. Rutan; overseer of highway, William Fouty; justice of the peace (full term) Stanley Murray; justice (vacancy) E. B. Lane; board of review, Fred Smith. Democratic—Supervisor, William Bilby; clerk, Bessie Becker: treasurer, Edwin Speer; highway commissioner, J. M. Baker; overseer of highways, Eugene McGregor; justice (full term) Robert Moreland: justice (vacancy Earl H. Kerr; board of reuiew, Earl Rutan.

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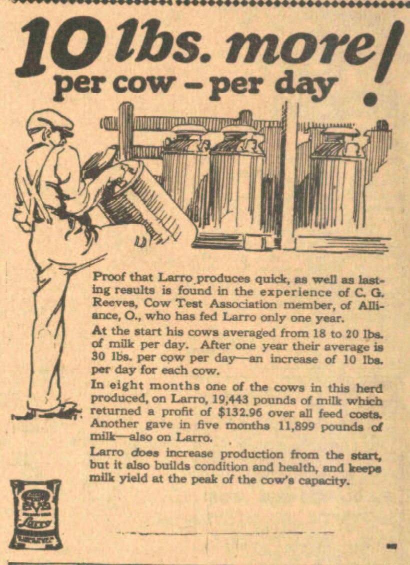

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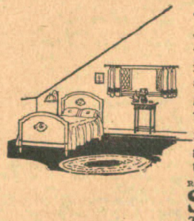

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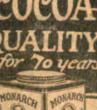

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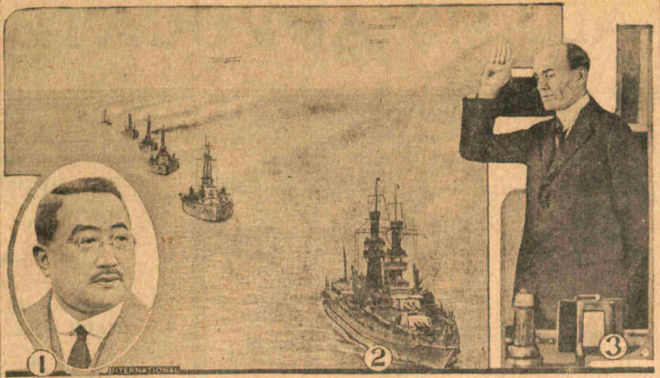

1—Tsuneo Matsudaira, new Japanese ambassador, who says he brings message of peace and friendship. 2—Glimpse of U. S. fleet at practice off California coast, preliminary to test of safety of our naval base in Hawaiian islands. 3—Dr. William M. Jardine, being sworn in as secretary of agriculture.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Matsudaira Talks Peace—Senate Rejects Warren—Jardine Appointed.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

TSUNEO MATSUDAIRA, the new Japanese ambassador to the United States, arrived in Washington Wednesday, "with gratitude in his heart" for the preliminary welcomes he had received at San Francisco and at Chicago. His official welcome at the capital will be no less warm, for he is distinctly persona grata to the United States government. He comes of a great historical family of Japan, as does his wife; speaks English well; was secretary general of the Japanese delegation to the Washington arms conference; has held several important diplomatic posts in Europe, and was vice minister of foreign affairs in the Japanese cabinet at the time of appointment. In short, he is of the new school of Japanese statesmen. The ambassador's unofficial words en route across America explain why he is welcome at the capital:

"I bring greetings from across the Pacific to the people of America. I have had a splendid welcome to your shores. I am come on a mission of peace. I consider it a duty and a privilege to do all that I can to strengthen the bonds of friendship between the United States and Japan. There is no question or difference of opinion that is not capable of amicable settlement if approached in the spirit of friendship. If the press of both nations will confine itself to facts—that will help."

MATSUDAIRA'S temper of mind is appreciated at Washington. For as the new ambassador neared the Golden Gate he may have had glimpse of the great American fleet now practicing in the Pacific, preparatory to starting for the much-vexed Hawaiian maneuvers and a visit to Australia and New Zealand. And it will be remembered under what circumstances his predecessor, Masanao Hanihara, departed from Washington. It is also easy to recall that Japan at one time strenuously protested against our Pacific naval program for this summer.

The main point of the great mimic war in the Hawaiian islands between the attacking "Blue" fleet and the defending "Black" land forces is to decide whether the Island of Oahu, our naval base in the Pacific, can be defended against enemy attack. With Oahu in our possession, our Pacific coast is safe from enemy attack, from the military viewpoint. Oahu can be defended against enemy attack, provided its defense is supplemented by an American fleet in the Pacific. But suppose an emergency keeps our fleet in the Atlantic—that's another and different story. Hence the importance of the coming Hawaiian maneuvers. Hence the importance of a Japanese ambassador who does not necessarily read into this mimic war the inference that the hypothetical "enemy attack" is on the part of Japan and does not necessarily see in the "friendship visit" of the American fleet to Australia and New Zealand a combination and conspiracy against Japan by the English-speaking peoples of the Pacific.

DR. WILLIAM M. JARDINE has succeeded Howard M. Gore as secretary of agriculture. There is naturally nation-wide interest in the new Agriculture department head. If experience guarantees fitness, Secretary Jardine should approximate 100 per cent efficiency. He has first-hand knowledge of agriculture and has a practical background based on experience as cowboy, dairy farmer, ranch manager and man of affairs. At the same time his scientific attainments are large. When appointed he was head of the Kansas State Agricultural college.

Washington gossip has it that Secretary Jardine will stage a shakeup in the department. His public utterances would indicate that he holds views harmonious with those of President Coolidge on the solution of the problems of the farmer. In 1924 he was opposed to the McNary-Haugen price fixing bill.

The vast army of national park enthusiasts is anxiously awaiting a statement by the new secretary of his policy as to the efforts of the forest service of the Agriculture department to wrest the control of the national parks from the national park service of the Interior department. The thousands promoting the adoption of a national forestry policy and program also are eager for a statement.

THE struggle in the senate over confirmation of the President's nomination of Charles B. Warren to be attorney general is still on at this writing. It is a lively fight, with surprising features. Tuesday, while Vice President Dawes was "peacefully snoozing" at his hotel, the senate approached a tie vote. A desperate effort was made to get Vice President Dawes there in time to break it. As Dawes entered the chamber, Overman of North Carolina, the only Democrat who had voted for Warren, dramatically switched his vote. This destroyed the tie of 40 to 40, cinched Warren's defeat and made the automobile rush of Dawes more or less ridiculous. Whereupon the senate—at least the anti-Warren senators, if no others—gave Dawes the "ha, ha!" They had got even with him for reading the riot act to them March 4.

President Coolidge Thursday surprised everyone, including the party leaders, by again sending the nomination of Warren to the senate. It was not made public whether the President had determined to force the fight or had acted in order to give Warren an opportunity to defend himself against senate charges. Incidentally, the Michigan house of representatives Wednesday endorsed Warren, as a reply to the statement of Couzens that nine-tenths of the people of that state were backing his opposition to the confirmation.

A late statement issued by Secretary Sanders at the White House was this: "At the request of the President Mr. Warren consented to allow his name to be presented again to the senate." Officials would not enlarge on the announcement, but some senators were of the opinion that Mr. Coolidge desired to assume full responsibility and draw a direct issue between himself and the senate on the question.

THE emphatic utterance by President Coolidge in his inaugural address as to the necessity of party loyalty and regularity suits the regular Republicans in both house and senate. The respective committees on committees have cleaned up in accordance therewith. The house demoted followers of LaFollette on important committees. The senate, after long and bitter debate, in which the opposition was led by Borah of Idaho and Norris of Nebraska, demoted LaFollette senators, the whole slate being approved by a vote of 64 to 11. The test vote, 36 to 13, was on the effort of the opposition to substitute Ladd of North Dakota, a LaFollette follower, for Stanfield of Oregon as chairman of the public lands committee. Most of the Democrats here declined to mix in the party quarrel and voted "present." So the insurgents are placed at the bottom of the lists in accordance with the numerical strength of their followers.

APPORTIONMENT of funds amounting to $2,500,000, appropriated by congress for the construction of improved roads and trails in the various national parks and national monuments, is announced by the Interior department. The Interior department appropriation act for the fiscal year 1926 contains an appropriation of $1,500,000 to be expended for the building of these much-needed roads and trails in the national parks and monuments under the jurisdiction of the national parks service. An initial appropriation of $1,000,000 for this road and trail work was made available in the deficiency act which was signed by the President December 5, 1924, making in all $2,500,000 available. These appropriations were made under authority of the National Park Highways act of April 9, 1924, which authorized the appropriation of $7,500,000 for the carrying out of a three-year road and trail construction program.

Of the $2,500,000 fund appropriated the sum of $453,000 has been allotted to Glacier National park, Montana, of which $410,000 is to be spent on the Transmountain road. This road is being built across the Continental Divide and when completed will be the first means of access through the park from the east side to the west by motor car.

In the Yosemite National park, California, $404,000, the next largest allotment, will be expended. Approximately half of these funds will be used in paving the El Portal road from the park boundary to Yosemite Village, connecting with the all-year highway which the state is building to El Portal and which is expected to double the automobile travel into Yosemite. The sum of $235,000 has been allotted to Mount Rainier National park and $166,000 has been allotted for road work in the Grand Canyon National park. The $140,500 allotted to Rocky Mountain National park, Colorado, will be divided between six different projects, all of them important. The famous Fall River road, the highest road in the national park system, reaching an altitude of 11,797 feet on the top of Rocky mountain, and the High drive from Fall River to Moraine park will get the larger share of these funds.

BARON AGO VON MALTZAN, the new German ambassador, was officially welcomed Thursday by President Coolidge. The new representative of Germany thanked the President for the work of American citizens in the economic and financial reconstruction of his country.

"I gratefully recall the generous activities of American citizens in social and cultural help, and the farseeing work of financial and economic reconstruction, bearing an American name which has become historical," he said.

"The last order of the deceased president of the reich was to express to you, Mr. President, his feeling of high personal esteem and his sincere wish for the welfare of the United States of America."

"It is for you to interpret to America the just aspirations of your nation," said President Coolidge in reply. "It is for you to promote the understanding which is the only sound basis of lasting peace. We have had a long history as a republic, and we hope that you may profit by a study of our experience of a century and a half of democratic government."

BRIG. GEN. WILLIAM MITCHELL, storm center of the controversy over air power as a national defense, will be succeeded April 27 by Lieut. Col. James E. Fechet as assistant chief of the army air service. Colonel Fechet is now in command of the air service flying school at Kelly Field, Texas. The appointment is said to be satisfactory to both Maj. Gen. Mason N. Patrick, air service chief, and Maj. Gen. John L. Hines, chief of staff, though he has not publicly indicated his stand in the controversy. General Mitchell says that his efforts to secure a unified air service, distinct from both army and navy, will be continued. Incidentally Representative Florian Lampert of Wisconsin, chairman of the house committee on aircraft, issued a statement Wednesday that the investigation had vindicated the position taken by General Mitchell.

DR. WALTER SIMONS Thursday took the oath of President of the German republic before the various diplomatic corps and members of the reichstag in the reichstag. Doctor Simons will hold the office until the elections name a new chief. All attempts to bring about a coalition of the right parties failed with the refusal of the People's party to back Herr Gessler's candidacy for the presidency. Herr Stresemann's objections, based on the fears of foreign opinion, were supported by his party. Germany goes into the election campaign with five candidates, none of whom seems able to secure the election on the first ballot.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, arbiter in the historic Tacna-Arica dispute between Chile and Peru which has threatened the peace of South America for a generation, announced his decision Wednesday that the ultimate disposition of the contested provinces must be by popular vote. This is a preliminary victory for Chile. The decision fixes the conditions of the plebiscite and provides for a commission of three, of which the American member is to be president.

Simple Plan to End Grade Auto Crashes

Tallahassee, Fla.—The Florida state road department has devised a simple and inexpensive device that promises to cut down railroad grade crossing accidents. One already is in use as an experiment and the department plans to build others in its road-construction program.

The device is located on State Road No. 1 at Cottondale, where the highway crosses the Atlanta & St. Andrews Bay railroad. It consists of two parkways, one on either side of the railroad, inclosed by a concrete curb which divides the travel, causing the motorist going in one direction to pass on the right side of the parkway, while traffic in the opposite direction goes to the left.

One section of the curb begins 70 feet from the end of the railroad ties on either side of the railroad, and is constructed along the center line of the highway to the end of the ties. Another section begins at the same point and is constructed in an arc of a circle on the right of the center of the highway, and intersects the first section of the curb 20 feet from the end of the ties. The curve is sufficient to make it necessary to slow down to get through.

A sign designating the railroad crossing and giving warning to go slow is placed in the parkways at the extreme ends away from the railway as a warning during the day, and a red reflector is used at the same location as a warning at night.

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Seven bandits, two of them armed with sawed-off shotguns, held up the Freedman Bros. jewelry store in Hamtramck, and escaped with jewelry valued at approximately $15,000. The bandits drove up to the store in a large touring car, and four of them entered, leaving three others on guard in front of the place. The thugs forced one of the brothers, Isadore Freedman, into a room in back of the store and stood guard over him, while the others rifled the show cases. He was alone in the store when they entered.

The story of a Russian baron who became a Nihilist and fled from his native land about 50 years ago, went on the stage in England and later came to America where he made and spent a fortune under an assumed name was revealed at St. James following the death of the mysterious "Dr. Protar." Friends of Dr. Protar on Beaver Island, where he had lived among fishermen and farmers for years without revealing his identity, established beyond doubt, that Dr. Protar was Baron Perrot, of Pletn, Russia.

Gov. Alex. J Groesbeck has appointed Miss Katharin Ostrangder, of Lansing, superintendent of the State Public School for Dependent Children at Coldwater She is the first woman to be appointed head of the institution since it was opened in 1874, all previous executives having been men with the chief assistant a woman matron. Miss Ostrander is a member of one of Lansing's oldest and best known families and is nationally known as a social service worker.

Michigan's peach crop has nine lives like a cat. On three different occasions growers have reported the 1925 crop of buds threatened with extinction, yet the crop still lives. According to reports brought to the pre-spring convention of the Michigan State Horticultural Society at Traverse City, the prospects are good for a near normal production of peaches in Michigan. The prospects are much better han a year year ago, the growers declare.

"Your time isn't up until Saturday but you will have to get out; we haven't room for you." With those words, Sheriff William Smith, of the Kent County jail, released three prisoners whose time was not up for three days more. The jail, which had a capacity for only 95 prisoners had a total of 132 inmates and it reached the point where something had to be done and the sheriff said he did the only thing he now of, releasing some of the prisoners.

The city commission of Monroe decided to submit to a vote April 5 a proposition to bond the city for $22,000 for the purpose of building two four-foot dams in the River Raisin. These dams would be used to flush the river, carrying away debris and maintaining a clear channel. The ballot also will include a proposal to levy a tax not to exceed $2,500 for the maintenance of a city band.

The estate of Peter J. Slane, of Owosso, priest who died in a Coney Island hotel room leaving approximately $150,000, will probably be tied up for weeks, pending determination whether he was a resident of New York or Michigan. Probate Judge Matthew Bush said that auxiliary proceedings would probably be needed before the heirs could get their shares.

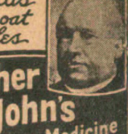
Trucks using state and county roads will be permitted to carry but half loads until further notice. The order has been issued by the State Highway Department which holds that the softening and shifting of earth under the roads and the frost leaving the cement are liable to weaken the roads.

A gift of $5,000 to the Kalamazoo Institute of Arts has bee made by Mrs. Anna Louise Raymond, of Chicago. The sum is to be made the basis of the institute's future endowment fund.

The attendance at the evening sessions of the Lansing free public evening schools this year was 2,902, a new record for the branch of educational work. One of the most popular courses this year has been the instruction offered in different branches of radio.

C. M. Kidman, of Port Huron, who for four years has been in charge of the St. Cair County Farm Bureau, has resigned effective March 31. He will enter the real estate business.

A bomb placed in the office of the White Star moving picture theater, Joseph Campau avenue, Hamtramck, exploded at 4 a. m. and blew out the front of the theater. The explosion broke windows in the block. No one was seen putting the bomb in the building, and Hamtramck police could discover no reason for the effort to destroy the place. The theater is owned by M. A. Slipski, who lives at the rear of the theater, but who is at present out of town. The damage was estimated at $700.



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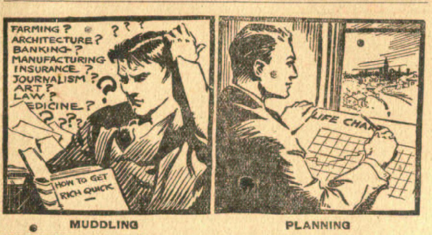
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"True worth needs no introduction. From the time of creation its light has shon e forth, beckoning to humanity to come, as did the Star of Bethlehem that Chrismas night when it guided three wise men to a manger of a little babe.

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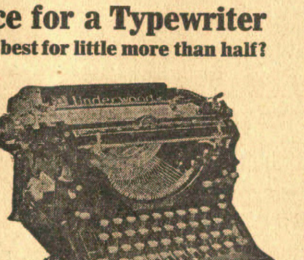

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Good Storage Saves Loss With Pyrotol

Pyrotol, the war salvage explosive being distributed to Michigan farmers at cost by the government through the M. A. C. and county agents, is just as sensitive to poor storage as commercial explosives, according to Larry Livingston, M. A. C. extension specialist, large losses in power resulting where care is not observed.

"Pyrotol should be stored in a dry, well ventilated place", says Livingston. It should never be stored where people are living, and the caps should never be stored in the same place with the Pyrotol. Farmers all over the state are securing Pyrotol for use in blasting stumps and rocks from fields.

Hillsdale Fair Takes Action

At a meeting of the County Agricultural Society held on Monday it was fully decided to build a three story building on the north-west eorner of the grounds for the use of the Woman's Congress and kindred organizations, and to serve as a dormitory for the Boy's and Girls's Clubs at Fair time. It is understood the building is to belong to people of the county in general, and will be open for all farm organization meetings. No definite estimate of the cost is given, but it is presumed the expense will be close to $15,000. First floor will be occupied in the rear by a spacious dining hall and kitchens, in front by executive offices of the Association, ticket office, etc. Second floor will contain an auditorium or assembly hall 50 x 96 feet, and a balcony 30 x 36 feet. Third floor will be modeled into a dormitory 50 x 150 feet. Work will be begun on this important issue of the Fair as soon as the weather is suitable. In addition to this the board decided to remove the base ball diamond from present location to the west side of the race track area in front of the Grand Stand. The admission price which was 35c last year, has been raised to 40c including automobile. This practically splits the price in two.

"Rattle his bones over the stones for he is a poor pauper whom nobody owns." Arthur Phelps, 59 years of age, died at the county infirmary Tuesday morning, having been an inmate since February only. Phelps was brought in by the supervisor of Ransom township, and up to date it has never been learned whence he came or whither he was bound, nor that he has any living relatives. It looks like the Potters Field for him.

National Editorial Association Junket

The National Editorial Association of the country will soon take a trip to the "green fields of Virginia" the home of so many historic episodes in bygone days. In the swing through the states of Virginia and West Virginia, the company will visit Monticello, home of Thos. Jefferson and the birthplac of Geo Rogers Clarke, the "Hannibal of the North-west" Ashland Monroe's home at Charlottesville, Danville, the capitol of the Confederacy and the largest bright tobacco market in the world, Lynchburg largest dark tobacco market in the world, Roanoke, site of the famous "Black Horse Tavern" the Natural Bridge famous throughout the world and Lexington where Generals Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson lie buried. Staunton, historic capitol of the old Virginia country, including Kentucky, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, West Virginia and part of Michigan, and the birthplace of Woodrow Wilson, the battlefield of Newmarket, site of the proposed Shenandoah National Park in the Blue Ridge Mountains of song and story, and the scene of Sheridan's ride from Winchester. This city has the largest apple concentrate plants in the world and the finest public school system in the United States. She was captured 72 times during the Civil War and was the headquarters of the Shawnee Indians in Colonial times. Grottoes and caves, historic Alexandria and Mount Vernon, home of George Washington, Fredericksburg, the home of James Monroe and John Paul Jones, and where the immortal George was transformed into a Mason, and where the first balloon was successfully used in war. James town the first permanent English settlement in America 1609, and Fairfax Court House, the home of Lord Fairfax, ancestor of Washington, Arlington, the greatest National cemetery, where are buried many thousand war heroes and commanding generals. And so we might go on indefinitely, but space forbids. This trip will be taken in June this year, and is looked forward to with great pleasure by the members.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 16th day of March A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, deceased.

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered : Th[illegible]blic notice thereof be given b[illegible] public[illegible] copy of this order for thr[illegible] previous to said day of he[illegible] Adams Advocate, a news[illegible] circulated in said county.

To Tell Of Alfalfa Value In Michigan

Michigan, already the leading alfalfa state east of the Mississippi will continue her drive for increased acreage of the important leguminous crop this spring. Special campaigns have been scheduled for April in Cass, Oceana, Mason, and Antrim counties by the extension division of the M. A. C.

The campaigns will be part of the Dairy Alfalfa drive which has reached more than half the counties of the state during the past few years, specialists from the M. A. C. crops and dairy departments putting on the work.

Better dairy standards and markedly increased alfalfa acreages, with resultant added returns for the farmers of the districts, have followed the Dairy Alfalfa campaigns.

The four counties to be reached by the campaigns next month and the dates are as follows: Cass, March 30 to April 3; Oceana, April 13 to 17; Mason, April 20 to 24; and Antrim, April 27 to May 1. Local county agricultural agents are arranging the detailed itinerary for the "barn" meetings which form the main feature of the campaigns.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 16th day of March, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, incompetent,

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed in said court her final administration account. and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered : That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, ARTRUR L. GUERNSEY
42t3 Judge of Probate

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Hillsdale, in Chancery,
Doa Truitt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jane Truitt, Defendant

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Hillsdale in Chancery, at Hillsdale, on the 3rd day of January, 1925.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Jane Truitt, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Defiance in the state of Ohio, on motion of John F. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Jane Truitt appear or cause her appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance, that she cause an answer to plaintiffs bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney, within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed, by the said non resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days, the said plaintiff, cause a notice of this order to be published in the North Adams Advocate. a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

John F. Steward, Attorney for Plaintiff — Guy M. Chester. Circuit Judge
Business address, Addison, Mich,
Attest; A True copy.
Frank O. Hancock,
Clerk of the Court.
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65. which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, ReynoldsSmith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumwey and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277 .65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the fore going amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods, thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginning, containi[illegible] acres of land.

Dated, De[illegible]10, 1924.
Farmers & M[illegible]

Tom Johnson for Supt. of Public Instruction

Thomas E. Johnson, Superintendent of Public Instruction and candidate for reelection on April 6th next, has the confidence of the school people of Michigan. The reason for this confidence is not hard to find. When first appointed and then elected to office most of the school men of the state undoubtedly felt that he was first a politician and second a school man, but his record in office has been such that they feel today that he is first a school man and second a politician.

Whatever success he may have had as a politician is undoubtedly due to the fact that he genuinely likes people and that liking begets a liking in return. In fact his definition of politics probably covers a situation. To him the art of politics is merely the art of making friends and keeping them.

There is no question but that for the cause of education he works both in season and out of season. While it is not a common thing to do, nevertheless the various organizations of educators in the state have readily endorsed him not only for his work but also for his continuance in office.

One point which is often overlooked is that Mr. Johnson is constantly endeavoring to see that the people of Michigan get their money's worth in the dollars they spend for education. The law requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to approve plans and specifications for buildings, but it is rare indeed that unnecessary expense is not cut out of buildings while they are being passed on by the department. Constantly Mr. Johnson and his associates are endeavoring to reduce expenditures particularly in the smaller high schools and the consolidated school His motto has always been that the people are entitled to everything possible for each tax dollar raised and expended. Most of the criticisms which have been raised against him and his work have come from those who were anxious to keep the burden from being placed on those who could really afford to carry it, all of which certainly entitles him to the support of those who are interested in the welfare of their children and at the same time believe that the progress that takes place should not be at the expense of a rash wastefulness.

It is easy to criticize and we Americans are prone to criticize our public officials. Certainly, however, many of the criticisms hurled at Mr. Johnson are of a nature and from sources which should not in any way militate against his support at the polls.

Soils Lab. Will Come To Farmers

The soils laboratory, with all its scientific equipment and its full staff of technical specialists, is going on the road. Starting on April 7, at Grass Lake, in Jackson County, a special train carrying laboratory equipment will get under way on its trip through nine counties of the southwestern part of the state.

The soils department of the M. A. C. is equipping the movable laboratory and will furnish the specialists to manage it during its two weeks tour. State railroads will transport the "special" over its itinerary.

Leading feature of the work of the "Soils Fertility Special," as the train will be called, will lie in testing for acidity of the soils of the territory through which the train passes. Farmers will bring soils samples to the train at its scheduled stops, and here will have them tested by the latest and most efficient methods known to soils science. One car is to be known as the "laboratory", work of this kind being done in it by the college men.

Another car of the train will be fitted up for a lecture and demonstration car, short talks being given at the meetings held at scheduled stops. Still another car will serve as the "business" car for the party on tour. G. M. Grantham and O. B. Price, extension specialists with the train all through, while other members of the college staff are to join it for a few days at a time. The counties to be covered in the itinerary are: Jackson, Calhoun, St. Joseph, Cass, Berrian, Van Buren, Branch, Kalamazoo and Eaton. The tour will end in Eaton county on April 21..

Walt Mason on "Millenial Dawn"

I donned a long prophetic robe, announcing as a seer, "There'll be an end to this old globe on groundhog day this year." I've read the works of Mother Goose, our doom is there proclaimed, and demolition will cut loose from the day I've named. So sell your homes to giddy crowds who laugh the truth to scorn, and dress yourself in snowy shrouds and wait the fateful morn. The day of doom went by unmarked by dire catastrophe and this old planet still is parked just where it used to be. The man who sold his cozy home for a quarter of what it cost now bounces brick bats off my dome and says I [illegible] a frost.

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Though my stomach w
I could scarce help re
To spoil such a delicate
by eating.

HINTS FOR THE COO

When you have a surplus o bread, try the following recipe:

Queen of Puddings.—one pint of crumbs, one of milk, one ful of sugar, yolks of four e the grated rind a lemon, tablespoonfuls of butter. Mix and in a buttered pan set in h ot wa When done spread with bits of j over the top and the white of e beaten stiff, with one cupful of su added and the juice of the lem Brown lightly in the oven.

Caramel Blancmange.—Soften one tablespoonful and a half of gelatin in one-third of a cupful of cold water. Brown one-half cupful of sugar in smooth iron frying pan, stir constantly while cooking. Then add a scant half cupful of water and let the mixture boil to a thick smooth sirup. Cool a little, then turn it over the softened gelatin; when this is dissolved strain into three cupfuls of cream. Add one-fourth cupful of sugar, a pinch of salt, stir until the sugar is dissolved. Strain into molds and serve with or without sugar.

Spanish Steak.—Take three pounds of round steak cut two and one-half inches thick, season with two teaspoonfuls of salt, pepper to taste, and a tablespoonful of butter. Place in a sheet-iron baking pan with one-half cupful of water and cook thirty minutes, then cover with a layer of raw onions, sliced, and cook three-quarters of an hour; add a layer of sliced tomatoes, cook untill tender, sprinkle with grated cheese, brown and serve with the gravy in the pan.

Strawberry Salad.—Serve large berries in cups of the tender heart leaves of head lettuce. When ready to serve pour over a cream mayonnaise, using two tablespoonfuls of mayonnaise well seasoned to a half cupful of whipped cream. Serve with cream cheese and wafers.

Balls of cream cheese, on lettuce, covered with thick gooseberry preserves makes a delicious accompaniment to almost any salad course. Mold the cheese in very small glasses and when well chilled remove from the molds.

Nellie Maxwell

The KITCHEN CABINET

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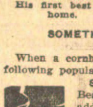
To know what you do know, and not to know what you do not know, is true knowledge.—Confucius.

Such is the patriot's boast, where'er he roam—
His first best country is ever at home.

SOMETHING TO EAT

When a cornbread is liked, try the following popular recipe:



St. Charles Bread.—Beat two eggs lightly, add alternately one pint of buttermilk and one pint of Indian meal, melt one tablespoonful of butter and add to the mixture, dissolve a teaspoonful of soda in a small portion of the milk and beat hard. Bake in a well-greased dripping pan in a hot oven.

Lemon Custard Pudding.—Boil one pint of milk and pour it over one-half cupful of bread crumbs. Cream one tablespoonful of butter with two of sugar, add the beaten yolks of two eggs and the grated rind of a lemon. Then add the milk and crumbs gradually. Pour into a buttered pie plate and bake for half an hour. Beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and a few drops of lemon juice. Pile roughly over the pudding, sift a little sugar over the top and brown lightly in a moderate oven.

Celery Salad.—Cut two stalks of celery into fine pieces, add six cold boiled potatoes, cut into cubes, one apple, cut into cubes; add the apple last to keep from turning brown. Serve with mayonnaise dressing.

Italian Lima Beans.—Cut one-third of a cupful of salt pork into dice and fry it with a large onion that has been sliced thin. When browned sufficiently remove the bits of pork and pieces of onion, add the drained beans (one cupful) to the fat, with six tablespoonfuls of catsup or tomato juice; season to taste with salt, pepper or tabasco and cook until dry.

Frozen Chocolate Pudding.—Pour one cupful of boiling water over one-half cupful of sugar and six ounces of grated chocolate, stir until thick and smooth, then let cook. Mix lightly three cupfuls of whipped cream [illegible] vored with vanilla, t[illegible] mold, cover securely

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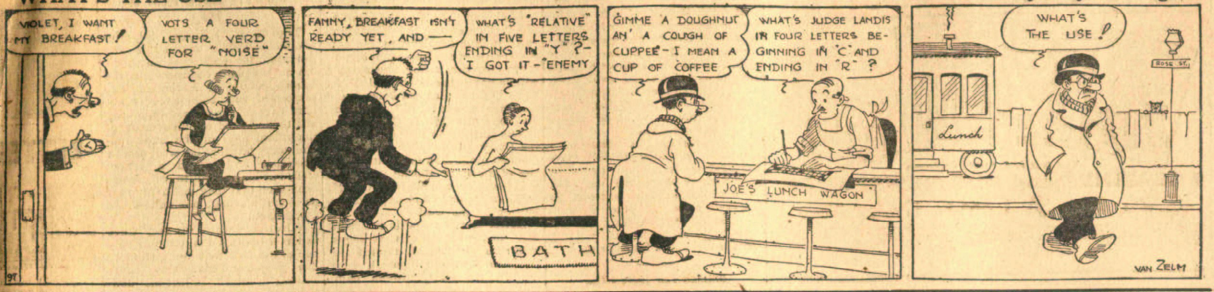
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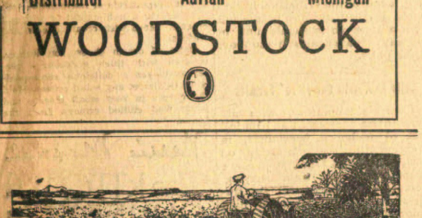

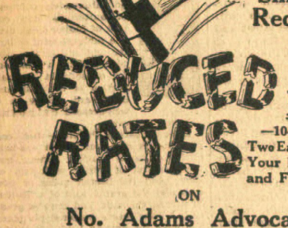

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

The Practice Of Citizenship

(Continued from last week)

The Apostles. The teaching of the apostles on this subject is brief yet clear. Thus Paul declared that "The powers that be ordained of God." This does not mean that the particular ruler is in office by the will of God; but that government itself has a divine meaning. "Rulers are God's deacons unto men for good," he says; "they are sent for the punishment of evil doers and the praise of them that do well. For this cause we pay tribute; to this end we pray for all who are in authority." Again, Paul charges Christians to pray for all rulers, that we may live a quiet and orderly life. Peter charges Christians to be "subject to every ordinance of man for the Lord's sake: whether it be to the king as supreme; or unto governors, as unto them that are sent by him for vengeance on evil doers and for praise to them that do well."

Summary. In summary this is what we find: the state is a divine institution and here in the will of God. The state is here to represent his justice and to safeguard the life of man. The state is a field for the expression of God's will. The state is a means through which men may co-operate in their search after justice. It is necessary for us to see the divine meaning of the state and to do everything in our power that it may achieve its divine end and may fulfill the divine purpose.

THE GOOD CITIZEN

The good citizen honors the mission of the state, and fulfils the obligations that are upon him. He realizes that he is a sovereign citizen, with a sovereign's responsibility, and he accepts his sovereignty and meets its obligations. A man's duties as a citizen are as sacred as any claims upon him. Many people miss the point of the Master's reply to the Pharisees and Herodians. "Is it lawful for us to give tribute to Caesar?" The Pharisees made much of their obligations to God but neglected their political duties. The Heriodians honored Herod, but had little interest in divine things. "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's." In this saying the Master places the duty to government as equal to the duty of God; and he charges each party to fulfil the other part of the duty. The good Christian is a good citizen. The neglectful citizen is a neglectful Christian.

The good citizen pays his taxes and obeys the laws. The state has a right to be, and so it has a right to proper support. Taxes are the just requirements made by the state upon its citizens for the prosecution of its work. Every person should pay according to his ability for the expenses of the government It is true that public money is often misspent and wasted. But for all that, every citizen receives a larger equivalent for the money paid in taxes than for any other money. Undoubtedly the present system of taxation may be greatly improved. In some places it sets a premium upon dishonesty and encourages perjury; it taxes lightly unimproved property; it allows land speculators to take the unearned increment; worse than all, it taxes thrift and improvement more heavily than speculation and idleness But all this is no reason why men should dodge their taxes. One can go into almost any community and find the most notorious abuses. He may find rich men, prominent society and church leaders, dodging taxes, concealing personal property and swearing falsely. This is a scandal and a crime. The man who dodges his honest taxes is a dishonest man. If any taxpayer feels that the present system is unjust, and we know that it is, he must agitate and vote to have the system changed. But so long as the present law stands, he is under obligation to be honest.

The good citizen votes at every opportunity. A vote is the register of one's convictions with respect to men and measures. Every man who has convictions is under obligation to register them. It is only in this way that intelligent conviction and Christian conscience can became effecti[illegible] in civil af[illegible]cise this duty of their citizenship. During a presidential campaign they may be interested, and a large proportion go to the polls. These same men are often neglectful in local and state elections. As a fact, it matters little who is President; but it matters much who is mayor. This is not all, but many citizens fail utterly to attend the primary election. It is here that issues are considered, platforms are made, and candidates are chosen. All in all, the primary is very much more important than the election itself. To fail to vote is to fail in one's duty. So long as intelligent men fail to vote at the primary and the general election they have only themselves to blame when bootleggers and grafters run the city.

The good citizen is intelligent, conscientious, and courageous. The fact that people are intelligent in a general way, in literature and history, does nnt mean that they are intelligent in their citizenship. A man may be well acquainted with current literature, but may know nothing about civic affairs or whether the city has a good police department. The sad fact is that few voters exercise any independence and judgment in political matters.

The good citizen maintains a continuous warfare against evil. In the world there are many evils, and many of these cannot be cured by state action. Yet the state can do much to destroy evil and maintain justice. We often hear it said, "You cannot make men good by law." Is that statement true? By a good law, well enforced, we can make vice and dishonesty dangerous and unprofitable, and can create a strong moral presumption in favor of virtue and honesty.

(Continued next week)

Capital Punishment Snowed Under

Our legislators at Lansing are under a considerable stress lately concerning the capital punishment law which should have been passed but went aft-a'gley again probably because somebody's wife put up an objection. Under the circumstances the law makers could do little else than cater to the public will. Evidently most of our legislators don't want men severely punished for their misdeeds prefering rather to treat the criminal as a condition rather than a crime. If crime is a disease the country is fast becoming diseased, and this highly contagious epidemic should be checked right speedily or we shall become a nation of consumptives—that is tuberculosed morally, and that is quite near the condition since the World War. What should cause men and women heretofore thought to be passably decent, to violate the United States laws as they do, is beyond comprehension. Insanity fostered by bad liquor in many cases is the prime mover in most of the murders throughout Michigan. Secondary and none the less important is the general freedom of fire arms among the younger classes. We have claimed since the responsibility of editing was shifted to our shoulders that nothing was more rotten than the present arms law, and we are ready to back it up today with statistics which will show how badly we are shot up with the weapon proposition. Every lad when he attains his majority has an urge to carry some kind of a destructive firearm and his liberties are scarcely ever interfered with. Pa and Ma evidently do not realize just what the consequences would be if their sons should get embroiled in a serious quarrel while armed, neither do they take into the case accidental discharges of weapons while the carriers are climbing fences or tramping over rough stretches of woodland ever searching for the last fugitive game which may remain alive.

Somewhere we heard the remark or read that the constitution of the U. S. specially forbid the abridgement of any citizens right to bear arms. If we read International law right this applies only to times of war, and it is accepted that some of the requirements of that old constitution need changing to suit the times. We could hardly expect statutes written one hundred years ago to fit the present day—they are obsolete.

This silly twaddle we hear about what that good old book, the Bible says concerning taking men's lives in reparation falls short of its mark and it is time we woke up to what the criminal class are doing for our state. It is not presumptuous to say that crime in Michigan has made us a bugaboo to visitors They learn about it long before they reach our borders and while here they are constantly in a state of alarm—not knowing how or when the blow may be struck. Over at Jackson we have an institution known as State Prison—but how much of a prison is it? Do any of our readers imagine that convicts in Jackson who behave fairly decent are under any particular indictment. We beg to say that incarceration in the penitentiary of Michigan means mostly a bonanza for the average criminal. His accomodations and his favors are usually so much better than he could supply himself with if outside at liberty, it is a wonder large numbers of crooks don't apply at the beginning of the winter season for lodging at the state prison!

We note our representative voted with the rabble—he went on record as being against capital punishment, which probably eases his conscience, but it goes a mighty short way toward adjusting our criminal conditions and furnishing a medicine for our patients whom it is supposed need a tonic. We need to go to China for a little toning up and study of their punishment system. Of course China is unfeeling and has exaggerated views of the seriousness of certain crimes but as Walter Raleigh said the ax is "sharp medicine but it cures all diseases". We have in mind one instance where the engineer of a railroad train carelessly ran through a narrow bridge at top speed ruining government aero planes loaded on cars cross-wise. He was taken out of the cab and beheaded beside his engine. Of course this is a relic of the dark ages but we are experiencing dark age crimes right now in Michigan. For instance the George Straub murder in Jackson and the recent disinterring of a human body and dismemberment are streaks of the dark ages way back there when men butchered for the sheer amusement of doing it—then why should we defer longer what cries to us from every mangled murdered body—capital punishment?

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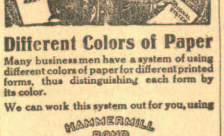

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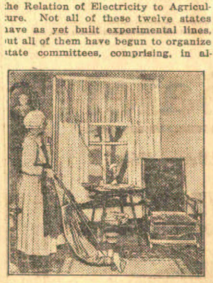

The Dust-Raising Broom Is No Longer Needed Here.

It will be a considerable time before it is definitely known from these investigations just how electricity can be applied to the farm so that both farmer and power company will find it a profitable proposition. In the two or three states where the study is most advanced, however, some incidental results are already cropping out, as indicated by what is given below.

Minnesota—Burdens Are Lifting

"I do my washing and ironing all in one day, where it used to take a day and a half, and half a day of my father's time," remarked a young woman on one of the electrified farms of Red Wing, Minn., to Prof. E. A. Stewart, of the University of Minnesota. Prof. Stewart, secretary of the state co-operative committee on the farm electrification project, is making regular visits to observe how the electrified farms are getting along in this section where the "barnyard laboratory" idea is in operation.

There is one farmer in that region who remarked when the electrical idea was first mentioned to him that he didn't know whether he wanted to fix up the house much. He wanted to get away to town. But he is staying now now, for electricity provides hot water for his bath, on tap at the tub, as well as water at the barn for his stock, cooks his meals and lights his whole farm at night.

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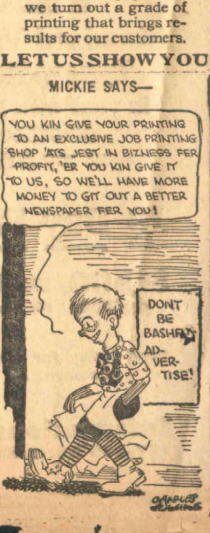
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"WHO'S THERE?"

SYNOPSIS. — Nurses in the Southern hospital at Avonmouth are angered by the insolent treatment accorded them by Dr. John Lancaster, head of the institution, and there is a general feeling of unrest, into which Joan Wentworth, probationary nurse, is drawn. Doctor Lancaster is performing a difficult operation, for which he has won fame. Joan, with other nurses, is in attendance. She is upset, through no fault of her own, and makes a trivial blunder at a critical moment. The patient dies and Doctor Lancaster accuses her of clumsiness. She is suspended, the action meaning the end of her hope of a career as a nurse. Without relatives or friends, and desperate, Joan, urged by her landlady, goes to Doctor Lancaster's office to ask him to overlook her blunder and reinstate her. She overhears a violent altercation between Doctor Lancaster and other men she does not see. Joan is struck by the favorable change in the appearance and demeanor of the doctor, recalling that at times in the hospital he has been gentle and thoughtful and at others supercilious and bullying. He tells her he can do nothing for her at the hospital, but offers her a position in a nursing institution in the country, telling her she can be of "great assistance" to him. A man named Myers demands she tell him what the doctor had said to her. She denies him the information, and he covertly threatens her. At the institution, which is owned by Doctor Lancaster, Joan finds Myers. He tells her he is the secretary. She instinctively dislikes and fears him. The only patient at the institute is a Mrs. Dana, demented but harmless. Joan is vaguely uneasy, feeling that there is some mystery about the place. Doctor Lancaster arrives. Joan accuses him of deceiving her, declaring her intention of leaving. He tells her he is the patient who needs her, saying he wants help in a "big fight," but makes no further explanation. She decides to stay. Evidently Doctor Lancaster is afraid of Myers. Joan discovers that the doctor is a victim of the morphine habit. Joan takes charge of him, helping him to overcome temporarily his craving for the drug. Myers accuses her of "meddling," but she refuses to leave or to give up her care of Lancaster. Mrs. Fraser, the matron, admits all at the institution are afraid of Myers, but will not say why. She begs Joan to "save the doctor." Joan in a measure succeeds in freeing Lancaster from his craving for drugs.

CHAPTER VI—Continued

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"It is not what Doctor Lancaster says," answered Joan. "It is what I say. Mrs. Fraser, please give me the storeroom key."

The woman, looking askance at Myers, let her hand slip down toward the bunch at her side.

"The key, please," repeated Joan, and received it. Quickly she locked the door and put the key in the pocket of her uniform.

"Now," she said, "I want you all to understand this situation. I am employed by Doctor Lancaster. I am under orders not to go until the month is ended. I am in charge of him. Until he is responsible for his actions I shall remain in charge, under Doctor Jenkins. Doctor Jenkins, is it your order that Doctor Lancaster is to receive a whole dose of morphine every few hours, of the amount he has been taking?"

"Why, Miss Wentworth, I never ordered that," protested Jenkins. "You see, Miss Wentworth—"

"Until you do," interposed Joan bluntly, "I shall continue the treatment as I learned it in Doctor Lancaster's hospital at Avonmouth. And if the storeroom is opened by anyone but myself I shall take legal action to protect Doctor Lancaster's interests."

"Miss Wentworth!" cried Myers, "you are making a tragedy where none exists. Nobody wants to harm the doctor. We all have one sole thought, to help him. Don't we, doctor?" he continued, addressing Lancaster.

"You are all—very kind to me," Lancaster mumbled.

"There, you see!" said Myers, turning toward Joan again. "There may exist differences of opinion," he continued in a facile manner, "and maybe I've expressed myself too forcibly. But we're all at one in wishing the doctor to get well as quickly as he can."

He was almost fawning now, but Joan remained inflexible. She knew that if she relaxed from the nervous tension that was upholding her she would become hysterical.

The group dispersed. Myers followed the girl out upon the veranda and stood for a long time near the door, watching her as she sat at the farther end, trying to compose herself. At last he came up to her.

"See here, Miss Wentworth," he began impetuously; "I've come to you twice and spoken fairly to you. Maybe you see now that you would have been wiser to have met me in the same spirit. Come, now, are we to work together as friends or not?"

"I have no objection," answered Joan, "but my duty concerns nobody but the doctor."

"You mean you won't co-operate with me in saving him from himself?" He looked at her with sullen challenge in his eyes.

"I do," said Joan.

Myers thrust his hands into his pockets. "Right!" he said. "Three times is enough. I understand. And that's the last you'll hear from me about it."

He went away, and Joan sat staring out across the darkening hills. How had she managed to fight this blind battle of hers to a successful issue? She did not know; but, whatever the hold might be that Myers had over Lancaster, she felt that Myers himself was in dread of its discovery.

Presently she saw the matron come cautiously out of the house and hurry toward her.

"How did you do it, Miss Wentworth?" she asked in awe. "You did what none of us would have dared to do—not me, nor Doctor Jenkins."

"Why not?" asked Joan. "Mrs. Fraser, of whom are you afraid? And Doctor Lancaster? It is not of that man Myers, whom he could send about his business at any time when he found strength of will. Who is it?"

"O, Miss Wentworth, I don't know," the matron sobbed. "But save the doctor! O, do save the doctor from that man who is trying to kill him!"

Chapter VII

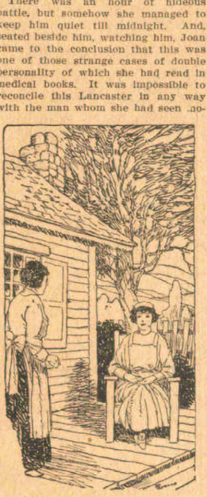
Joan had had supper with Lancaster, and it was night, and once more the fight was raging.

She had sat on the veranda with him, had talked with him, had seen the better soul of the man rise to the surface as he struggled with the morphine devil; then she had given him his half dose again, and, as his strength revived and the agony departed, she had seen the facile, lying spirit enter into him.

He was lying, wrapped in his dressing gown, upon his bed, and she sat at his side, at grips with the devil in him that clamored for its victim's body, that it might possess it entirely, as surely a devil as any spirit of evil, though its shrine was a little glass bottle holding a few drops of fluid.

She was fighting for Lancaster, fighting for the better Lancaster again, and he was writhing in torment and pleading with her to go, to leave him to his fate, since the suffering was intolerable and subjection preferable.

There was an hour of hideous battle, but somehow she managed to keep him quiet till midnight. And, seated beside him, watching him, Joan came to the conclusion that this was one of those strange cases of double personality of which she had read in medical books. It was impossible to reconcile this Lancaster in any way with the man whom she had seen momentarily at the hospital, and with the tyrant of the operating room. For that man was essentially base and ignoble, and this man was honor and truth, when the morphine fiend retired, baffled for a space, and under that pitiful load of shame she sensed the cleanness of the man's soul and its integrity.



"How Did You Do It, Miss Wentworth?" She Asked in Awe.

Somehow she held his devil at bay until midnight, and then, with a second victory to his credit, he stretched out his arm for the hypodermic. Then Joan saw the look of contentment come into his face, heard the satisfied sigh—and there was the old Lancaster before her, shifty, furtive and false.

No, not altogether, for something of that victory remained with him, the promise of renewed manhood; the morphine devil was losing its grip. Ground had been won. It should never be ceded. Joan swore that as she watched by the bedside.

"Doctor Lancaster, you have promised me to sleep till six," she said. "Can I trust you?"

"How can you doubt my word, Miss Wentworth?" asked Lancaster, with an affectation of surprise. "Of course you can. You know, I am not a regular user of drugs. I have been overworked, and I took morphine to make me sleep, and somehow it got hold of me. I think I must be unusually susceptible to the drug."

The old lie of the stupid drug devil! But Joan had the storeroom key, and she knew that it would require a hammer or a.. to break down the strong door. And she would wake and hear him, and fight again as she had fought that morning.

"Then I am going to bed till six," she said.

"But, Miss Wentworth," he protested, "six hours is an impossibly long period. Every three hours is my time, and now that I am on half-doses—you remember what Jenkins said this morning. You must go slowly with a confirmed drug-user like myself.

"Stop! Don't listen to me!" he added suddenly. "You can trust me, Miss Wentworth. I'm going to fight this out, and win."

"You are winning," answered Joan, bending over him. "Don't forget that. Say 'I am winning' whenever the pain seems uncontrollable and your will seems gone. It won't last long. Doctor Lancaster, you are your own self at this moment, and nothing can harm you. Fight the good fight!"

He caught her hand and carried it to his lips. "Miss Wentworth, you are my good angel!" he cried. "I secured the services of an angel unawares," he added, looking at her with that pathetic humor which went straight to her heart. "I want to win for your sake. But why are you taking so much trouble for a worthless old fellow like me?"

"Don't flatter yourself that it is all for you, Doctor Lancaster. Perhaps I may want to save the most distinguished surgeon in the South."

At her words he started; he stared at her, and then fell back upon the pillow, hiding his face. Joan turned away. Again she had touched some hidden spring of memory; what it was she could not know, but it was evident that she had wounded him to the quick.

Perhaps it was the contrast between the office he held and the man he had become. Perhaps it was the knowledge of his secret bondage which had broken him down at last and driven him back to the institute and Myers.

"Miss Wentworth, I want you to lock my door and take away the key," he said. "I may have a secret supply somewhere."

"I don't think you have," answered Joan. "You have none in this room, have you?"

"No."

"I believe that. And, anyway, I am going to trust you. That is part of your fight. I am going to trust you till six."

He said good night in a low tone and turned away. Joan went up to her room. She lay down, but did not undress. She was afraid, and she admitted that she was afraid, and nothing but Lancaster's desperate need of her would have kept her an hour longer in the institute. But she was exhausted from the day, and soon she was asleep.

She slept that sleep which brings no recreation for the jaded body or the overwrought mind. All the while she was back with Lancaster in his room below, in spirit. She knew that, as he had said, the drug bondage was only the climax of his difficulties. What had there been that had wrecked the man? Jenkins' hint at stolen funds? Of one thing she was sure: Lancaster, sunken as he was, was incapable of dishonesty. No, she must have placed a wrong construction on Jenkins' words.

And in her sleep her brain went on puzzling over the problem. Only her body was quiescent, and it lay wearily in the bed like some chained captive.

But suddenly the urgent summons of the brain shook from it the trammels of sleep Joan listened intently, awake upon the instant, as some wild creature of the woods that senses danger. Somebody was coming along the corridor.

The footfalls were so soft and stealthy that she might have thought she was dreaming but for the sense of imminent danger, the knowledge of some malevolent design. The steps stopped and began again, the merest touches of sound against the silence of night, the lightest patter of bare feet outside the door.

Then the door began to open.

There was no moon, and the faint starlight outside only seemed to render darker the obscurity within. Yet, through the darkness Joan knew that a hand lay on the door jamb, and that a figure watched her across the room.

She leaped from her bed. "Who's there?" she called, in tones that seemed to shock the silence.

She could see nothing now, and she dared not turn aside to light her lamp. She knew that the figure was crouching somewhere. She heard the softest breathing, but could not locate it in the room. She felt the atmosphere of evil that surrounded her. She started to cross the room, groping, with arms outstretched. Then she found the intruder and flung herself upon it.

Her left hand closed about a wrist, supple and strong. Her right hand held another hand. They wrestled in the darkness, their bodies tense but motionless, only the hands and wrist muscles at strife. Not a sound came from their lips.

Joan thought it was a woman's hands she held. Her fingers sought the menace in the closed fists. The left hand of the intruder was empty; but in the right was a jagged piece of a broken tumbler that tinkled to the floor.

So a woman is the mystery! Now why is she so bent on revenge?

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Main Road Lacking in Allurement of Byway

Even before the automobiles took over the main roads it was better to walk in the byways. Along the lesser roads people are not too hurried for a friendly greeting as they pass, and the very animals of the back country are less sophisticated—the horses and cattle look up from their pasture to gaze with frank interest at each passerby.

Then, coming from time to time across the quiet of the countryside, are sounds that men have always heard gladly—the far-off crowing, like a mellow bugle, of a barnyard king—the distant creak and rumble of a farmer's heavy wagon rolling on upon the hills.

But best of all are the moments of discovery: late afternoon, when the shadows are growing long, and the road, bending suddenly about a low hill facing toward the bay, comes out upon a wide view down a valley wooded with dark green pines—and then, beyond, a great stretch of fair water, deeply blue.

That is the allurement of the byways; quaintness is all about, and beauty lies in wait—perhaps around the next turning of the lane.—Collier's.

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Elmer Ward was in Jackson Saturday.

Mrs. Richardson has been on the sick list.

The proceeds of the community dinner Thursday were $14.

L. V. Harvey and mother of North Adams were in town Monday.

Mrs. M. H. Morris entertained Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson Sunday.

Loren Hewitt of Detroit is visiting at the home of Dr. J. S. Sterling.

Martin VanTassel has hired out to George Morehouse for the summer.

Gerald Fisk and wife of Addison visited Tuesday at the H. A. Voorhees home.

Clifford Clark of Somerset Center visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Julia Potter.

Mildred and Kathryn Carpenter and Robert Carr of Jackson spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. M. Carpenter.

Merl Morehead and wife, Mrs. W. E. Anson, Mrs. A. J. Chupp have been recent guests of Mrs. Blanche Carey in Detroit.

Leon Walworth, Mrs. Della Lowery, Mrs. Harley Voorhees and daughter Vivian were in Hillsdale one day last week.

Church services will commence next Sunday at 11:30 o'clock standard time. Rev. J. Gallimore, colored, of Alabama and Cheng Su of Manchuria will deliver brief addresses at that time.

Rev. Scott concluded his series of anti war sermons at the church Sunday. In one of the sermons the pastor said "one of the chief causes of war is the millionaires who want to make billionaires out of themselves" while in his last sermon, he declared "I will never take any part in any war as I would rather be sent to prison than to take part in war and be forced to murder other human beings." Mr. Scott is a fearless speaker similar to Rev. Dellinger a former pastor here, but of course truth is as nearly unwelcome in the modern world as it was in the days of Christ and more than one individual has been driven from American colleges and universities for exposing financial crookedness in high places. For example there was Mr. Eaton of the University of Michigan who was expelled because he published in the university paper, a review of John Kenneth Turner's book "Shall it be again?" None of the newspapers heard of the affair until three months later when the Detroit Free Press published the news for public perusal, but Mr. Eaton says that the Free Press did not tell the truth about the matter and thus we have an up to date example of the manner in which Big Business working through the big universities and the big newspapers stifles honest opinions and then prevents the public from understanding who manipulated the wires behind the screen.

Somerset Centre

Mrs. L. A. Mercer was in Jerome Monday.

Clayton Garver and wife spent Sunday in Addison.

Mrs. G. Buck spent Sunday with Clifford Clark and wife.

Esther and Ruth VanCamp spent the week end with their mother in North Adams.

Tom Dunn and wife who have been in Brooklyn for sometime have returned to his farm.

Harold Fowler of Addison is spending sometime with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil.

Mrs. Arvilla Becker of Hinsdale New York who has been spending a few weeks here has returned to her home.

Msr. Cora VanAllen and Tom VanAllen and family were visitors at the E. Rutan home Sunday evening.

L. A. Mercer and family and Don Rutan and wife were in Jackson Sunday to attend a party at the home of George Baker.

The funeral of Hugh Tearney was held at the Somerset Center church. His death occurred at the home of Harry Lewis Sunday.

A party of friends surprised Mrs. Ina Mercer March 18 the occasion being her birthday. On March 19 the ladies again surprised Mrs. Velma Smith as it was her birthday.

Central Moscow

Lee Kies's baby is under the Doctor's care.

Chas Kies has a radio installed in his home.

Zoel Fuller's little son has blood poison in his hand and it is quite serious.

Mrs. Bascom and children of Albion visited her sister Mrs. George Brayton Monday.

George Brayton and son Tom were in Jonesville Saturday and also visited M. Leonard and family of Mosherville.

Mrs. Julia Sharp of Jackson has returned home after spending the past week with her sister in law Mrs. John Adams.

Jonesville

W. B. Howlet is ill at his home on Evans street.

Mr. and Mrs. Huber were in Elkhart Sunday.

Richard Varnum Jr. spent the week end in Hillsdale.

Mrs. F. A. Husted was in Edgerton Ohio during the week.

Born to Walter Bowersox and wife an Sunday March 15 a daughter.

John Russel, little son of John Moore and wife is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Katherine Burnier suffered a stroke of paralysis last week at her home on East Chicago street.

Frank Bently of Chicago came last week to see his mother Mrs. E. Barkman who is an invalid.

Mrs. Mary Weston spent the week end in Mosherville and attended the Home talent play Saturday evening.

Mrs. Roy Bales who underwent an operation at the Hillsdale Hospital last week was removed to the Doty Hospital Sunday.

Adelbert Baldwin and daughter Dorothy who have been living in White Pigeon for two years, will return to Jonesville this spring and occupy their home on West Chicago street.

The Pageant "Striking of America's hour." given in the Presbyterian church Sunday and Monday evenings March 15 and 16 was attended by large and appreciative audiences. Much credit is due Mrs. F. A. Kies who had the program in charge.

Mud Lake School Notes

Visitors this month have been little Clifford Miller and Mrs. Russel Greenfield.

Eudora Binkley of the eighth grade won the Silver medal at the Bross school March 7.

The 8th grade history class were entertained at the home of Dorr Harwood one of the members of the class, on March 4th. to hear President Coolidge's inaurgural speech over the radio.

The big project for the month of April will be bird work 1st and 2nd grades will decorate a small tree with colored birds and bird nests, 4th grade will make bird books, 5th and 6th bird essays, and the 8th will keep bird lists.

Report for month ending March 20th. The following pupils have boen neither absent nor tardy. Merlin Church, Claren and Howard Foust, Mildred and Merle Coryell, Merle Derby, Lorena and Loceal Shull, Clarabelle Chase, Eudora Binkley, Dorr Harwood and Reo Collyer.

The winners of the teeth cleaning contest for February and March were: Merlin Church, Fred Miller, Lorena Shull, Reo Collyer, Howard Foust, Mildred Coryell, and Dorr Harwood. The losing side will furnish for the potluck dinner Thursday, March 19th. One of the features of the dinner will be a weinie roast.

Local News

The Womans Club met Monday March 16, at the home of Mrs. Addie Baker. Roll call was responded to by naming some noted woman. The meeting opened by the entire club singing "America The Beautiful" then the club collect was repeated by all the members. Mrs. Eva Wolcott read Elbert Hubbard's 'Message to Garcia" Mrs. Gladys Williams read a paper on "Chemistry in the home" The meeting closed with singing. Next meeting will be held Monday, April 6, at the home of Mrs. J. Jones.

John S. Evans, editor of the Coldwater Star comes right out and expresses his thoughts concerning the doings at both church and schools of his city. John has always spoke right out in open meeting against the immorality that seems to hover over Coldwaer. The booze, the tobacco, the dances, the lottery schemes and desecration of the Sabbath day. He hits all these with a sledge hammer and cares not where or whom it hits. Recently a school girl was hastened to the hospital where she gave birth to twins, one of them dying. John says this is the fruit of allowing public dancing in the public school. In the same issue of the paper is an occount of two students of their high school being arrested for stealing in Sturgis. He hits his own church, the Methodist, for allowing smoking in their parlor and other things that should not be allowed. John sticks to his text and hammers away and his hammering has surely did some good though it has made him bitter enemies—but this he cheerfully overlooks."—Camden Advance

Basket Ball Game

Green and White "bring home the Bacon" in the shape of the class D silver Consolation Cup, won in the final tilt, on the Ypsilanti Basket Ball court Saturday, when our team won from Dexter by a 33 and 29 score in hard fought game. Our team left for Ypsilanti Thursday noon, previous to their first game in class D, of the Southeastern District Basket Ball Tournament held at the State Normal on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. The first game drawn was with St Mary's of Chelsea, the fastest team of the fifteen teams competing, the victory going to St Mary's by only two points. The next drawing, Friday morning, matched our team with Camden, a fast bunch from our own county, the score being 28 and 18 for North Adams Excitement waxed high among fans at both ends of the lines and by Friday afternoon when news came of the victory over springwells to the tune of 48 and 12 it began to look like a victory in the finals, when our team was matched with Dexter, winning by a score of 33 and 29. A clean team, both in morals and sportmanship, under the supervision of Coach Lamb and Supt. Young gives North Adams something to be proud of. These will probably be the last games of this season, and the last time that Wolcott, Lynch, Randolph and Westcott will play under the Green and White colors of our school. The game last Monday night here, with Montgomery furnishing the opposition resulted in a walk away for North Adams, both girls and boys, the score for the latter being 50 and 7.

"What Happened to Jones"

The great New York success "What Happened to Jones" will be staged at the North Adams Community Hall on a near future date by the Hillsdale City band under the direction of Merritt Green. This is a brilliant farcial comedy in which Mr. Green will have the star part and we remember him by reason of former successes in our village putting on local talent and directing plays here. His company of players have put on several theatricals at Hillsdale and there ought to be a good patronage as the first-class shows that have come to our burg have been scarce. Don't fail to learn the date and watch for further particulars.

More Highway Laws

The State Tinker Box at Lansing is still at work fabricating laws for motorists to break, and the latest we learn of is a measure to better guard the sixteen thousand railroad and interurban crossings in Michigan from serious accidents by reason of careless auto drivers. The Richardson bill provides that motorists must "stop, look and listen" before crossing any rail or interurban track. Failure to do this constitutes a felony, and God knows we have too many of these now. also a super-abundance of laws. But of course you must remember it is necessary for a representative to make his debut by introducing a bill of some kind, and it requires several weeks to run out the grist.

Candidly, there is a deplorable laxness on the part of auto drivers and the results of it are becoming more threatening each day but there is no use confusing the public with a maze of laws which cannot be enforced without a battalion of state police on the scene night and day, then there are other angles to the situation. The fire company and the ambulance are exceptions to the rule and in many cases physicians and police patrols would have to be exempted. Not long ago a driver at Jonesville crashed into a train at a crossing, and many times these insane fiends have crashed into and carried away the safety gates provided by the railroad companies. In view of this there is little to be gained by passing laws which would be a parody on the traffic officials.

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Mrs. William Pearson is quite ill at her home with gall stones. She will be operated upon at the Hillsdale hospital this week.

—You should hear the concert next Wednesday evening at the Methodist church, Frank Perkins, director.

—I wish to announce to the ladies of North Adams and vicinity the arrival of a nice line of Spring Hats at my shop. Mrs. W. R. Corey 43t3

—The Masons of Adams Lodge will hold a dancing party at Community hall Tuesday evening March 31st. Music by L'Amoreaux orchestra.

Pomona Grange will meet with Adams Grange Wednesday April 1st. Rev. W. H. Hutton will give an address. Opening meeting in the afternoon. Everyone invited.

For Sale—White Rock Eggs from blood tested flocks and Pekin Duck Eggs for hatching, also custom hatching. Mrs. Oray Holcomb Phone 756 North Adams. 43t3

Mrs. Wyman Stott entertained for Sunday dinner Sam Long and wife of Moscow. Mrs. Payne and grandson, the formers sister Clarabelle Chase and Merin Walworth of Moscow.

The Missionary Union of the Congregational church will hold their monthly meeting April 1st at 2:00 with Mrs. Eliza Williams. Members are requested to answer Roll call with April Fool jokes.

Dorr Phillips of Osseo suffered a stroke of paralysis the first of the week, and is quite low at this writing. It will be remembered that his son, Eber, former mayor of Hillsdale, passed away not long ago from the same cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dietz entertained at 4 o'clock luncheon on Wednesday March 25 the members of the Boys and Girls Basket Ball teams and their coaches Mr. Lamb and Miss Frietag. The tables were beautifully decorated in green and white and the affair was very tastefully carried out.

Harold Mark Ballard the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ballard of this village passed away at the home Saturday. Funeral services were conducted at home here by Reverends Hunt and Hutton Monday March 23, and burial was at Somerset. Services at the grave were conducted by Rev. McLouth of Somerset.

The Rev. M. D. Carrel who has been spending a few days with old friends in North Adams has gone to Grand Rapids to visit his son who began his preparation for his life work as a printer, in the primary department of North Adams public school 44 years ago. Mr. Carrel Jr. has been for 'some years with the White Printing Co. Grand Rapids.

A banquet was given in the Congregational church parlors here last Tuesday night. The Young people's Sunday school class gave the banquet in honor of the High school Boy's and Girl's basketball teams. Lynn Ford was toastmaster. Supt. R. C. Young, and Coach T. N Lamb spoke. The following gave informal talks: Lyle Harrington, J. W. Lynch, Keith Williams and and Frances Young. The school faculty were guests. A fine supper was served and all had a fine time.

Fire Bugs Tabooed

The editor of the Reading Hustler waxes tragic when he talks of the reputed fire bug at Pittsford. He evidently believes in making a Roman holiday out of such inebriates and this is how he expresses it: "A punishment meet for such a fiend would be to let him set fire to a small building and then throw him into the flames. This may sound barbarous but think of the poor dumb brutes he tortured without compassion." It seems that investigation so far has failed to disclose the fire bug, although Hillsdale county officers have put in considerable time also the State Fire Marshal and others, trying to solve the riddle. Clues point to some half insane klepto but if such is the case he must have a Jekyll-Hyde personality by which he becomes a sober law-adiding citizen by day, and at night takes on sulphur and brimstone. The last attributed to him, is the holocaust of the barn of Vern Vreland which burned Saturday night last with contents. 79 sheep, 3 cows and two horses were cremated.

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Miss Marian Johnson of Hillsdale was a guest of Mrs. Otto Gray Monday.

George Gray of near Hillsdale ate dinner with his brother Wm Gray and wife Wednesday.

Almer Fry of Ann Arbor and Miss Brooks of Jackson visited Harley Fry and family Sunday.

C. H. Fry and wife and Mr. Johantgen of near Hudson visited Monday at the home of Harley Fry.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindnesses in the hour of trial, and especially to Reverends Hunt and Hutton for their words of comfort in the sickness and death of our dear son.

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—You will miss it if you don't hear the concert put on at the Methodist church next Wednesday evening, April 1st under the direction of Frank Perkins of Hillsdale with Prof. DeGreene as reader.

The "Thank Offering" meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was largely attended Sunday evening at the Methodist church and the Society wishes to thank those who contributed to the offering, which amounted to over twenty dollars.

Miss Sarah Frederick who has been attending the State Normal School at Ypsilanti, graduated from that institution on Thursday, March 26th. Her father, William Frederick, was in Ypsilanti this week attending the ceremonies and to bring her home.

William Seymour Combs of Moscow township has recently entered as a bankrupt and his creditors are notified that the meeting to adjust claims will be held at the office of Paul W. Chase attorney at law in Hillsdale on Friday April 3rd 1925 at nine o'clock in the forenoon Central Standard time.

Senator Bahorski is after the goats of gun-toters in Michigan and proposes to put the kibosh on them by a law which he has introduced into the senate in Lansing as follows: The weapons are divided into two classes. Class 1 includes metallic knuckles, hat pins over ten inches in length, knives, razors. Class No. 2 includes sling shots, blackjacks, billies, sand bags, bludgeons, daggers, dirks, stillettos, bombs, bomb-shells, pistols, revolvers or other fire arms. Penalty for carrying concealed weapons Class 1, fine of $100 and 90 days in jail. Class 2, prison term of not less than five nor more than ten years,. with usual allowances for first offense, in discretion of the court. If this bill becomes a law there will be considerable hustling to keep out of the lime-light we imagine. We hope the law will be put on the statute books.

The Poverty Social at the M. E. church on Wednesday evening was not largely attended but report says some of the costumes in evidence were certainly the limit for extravagence. Henry Porter easily carried off the palm for being the most bankrupt gentleman present, it was thought at one time necessary to tie several yards of binder twine around Henry in order to hold on what little he did wear. A short impromptu program was given as follows: Story told by Mrs. Henry Porter; recitation, Eleanor Fitzgerald; song, Herbert Wells; recitation Ethel Brewer; mouth organ solo, Harry Hill; recitation, Carrie Bryant. Uncle Henry had something that looked like a radio strapped on his back which upon investigation proved to be a real old fashioned accordian and he jerked a number of tunes out of his music box quicker than you could say "scat". After a potluck supper the small but jolly company frolicked a while and went home. It is rumored that the way taxes are increasing another year will find people dressed even poorer, and we shouldn't wonder if fig leaves would be in demand.

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Sunday school 11:45
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Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

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Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

In the Sabbath school period, Miss Ruth Steveson will give her report on the work that the Methodist church is doing for the Student body in Kalamazoo which will be very interesting.

Next Wednesday evening there will be a Musical Concert in the church put on by Messrs. Perkins, our musical instructor and DeGreene as reader. They are both widely known and this concert which has been put on in other places has drawn large crowds. You will miss it if you don't hear them. See posters.

Subject for Sunday morning worship will be, "Forsaken" the fourth utterance from the cross, and in the evening will be, "The crisis of the tragedy"

Don't forget Thursday night service in the church. Bible study 7:00 p. m. Epworth choir rehearsal 7:00 p. m. Sr. choir rehearsal 8:30 p. m.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

The pastor will continue the theme "The Life By Which We Live" at the next Sunday morning hour. There will be a special solo for the offeratory and an interesting hour for you all. Let us see you there!

The Sunday school immediately following the preaching service will help you and you will help us by being there. The contest which we started some time ago is still on and will end the last of this month. The interest is still there but we need a few more new members. Won't you come? We extend a cordial invitation to all who have no church home in any other church to worship with us.

There will be choir practice at the home of Frances Young Saturday night at 7:30. Come!

—Custom Hatching done. Mrs. J. B. Pendell. Phone 814. North Adams Mich. 42t3

Death of Mrs. Lillian Bernhardt

Sad news reached North Adams last week Wednesday that Mrs. Lillian Cole Bernhardt of Detroit had passed away at the hospital there at 1:00 p. m. from cancer. She has been ill only a short time as she visited in North Adams quite recently, seemingly in the best of health. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. H. A. Cole, the husband, Henry Bernhardt, one son, Fred Cutler and a married daughter Mrs. Bernhardt was about 55 years of age and had resided in Detroit about 25 years.

Funeral services were conducted from the home 2929 Blaine Avenue Friday, March 20th, and interment was in Detroit cemetery beside her deceased father and daughter. The many friends here extend sincerest condolances to the bereaved family.

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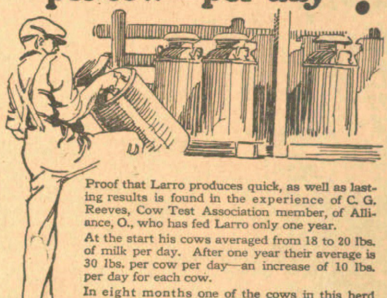

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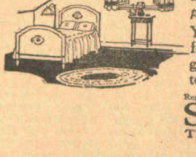

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Obviously the juste milieu ought to be the ideal in everything, but how rarely it is attained! I think that we have gone a step too far in the modern direction, and that health—and, may I add, children—ought not to be sacrificed to an exaggerated curvelessness—if I may use the expression.—Marie, Presse, Vienna.

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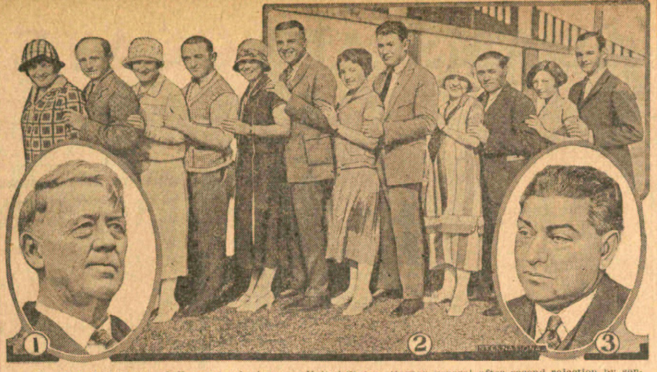

1—John G. Sargent of Vermont, who becomes United States attorney general after second rejection by senate of C. B. Warren. 2—Six New York Giants with their wives at Florida training quarters. 3—William D. Shepherd of Chicago, charged with murder of William N. McClintock by inoculation with typhoid germs.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Tornado Kills 1,000 in Five States—Sargent Made Attorney General.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WHILE spring poets are singing the beauties of Nature and voicing the annual "Call of the Wild," the gods of disaster are in the saddle all over the world.

Tuesday night an explosion—possibly caused by a bomb—wrecked Bethlehem mine No. 41 near Fairmount, W. Va., entombing 34 coal miners, who are presumably dead.

Wednesday Palm Beach, the popular Florida winter resort where thousands of Northerners are sojourning, had a narrow escape from destruction by fire. The famous Breakers hotel was among the buildings destroyed. The loss, including personal property of wealthy visitors, is about $4,000,000.

Wednesday fire in Tokyo, Japan, rendered 20,000 homeless and caused a loss estimated at $2,500,000. Fire in Fouradouro, Portugal, burned out 500 families. Torrential rains inundated Trujillo, the third most important city of Peru; the population abandoned their homes.

But by far the worst disaster is the tornado that swept across a part of the Mississippi valley, exacting a horrifying toll in human lives and property in more than 25 cities and villages in five states.

WEDNESDAY'S tornado disaster is the worst in our history. The tornadoes of February 18, 1884, in the South, May 27, 1896, at St. Louis and vicinity and April 24, 1908, in Mississippi, Louisiana and Alabama, took approximately 500 lives each. This time the death toll may run to 1,000 and the injured may number 3,000. The property loss is incalculable.

The tornado swooped out of the Ozark mountains upon Annapolis, Mo. Thence it cut a ruin path across southern Illinois and divided, one tornado continuing on half way across Indiana and the other turning off into Kentucky and Tennessee. Beginning at 1:30 p. m., it ran its course in six hours. Five communities in Missouri, fifteen in Illinois, five in Indiana and eleven in Kentucky and Tennessee have reported 823 dead and 2,990 injured. The loss was heaviest in Murphysboro, Ill., 210 dead; De Soto, Ill., 118; West Frankfort, Ill., 107; Parrish, Ill., 20; Griffin, Ind., 50, and Princeton, Ind., 20.

All the resources of modern civilization quickly went into relief measures. Chicago and St. Louis broadcast the calamity to millions within reaching distance of the devastated area. National Guards, doctors and nurses; food, fire engines, medical supplies and tents were started by train and automobile without delay. The American Red Cross got into action by wire from Washington. Hospitals were thrown open and emergency preparations made. Relief funds were announced by radio; response by wire was instant from all parts of the country. Illinois will appropriate $500,000.

JOHN GARIBALDI SARGENT'S nomination and confirmation Tuesday as attorney general brought to an end the contest between President Coolidge and the senate over the Executive's selection of Charles B. Warren of Michigan for the place.

Notwithstanding the senate's first rejection of Warren, the President sent back his name Thursday. Saturday, with debate still going, a statement was given out from the White House which in effect was this notice to the senate, "Confirm Warren or I will offer him a recess appointment the moment you adjourn." Conceive, if you can, the outraged dignity of the opposition senators and their fiery determination to protect the senate's constitutional right to "advise and confirm." Anyway, the senate, after an exciting debate Monday, again rejected Warren, this time by a majority of seven votes. Tuesday letters between the President and Warren were made public. The President reiterated his regard and his promise of a recess appointment. Warren expressed his appreciation and declined a recess appointment. Thereupon the President nominated Sargent. Few of the senators had ever heard of him. The senate confirmed the nomination without debate—without even a roll call—and adjourned Wednesday.

Attorney General Sargent is a close friend of the President. He lives at Ludlow, Vt. He is sixty-five years of age, over six feet tall and weighs 250 pounds. He is a Tufts college man. He was attorney general of Vermont from 1908 to 1912.

IS THERE a curse that follows certain fortunes? Is the old saying true that "Murder will out?" Or can murder be made safe? These questions are raised by the sensational "McClintock case" in Chicago.

In 1870 a rich Englishman of title died. His widow married William Hickling. She died at Ottawa, Ill. Her husband and heir married Sarah Gensler. Hickling died. The widow married William McClintock and died. In 1902 McClintock moved to Chicago and married Emma Nelson of Topeka, Kan. April 3, 1903, William Nelson McClintock was born. In 1905 William McClintock was killed by accident and William D. Shepherd and his wife went to live with the widow and her little son. In 1909 Mrs. McClintock died suddenly. She left her son Billy more than a million dollars, with the Shepherds in almost complete control of boy and fortune.

November 23, 1924, Billy fell ill of typhoid fever. December 1, his fiancee, Miss Isabelle Pope, took out a marriage license, but Shepherd prevented a marriage. December 5 Billy died, leaving Shepherd his heir, with instructions to provide for Miss Pope. December 24 Chief Justice Harry Olson of the Chicago Municipal court, whose brother, Dr. Oscar Olson, died suddenly three years ago after a visit from the Shepherds, had Billy's body disinterred for an autopsy. Shepherd cleared himself of suspicions. Judge Olson revived the case.

Today Shepherd and "Dr." Charles C. Faiman are under indictment, charged with the murder of Billy McClintock by inoculation with typhoid germs. Faiman has confessed that he furnished the germs to Shepherd. He himself was to receive $100,000. The indictment raises the possibility of Shepherd's being charged with the death of both Billy's mother and Doctor Olson. A complicated legal contest for the million-dollar estate is presumable, with Shepherd, seven cousins of Billy and Miss Pope as litigants.

MR. ERNST. I wish to know if there be any way under the rules of the senate whereby I can. . . call a fellow member a willful, malicious liar?

It was the senator from Kentucky who said it, last Saturday during debate on the investigation of the internal revenue bureau by the committee of which Couzens of Michigan is chairman and Ernst is a member. Incidentally Ernst had been defending the action of the treasury in making an additional assessment of approximately $11,000,000 against Couzens on his 1919 income tax because of profits on the sale of his Ford stock.

Ernest interrupted Glass of Virginia, who went charging across, demanding that the Kentucky senator "be specific." Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, stepped into the breach. Ernst was made to take his seat, and order was finally restored. Later Ernst was given a chance to withdraw his language and to say that he was referring to Couzens, not Glass. It seems that Ernst had failed to hear Couzens accusing him of being a spy in the committee for the treasury. When he found out about it, he erupted. Borah of Idaho took occasion to say, "It is a pathetic thing, a very pitiable thing, that we have reached a point here in the senate of the United States where we cannot discuss public questions without indulging in personalities."

AMERICA fought the Spanish-American war in 1898, signed the treaty of peace with Spain in 1899 and evacuated Cuba in 1902. All this left in doubt the status of the little Isle of Pines off the Cuban coast. In 1904 the State department made a treaty with Cuba, fixing the island as a Cuban possession. Every president since McKinley has approved that treaty; secretaries of state like Root and Hughes have urged its ratification. Last Friday the senate got around to a vote on it and ratified it, with only 14 opposing votes.

Had the senate come to a vote at any time during all those twenty years of dilly-dallying, the result would presumably have been the same. So slow a performance of an act of good faith has been a grave reproach to the United States. In all probability the senate's neglect to act has been a contributing factor in the lack of Latin American confidence in the justice and good faith of the United States.

ST. PATRICK'S day found Americans of Irish blood in the mood for celebrating and the festivities were nation-wide. The shamrock was much in evidence and the blackthorn conspicuous by absence. President William T. Cosgrave pointed out that the day found the Irish Free State mistress in her own house, with peace established from Malin Head to Cape Clear and from Dublin to Galway. Her people, he said, had begun to realize that disagreement of Irishmen must be settled by methods of civilized and constitutional customs. The Irish nation had never been more confident of the future.

EVIDENTLY the lot of the star of professional baseball is not entirely "hard work and no play." Anyway, the accompanying photograph from the spring training grounds of the New York Giants at Sarasota, Fla., would seem to suggest something to that effect. It shows six happily-married Giants and their wives who see that the sulphur and molasses is taken regularly. The photographer is evidently a married man, since "ladies first" is his motto. From left to right the couples are: Mrs. and Mr. Groh, Mrs. and Mr. Frisch, Mrs. and Mr. Ryan, Mrs. and Mr. Meusel, Mrs. and Mr. Wilson and Mrs. and Mr. Crump. The fan needs no introduction to the first four "Misters"; the last two are "rookies" who may some day astonish the baseball world and draw down even more money than Captain Frisch.

TWENTY-FOUR organizations have held this week in Chicago, the "All Out o' Doors Annual Nature Exhibit." Its purpose is to foster outdoor recreation, and to interest the public in nature study and in the conservation of plant and animal life. "Good Manners Out of Doors" was the subject of general discussion at the annual luncheon.

This exhibit is important. Many varieties of wild flowers are doomed to extinction unless the American people can be educated to mend their ways. Outdoor recreation is being promoted by many thousands of good Americans who see in it the best antidote for the manifold ills of a civilization too strenuous and complex to be sane and safe.

And our out-of-doors manners are unbelievably and increasingly bad. They are so bad, indeed, that unless they are greatly improved property owners in many parts of the scenic West are likely to establish shotgun quarantine and the camping automobile tourists will be herded into auto camps under police regulation.

DEAD as a doornail is apparently the "protocol of arbitration and security" of the League of Nations. Austen Chamberlain announced its rejection by the British government. M. Briand defended it. Doctor Benes of Czecho-Slovakia proposed that it be referred to the next League assembly in September. This was done. It is the capital's belief that President Coolidge will call a second arms conference for next fall in Washington in advance of the League assembly. It seems to be the general opinion that France will accept an invitation to attend, provided the problem of French security has been solved—which is a problem for European nations rather than for the proposed arms conference.

DR. EDWARD BENES, foreign minister of Czecho-Slovakia, Tuesday proposed to Premier Herriot of France the creation of a United States of Europe, divided into two eastern and western groups.

Marquis Curzon of Keddleston, lord president of the council, and British statesman, died Friday aged sixty-six. His first wife was Mary Victoria Leiter of Chicago.

Jacob Gould Schurman, minister to China, was named Tuesday by the President to be ambassador to Germany.

Elderly Men Chosen to Rule University

Oxford, England.—The Twentieth-century fashion of raising young men to high places has as yet found no champions in Oxford. The average age of the present heads of colleges is just under seventy years, despite a number of recent elections.

A master once lived to somewhat over one hundred, and several heads who are now well on in the eighties are ambitious of bettering his record.

The duties of an Oxford college head are neither onerous nor agitating. He personally admits all new undergraduates into his college, invites them to breakfast once a year, and besides that sees very little of them. Heads of colleges are not called upon to teach or to lecture, they do not speak at Rotary club lunches, or indulge in frenzied financing campaigns.

But these men who have so little to do in managing their respective colleges, have everything to do in the administration of the university.

Meeting in solemn conclave, called "convocation," they transact university business, choose proctors and elect one another in turn to the office of vice chancellor, an office filled annually, analogous to the presidency of a great American university.

The headship of a college is a life job. The average age of the present heads at the time of their selection was a little more than fifty years. Older and older men are being selected, most of the recently elected heads having passed sixty years of age.

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Corn Production of Country Falling Off

Corn production in the United States is not keeping pace with the annual increase in population, according to figures released by the United States Department of Agriculture. Total crop production has increased 13 per cent during the last twelve years, but production per capita has decreased about 5 per cent, figures the Agricultural Review.

The mass of crop production in 1924 as measured by an index number is 113 per cent of the average for the five-year period of 1910-14, and in 1923 the figure was 110 per cent. The index of crop production per capita in 1924 is 95 per cent of the average for the five-year period, and in 1923 the index figure was 94 per cent.

There was a decrease of about one-fifth of 1 per cent in acreage of crops from 1923 to 1924, but production in this period increased 1 per cent. The trend of crop production per capita has been lagging since about 1915, with the exception of 1920, the department says.

American Fur Farmers

It is estimated that approximately 12,000 fur farmers are engaged in the production of one or more species of fur-bearing animals in the United States and Alaska. The majority of them, however, are raising silver and blue foxes. The total investment in the business is somewhere between $12,000,000 and $15,000,000.

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Michigan Happenings

The storm which swept Middle West March 18, killing hundreds of persons in Illinois, Missouri and Indiana, delat Michigan a severe blow although reports from the storm area indicated that there had been no loss of life. Michigan's storm center was in the west-central and southwestern sections of the state. Heavy rains early in the evening were followed by a slight drop of temperature which brought a heavy wet snow and this was accompanied after midnight by high winds.

Following a special meeting of the Flint board of education, it was announced yesterday that when the two new junior high schools, the Whittier and Emerson, costing $85,000 and $1,000,000 respectively, are opened next fall, they will not be large enough to hold the pupils whom they were designed to hold. Plans are being considered for the spending of $15,000 for the remodeling of the old Central high school to take care of the overflow.

Physicians were watching with interest the recovery of Mrs. Percy J. Hubbard, 42, of Tecumseh, who is convalescing after an attack of sleeping sickness. Mrs. Hubbard slept continuously for 24 days. Dr. P. B. Hardy reported that Mrs. Hubbard apparently was to escape all the usual after-effects of the strange malady. Her memory of events preceding her illness is slowly returning and she is regaining strength to walk about.

E. D. Weimann was elected for a fifth consecutive term as president of the village of Armada, Macomb county, it was announced at Mt. Clemens. Fewer than 150 votes were cast, with Joseph V. Palmerlee, Weimann's opponent on the Citizen's ticket, receiving 41 votes and Weimann 97. The People's Ticket was likewise successful at New Baltimore where Rudolph was named president.

Percy L. Hudson, a customer in the Epworth boulevard branch of the American State bank at Detroit, frustrated an attempted holdup at the possible cost of his life when he grappled with a bandit who had pressed a pistol against his side. The gunman fired, wounding Hudson in the chest. With his companion, the gunman then fled to his car, making no effort to rob the bank.

Fred T. Miles, of Holland, former Ottawa county prosecuting attorney, who was appointed to prosecute the charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm against Sheriff Delbert Fortney, announced that the charge will be dismissed. No reason for this decision was given. The case was the result of Fortney's fistic attack upon former Mayor E. P. Stephan.

Pontiac hunters killed a good sized timber wolf on the Edsel Ford country estate in White Lake township, Oakland county. Wolf tracks had been noticed in the vicinity of the log cabin that Mr. Ford is building on a knoll on the large estate. With the assistance of dogs, the hunters chased a female wolf to its den and killed it without difficulty.

The Ann Arbor railroad has spent more than $2,000,000 in the last seven years for improvements, according to Owosso officials, in confirming a report that permission has been asked of the Interstate Commerce Commission to issue $1,000,000 six per cent notes, to pay for improvement already made.

Plans are under way by the Bible Holiness Seminary at Owosso to expand the two year junior college course now taught into a full four years course, it is announced by Charles Price, the principal. A building to cost $45,000 is being erected to provide increased facilities.

Charles B. Warren, Edsel B. Ford and Richard P. Joy are listed as the incorporators of the new Bank of Commerce of Springwells, which has filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State. It is capitalized for $100,000.

Driving their automobile into the path of an eastbound Michigan Central flyer, five Dowagiac youths met death and two others were critically injured when the train hurled the machine and its occupants 300 feet down the track.

The Board of Education has voted to sell $200,000 worth of school bonds to a Chicago bond house for the construction of a new school at Port Huron.

One man is dead and another is missing, following a fire that destroyed one of the cottages of the Newberry State hospital at Newberry. The charred body of John Crave, about 40 years old, who was sent to the hospital from Houghton county, was found in the ruins of the building.

Mrs. M. L. Burton, widow of the late president of the University of Michigan, will make Ann Arbor her home, she has announced.

Oakland county supervisors will convene at Pontiac March 27, to conclude the business of buying a site for a proposed county tuberculosis hospital. The hospital will probably be built in Waterford township.

Eight hundred Jackson prison inmates will be employed on the state highways this summer, according to plans announced by State Parole Commissioner Fred E. Janette. At present 200 are so employed in Washtenaw county.

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Born in a pioneer Country in Canada, he came to Michigan when he was six years old and has continuously since been a resident of this state. His father, an itinerant Methodist minister, he found it necessary at an early date to begin to earn his own way in the world, and practically all that has come to him has been the result of strenuous personal effort.

In 1907 he was still some distance from graduation from the University, married, and the head of the school system at Stockbridge, Michigan. Twelve years later, with his college degree, he was Superintendent of Public Instruction of the State of Michigan, a rapid rise and one of the type that appeals to American imagination, for at thirty six he was the youngest State Superintendent of Public Instruction in the United States.

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When Mr. Johnson became a member of the board of auditors the new State Office Building had not yet been constructed, and at that time the state was at the mercy of many landlords in the City of Lansing. One of them insisted that he must have not only an advance in rent but a large payment of back rent or the department housed in his building would be forced to leave—obviously a great inconvenience to the state. The thing did not look right to Tom and he insisted that it was a form of blackmail and should not be paid. When the owner threatened eviction Tom stepped to the telephone, called the State Police and soon had a member of that organization on duty day and night in the office involved. Naturally they were not evicted, neither did they make any payments of back rent.

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Communication From Rev. Frank Bross of Salt Lake City

Rev. Frank Bross of Salt Lake City who is as far as known the only Methodist minister serving as Deputy Sheriff, sent the following letter to his old friend, Rev. M. D. Carrell, at Lynn Haven, Florida and the latter submits it for publication, that people in this vicinity may know something of the life of the writer since going West. Rev. Bross is a brother of Mrs. H. G. Wells of this township and Mrs. Cora Hall of Sar Diego, California

"Salt Lake City, Utah, March 8, 1925. 1076 East Ninth South St.

The Rev. M. D. Carrell, D. D.
Lynn Haven, Florida.

My Dear Brother Carrell:-

It was both a surprise and delight to recieve your good letter of Jan. 31, and I thought I would surely write you that week, but my time is uncertain for other than work. I did not know your whereabouts and was so delighted to hear from you. On the 25th of January I thought of you so much and said to my wife that I would give much to see you, That was the 44th anniversary of the night when I bowed at the altar and surrendered myself to God. You have probably forgotten it, or at least the date, but I cannot. You were conducting the meetings in the M. E. church at North Adams, and Brother Shattuck, of the Congregational church was assisting you. I am glad to know that you have always thought of me as one of your boys, for so I considered myself. Your photograph is framed and hangs in my study, and has for many years. Had I known your location on Jan. 25th, I certainly should have written you. But not knowing I looked at your photograph and thanked God for your Christian influence over my life. The last time I saw you was in 1903 at the Annual Conference in Jackson, Michigan. I had come home to perform the marriage ceremony for Mina. You had previously made provision for me to take the charge at Boyne City Mich. but it seemed that my work was not yet done in the West, though it sometimes seems it would have been far better for me to have come. I had notified my Superintendent that I desired to leave after serving Rawlins, Wyoming for 3½ years and intended to spend a few weeks at the old home before coming to Boyne City. The Superintendent had arranged for a man from Indiana to take my place. But before I left Rawlins, the church at Laramie, the seat of the State University, phoned me to see if I would consider coming there to build a church and parsonage. Laramie was the second largest church in the State and by far the most important one. It seemed an opportunity for me to work with the students, and as they had asked for me the year before and the Superintendent urged me to go, I decided. The altitude was nearly 7200 feet. and I soon commenced to break, though I had a delightful pastorate there. Seven of the professors were members of my board two more taught in our Sunday school and the wives of two others were on the Official Board. This was more than one-half of the professors who were members of any church, also more than half of the students who attended any church services, attended ours.

This compelled me to study hard for sermon preparation, but that was good for me and I grew thereby. The church building program required so much hard work that much of my study had to be at night, which was not good for me, as I could find no time during the day for rest. Having sold the old church and parsonage, we were obliged to worship in a Lutheran church which we rented for two years. But despite those handicaps, our congregations and Sunday school grew, and our membership increased, especially from among the students. We also increased our Benevolences each year despite the heavy pull for Church Building funds. Bishop McCabe and Dr. Iliff dedicated our church which was then the finest one in Wyoming except Cheyenne, which was larger, but the art windows surpassed anything in Wyoming at that time. But the work had been too heavy for me, and after a good Revival in the Spring I arranged to exchange with a brother at St. Marys, Ohio, about 100 miles from Hillsdale. It was a church with 500 members.

It seemed an opportunity for me to enter a good conference at a lower altitude and thus prevent a breakdown. I had arranged to leave on May 1st. stop a short time in Omaha, and then in the old home in Mich. and take my Ohio charge on June 1st 1906. But God seemed otherwise minded, and on the 23rd of April, I broke. I had preached at both services the day before, though I think I had a slight stroke the Friday previous. At first the doctor pronounced it congestion of the brain, then congestion of the spine, but by Wed'y of that week he pronounced it meningitis and they did not think I would live from hour to hour. I rallied by Sunday and dictated a short message to be read at the morning service, but grew much worse that night. On Monday morning during the awful paroxisms of pain I suffered a stroke that left me helpless for several weeks. But God was good to me in answering the prayers of my church, and the home church at North Adams and of other places where I have served Also a faithful wife watched and prayed, and a skillful physician and nurse did all that human skill could do. By August I had sufficiently recovered that, at the suggestion of the doctor, I started on an overland camping trip to the Yellowstone, though I was unable to travel at times. But the outdoor life was beneficial and the freedom from work and responsibility greatly aided in my recovery.

However the break had been so serious that for seven years I was unable to go back into the pastorate. For six years I was sick nearly half of the time, but I ofden preached for others and helped where I could. I did some Institute when able, and worked in similiar lines, I came to Salt Lake on a business trip, and on the day that I was to have returned to Omaha they carried me out of a hotel to a hospital where I lay for five weeks with typhoid pneumonia. In five consultations of the doctors, y gave no hope for my recovery d wired my wife to come from Omaha But I recovered and the typhoid seemed to clear my system so that for seven years I did not have to call a physician. That was 12 years ago this spring, and by fall I had sufficiently recovered that I supplied a charge for four months until the new Pastor could be secured. I then planned to go to California the next fall, but was again asked to fill a charge for 3 or 4 Sundays until a new Pastor could be secured. I did so, but they kept me for three and one half years. My books had been packed for seven years and it seemed good to get back into the regular work. The work was easy, with only one service, at night, and helping in Sunday school in the morning.

Then I was called to the War Y. M. C. A. work as Religious Work Director at Fort Douglass Salt Lake, and later in the spruce work in Southwest Washington. Mrs. Bross went with me and I had charge of seven camps of soldiers, coming in with the last car-load of soldiers from the Spruce. I tarried in Oregon for a year of rest and change, and then was called to a charge in Salt Lake City, the third largest church in the state. I had a delightful pastorate here of three and one half years, during which time I was President of the Union Ministerial Association of the City and called upon for much outside work. But in the meantime, Mrs. Bross was stricken with blood poisoning caused by a pin prick on the right thumb. She was in the hospital nine and one half weeks, developing pleurisy that goes with the disease, and we worked hard to save her life. Her right hand is badly crippled and her health was broken for about two years, but she is spared and in fair health now. As my health began to break, and excessive blood pressure threatened a recurrence of the former sickness, and my wife's health and handicap made it wise to relieve her from the work of the pastorate. I accepted the appointment of State Superintendent of the Anti Saloon League for Utah. It is the only State where we had none and both Mormons and non-Mormons asked for my appointment. But after giving up my charge at Conference time and another man had been selected for that place, the A. S. L. backed out for fear of lack of financial support.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 16th day of March A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, deceased,

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A.D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three succesive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR D. GUERNS
42t3 Judge of Probate

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 16th day of March, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, incompetent,

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed in said court her final adminstration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
42t3 Judge of Probate

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Hillsdale, In Chancery,

Doa Truitt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jane Truitt, Defendant

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Hillsdale in Chancery, at Hillsdale, on the 3rd day of January, 1925.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant Jane Truitt, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Defiance in the state of Ohio, on motion of John F. Stewart, Attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Jane Truitt appear or cause her appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance, that she cause an answer to plaintiffs bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said plaintiffs attorney, within fifteen days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed, by the said non resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days, the said plaintiff, cause a notice of this order to be published in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for her appearance.

John F. Steward, Attorney for Plaintiff — Guy M. Chester. Circuit Judge
Business address, Addison, Mich,
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Frank O. Hancock,
Clerk of the Court.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 26th 1919, executed by John Inthurn and Lena Inthurn, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Wesley B. Shumway, cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway of Waldron, Michigan mortgagee as party of the second part, which said mortgage was on the 11th day of August 1919, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan in Liber 163 of Mortgages, on pages 64, 65. which said mortgage was on the 25th day of August, 1920, duly assigned by said Wesley B. Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds & Shumway, and by said Shumway as cashier of the banking firm of Hubbard, Reynolds Smith & Shumway to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Fisher, Shumway and Company of Waldron which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages at page 336, and which said assignment was recorded in said office of said Register of deeds in Liber 173 of mortgages at page 145, showing such assignment to be to Foster, Fisher, Shumway and Company co-partners doing business as the Farmers and Merchants Bank which said mortgage was again assigned by the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Waldron, Michigan, of Foster, Fisher Shumway and company to Farmers and Merchants Bank, Foster, Fisher and company, a co-partnership, by assignment bearing date November 2, 1920, and which said assignment is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county of Hillsdale in Liber 161 of mortgages, at page 349 which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments of the principal sum and of the interest thereon, in manner and time as provided by said mortgage, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date, and insurance paid by mortgagee in order to protect the buildings on said property as provided by the terms of said mortgage, the sum of $277.65 and also an attorney's fee provided by said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 16th day of March, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, central standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county,) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the insurance paid by the mortgagee and the interest thereon, and and the costs and expenses of said sale and attorney's fee provided by said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wright, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Two acres off the southeast corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section 5, in Township 9 south, range 1 west, more particularly described as commencing at said corner and running west on the quarter section line ten rods and twelve feet, thence north thirty rods. thence east ten rods and twelve feet thence south 30 rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land.

Dated, December 19, 1924.
Farmers & Merchants' Bank
Foster, Fisher & Co., a Co partnership, Assignee for Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, attorney for Assignee
Hudson, Mich. 39t13

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.
J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage assignees, Business Address, Hillsdale, Michigan

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The Power Behind The Savings Dollar

By WILLIAM E. KNOX
President American Bankers Association

A recent compilation made by the Savings Bank Division of the American Bankers Association showed that in the six years since the war our total savings deposits have risen from $11,600,000,000 to nearly $21,000,000,000, an increase of some $9,400,000,000. The total number of savings depositors is reported at about 38,900,000.

William E. Knox

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These tremendous savings figures indicate sound habits of thought and practice on the part of millions of people in their personal economic affairs. This is an asset of no small value in appraising our present business outlook. It is, in fact, one of the most promising elements in the situation today. It means that we not only have the resources for prosperity, but also enough common sense to make good use of them.

FORCING LOWER TAXES

Gerard B. Winston, Undersecretary of the Treasury in the American Bankers Association Journal says, "The burden of taxes must be lightened. Per capita Federal taxes rose from $32 in 1918 to $54 in 1920; then commenced to drop, and have been successively $45, $32, $28, $29 in the last four fiscal years. It is estimated that for the next fiscal year the figure will be about $27. With the states and municipalities the opposite tendency is disclosed. In 1918 their per capita tax was something over $20. In the next four years it rose to $27, $30, $36, $38, and later figures will undoubtedly show further increases."

He says of excessive death taxes that "examples have been cited of how the states and Federal government, under existing laws, can take more than 100 per cent of an estate. If Federal and state governments take more than the particular source of taxation can stand, it will ultimately destroy all revenue from that source. After a man has provided for the reasonable requirements of living, the impetus to further production is largely the desire to leave one's family well provided for. So long as the individual feels that he can pay the tax and still leave an estate to his family, he will increase his efforts; but a man will not seek to build up a large fortune just to have it taken away from his family at his death."

STORE CREDIT COSTS 26 PER CENT

In a survey of 800 farms made by the North Carolina Experiment Station, it was found that over 40 per cent of the total credit needs for the farmer is for short term loans, either through the bank or through merchant advances. Only one-sixth of this amount comes from banks and the rest from stores or landlords. For store credit farmers are paying over 26 per cent interest, and only a little better than half of the farmers realized this fact. The bank rate of interest at the same time was only a trifle above 6 per cent. Practically all merchants would be delighted to go over to a cash basis.

The remedy lies in the production of more food and feed and in the discontinuance of shipping in hay and grain with their attendant high freight rates and dealers' profits. This means the establishment of better working relations between bankers and farmers, for there is great opportunity for educating the farmer along the line of bank credit.—*Banker-Farmer.*

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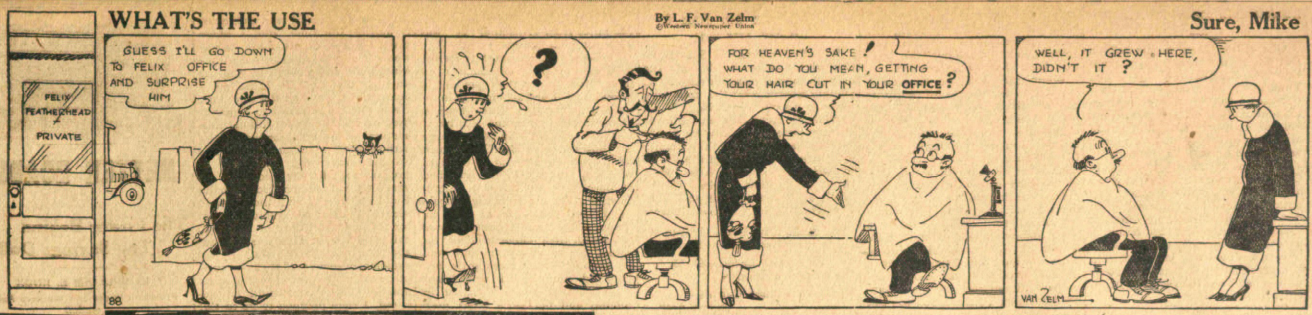
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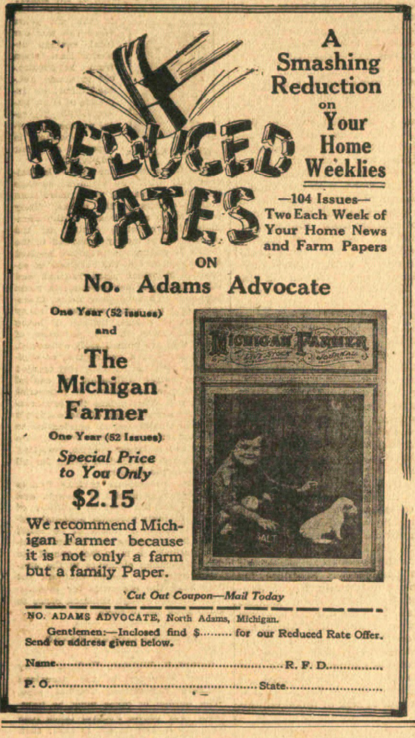
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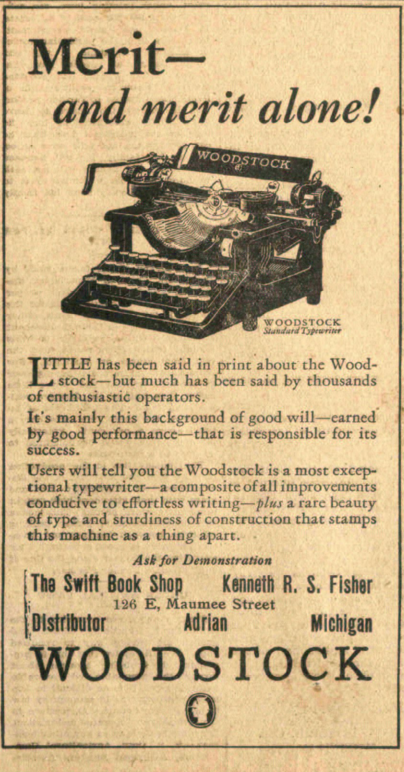
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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

The Practice Of Citizenship

(Continued from last week)

There are many evils in society that can be greatly reduced if not wholly cured, by state action. By good laws, well enforced, we can prevent the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages; we can close up immoral disticts and reduce the social evil; we an close up gambling places and keep out filthy shows. It is the business of all right thinking people to maintain a warfare against all social evils. And yet, in every community a mass of evil exists, unopposed and unafraid, because no one has voiced any protest or organized any opposition. Wendell Phillips said one day "Place a hound in the path of a deer, and he will fly at its throat." May we not say, "Place a Christian in the presence of an evil, and he will spring at its heart It is the business of Christians to maintain an eternal warfare against everything that is evil and hurtful. They must never accept an evil as necessary. They must never allow any evil to remain undisturbed. They must never permit such things as saloons, slums, immoral houses, graft, or vote buying to become lawful and accepted institutions in their community. All this means struggle, opposition, trouble, cross-bearing. But then what is the Christian here for if not to oppose evil and destroy the works of the devil?

The good citizen respects and obeys law. It is axiomatic that every one should be law-abiding. He should respect the law and uphold it to the extent of his ability. Secretary Hughes said during his service as Governor of New York state, "The law-abiding citizen is he who obeys all laws, even those that affect him and which he may not like."

Laws have been made for the benefit of the people at large and therefore enter into the variety of human relationships. They are intended to curb questionable activities of some and to protect the rights of all and assist in the production of the best kind of community life. Without laws—a condition really inconceivable—there would be reversion to caveman life; there would be confusion and chaos and life would not be worth living. Laws are absolutely essential if we are to enjoy life at all.

The good citizen should take the ground that laws enacted are to be enforced. It is dangerous to permit any other point of view. The enforcement will show the character of the law, and we can commend the word of many magistrates, who, although not in sympathy with the prohibition law, declare that so long as it is on the books they intend to enforce it. It is bad practice to permit any law to become a dead letter. Better indeed have it enforced and proved to be obnoxious and then repealed, than to have it remain on the statutes of no effect.

He should do all within his power to assist those who have to administer and enforce the law. He can give them assistance by word of commendation, by assurance of co-operation, and by actively engaging in doing what he can within certain limits to see that the laws are enforced and that the officers of the law are doing their duty. It is stated that in the city of Rochester, New York, the religious forces have combined in the appointment of a committee of twenty five which has brought actual evidence of law violation before the grand jury. A co-operation of this character counts. And in line with this we should endeavor to have our magistrates impose jail sentences instead of fines. Every one of us should be eager to assist in every way the enforcement of law by being law-abiding himself, and by doing all he can to see that laws are properly enforced by those in authority.

The good citizen endeavors to promote justice in the state. Justice is one of the great words of Scripture. The Master pronounced a blessing upon those who "hunger and thirst after justice." The Son of Man, because he "loved justice and hated iniquity," is "accepted of God and anointed with the oil of gladness above his fellows." Men are to be just themselves, and to seek after justice in the world. In every way possible they must seek for justice in the state. For the state is the agency in which all people can co-operate in their search after justice.

Justice signifies rightness, equity fairness, square dealing; to be just is to hold the balances even, to ask no more than one's fair share; to give to each his due, to treat others as one wants others to treat him.

Men with the ideals of justice must testify against all injustice, must withstand every wrong wherever they find it, must oppose every falsehood without fear or favor, must seek to ensure to each man his due. This means that the men of good will must make a collective effort to establish justice as the daily practice of the commercial world and to build up in the earth a just and Christian Industrial Order. That is, they must seek to secure for all men the conditions of a fair and human life in society; they must see that gains received and privileges enjoyed bear some proportion to service rendered and obligations fulfilled; they must put their faith and conscience in pledge in behalf of a just and Christian social order; and they must strive together to establish justice as the supreme law and the daily practice of all men in the relations of their lives.

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One more thought should be added to the foregoing comment. Advocates of public ownership have been attempting to show that state or government development of electric utilities is necessary to give the people service. No more misleading or erroneous statement could be made. So called super power projects, which are glibly talked about by politicians are mere word phrases to catch the public fancy.

Long transmission lines stretching for hundreds of miles to small towns and farms far distant from the source of power, would be a fact today and in common use if private utilities had not perfected so called "super power systems" through interconnection of transmission line resources and development of great hydro electric and steam plants, long before the politicians ever invented the words "super power."

It is only fair to give the industry credit for what it has done and not allow the political advocates of government ownership of industry to misrepresent or minimize results which have already been accomplished.

What Became of J. Wilkes Booth?

There is scarcely a man woman or child in this country even to the most isolated cross roads, who has not heard of J. Wilkes Booth the notorious assassin of Abraham Lincoln in the days of the Civil War and it is even with feelings of horror and regret that we speak of this man whose crime and subsequent death electrified the world. Sometime ago the representatives of the Dearborn Independent Henry Ford's paper, were investigating the many rumors concerning the disposal of Lincoln's murderer and among other matters they were offered for the sum of one thousand dollars the mummified body of a man claimed to be J. Wilkes Booth A citizen of Tennessee owned the gruesome relic and he of course had its pedigree right up to the minute from the time Abraham Lincoln was shot. But so far as known all these rumors and claims concerning Booth are pure bunk, as history never lies, and the unmistakable and insurmountable evidence remains that J. Wilkes Booth after escaping from the theater in Washington, bent his course southward accompanied by confederates ninety miles below Washington. Here the Yankee troops cornered him in a barn and whatever may be said of him he certainly was a brave man for he fought the soldiers off and stood off a whole squad Finally unable to dislodge their quarry, they set fire to the building and while it was burning Sergeant Corbett, armed with a big navy revolver discovered the culprit and through a crack in the siding took careful aim and shot Booth but did not instantly kill him. Being disabled Booth was carried out only to expire in a few moments. Thus ended the career of one of the most famous murderers of modern times.

While it is by no means certain what became of Booth's body to this day, yet there died in Indiana a few weeks ago an army officer who claimed he was in the Government secret service at the time and that in pursuance of strict orders from the war derartment he assisted in the burial of Booth's body beneath the stone basement floor of a warehouse in one of the cities of the middle states, and that he had been instructed to keep the place a secret, and thought that just before death after a lapse of 60 years there could be no harm in disclosing the place of burial. He testified that the body was immersed in quicklime and no doubt soon disintegrated.

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Alabama—Ten Lines Operating

The farm electrification study which is being made in Alabama is particularly extensive. The ten experimental transmission lines established to serve farmers are scattered all over the state and embrace all types of farming. Co-operation from the farmers has been readily obtained; in fact, the principal trouble has been to keep up with the farmers, who are reported to be anxious for electric service and pleased with the results.

Cotton raising, dairying, poultry raising, truck farming, general farming and small gardens are all represented in this farm electrification study. The number of farms on the different lines varies from two or three to as many as eighty in the more suburban communities.

A special investigation is going on at the Agricultural Experiment Station of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute as to the use of electricity in dishwashing, refrigeration, poultry raising, household work, fire-fighting, water-heating, hay-curing, sweet potato curing, tractor work and farm shop work.

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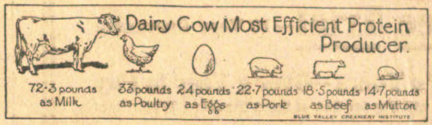
SURVEY SHOWS DRUDGERY OF MANY FARM CHORES

Conditions which electric service on American farms can be expected to abolish, or at least to reduce, are reflected in a survey recently made in four counties of central South Dakota by home demonstration agents of the State College Extension Bureau.

This survey revealed that a farmer's wife works fifteen hours a day in the summer and twelve hours a day in the winter. On 61 per cent of the farms covered in the survey, water was carried to the kitchen by hand On 87 per cent there were outdoor toilets. Oil lamps were the lighting system on 83 per cent. Only nine bath tubs were found on these farms And 88 per cent of the farmers had automobiles.

Dairy Cow Best Food Factory



THE cow is the most economical food factory in the animal kingdom. The hen, the hog, the beef steer, and the sheep cannot compete with her, according to the Blue Valley Creamery institute, basing their estimate upon the percentage of digestible protein produced by each from an acre of land.

Digestible animal proteins are the high quality protein of the human diet, the institute points out. These proteins are the determining factor in the trend of greatest economy of food production. With the annual increase in population the animal protein supply must be increased accordingly if future millions are to be properly nourished. To provide for this increasing need will be the work of the cow, the sow, and the hen, the three farm animals excelling in the production of digestible proteins.

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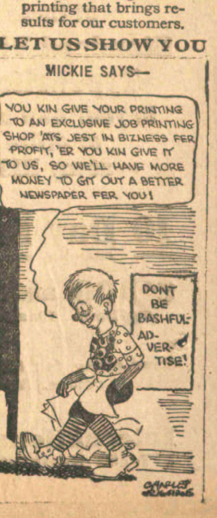
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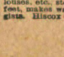

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CHAPTER VII—Continued

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As it fell, the other leaped at her as if strung upon wires. Joan saw, very dimly, the face of Mrs. Dana. She was in her nightdress, with her feet bare, and the ferocity of her attack seemed atrocious in contrast with the expressionless, masklike features. Only the eyes seemed alive, and they burned with implacable hatred, as if they meditated revenge for all the accumulation of a life's wrongs.

The woman bore Joan backward. The lamp fell crashing to the floor in a debacle of splintered glass. A chair was overturned. Mrs. Dana's hands sought Joan's throat, and they struggled in the darkness, crashing here and there, upsetting the water pitcher, smashing into the swinging door. Underneath her Joan heard Mrs. Fraser moving, and doors opening. There were steps on the stairs.

For a few moments Joan felt no match for the onset of the madwoman. But Mrs. Dana's impulse was soon exhausted. Joan got her arms about her body, pressing down the other's arms to her sides. Mrs. Dana suddenly became passive, and the lights in the eyes seemed to go out like extinguished candles as the brain clouded. Joan got the woman into the corridor. At the farther end a little lamp was burning.

Mrs. Dana went with her quietly, walking like a mechanical figure. At the head of the stairs appeared the matron, wearing a white wrapper. Behind her Joan saw the startled faces of Myers and Lancaster.

The girl led Mrs. Dana into her room, and Mrs. Fraser came at her heels, breathing hard in terror.

"Did she hurt you?" she gasped. "How did she get out? Who let her out? I should have told you she was dangerous, but I never dreamed that she could pick that lock. Did she—did she *try* to harm you?"

"She had a piece of glass," said Joan, "but I took it away from her."

"There was no glass in her room last evening," said the matron with conviction.

Lancaster was approaching. Joan was astounded to see the look of anger on his face. "Who opened that door?" he shouted.

"It's all right now, Doctor Lancaster," came the matron's voice from within.

But Lancaster was shaking with excitement. He swung round upon Myers.

"You are responsible for this!" he cried. "You know my one point that has to be carried out. I told you to have a bolt put on the door after she got out before."

"Now, now, doctor, don't excite yourself," said the secretary soothingly. "You're a sick man, you know. It was unfortunate, but I'll see it doesn't happen again."

Lancaster seemed beside himself with fury, far more angry, indeed, than the situation appeared to warrant.

"She might have killed Miss Wentworth!" he stormed. "I've stood enough from you without this. I've suffered you, God knows, until you've sapped my strength and crushed me under your feet, and made me less of a man than the meanest drunkard in Millville, but now it's ended. Get out of my sight! Leave the institute tomorrow!"

"Say," shouted Myers, "am I responsible if that woman got out of her room? What's the sense of picking on me? Didn't you hire a nurse to take care of your patients. Ain't Mrs. Dana a patient? Now there's been enough said, I reckon. You know what I mean, doctor. Better go back to your room and forget what you've said tonight."

"If ever I see your face after tonight, by G—d I'll kill you!" shouted Lancaster.

Myers slunk away toward the stairs. "O, all right, all right," he answered. "I reckon you'll be sorry tomorrow. But I'll hold you to what you've said. I ain't going to see that nurse bust up my work here."

He scowled fearfully at Joan as he went down the stairs, a grotesque, almost deformed figure in his loose pajamas. But Joan hardly heeded the man. She did not know the cause of Lancaster's sudden outbreak of rage, but she knew that it was part of the whole dreadful problem, and that, in fighting Lancaster's driving devil, she was at work upon the darkest corner of the dark mystery.

"I think, Doctor Lancaster, you had better go and lie down again," she said. "No harm has been done, but I am very sorry you were awakened."

He was leaning against the wall, looking at her with a strange expression upon his face. He breathed quickly, like a man in uncontrollable agitation. Just then the matron came out of Mrs. Dana's room.

"How did it happen, Mrs. Fraser?" asked Lancaster.

The matron snapped the key in the lock before answering. "I don't know, Doctor Lancaster," she answered. "The lock's all right. It couldn't have been picked. And I swear I locked it last night. Somebody must have let her out."

"That hound—!" began Lancaster, but Joan interposed. "She may have found a key," she said.

The matron shook her head. "No key would fit that lock, except the right one," she answered.

"Why should anyone tamper with that lock?" Lancaster muttered. Suddenly he broke down and covered his face with his hands. His shoulders shook convulsively. Joan put her hand on his arm.

"Doctor Lancaster, you must go back to your room now," she said. "It was nothing, and it is all ended."

"Miss Wentworth, if you will stay with me till six it will help me to master myself. It is not the wear of yielding to morphine; it is my thoughts. If you knew how one's life comes crowding upon one in the darkness—"

"I'll stay with you," said Joan.

"Let us wait on the veranda," said Lancaster. "The air is stifling in this house. Put on a wrap and I will wait for you there."

Joan ran upstairs and slipped on her cloak. When she got back Lancaster had not moved from the door. The secretary was packing noisily in his room.

They went outside together, closing the front door behind them, as if to shut in the evil influences in the place. There was a hint of morning in the air, in its freshness, in the paling of the night above the eastern mountains.

Lancaster led the way toward the chairs at the end of the veranda and wiped the dew from them with his handkerchief.

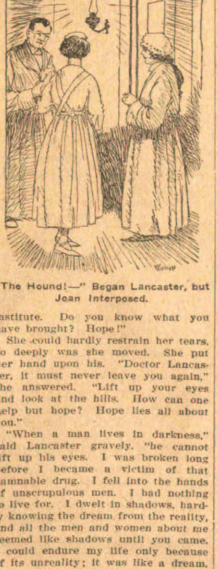
"When you came here," he said, as they sat down, "when on the impulse I asked you to come here, I did not dream that my impulse was the prompting of my good angel."

"You said I was your good angel," said Joan lightly.

"It was more than chance," said Lancaster seriously. "It was the happiest thing that has ever come to me."

"Doctor Lancaster, I am only too glad to have had the opportunity of being of service. It is what every nurse would have wished."

"No," he corrected her. "You have brought more than service into the institute. Do you know what you have brought? Hope!"



"The Hound!—" Began Lancaster, but Joan Interposed.

She could hardly restrain her tears, so deeply was she moved. She put her hand upon his. "Doctor Lancaster, it must never leave you again," she answered. "Lift up your eyes and look at the hills. How can one help but hope? Hope lies all about you."

"When a man lives in darkness," said Lancaster gravely, "he cannot lift up his eyes. I was broken long before I became a victim of that damnable drug. I fell into the hands of unscrupulous men. I had nothing to live for. I dwelt in shadows, hardly knowing the dream from the reality, and all the men and women about me seemed like shadows until you came. I could endure my life only because of its unreality; it was like a dream, a nightmare, which, I knew, could not last forever."

She did not answer, and he remained silent for a long time. It began to lighten. Streaks of saffron appeared against the tops of the hills. A bird awoke and called; another answered her.

"But this is hope," said Lancaster, taking Joan's hand. "You have brought it to me, and I am never going to lose it again. I am going to win my fight against the drug, and then I am going to regain all else that I have lost."

He seemed upon the verge of a revelation, but he said no more. And now the day was dawning.

"You have made a splendid fight, Doctor Lancaster," she said. "Now you shall have your hypodermic."

He rose up eagerly, and she could see the terrific strain that he was undergoing in the trembling of his limbs, the eager look in his eyes. They went back into the house. A light still burned in the secretary's room but no sound came from it. At the door of Lancaster's room he stopped.

"Miss Wentworth," he said, "I have something to say, and something to promise. I am not going to take that dose. Tonight, perhaps, but not now. If I take it and free my body from its suffering, I lose my soul again. I lose that hope which you have given me. And—I want to give you this."

He handed her a little bottle of morphine, three-quarters full.

"It is the bottle which you took from the drawer of my desk yesterday," he said. "I stole it from your pocket when you leaned over me last night, when you told me I was winning. I was a thief—but I am a penitent thief, and I restore it intact."

"No, Doctor Lancaster," answered the girl, smiling as she took the bottle from him. "That has no bearing upon your character; it was a symptom of your disease."

"Well, I didn't take any," said Lancaster, with the transient flash of humor lighting up his face. "I had the hardest conceivable battle over that bottle. I set it up before me, and I held my right hand back with my left, and I said, 'I am winning, in Joan Wentworth's name.' And at last the drug devil was beaten. And no more morphine until tonight."

"Doctor Lancaster, you have been brave and wonderful!" cried Joan, profoundly stirred. "Remember that! One of the bravest men I have ever known. Never tell me again that you have lost your power of will. We are winning fast."

He placed his hands upon her shoulders and stood looking at her. Upon his face was an expression of indulgence, as if he was considering her enthusiasm in the light of his experience of life, so much deeper than hers, so much the more profound. Then the look passed; the years seemed to fall from him, and strength came into his face.

"God bless you, my dear," he said, and bent and kissed her forehead.

She turned and ran upstairs. Her heart was singing in her breast. The flood of sunlight that came through the eastern windows, illuminating the dusty interior of the old building, seemed like a spiritual light, flaming into this dark place where shadows had dwelt so long. She went into her room and dressed for the day. She had never felt so happy before. And now the life in Avonmouth had become as dim as a dream, and she cared no longer whether she returned or not. A charge had been granted to her, a man's life put into her keeping; that trust she meant to fulfill.

She had saved Lancaster, and she would outwit Myers, and remove the only obstacle to Lancaster's recovery. She knew the man incited the doctor to drug himself. She would have known that even without the matron's statement to her. But why should Myers wish Lancaster to drug himself to death?

He must be acting for others. Whom? No matter. Once the drug evil was overcome, the plot would be revealed and overthrown.

As she stood at her window Joan heard footsteps on the path below. Looking down, she saw the secretary leaving the house, carrying a suitcase. Her heart almost stood still. Surely Myers had not acknowledged defeat and taken Lancaster at his word? Surely he did not mean to go without another struggle?

She watched him cross the grass beside the chicken coop to where the weed-grown path joined the winding road. He was outside the grounds of the institute now, and he was still going in the direction of the station. He disappeared behind the hedges, appeared again, a long way off, and vanished finally. He was gone, and the air seemed the sweeter, the day more glorious.

Joan almost danced downstairs to the dining room. Lancaster was at the table, waiting for her.

"Mr. Myers has gone away!" she cried. "Doctor Lancaster, your evil spirit has departed, suitcase and all."

Lancaster looked at her gravely. "I know," he said.

"Did he come to you? Did you discharge him?"

"He did not come to me. He did not tell the matron he was going. It looks bad."

"No," said Joan firmly, struggling against her conviction. "He was afraid. You will never see him again."

"You know what the Bible says about the unclean spirit who leaves a man, and returns with seven others, when he finds his home swept and garnished?"

"Doctor Lancaster, he has no hold on you. He can do nothing, and he will never dare to return."

"Well, my dear, we have a respite, at all events," Lancaster answered. "So let us eat our breakfast, and afterward I'll take you for a ramble through the woods, and we'll hold the fort together until evening."

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Primrose Day Memorial to English Statesman

England's "Primrose day" is a tribute to the memory of Lord Beaconsfield. The primrose was his favorite flower. The story is that when he was a young man he made a bet of a pair of gloves with a lady respecting a wreath of yellow blossoms, the point in dispute being whether they were real or artificial. Disraeli stated that they were real and won the bet. The lady thereupon presented him with one of the primroses and Disraeli, with the impetuous gallantry of youth, vowed that he would treasure the flower and adopt it as his badge. "Primrose day" was founded in 1882. Next year it was determined that an annual festival should be inaugurated. Curiously enough, the primrose has for centuries been esteemed an unlucky flower among the English country folk. Shakespeare alludes to the superstition; and to this day in East Anglia, as well as throughout the western counties, it is esteemed disastrous to take a single primrose into a farmhouse. Serious loss among chickens, lambs and calves will, it is averred, inevitably result.

Not to let one hand know what the other does is good Christianity but poor "bridge."—Boston Transcript

POULTRY

PURE BRED POULTRY MOST PROFITABLE

It is often said that pure bred flocks are more profitable than mongrels and there is every reason to believe that they are; but there is one provision that must be taken into consideration; namely, pure bred poultry must be better cared for than are mongrels. Those who do not intend to care for pure breds properly should stick to mongrels, but given care and attention pure breds will repay doubly for it as compared with the mongrels.

There are reasons, says D. H. Hall, extension poultry husbandman of Clemson college.

Pure bred poultry will produce a uniform product, and will bring a higher price. The eggs from pure breds are uniform in size, shape and color. When eggs from pure breds do vary the variation is considerably less than from mongrels.

Pure breds are faster growers and when grown produce a more uniform flock. There is not a better advertisement for a farm than a flock of pure bred chickens. They will attract more attention than any other form of live stock.

Pure breds will also lay more eggs if properly handled. This has been proved beyond all doubt by various experiment stations.

Pure bred poultry is also more economical with feed consumption. They lay more eggs, hence they pay more for their feed and give a higher profit.

Pure bred stock and eggs can be sold for breeding purposes. This will be a good source of income for the pure bred breeder. Mongrels and mongrel eggs can be sold only for market prices.

Pure breds can be exhibited in poultry shows and thus compete for prizes. There is nothing like a blue ribbon from a poultry show. Mongrels cannot be placed in a show for prizes.

Pure breds will create interest in poultry. Who is the enthusiast about poultry in any community? Why, the farmer with the pure bred, of course. Why are you not enthusiastic about your poultry? If you have mongrels that may be the reason. Get pure breds and be proud of them.

Dubbing Used to Avoid Injury to Hen's Comb

Dubbing to prevent freezing and suffering due to frozen combs has been practiced very successfully in the Purdue university poultry flocks. Freezing results in much suffering of the birds and consequently loss in fertility of eggs and hatching results. Dubbing is not new but a remedy breeders of fighting birds have always practiced to prevent injuring of combs and to conserve vigor of the males.

The operation is extremely simple and a sharp razor is used first to cut off the wattles and later to remove the comb starting at the front end. The wattles are cut quite close and the comb reasonably close to the head. The blood will flow freely but if a body fluff feather is held over cut part of the comb coagulation will soon take place and the bleeding cease. Seldom do the birds suffer from the operation and free bleeding should cause no worry. A treated bird should not be placed in an extremely cold room until the wound has healed nor should they be placed together.

It is well not to practice the operation until after the birds have been selected for the breeding pen in order to permit normal appearance of the head to be a guide in making selections.

Hen's Drinking Water

Preparations advertised as being effective in ridding hens of lice simply by placing the preparation in the drinking water or in the feed are not generally to be recommended for this purpose. Such material in the drinking water will cause the hens to drink only a limited amount of water and, as a consequence, egg production will be reduced, advises J. H. McAdams, extension poultryman, Kansas State Agricultural college.

The sure method for killing lice at this time of year is to dust the hens thoroughly with sodium fluoride, using the pinch method. Or blue ointment may be used, mixed half and half with vaseline and applying a circle of the ointment around the vent, says McAdams.

Use Well-Shaped Eggs

In selecting eggs to place in an incubator only average-sized well-shaped eggs should be used, as extremely large or small eggs, or eggs that do not conform to normal shape, will hatch a low percentage of chicks of irregular size. Do not delay the starting of the incubator for the first hatching beyond April 1, as the possibilities for profit are much greater with early-hatched chicks than with later ones. The early pullets are the ones that will be fall and winter layers.

For Setting a Hen

For a sitting hen choose one of medium weight such as are found in the American or English breeds. Make the nest at least six inches deep and sixteen inches square. For a nesting material choose something like oat straw, wheat straw, or hay. Make the nest so that the eggs will roll apart readily when the hen steps upon them, but not so flat but that they will roll together of their own accord when the hen leaves the nest. Choose a cool place, set from 11 to 15 eggs.

Better Feeding Helps

There is a tendency for the farmer to neglect his flock after the flush season. Just why people will not continually give their chickens good care is difficult to understand. Spasmodic care will never produce satisfactory results. The best practice is to feed the birds liberally and well all the time. Unless this is done cull chickens will be as plentiful as cull poultrymen. The important feature is to feed poultry mash containing tankage or meat scrap.

HOW TWO WOMEN AVOIDED OPERATIONS

The Following Letters of Mrs. Thurston and Mrs. Beard Carry an Encouraging Message to Other Sick Women

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Lima, Ohio.—"I want to tell you how your medicine has helped me. For weeks I suffered with awful pains from inflammation and I was in such misery that I had to bend double to get relief. I could not be touched or jarred, had awful pain all over my abdomen and could not touch my feet to the floor. It was impossible for me to straighten up and the pains never ceased. I took treatments for some time and finally was told I would have to have an operation. I do not believe in operations, and I had read so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I told my husband I would try it before I gave up. I soon began to feel that it was doing me good. The awful misery began to leave me, also the backache. I have a good appetite and am gaining in weight. Taking the medicine was the best thing I ever did. I feel like it has saved my life and I do not hesitate to say so to my friends. At least it saved me from a dreaded operation and I am still taking it. I am willing to answer letters from women asking about the medicine."—Mrs. Ethel Thurston, 324 North Pine Street, Lima, Ohio.

Mrs. Beard's Letter

Eddy, Texas.—"I will write you a few words, thinking it will do some one else good. Two doctors said I would have to be operated on because for nearly twelve months I suffered from a weakness from which I could get no relief. I was restless and nervous and was not able to walk across the house. They said it was the Change of Life. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers, and as I could not get any help from doctors I thought I would give that a trial. I began with the liquid and it helped me some, then you advised me to take the tablet form and I began to improve rapidly. I have gained in weight from 105 to 170 pounds. I recommend it to all women with this trouble."—Mrs. M. E. Beard, R. No. 1, Box 143, Eddy, Texas.

Something Worth While

"Do you know that that wretched puppy of yours has broken through the fence and destroyed my dahlias?"

"Well, there's nothing very remarkable about that. If your dahlias had broken through the fence and destroyed my puppy, the matter would be worth discussing."

Smoothing It Over

"I wonder what Robert is going to bring me tonight?"

"This your birthday or something?"

"No—but we had a row this morning."—Ruy Blas, Paris.

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Mrs. Oldwed—Boys. My daughters sneak my cigarettes!—The Progressive Grocer.

Confidence

Barber—Your hair is very harsh and dry, sir.

Voice-Culture Expert—So is your voice; but I didn't like to mention it.—Sydney Bulletin.

Wrong

"I argued with the cop, and—"

"No you didn't. It isn't done. You mean you argued at the cop."

The tomb of Pharaoh Shepseskaf, the last of the kings of the Fourth Egyptian dynasty, has been discovered.

Rather Queer, Indeed

Teacher (at blackboard with back toward pupils, suddenly exclaims)—"How dare you laugh right in my face when I have my back turned on you?"

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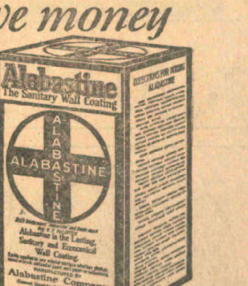
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Central Moscow

John Crapser is spending a few days at Mosherville at C. Edwards.

Eltha Leatherman visited her aunt, Mrs. Orson Crapser, Tuesday.

John Adams and wife were callers at Chas. Kies Sunday evening.

Mrs. Hattie Kies has been quite sick with the flu but is some better at this writing.

Charles Leatherman and wife were callers at Parker Shepard's Monday evening.

John Adams and wife were callers at Orson Crapser's Wednesday last to see Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. George Brayton entertained friends Sunday to help celebrate her husband's birthday.

Allen Kies and wife of Jackson visited his parents, Chas. Kies and wife Sunday, also Mrs. Henry McGee.

Bernie Brail, wife and daughter Eva, of Pulaski visited their aunt, Mrs. John Adams Sunday. R. Gooding wife and little daughter, Darlene, of Albion were also callers.

Town Line

Gurn Baker had a very sick cow but it is improving.

Ray Fast wife and children ate Sunday dinner at Forrest Fry's.

Elmer Fuller is stopping at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. H. Jennings.

Zerl Horton and wife of Blissfield were guests Tuesday evening at the parental home.

Mesdames Culbert, Jennings and Giddings attended Womans Congress in Hillsdale Wednesday afternoon.

Don Wheeler of Battle Creek has been spending a few days at the home of C. H. Jennings, helping in the sugar bush.

Eugene Culbert and wife visited George Combs at North Adams Sunday afternoon and were callers at Darwin Carney's in the evening.

The roads are in very good condition north and south of the Veile school house. Sure it is much appreciated. Mr. Turnley of Jerome has done some good work.

Elmer Fuller and daughter attended funeral services of Miss Ruth Williams at Vandercook Lake Jackson county, Saturday. She was the grand-daughter of William Morehouse, well known to North Adams people.

Jerome

I. W. Wertenberger and family were in Jackson Saturday.

Merl Morehead and wife were in Hillsdale and Jackson Saturday.

Harley Voorhees spent Sunday with Grant Struble and family.

Ira Wertenberger and family spent Sunday in Addison at the home of Wayne Gray and family.

W. W. Ostrom, Robert Frantz, C. W. McGregor have been selected as members of the advisory council of the Boy Scouts soon to organize here.

John Foltz and family have moved to the Eugene Baker farm while H. McClanahan and family have moved into the Sawdey house vacated by Foltz. Eugene Baker and wife expect to move into the Seeley house while Earl Baker will return from Wayne to occupy his home here.

Rev. Gallimore and Cheng Su of Albion college discussed "International Brotherhood at the M. E. church Sunday. We hope that Mr. Su will meet with success in his efforts in America but then one is led to reflect upon the experience of Prof. Kiang, an eminent chinaman who was brought from the University of Pekin to teach Chinese literature in the University of California. Now it happened that Prof. Kiang was neither a Republican nor a Democrat but a Socialist instead and when the University discovered the dreadful fact, Prof. Kiang lost his position. Naturally the university didn't care for Socialists because Socials are against the profiteers who profit exceedingly in time of war and in addition the Socialists sometimes indulge in a little muck raking when other types of profiteers are concerned. One of the bosses of California University is Mr. Fleishhacker, the biggest banker in San Francisco. Mr. Fleishhacker hires men to catch codfish for $5 per ton and then turns around and sells the fish for $160 per ton, which is some profit. Another university boss is Guy Earl, vice president of two power companies and two electric companies. Another boss is Mr. Cochran, president of an insurance company, director in Fleishhacker bank and a director in several other large industrial organizations. California is surely beneath the iron heel of the money power.

East Hoxie

Mrs. Mary Rickard is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Kate Beecher.

O. G. Rickard and wife of Hudson were callers of his mother Mary Rickard Sunday.

L. O. Spratt and family were callers at Forest Fry's and the Hudson home Sunday.

Chas Kiel and family of Adrian spent Sunday with his parents J. G. Kiel and family.

Floyd Smith and wife of Detroit visited his parents Will Smith and wife over Sunday.

Born to Clyde Kiel and wife Monday March 23 an 8½ pound girl to be known as Leona May.

Mrs. Harry Hayhoe is at Hanover for a few days caring for her brother who is very ill.

A surprise party was given Mrs. C. R. Cox last Wednesday by her neighbors. A bounteous potluck dinner was served and she received many useful gifts.

Center Adams

Dr. and Mrs. Teeter of Toledo spent Sunday with Will Keith and family.

Adams Grange entertains Pomona Grange at their hall on Wednesday April 1st.

Claribel Chase spent Sunday at North Adams with her aunt Mrs. Sarah Stott.

J. I. Post and wife were at Frontier Sunday visiting at the Carl Vincent home.

George Coryell of North Adams visited his brother Marion and family Thursday.

Mrs. Linnie Post was in Pittsford Wednesday visiting Frank Nicholson and wife.

Grace Sabin who teaches in the Nethaway district is home for the spring vacation.

Ray Foust and family of East Adams visited at the Harry Foust home on Sunday.

Marion Coryell and family spent Sunday at Churches corners with James Bumpus and wife.

Clifford Rose was home from Brooklyn and spent Monday with his mother Mrs. L. E. Chase.

Frances Rumsey of North Adams was the guest of her aunt Mrs. Sadie Gray over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Peterson of North Adams visited at the home of E. S. Gray and wife on Saturday

R. E. Caskey of Mishawaka Ind. was a guest over Saturday night and Sunday at the E. S. Gray home

Dorothy Ambler is spending the week at Ypsilanti visiting at the Leon Ferguson and Charley Reynolds homes.

Ethel Lickley of Toledo is spending the week with Bernice Keith. Miss Keith who teaches in the Kirby school is home for spring vacation this week.

Jonesville

John Smith is working in Battle Creek.

Jonesville school closed Friday for a week's vacation.

Ed McKercher visited his sister Mrs. Curran, in Elkhart over Sunduy.

Bon Rose of the Howe Military Academy Ind. spent the week with Edgar Wisner.

Mrs. G. H. Shippy entertained the Investigator club Tuesday afternoon March 24.

The Grace Church Guild held a work meeting on Friday March 20 at the home of Mrs. Anna Ditmars.

Norris Graham of Cedar Falls, Iowa was a week end visitor with his mother Mrs. Cornelia Graham.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome spent Sunday at the R. B. Howard home on Reading avenue.

Lorraine Marvin who is teaching at Pentwater is expected home on Saturday for the spring vacation.

Miss Haselschwert was called home last week on account of the death of her brother. Mrs. Arthur Merchant is substituting.

F. W. Graves and wife were in Ann Arbor recently to see their daughter Elizabeth Graves who is a Senior at the University.

Mrs. George Clark and daughter Ruth Elizabeth went to Jackson Tuesday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Breckenridge.

Milo Tabor and wife who have been in Florida for several months were visitors last week at the home of their daughter Mrs. W. M. Fogg

The Presbyterian thimble party was held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ralph Powers. A short musical program was carried out and light refreshments served.

The mother's club met for the March meeting last Thursday with Mrs. Ray Manning. The April meeting will be the third Thursday in the month with Mrs. Arthur Wells.

Somerset Centre

M. D. Rutan and wife spent Sunday in Jackson.

Clifford Clark and wife entertained friends Sunday.

L. A. Mercer and family were in Addison Saturday.

J. P. Churchfield and wife were in Jackson Saturday evening.

Vena Roberts spent the week end with her sister in Cement city.

Charles Lent of Moscow spent Wednesday with Carl Lent and wife

Bart VanAllen of Jackson has been a recent guest of Earl Rutan and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Turk of Brooklyn spent Sunday at the Clayton Garver home.

E. Eggleston and wife spent Saturday evening with B. VanCamp and wife.

Earl Rutan and wife spent Sunday evening with Wayne Cornwell and wife.

Earl Eggleston of Cement City has purchased the Martha Calhoun property.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hudson and Charles Tuckerman spent Sunday at Rives Junction.

Glen Mercer and wife of North Adams spent Sunday evening at the home of L. A. Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Horn Jr. and Sr. of Moscow, Mr. and Mrs. Bonsdell of North Adams were recently entertained at the John Parker home.

The pedro party Saturday evening was well attended Floyd Baker and wife won first prize. Mrs. Cain and Paul Parker the consolation.

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—My shop will be in charge of capable management until my return. 43t3 Mrs. W. R. Corey

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Report of Village Finance

Report of Village Treasurer March 20. 1925.

Cash on hand Mar. 17, 1924	$2407 37
Rec'd 1923 delinquent tax	34 38
" 1924 tax	3497 21
" curb and gutter	38 41
" show license	2 00
" electric lights	2886 53
Total Receipts	$8865 90

PAID ON ORDERS

C. J. Hoffman, gravel	$ 453 29
$1,000 note and int.	1224 60
Interest on bonds	90 00
$2,000 note and interest	2169 58
Cleve Crater, gravel	155 00
$1,000 bond and interest	1090 00
A. Hoffman, insurance	46 62
Township treas, taxes	20 89
Southern Mich. Light and Power Co.	2459 13
W. E. Frederick,	325 00
Misoellaneous orders street work and supplies	671 85
Total	$8706 05

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The Sorosis Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Celia Duguid. Roll call was responded to by naming some famous woman. The following program was given: Singing by the Club; recitation; Alice Newman; solo, Mrs. Edna Hewitt; "Immigration problems" Mable Purcell; "Americans by Adoption" two short biographies Maud Anderson Delilah Holcomb. The meeting closed with singing and speaking the Club Collect.

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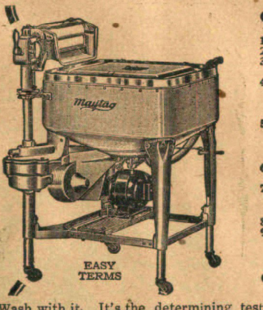

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Local News

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Mrs. Roland Benge is visiting in Albion this week.

Burr Hewitt and family were Sunday callers at Mrs. Gillet's.

Mrs. George Durga who has been seriously ill in Jackson is gaining slowly.

Basil Johns and Ruth Hewitt visited the latters grandmother Mrs. Gillet Sunday.

Ruel VanWert of Sturgis spent Sunday with his parents, Claude VanWert and wife.

Josephine Anderson, Ruth and Irene Hewitt spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Della Gillett.

—See our Hats before buying elsewhere, as we have one to suit your taste. 43t3 Corey Hat Shop

Miss Mary Frietag of the High School faculty is spending her vacation at her home in Jackson.

Rev. Virgil Hunt and wife visited her sister Miss Vena Miner in Detroit from Monday until Wednesday.

Frank Deming, wife and daughters, Helen and Ruthella, and son, Donald, of Homer, visited Mr. and Mrs Otto Gray on Thursday.

—C. Lawrence Abbott, impersonator at Community Hall Tuesday evening, April 7th. Last number on the Lecture Course.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. M. Williams Come prepared to sew. Potluck dinner.

Marcus Collins who has been attending Cleary College has finished course seven and is now employed in the office of the Ypsilanti Foundry Co.

Frank Boone of Hillsdale is in the village doing a job of painting on interior wood work of the Oddfellow Hall and expects to do some dwellings here later on.

Mrs. Delcie Shufelt and son Wayne of this place went to Toledo on Saturday to visit her daughter Miss Radah Petrie who is a nurse in Flower Hospital in that city.

Mrs. Hubert Haight of Detroit was a visitor in North Adams and vicinity over the week end. She and her husband are proprietors of a large apartment house in the city.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Susie Haight with pot luck supper Friday April 10th. A good attendance is desired as this is election of officers.

The S. P. I. class of the Methodist Sunday school will hold an apron and baked goods sale at Wertz's store Saturday April 11. Any special orders can be phoned to Lois Holcomb, Phone 756.

Albert Wright son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright of Adams township, was united in marriage to Miss Ruth Gaylord of near Jonesville at Lansing Saturday, March 28th. They will reside in Lansing where Mr. Wright is employed.

Robert Trumble has appeared on our streets this week with a new spick and span motor road grader and we think she is a dandy. Bob thinks so too. The grader has been purchased by Hillsdale county for maintenance and it is safe to say the roads hereabouts will be kept in the best of condition this summer

Last Friday evening the local basket ball teams went to Pittsford and engaged the Pittsford teams but our girls lost out 15 to 16 while our boys won 21 to 20. This is the last of this season's series. It is claimed North Adams boys have lost but one game this season.

On the inside pages of this issue will be found a complete schedule for 1925 of the American League of Base Ball. This schedule will be run constantly in our paper and advise fans what teams and where they will play and the dates. If you contemplate going to Chicago or Detroit at any time this summer you should fix your dates at the time of these games, and thus pass a profitable visit.

A much needed scraping and leveling has been performed by our obliging road committee, Harley Fry, on both Knapp and Pleasant streets, filling in the ruts and smoothing up rough spots. Mr. Fry says the village has ordered railroad cinders for street purposes this spring but so far as known they have not arrived yet. There is so much demand for these cinders that it is impossible to get more than one carload at a time. Experience has proved that for back streets where road traffic is light, cinders are the ideal grading material.

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Ione Young went to Hanover on Sunday for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Cecil Waite

Mrs. Etta Pray is spending the school vacation with friends at Charlotte and Diamondale, Mich.

Percibelle Young of Jackson has been spending the past week among relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Nellie Kenrick of Princeton, New Jersey, is here for a few days visit with her aunt, Mrs G. D. Wamsley.

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Regular meeting of Adams Lodge, No. 189, F. & A. M. will be held Monday evening, April 6, Work in the M. M. degree. Pot luck supper.

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Death of Jesse Shull

Jesse Shull, son of Peter and Susan Shull, was born in Richland county, near Mansfield Ohio October 15, 1834, and died March 30, 1925, aged 90 years, 5 months and 15 days, at the late home in Adams township, Hillsdale county, Michigan. He leaves to mourn a wife and seven sons, Melvin Shull of Coldwater, Samuel G. of West Liberty, Ohio, Clarence V. Elkhart, Indiana, Willis O., Chas. I. Hawk, Harvey I. and Frank J. all at home and Carlos in Adams township, three daughters, Alice M. Scott of Warsaw, Indiana, Melissa J. Burgner of Constantine, Michigan, Grace M. Boyer of Adams township, one brother and one sister, 31 grand-children, and a host of great-grand children.

Funeral services were conducted at the late home on Wednesday, April 1, 1925 at 2:00 p. m. Rev. Reiser of the North Adams Baptist church officiating, and interment was in the local cemetery north of this village.

Father and Son Bauquet A Big Success

One of the most enjoyable social events ever to take place in North Adams occurred Thursday evening March 26th., when the Congregational church put on a Father and Son Banquet. There were about 90 fathers and sons who sat down to the tastily decorated tables and partook of the bountiful banquet so ably prepared by the Ladies Aid Society of the church. Between the courses all joined in singing "peppy songs" and after finishing the ice cream and cake the Toastmaster, Rev. Virgil Hunt gave the address of welcome. The following toasts were then responded to. "Setting Dad an Example", Theron Randolph "My responsibility to my Boy", R. C. Young. "Father and Son", Arthur Holcomb. These were followed by two very pretty vocal numbers sung by Mrs. Mildred Hunt in her usual pleasing manner. The first one being "In My Garden" by Thomas, and "The Lilac Tree."

The Speaker of the evening was Dr. W. W. Whitehouse, professor of Economics and Sociology at Albion College at the present time and who was a minister in the Methodist church for the past few years before taking up his duties as professor. Dr. Whitehouse spoke on the subject "Life's Supreme Challange." He handled the subject in a very capable manner and gave to the hearts of all men and boys a very inspiring and stirring message which was highly received by all who heard him. The music of the evening was given by a ladies trio composed of Mrs. Mildred Hunt, Jean Young and Naomi Crapser, accompanied by Frances Young and a well rendered piano solo by Clark Pierce.

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking the Ladies Aid for their untiring efforts and all others who contributed in any way in making the Banquet the big success it was.

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A. REISER, PASTOR

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Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

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Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Next Sunday will be Decision day in the Sabbath school.

Sunday, April 12 will be Easter Sunday at which time the doors of the church will be opened to receive members. Also Baptismal service for those who wish to be baptised. These rites will be observed in the morning.

Our third Quarterly Conference will be held at the Wheatland church Tuesday evening April 14th at 7:00 After which the Ladies Aid Society will serve a banquet at the hall when Dr. Clapp will give a lecture.

Saturday April 11th the S. P. I. class will give a bake sale and apron sale at Mr. Wertz's store. Save up your Sunday baking for the sale and save trouble.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will speak on the theme "The Enthusiam Of Jesus" which is a continuation of the sermons on "The Life By Which We Live". Sunday school convenes at 11:45. There is a place for all people in the different departments of the School. We need U and U need us.

Friday evening April 3 there will be a banquet held in the parlors of the church as a result of the contest which has been running for the last three months. The winners of the contest will be entertained by the losers.

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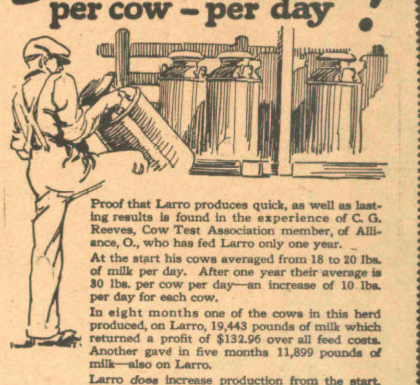

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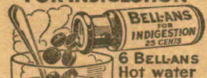

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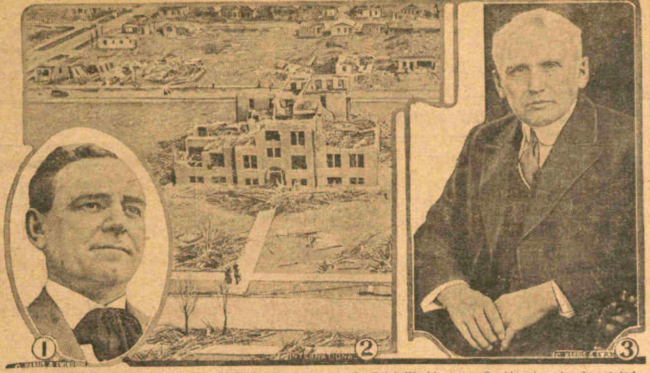

1—Comptroller General John R. McCarl, stormy petrel of official Washington. 2—Air view in devastated area of Murphysboro, Ill., with wrecked Longfellow school in foreground. 3—Frank B. Kellogg, new secretary of state, instructed by President Coolidge to prepare way for second arms conference in Washington.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Tornado Situation Well in Hand—Second Arms Conference Likely.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

THE aftermath of the five-state tornado of last week is an object lesson of the irresistible forces of nature before which even modern science is abashed; of the instinctive response to appeal from the afflicted that marks man as "little lower than the angels," and of the remedial resources of our Twentieth century civilization.

Returns to date include these figures: 830 dead and 2,939 injured, with additional deaths daily and new cases of injury. Some bodies were presumably incinerated. There is still a list of missing. In 16 Illinois communities there are 655 dead and 2,110 injured. In Murphysboro, the largest city in the devastated area, the toll was 202 dead; 700 injured; 152 city blocks practically swept clean; property loss, $4,000,000.

Radio told the catastrophe. Instantly all roads led to the devastated areas. Herrin in "Bloody Williamson" raced with the best—and lost its new $15,000 fire engine. High-priced surgeons from Chicago's "Gold Coast" operated by lantern-light. The inrush of man-help, material necessities and cash-in-hand never slackened.

No close estimate can be made of the money raised and still being raised. Illinois finished the legislative process of appropriating $500,000 Wednesday. Chicago Wednesday filled its official quota of $500,000 and may run on to $750,000. Scores of organizations working independently have added many hundreds of thousands and the end is not yet. All will be needed.

The emergency period is over. The dead have been buried. The care of the injured and sick has been organized and systematized. Rebuilding is fast solving the problem of the homeless. Soon the long, slow work of rehabilitation will be under way. This will be concentrated in the American Red Cross, which makes it a continuing process—it is still caring for victims of the Lorraine tornado and the Pueblo flood.

THE lesson of the tornado would seem to be that science, instead of telling us how it will annihilate whole peoples in the next World war, might well turn its attention to these twisters, scarcely less deadly than battles. Meteorology can explain tornadoes mathematically. Why then can it not forecast them? The weather bureau says it can never be done. It also says nothing can be done to counteract the whirls.

"Never" and "Nothing" are words which do not seem to obtain in these latter days of science. If man can annihilate time and space and a tornado takes more than four hours to run its course, cannot science at least do something to rob this visitation of "unmoral nature" of its terrors? Must man go back to his "cyclone cellar"? If so, he would better begin digging. This last loss is too great—whether reckoned in human lives, time or hard cash.

A SECOND arms limitation conference is likely to be held this summer in Washington upon the invitation of President Coolidge. This is made probable by the rejection at Geneva of the League of Nations protocol providing for compulsory arbitration of all international disputes. There can now be no cry raised of a "rival gathering." So the president has set to work the new secretary of state, Frank B. Kellogg, on the task of sounding out the nations that took part in the first conference.

The second conference will presumably start where the first left off. The first halted competition in the construction of capital ships. But there is wholesale building of cruisers, submarines, destroyers and airplanes. Limitation of the construction of these auxiliary types would therefore presumably be the business before the next conference.

It is stated that the British, Japanese and Italian governments are likely to participate. France may be unwilling, pending a solution of her security problem—which would appear to be a problem for Europe to solve.

BEFORE the United States Supreme court April 13 will come up a case in which all official Washington is intensely interested, for the reason that it is expected to settle the much-vexed question of the right of President Coolidge to remove from office that stormy petrel, John R. McCarl, comptroller general of the United States. Since 1921 McCarl has been at unceasing war with practically every executive department of the federal government. And, what's more, he asserts complete independence of presidential control. President Wilson vetoed the national budget act in 1920 because it made the comptroller general removable only by concurrent resolution of both houses of congress. President Harding in 1921 signed the new budget act, under which a comptroller general is appointed for 15 years, leaving him removable by congress but not by the President.

The case at issue is that of Frank Scott Myers, former postmaster of Portland, Ore., who was removed by President Wilson in 1920, in alleged violation of an act of congress. If the Supreme court decides that the Executive was within his authority in cancelling the Myers appointment, constitutional lawyers hold that Comptroller General McCarl's contention of presidential control will collapse.

The President, who is the real defendant, will be represented by Solicitor General James M. Beck. Senator George Wharton Pepper represents the senate. Beck's brief charges that McCarl holds that he is not bound even by the decisions of the courts. In 1924, when the house judiciary committee was holding an inquiry on McCarl's activities, Beck told the committee that he held unconstitutional the provisions of the budget act under which the comptroller general's office was created.

THE Constitution, famous United States frigate, is now one hundred thirty-one years old; is rotting at her dock in the Boston navy yard; must be restored for the third time. Congress has authorized her reconditioning, has not appropriated a cent for the work and has empowered Secretary Wilbur to accept donations. The secretary has passed the buck to the 16,000,000 school children and asks them to contribute 2½ cents each. He puts Rear Admiral de Steiguer, commandant of the Boston navy yard, in charge of the campaign and in his letter says:

"It is important that we should make clear we are not trying to help out the government in an economy program. The real matter involved is the interest of the people of the United States in an historical reminder of the progress of the nation, and if the people are not willing to support such a proposition they ought not be compelled to do so by appropriations of congress, which in effect takes the money out of their pockets without their consent."

Passing this without comment, one thing is certain: August 19, 1812, the Constitution put the American navy on the sea. In one memorable half hour she made the crack British frigate Guerriere strike her flag over a sinking wreck and a human shambles. Thereafter "Old Ironsides" outmaneuvered, outsailed and outfought the ships of the proud "Mistress of the Seas," though whole squadrons were sent after her. Her dazzling exploits made strong again the fainting soul of the people and carried the new nation on to victory. In 40 engagements "Old Ironsides" has never known defeat. To all the seven seas in 500,000 miles of cruising has she carried Old Glory. What!—

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Long has it waved on high,
And many an eye has danced to see
That banner in the sky!"

H. GORDON SELFRIDGE, formerly of Chicago and now a London merchant, told his stockholders the other day: "The high expenses of everything in America have forced the cost of manufacture up to a point which makes it impossible to compete with other countries."

A study of wages by the British ministry of labor, just completed in 16 cities, most of them world capitals (Philadelphia here), gives these computations: Average wages in the United States, measured in the food they will buy, are now more than twice as high as those in London, three times greater than in Paris, and nearly five times greater than in Rome, Madrid and Vienna. They are nearly three times greater than in Norway, Sweden, and Holland.

In the meantime our trade statistics show that the sales of our manufactured products are now about half of our exports. They also show that we annually sell the world nearly $3,000,000,000 more of American products than we did 15 years ago; that we sold the world $425,000,000 more last year than the year before, and that our sales are rapidly increasing. In short, we are not only competing but we are winning in the world markets, including some of the commonwealths of the British empire. And we are competing and winning because the American workman does just about three times as much as the British workman in the same industry, thus more than offsetting the difference in wages.

And now comes Sir Charles Higham, once a member of parliament and now an advertising man, to teach us Americans to drop work at four o'clock in the afternoon for tea, after the English style. It will increase our efficiency 85 per cent, don't y'know.

JURISDICTION over the patent office was transferred Friday by executive order of President Coolidge from the Interior department to the Department of Commerce, with the approval of both secretaries. Specific legislation by congress was unnecessary because of the act creating the Commerce department. Secretary Hoover of the Commerce department will demand at an international convention at The Hague, October 8, the removal of certain existing injustices toward American patentees and American manufactures. If he fails to get it, he will ask for complete revision of the patent laws of the United States, which will bring about their equitable and equal treatment in all countries.

Secretary Hoover has developed the Commerce department into the largest thing of its kind in the world. Efficiency is his passion, and he is its shining exemplar. He has won the co-operation of American business. If he stays in office long enough, he will bring about the co-ordination of all agencies bearing upon the expansion of American business at home and abroad. The latest gossip is that he had a large hand in the appointment of Secretary Jardine of the Agricultural department; that they agree in thinking that the biggest problem in agriculture is marketing, and that the two departments will work together—which has not been the case heretofore.

ARCHDUKE JOHANN SALVATOR of the royal house of Austria, who has been an international mystery ever since his elopement and supposed drowning in 1883, is dead again. This time under the name of Albert Goebel in Vienna. He was in Chicago as Johann Orth in 1908. In 1924 O. N. Orlow was buried as "Johann Salvator" in New York.

President Coolidge has given a recess appointment to Thomas F. Woodlock to be a member of the interstate commerce commission, following refusal of the senate to confirm the nomination.

The Missouri legislature has initiated legislation for the death penalty for holdup men; Illinois is considering the payment of $1,000 for bank robbers, dead or alive.

Governor Blaine of Wisconsin will not sign the bill giving bottom lands along the Mississippi to the federal government for a game and fish preserve.

Tennessee, by repealing the law of evolution, attests that nobody can make a monkey of W. J. Bryan.

The Soviet government has revoked the oil concession granted in 1923 to the Sinclair Consolidated Oil company on Sakhalien island.

Women to Consider War Being Outlawed

Richmond, Va.—The proposed program of work for the National League of Women Voters carries as one of its principal recommendations the outlawry of war and its abolition as a legalized institution. It will be submitted for consideration to the annual convention which meets in this city April 16-22.

The tentative program, a comprehensive outline covering all phases of the league's activities, is now being sent out for consideration. It includes two new federal recommendations, the first being "support of resolutions permitting United States official representation in the disarmament conference when called by the League of Nations."

The second calls for "support of measures designed to make effective the permanent court of international justice and providing for the codification of international law"; also measures designed for the outlawry of war and its abolition as a legalized institution. Appointment of women to positions in the national, state and local governments this year is supplemented by the plea for their placement on commissions "and other bodies having international representation."

The committee on education would be given the task of urging "adequate financing of the federal department of education and of public schools in the District of Columbia, as well as federal aid to states under the public school system research."

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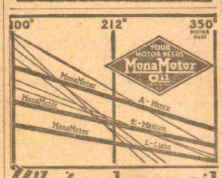

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WHAT STATE LAW MAKERS ARE DOING

No Voting Reform Is Likely At This Session Of The Legislature

Lansing, Mich.

Governor Alex J. Groesbeck's opposition to any type of primary election reform, to party enrollment and to the pre-primary convention has made itself known. The hopeless election law tangle, which has only increased since the beginning of the session, reached a point where it is about certain no reforming legislation will be passed.

The senate passed the Wood election law bill on third reading. The bill passed, however, is not the Wood bill which was introduced, but a mere codification of the existing law. Still bearing Wood's name, but with all its party enrollment and election of delegates' teeth neatly drawn, the bill was brought out of the committee, passed on general orders, put on its immediate passage under suspension of the rules and shot through the senate.

Rapid transit legislation for Detroit has been sidetracked in the house of representatives. It was Governor Alex J. Groesbeck who pulled the switch turning the Detroit commission's enabling bill off the legislative right of way and back into committee.

The transit commission's bill was one of the first to be introduced at this session of the legislature. Twice it has been sent back to committee and amended to conform to ideas of manufacturers and business interests of Detroit. It was apparently acceptable to everybody interested, but the governor decided it was unconstitutional. He declared that if it came to him in its present form he would veto it. Its present form is fundamentally the same as the enabling act of 1923, which he signed.

The house of representatives has expressed a desire to honor Edgar A. Guest, whose verse has won him national renown.

The Howell bill providing for the appointment of a poet laureate for Michigan by the governor was passed by a vote of 87 to 5.

Representative Chester M. Howell, of Saginaw, the introducer, explained that the bill was sponsored by Michigan Kiwanians who are ready to petition the governor for the appointment of Guest in event the bill also passes the senate and is signed by the governor as is expected.

The position is purely honorary. It carries with it no salary. According to Howell, it is just intended to reward Guest for the cheer that his rhyme has brought to many hearts.

The University of Michigan appropriation bill, calling for an expenditure of $3,192,700, was reported out of the House University committee without amendment. But, it is reported authoritatively, the Governor and House leaders have agreed to grant the university nothing in the way of funds for new buildings except $900,000 for the proposed museum.

After heated debate in which motives of sponsors and critics of the bill were attacked and the state department of health flayed as untrustworthy, the house of representatives voted to shunt the Smedley anti-stream pollution bill off the calendar and back into committee. Man members believe that by so doing they succeeded in killing the bill.

The members of the House who want the richer counties of the state to contribute toward the upkeep of schools in the needy counties, fought off two amendments to the Bohn Primary School Fund Bill, and sent it sailing on its way to a third reading. Wayne county will lose $300 000 of its annual school funds if the bill becomes a law.

One of the bills passed by the House of Representatives would appropriate $69,000 for the State Sanitarium at Howell. Originally this bill called for an appropriation of $770,000 but the members of the Ways and Means Committee, with their eyes on the $14,500,000 mark set by Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck, had used their sharp axe.

The Bryant Bill, proposing the establishment of a fifth State normal college in the northern part of the state, was sent back to the committee by the House. It had been reported out by the Ways and Means Committee with a minor error in the phraseology and was sent back for correction.

Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck has denied a request of the governor of Indiana for the extradition of Albert O. Rogers of Ionia, on a warrant for passing worthless checks.

The Pearson Bill, to relieve lands held for reforestation from the burden of excessive taxes, passed the Senate, having encountered no serious obstacles since it was introduced. It has gone to the House. Enactment of this bill into law would make possible the reforestation of more than one-third of the State's total area of 26,000,000 acres, it is estimated by officials of the bureau of agricultural industry, State Department of Agriculture, who have just completed results of a survey of 16 counties

The Leland Potato Grading Bill, rewritten to meet the objections of its assailants, was passed by the senate. It must still run the gauntlet of the House. The bill provides for three grades: "U. S. No. 1," "U. S. No. 1 small," and "U. S. No. 2." All others would be classed as culls. These grades are now being enforced by the State Department of Agriculture through the blanket authority it possesses, but the bill would strengthen the department's hand in court proceedings

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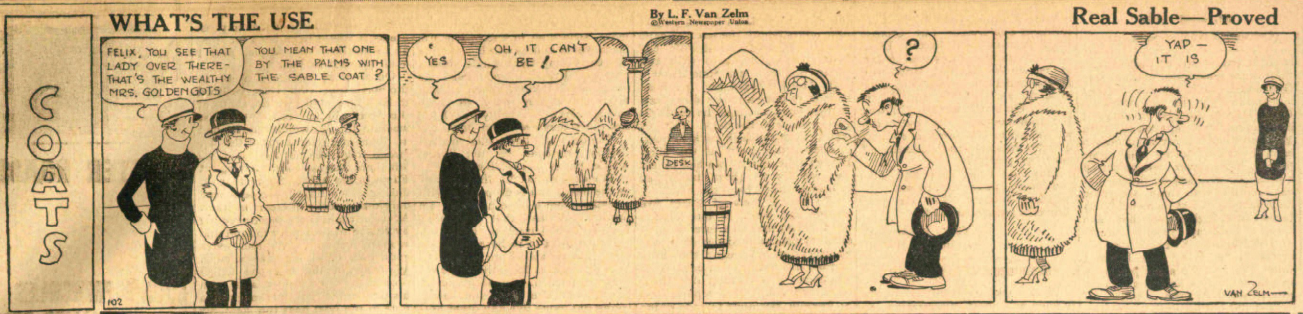
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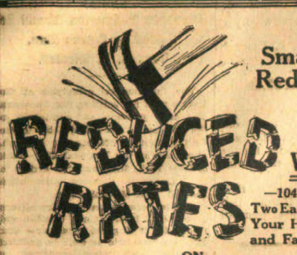

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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Let Us Bring Back To The Public Schools Study Of The Word Of God

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I'd like to see her face light up
At each resplendent word,
And watch the children's souls shine out
At the messages they had heard;
Yes, I'd like to see the Bible placed
Where the Bible used to be;
I'd like to hear it read aloud
In the schoolrooms of the free.

Everybody who is interested in the future of our great nation is today casting about in his mind for a cure for the crime wave which continues to sweep over our cities. A great Jewish organization has recently been formed for the purpose of encouraging all efforis for the spiritual welfare of Jewish children Its slogan is "Religion a cure for crime."

During the past year, 10,000 young people and children have been brought under the influence of religious instruction through the efforts of this agency. It is high time that all churches, as well as religious, moral and philanthropic organizations should awaken to the fact that we have, in great measure, forsaken and forgotten the study of the word of God, without which there can be no religious life. Thirty nations are represented among the two hundred foreign students now in attendance at Columbia University The foreign-born white population of Nem York City is as large as the entire foreign born white population of Chicago, Detroit and Boston together; the Russian element is larger than that of the city of Warsaw and the Italians exceed the population of Naples by over 100,000.

The native white stock in New York is 1,163,934 against 4,294,629 The only hope for this city and the country is the Bible. A German woman recently deported showed a government official some of the things she had received during detention. On the very top of her suit-case was a German Bible. She said, "This Book has been the greatest comfort to me in my detention: I am going to take it whereyer I go."

That is just what this blessed word of God is to all who gets its meaning, Shall we, a Christian nation, withhold its teachings from the children and youth of our nation, foreign as well as nativeborn by refusing to have it read in our public schools?

We all recognize that the stability of state and nation depends at least as much upon the morality as upon the intelligence of its citizens. The conclusion is absolute that in the interest of self-preservation there must be given to the future citizens of state and nation, in the public schools, the only place where this can be done for all a foundation of good character.

The exclusion of the Holy Bible from the curriculum of the public school is a direct refusal to teach the fundamental principals of our Christian nation, and is as dangerous to the welfare of our country as the throwing of a fire-brand into a bundle of fagots.

Our women realize the importance of a continued and intensive education of sentiment for the Bible in the public schools but there are yet a number of states in which this very important department is not a part of the program. If we can get every woman who wears the white ribbon so deeply interested in this great movement for the return of the Bible to the public schools that she will be a continual booster for it—the work is half done.

God speed the day when with one accord we shall bring home to the study of the Bible all of the wanderers in this land of ours.

Communication From Rev. Frank Bross of Salt Lake City

(Continued from last week)

It was a great disappointment to the people of Utah as it seemed the most opportune time to open the work here. We had just succeeded in electing a Reform Sheriff in Salt Lake County by nominating an Independent candidate in opposition to both of the Old Parties who for years had been electing alternately two men whose records were corrupt. As President of the Ministerial Association I had been prominent in the fight because it was entirely non-partisan and with no other issue than the enforcement of law, especially the prohibition law. After unanimous endorsement by our Ministerial Association, I succeeded in getting the endorsement of the President of the Mormon church and all his Stake Presidents in the County. These Stake Presidents hold a similar position to our District Supts. and have oversight and control over a certain number of wards or churches. There are seven of them in this county. This was the first time in history when the Mormons and Evangelical Churches had all united on any moral reform. While all three candidates were Mormons, our candidate was not considered very prominent in the church nor very subservient to their direction, but he pledged himself to full enforcement of the law. The Republican candidate who was nominated to succeed himself, was from a very prominent Mormon family and a favorite with many, but his record had been dictated by the underworld.

Every vote had to be scratched in order to vote for the Independent Candidate, but so thoroughly did we work that at the election our man received about 16,000 votes, the Republicans 12,000 and the Democrats 10,000. The enemies of Temperance were thunder struck and started a protest to prevent the Sheriff from taking his oath on the ground that the churches had exercised too much influence in the election. But the Supreme Court ruled against them. They also started several suits against him for raiding prominent homes. Some they won, and some they lost. To date, it has cost the sheriff over $10,000 in his fight and we are trying to raise the money to reimburse him. He has been offered almost incredible sums as bribes but he has refused them all. His bondsmen threatened to quit him if he did not slow up, and one night the bootleggers sent a grip with $30,000 cash to him to pay his cash bond of $20,000 and the $10,000 expense incurred, but he refused it all, they bankrupted him but he says he will die in his tracks before he will surrender to them. This you see is the fight we are in and I cannot leave it yet.

When the A. S. L. backed out of coming into the state, Bishop Leonard offered to open a place for me in the California Conference, but the Mormons begged me to stay and finish the fight. They organized a State Social Welfare League and elected me as Secretary and promised to give me the same salary as the A. S. L. had offered, but the expense of the fight in our county has made it unadvisable to raise money for state work just now, so the sheriff asked me last September to become a deputy and take charge of the records of delayed and appealed cases, and of the persisted violator and injunction cases. I do no sleuthing nor raiding, and make no arrests. My work is in Courts and trying to co-ordinate the Government, County, and City Courts and officers. I also go all over the county giving Temperance and Law Enforcement addresses to increase public sentiment.

My health has been very uncertain for over a year, and seriously so at times, and twice this winter it looked as though my work was near its end. But an osteopath doctor diagnosed my trouble after others had failed and I am much improved now. For the last six weeks I have not missed a day's work. I teach the Bible Class at the First M. E. church in Salt Lake, conduct the prayer meeting when the Pastor is away, preach for the pastors when they are called out of the city, supplied a Congregational Community church for seven Sundays during November and December at a city forty miles from here. In the last one and one half years, since surrendering the pastorate here, I have preached twenty six times in Evangelical churches of the State, giver Temperance addresses in five Mormon churches, addressed a Parents Teachers' meeting, two High schools and three grade schools.

I am to go forty miles from here to preach for a Methodist Pastor on the twenty second of this month and at another Mormon church on the 29th. I have also given four different addresses for the W. C. T. U. I have written you thus fully that you may see something of the varied life that has been mine, uneventful in some respects, but rather eventful in other respects. It is 19 years next month since I broke down and there have been many dark and trying days and sometimes the clouds have hung very low but it has never been so dark that I have lost sight of God. In your letter you say you hope I still have opportunity to speak and act for the Master and as I have written you of my activities even while out of the pastorate you may see that I have not ceased to work for the Master whenever opportunity afforded. During the seven years between my sickness and the time I re-entered the pastorate at Tooele, Utah, I preached 97 times and gave some 20 Temperance addresses besides addressing several schools and Business Colleges, I was working Insurance most of the time and helped the preachers wherever I went, often preaching in Revival services. I also did some Anti Saloon work in Nebraska. I love to preach the Gospel and trust that I may again recover health so that it will be safe for me to go back into the pastorate.

For the time being I am helping the sheriff and receiving a moderate salary from the County, and am doing some constructive Temperance work. I felt that my work was not done when I had helped to elect a Reform Sheriff until I had also helped get public sentiment back of his program. I did not think it good policy to desert the only man who has ever tried to put over a genuine law enforcement program here. I feel that I am verily doing God's service for the time, Of course I have suffered from the standpoint of relative standing in my Conference and from my Annuity record of service and will suffer when I attempt to return to active work but I have

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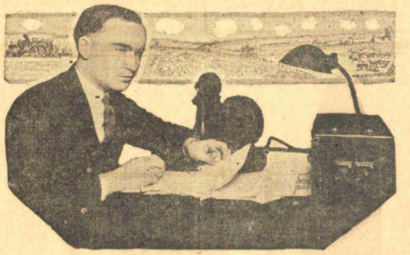

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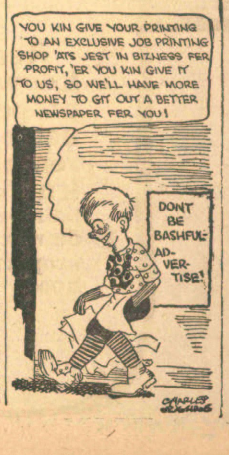
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Rev. Bross' Letter

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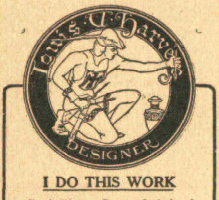
tried to listen to a higher call than of personal gain. and am sure God understands. He has blessed me wonderfully in my work in Utah. During the past 12 years I have undoubtedly spoken to more Mormons than has any other preacher in the State during the same time. I have never compromised a principle with any of them, but have worked with them wherever they were right and have held up Jesus Christ higher than they have dared to hold up Joseph Smith. And in my present work I do not hesitate to let every one know I am a Methodist Preacher primarily and secondarily a deputy and that only temporarily for a definite purpose. I did not know that my picture was to be sent out of the County when it was taken. When asked for that privilege I told them "No" for I cared for no advertisement.

But I am glad that the picture has put me in touch with several of my old friends. Some day I hope to be back in the work I love most This is "duty" now and content to feel that God is blessing me in it. I am glad your health is improving and trust you will be greatly benefited by your winter in Florida. Michigan has had a very hard winter and we have had the coldest weather in Utah for 25 years, and the hardest one for forty years. Have had ten days of beautiful spring weather but a heavy snow today. We are close to mountains covered with snow the year around I regret to hear of Mrs. Carrel's death, but what a blessing she was spared to you so long. Where are your children? Are they still living? Yes, father and mother have gone on before also Mina and Maytie, Will's wife and Charlie's wife and so many of those we once knew. Father was 90 when he died and a benediction for years to us and to others. Will and Cora are in California at San Deigo, but Charlie lives now in Washington D. C. His son graduates this year in law at George Washington University Mrytie and Lulu are the only ones in Michigan. My wife and I are here in Utah. We have no children If I do not re-enter the pastorate. we will go to California as soon as possible to spend the balance of our lives probably.

May God bless you and give you blessed peace the balance of your life. I thank God for your influence on my early life.

Yours fraternally,
Frank W. Bross."



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Reminiscenses of An Old Whaler

Fred Rock of this village recently gave us a short dissertation on the science of whaling and whale ships first hand as he sailed on two whaling voyages in his younger days and we like to publish the truth about this occupation since there has been so much that is pure bunk told concerning the ways of the craft that ply the high seas to catch the great mammals. The subject was brought about by numerous assertions made by church people who did not believe it possible for a whale to swallow a man. Mr. Rock settles ths controversy by the following excellent account:

"Reasons why I believe the Bible Story of Jonah Lying three days and three nights in the Whale's Belly as Recorded in Matthew 12-10—The act concerning Jonah should be considered small as compared with the creation of the world and its contents. There is not any thing impossible with God. 2nd. My own individual knowledge of a whale as to its size and also size of throat characteristics. I will give to the reader only absolute facts.

November 15 1875 I sailed on my first voyage from New Bedford Mass. on a whale ship for a four year voyage for Sperm whale in the south Atlantic Ocean. We captured three whales and when we were near the Straits of Magellan we ran into a storm lasting three days and three nights. The Captain, a man past three score years, said the last night before the wind went down at sunrise. "I have sailed since I was twelve years old and this is the worst storm I have ever passed through but we might better go down with the ship than go ashore for we would be eaten by cannibels. We are near the coast of Patagonia" Since then the village of Punta Arenas has been built on the Strait of Magellan which is the fartherest town south in the world. The natives were driven north and the land used for feeding large herds of cattle owned by northern capitalists. After the wind went down it was twenty four hours before the sea was calm enough for us to set sail. We had been pumping the ship with two pumps one half the time from a leak. The Jib boom and all head sails were gone and the ship partly dismasted and also the bulwarks gone even with the deck. The sea would wash the deck back to quarter deck at the stern of the ship. During that time all we had to eat was sea biscuit (hard tack) and rainwater drank from the hand.

We had a crew of thirty five officers and men. It has always been known that as a rule seamen are very profane and our ship was no exception but during the entire storm I did not hear an oath from any man. The nearest dry dock where we could get repairs was St. George, Bermuda Islands which is in north latitude 32—a long way to go with a crippled ship. We arrived there May 2nd 1876 and waited for orders. The owner ordered us home with the ship and we arrived in New Bedford in July having been out nine months. Whale ships intend to make some port every six or eight months, ship the oil home and take fresh supplies then go out for another cruise.

There are five species of whale known to whale fishermen. The Sperm, Hump back, Fin back, Bow head and Wright whale. The Sperm is the only whale that has the ivory teeth and chews its food. All other whales have the Black bone as used in whips etc., running around the mouth from the upper jaw about one half inch apart and about eight inches wide in the jaw running to a point at the bottom which is below the under jaw and outside of it. The whale bone is tapering and the grain runs straight. Several inches of the lower end is hair. So in looking into a whale's mouth it looks like a mat of black horse hair and when feeding, which we call scooping they open the mouth wide and start off at express train speed until they have enough fish in the mouth then close it. They strain the water through the hair and swallow what they have caught.

There is a food that God provides for the whale and all other fish known as the squid composed of small sea insects and resembles the lungs of cattle or other animals, forms in a lump and floats around in certain latitudes which fish with teeth bite off and eating what they want, leaving some for other fish. A captain of a whale ship said he had seen a piece of squid as large as the body of the ship. I have never seen a large piece. God provides food for birds of the air, fishes of the sea and man of the earth. The most unthankful being of all is sinful man.

Since mineral oil has been in use, whaling business is falling off. Few ships are in use as compared to years ago and the business is confined to steamships in the Arctic ocean catching the Bowhead.

The black bone is very expensive. Ladies do you know that hundreds of tons of whale bone is made into switches for you to wear. It is the nearest to the human hair of anything used. In New York are the largest manufacturers of whale bone switches. The oil from all whales caught is tried out in two large kettles on deck and barreled. But the most valuable part is the bone taken from the head and bundled. I have seen bone 16 feet long from the jaw of a whale, and they produce a ton or more, according to size. The Fin Back whale is not worth catching and the Hump Back whale gives a cheap quality of oil and their bone is not worth taking. When oil was worth more they used to catch this species occasionally but I do not think they are taken now.

The case and body oils are all that is produced by the Sperm whale that is marketable.

The case oil is taken from a sack in the head, and is dipped out with a bucket from a large hole cut in the top. A whale that will make from 40 to 60 barrels of body oil, will furnish 14 to 16 barrels of case oil. Sperm candles are made from this oil which is the only whale oil that will harden, In short, it is the brains of the whale and before trying out looks like any other animal's brains.

A whale swims and lives in the water but is not a fish. It is a mammal and breeds and nurses its calves like a cow, cannot live under the surface without coming to the top to breathe or "spout" which is simply letting out water and taking in air. The worst enemy of the whale is a fish somewhat smaller, known as a "Whale Killer." Several of these will attack the whale when he comes to the surface to "spout" and keeping him down under eventually drown the monster. They then eat the carcass. If a ship's officer sees these "killers" attacking a whale the crew will wait until they kill the mammal and his dead body comes to the surface. Then boats are manned and the carcass whipped alongside and tried out. So you see men will steal food from the poor hungry fish.

Now I have given you the history of four kinds of whales in a manner necessary to make the reader under stand that these mammals are larger than any other denizen of the sea. For believing the Bible story I base my reasons principally on my persenal examinations of the 5th species or Wright whale which like the Bowhead, is found only in cold water.

When I arrived home from my first voyage I was asked by many if I knew the size of a whale's throat—which I knew was only an excuse to argue the Bible story of Jonah, and for the purpose of discrediting that good old book I love so well, the truth of which can be proven easier than any other word ever printed. There are men who have different reasons for talking against the Bible.

1st—Some men think it smart and love to hear themselves.

2nd—Some want to make others believe the whole Bible is a lie.

3rd—Others who are highly educated hang out a shingle as great scientific men who can give to God lessons as to how the world was created and how old it is and how our ancestors used to climb around in tree tops and how it was impossible for a whale to swallow Jonah because its throat was too small and he would smother, or the gastric juice would poison the man, and so on ad nauseum. When I realize so many people have to read such rot I wonder if it would not be a blessing to mankind if some of them had drank a glass of whale gastric juice long ago. Just have pity for the poor things; they don't know any better. They were brought up that way. There is no man living, or ever did live who knows the size of a whale's throat without making an examination as I did, It would be just as impossible as it would have been for Jonah to swallow the whale, and I shall prove it to you.

On my next voyage I went to the north-east from New Bedford to East Greenland within sight of the Arctic Circle, arriving the first week in July, at which time we had 22 hours of daylight out of the 24, (when there was no fog) and we left there August 20th, arriving at Fayal in the Azores September 2, during which time we experienced only three weeks of clear weather. At other times there was heavy fog by reason of proximity to land and so many icebergs. We had extra good luck, capturing five whales. My boat got the last one which proved to be a scrapper, and with his ponderous tail he knocked a hole in the boat near the keel six feet long and six inches wide. He produced 50 barrels of oil. In the fracas we lost our oars overboard,

(To be continued next week)

For Sale—Seed corn. B. I. Lynch North Adams, Phone 46 43t3

McCall's And Advocate $2.00

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both one year for the small sum of $2.00 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions from Paris, the best works of Harold Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

43t13 J. LaVerne Cox and
Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS ASSOCIATION

BETTER ROADS

SOUND PRINCIPLES FOR ALLIED DEBTS

Payments to America Should Be Guided by Dawes Plan, Says C. E. Mitchell.

The fundamental principles of the Dawes plan for settling the European war debt question are applicable to the problem of the Allied debts to the United States, Charles E. Mitchell, president of the National City Bank of New York, declares in an article in the American Bankers Association Journal. Mr. Mitchell says:

"Debts between nations are always a source of international trouble, and I consider it of great importance that our own economic as well as political relations with such countries as France, Belgium and Italy may be improved by an early adjustment of their debts to our own national government.

Country Endorsed Dawes Plan

"I hope that we are gradually learning that such debts, if unduly forced, may result more calamitously to the commercial interests of our own country than to those of the debtor country. This talk of forcing payment of 'every dollar to the last penny,' is commercially unwise. I think we may assume that the Dawes plan has had the indorsement of the American people through their election of General Dawes to the Vice Presidency of the United States. That plan is one that establishes fundamental principles which may be applied in considering the debts of one nation to another resulting from war.

"The first principle, as I see it, is that the yoke of the war debt shall not be held as a burden upon the people beyond the generation that had to do with the war. This principle is clearly intimated in the fact that the industrial and railway debentures which form the principal security and means of payment of the debt carry 5 per cent interest with 1 per cent amortization, which means that such obligations are to be over a period of about thirty-six years.

An Invitation to Trouble

"Any attempt to force the carrying of such debt burdens to the second and third generations is but an engraved invitation to further trouble.

"The second principle is that the debtor country shall be taxed to the limit while the debt remains, but in no event to a point where its economic structure collapses under the strain, and, further, that the nationals of the debtor country shall in no case have a lesser burden of taxation upon them than have the nationals of the creditor country—another principle the soundness of which cannot be questioned.

"The third principle is that with such taxes collected, payments therefrom shall be made to the creditor country to such an extent only as they can be made without disrupting international exchange and commerce. The soundness of this last is apparent on its face.

"These I regard as the fundamental principles of the Dawes plan, and all of the hundreds of pages of the so-called Dawes report are devoted to setting up the machinery by which these principles can be put into effect.

"If these principles are accepted as sound then they must also be sound principles by which the payment of the debts of allied countries to us shall be determined, and we would best apply such a yardstick as our measure, rather than attempt to make popular the slogan of 'every dollar to the last penny.' In the adjustment of our foreign relations, essential to the development of increased export and import trade, there can be no problem of greater importance than reaching a sound and final conclusion as to this irritating question of the debts of allied countries to ourselves."

"The well painted house brings more"
CLEAN UP AND PAINT-UP

Real estate men know that well kept property is more valuable—for sales, or rental, or a loan. They know also that a paint-needy house drags down the value of all other property in the neighborhood.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 16th day of March A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, deceased.

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A.D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR D. GUERNS
Judge of ProbateE

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 16th day of March, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, incompetent,

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTRUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate

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OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1925

	AT CHICAGO	AT ST. LOUIS	AT DETROIT	AT CLEVELAND	AT WASHINGTON	AT PHIL'D'LPHIA	AT NEW YORK	AT BOSTON
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HELP FOR MOTHERS OF AILING DAUGHTERS

Mrs. Quigg and Mrs. Betton Tell in the Following Letters What Is Best To Do

DAUGHTER OF MRS. QUIGG
210 MAIN STREET, ROYERSFORD, PA.

Royersford, Pa. — "My daughter was sickly from the time she was 13 years old, and when she was 15 she was irregular and also had severe headaches and pains in her sides and back. She was this way about six months before I began giving her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound regularly although she had tried it before. It helped her very much. She is not bothered by headaches, backaches, or cramps any more, and has not missed but one days work. We recommend it to other mothers with girls who have these troubles." —Mrs. QUIGG, 210 Main Street, Royersford, Pa.

Mrs. Betton's Letter

Ridgely, Md.—"I want to tell you how much good your Vegetable Compound has done my daughter. Before she started taking your medicine she was in a nervous, run-down condition, so that she could hardly sleep at night. She always had a pain in her side and sometimes cramps so that she would have to go to bed. She is a schoolgirl and was going to school only half the time because she was so weak and run-down she could not stand it to walk there some days. She was this way for three or four years. She had been reading your advertisements in the different newspapers and she noticed that some of the girls and women had suffered just as she had. So she took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and is a lot better. With the first bottle everybody could see a big change. She can go to school every day and can eat just as much as any one else, when before she did not have any appetite. We have told others about the medicine, and we are perfectly willing for you to use these facts as a testimonial. We are also willing to answer letters from other women concerning the help my daughter has received from the Vegetable Compound." — Mrs. JOSEPH BETTON, Ridgely, Maryland.

Jack Easy Winner

He—Yes, I'd live entirely for you.
She—Jack said he'd die for me.

As a Man Thinketh

Life consists in what a man is thinking about all day.—Emerson.

Build your body back to Health

TANLAC is a great natural builder. It revitalizes the blood, stimulates the digestive organs, rejuvenates the liver and peps you up all over.

From the four corners of the earth we gather the roots, barks and herbs that go into Tanlac. We compound them after the famous Tanlac formula that has brought health to millions.

Our files are crammed with testimonials from men and women in every walk of life, who state gratefully that Tanlac has brought them back to vigorous strength.

If you suffer from indigestion, loss of appetite, can't sleep or rest; if rheumatism is making life a torture; if your liver is out of sorts and your body has run down to skin and bones, get a bottle of Tanlac at your druggist's and start taking it right away.

You'll be amazed to note the improvement that comes at once. For the first time in months you'll feel like eating some good solid food. You'll wake up in the morning rested and refreshed, ready for a good day's work. First thing you know you'll have some color in your cheeks and the sparkle of health back in your eyes.

Don't put off taking Tanlac. Begin now if you want to build your body back to health and vigor.

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Rev. B. E. Bell
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San Antonio, Texas

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TANLAC
FOR YOUR HEALTH

Woman Side Issue

W. L. George, the English feminist, tried, at a Chicago banquet, to convert a conservative divine to feminism.

The divine listened to Mr. George's arguments a good half hour, then shut him up rather sharply with the words:

"The importance of woman! You've dinned the importance of woman into my ears from the soup all the way to the ice cream. The importance of woman! But don't you know, young man, that Scripture teaches us woman is only a side issue?"—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Good for Sinners

It is a very good thing that the Lord does not follow all the advice that is given Him by well-meaning people who pray to Him.—Miami (Fla.) Herald.

Virtue Diffuses Itself

The virtue of the noble-minded man is as the wind, and that of inferior men as grass; the grass must bend when the wind blows upon it.

Dad's Calory Noodle

The bean that provides the greatest number of calories is old dad's.—Duluth Herald.

Flatterer Defined

A girl's idea of a flatterer is a man who is always saying nice things about other girls.

In character, in manners, in style, in all things, the supreme excellence is simplicity.

Genuine BAYER

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Say "Bayer Aspirin"

INSIST! Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 24 years.

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Poverty builds character, but capital is needed to do things.

Children Cry for

Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER:— Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

The Truant Soul

By Victor Rousseau

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Chapter VIII

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By the next morning there was no doubt that victory had been won. There was color in Lancaster's face, a lightness in his step; and, best of all, he was psychically whole. The drug devil still clung to the nervous refuges of its physical domain, the hands still trembled, the man started at sudden sounds; but the shifty, furtive, lying spirit had taken its departure.

Joan only discovered afterward what Lancaster must have endured. The treatment had been more heroic than Joan had known, with her own limited experience, and the antidotes which she administered, under Lancaster's own directions, were purposely limited, for fear of supplanting one habit with another.

Lancaster had gone through the worst of his ordeal; and yet certain features of his illness were puzzling to both of them. The symptoms of morphine poisoning, elusive and protean as they are, seemed in this case irreconcilable with those classically accepted. There was Lancaster's complete prostration on the morning when Joan discovered the nature of his illness. He told her afterward that he had been conscious all the time, but physically inert, as if paralyzed. That did not point to morphine poisoning. And a certain lethargy remained one of the last symptoms of the case.

The intimacy of the sick room, born of their struggle, had become the most natural thing to both of them. The passing of Myers had wrought an extraordinary change in the atmosphere of the institution. And somehow the news of Lancaster's recovery had spread into Millville. Joan inferred that even the country people had boycotted the institute, but now two mothers brought their babies to Lancaster, and it was amazing and delightful to Joan to see the doctor's transformation, his jolliness and tenderness toward the children.

"I'm using my respite," he said whimsically. "I want to get well to face my harder battle."

"It is no respite," answered Joan. "You are free now, Doctor Lancaster; it is only a habit of thought that holds you."

There ensued three wonderful days after the secretary's departure, always to remain clear in the girl's memory. They were three days of uninterrupted recovery. After the second no more morphine was given. The fight was won; there was no questioning that.

"I suppose you will have to return to Avonmouth soon," Joan suggested.

He turned a startled look on her. "Yes—soon," he said, and fell into a gloomy meditation from which she could not arouse him.

That afternoon a telephone message came from Thompson, a hill village, fifteen miles distant. A farm-hand had been crushed by a falling tree; would Lancaster come at once and see if anything could be done for him?

"Would you like to come with me?" asked the doctor.

"If I can be of help."

"Of course you can—the greatest help. I shall need you badly, perhaps to administer an anesthetic," he answered.

Lancaster telephoned to Jenkins for the buggy, and half an hour later they were driving along the country road into the heart of the mountains. They traveled for the most part in silence; Lancaster's thoughts were occupied with his prospective case, and Joan was content to sit quietly at his side and watch the changing panorama of the land she loved and knew so well.

The road ascended continuously, until at last, when the sun was low down in the sky, they entered Thompson, a tiny settlement in the very heart of the mountain peaks.

It was a serious case, and the patient was already comatose. The tree had fallen across the chest, crushing it, and driving a rib into a lung. An immediate operation offered the only hope, and the doctor decided to perform it in the cabin.

Joan, having bundled out the family and the neighbors, administered the ether. She had never been greatly impressed by the legend of the skilled surgeon with the wonderful touch; her first operation at Avonmouth had seemed to her like a sort of glorified plumbing, and the leisurely manner of the surgeons had reduced the art to a science in her estimation. Now she revised her opinion as, seated at the patient's head, she watched Lancaster working within a compass of fractional inches, where a slip would have been deadly. His fingers, which had trembled as he held the reins, were as steady as the steel instruments he held, his deftness and precision were amazing; and when at last the operation was ended, and the patient's recovery announced as probable, she could not conceal her enthusiasm.

They were to remain at the cabin overnight in case of a change for the worse, returning to the institute in the morning. After a scrappy meal they had wandered to the end of the village, toward a patch of woodland that was encroaching on the tiny settlement. The long summer twilight still held the land, although the mountain tops were already vague and shadowy. They stood there, looking down toward the level country under them.

"I think you are the most wonderful surgeon in the world," said Joan. "And you see I didn't faint this time," she added.

"Faint? Why should you faint?" asked Lancaster, looking at her with a puzzled expression.

"You seemed to regard my weakness in the operating room as a sign of my incapacity," she replied, a little chagrined that he should have dismissed the matter from his mind.

Lancaster looked at her with that strange glance which seemed always designed to hide his thoughts. Then his face softened.

"Joan, do you know that I owe everything on earth to you—to you, my dear?" he asked.

And he took her in his arms and kissed her.

"That's what you mean to me," he said. "I can't lose you; I want you to fill the life that you have given back to me."

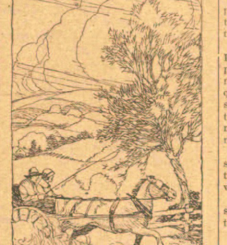
And at the touch of his lips on hers Joan knew that in truth she loved him; all that she had heard of the man's past, his dissolute life, the talk of Avonmouth, was forgotten. She only knew that she loved him, not with the wild passion of which she had heard, but with a quiet and abiding fondness, none the weaker for its qualities of calmness; and it was the most natural thing in the world that she, who had given him life again, should give her own life also to this wonderful, strong man who had risen above his wrongs and driven the besetting devils from him by valorous strength. Her heart was lifted up; serene and trustful she returned his kiss.

"I love you, too," she answered. "Nothing of the past shall ever come between us."

They were at the verge of the forest, upon a height that overlooked Millville and Lancaster, hill villages, but now outspread in the shadowy plain beneath them. A dozen counties could be dimly discerned from that spot by daylight. Far in the distance were the coastal lands, nearer the cultivated belt, nearer still the little farms, and the matchless mountains all about them. It was their home country—both of them were thinking that; the smell of the rich soil was in their nostrils, and in their hearts the sense of home.

"Joan, can a man begin to build up his life again at thirty-eight, after he has missed everything?" asked Lancaster, after a long silence.

"You have proved that he can," she answered. "But you have not missed everything, my dear. You are a very great man, and a man with a great work in the world. Many men have gone along the path you took, but few have found the strength to turn back as you have done."



They Traveled for the Most Part in Silence.

"Joan, I want to tell you something. I was engaged to be married once—years ago. She ran away on the evening before our marriage day. It was the beginning of my downfall. I thought I loved her."

His face was haggard. Divining his distress, Joan slipped her hand into his.

"Joan, dearest," said Lancaster, after a pause, "I have often thought that some day I would tell you all the wretched story of the past. But I have been thinking differently today. I was entrapped by an unscrupulous man, who robbed me of everything that made life worth living. But there is nothing that would make me afraid to look my fellow men in the face. It is myself whom I have shamed and humiliated. Joan, I want to say nothing, not because I would keep anything from you, but because I want to start my life anew. I shall never go back to the institute."

"You mean, dear—?"

"Never. I shall not return tomorrow. I want you to come to the Southwest with me, Joan, my dear. We will drive across the hills to Carroll's and catch the through train there. I shall begin to live the new life you have given me. Will you leave everything for my sake, Joan? Is it too hard a request?"

"It is not too hard," she answered. "But it is not right for you."

"It is right for me to leave a living death behind me."

"No, dear. It is running away. You spoke to me of some harder fight to be fought."

"With nothing to win, Joan—nothing. When I leave here no human being will miss or regret me."

"There is your work at Avonmouth. There is the hospital which you have made famous throughout the United States. Your work is there, not in some obscure place where it would be of less use to the world and no example. Besides, consider that if you become famous again, as you must, you will be discovered. And one can never leave his past behind him. That follows everywhere."

"Yes, that is true," muttered Lancaster, staring out over the darkening hills. "Well, I leave it to you, my dear, but to go back to fight out a futile battle seems to me now something unendurable."

"You must go back to the institute, and then to Avonmouth, and meet your enemies, John," she said. "I shall be at your side. Nothing will make me afraid, or weaken my love for you."

His face twitched. "Not if I tell you things which prove me worthless of your love?" he asked. "Not if you find I am an outcast man who has deserved his misfortunes?"

She only smiled at him. "I shall not judge you by your words," she said, "nor yet by other men's opinions, but my knowledge of you."

"Then I shall tell you everything," he answered, drawing Joan's hand into his. "Everything, but not here. Here I shall keep the peace of the hills within my heart, and you."

So they strolled back toward the cabin, and Joan's drab-colored life was transmuted in this, her first love, to gold. She lived in her lover, she trusted wholly in him who had brought love to her, not like a conquering god, but in the simplest guise, making it the unfolding of her own loving nature. She gave her youth, her innocence as love's price, and thought the exchange her profit. There was never such peacefulness in any place as there that evening, and in Joan's heart was abounding peace likewise.

When they reached the cabin the patient was better. Lancaster spent the evening giving detailed instructions to the man's wife.

"I shall do my best to come again if I am needed," he said. "But I can't promise. I may be called to Avonmouth at any moment. Keep him quiet, for heaven's sake keep him absolutely motionless for a week, and then let him sit up if he wants to. And nothing to eat but the schedule I am making out for you."

Afterward Joan told Lancaster that she wished to stay for a few days to take care of the man. But Lancaster would not hear of it.

"These hill people never die," he said. "He'll be up and about before the week is over."

"But the diet?"

"They'll feed him on soda biscuits as soon as he's well enough to eat anything. Fortunately he won't be able to eat for a week, so he won't come to any harm. I shall send Jenkins over two or three times to report progress."

Joan's room was a tiny place under the eaves. She spent a sleepless, happy night there, thinking over the happiness that had come to her. It was strange and wonderful to lie awake under the same roof that sheltered Lancaster, and to reflect how soon their lives would flow together, calmly, in their own country. She could not have wished any happier fate in life.

With her limited experience, it seemed ideal that, after the years of stress in Avonmouth, she should be returning, almost to her own home, a wife. She had puzzled sometimes over Lancaster's long residences in the place that bore his name. But she dreamed of the time when he would give up his work at Avonmouth and retire to a new institute, a spacious home where they could fill their wards with the country people, where her life's vocation and her life's happiness would be united.

At last she fell asleep, and, when she awoke, Lancaster was tapping at her door.

"Time to get up, Joan!" he called cheerfully.

She sprang out of bed. "How is the patient?" she asked.

"Doing finely and wants to go to work," said Lancaster, laughing.

Joan dressed in a hurry and ran downstairs. Lancaster was waiting on the porch. She raised her face for his kiss, already natural to her, already the happy fulfillment of her innocent dreams of love. Then, arm in arm, they strolled out into the sunlight.

The glorious light lay on every hill. In that light all the shadows of the past seemed to shrivel away.

"We are going back to the institute this morning, Joan," said Lancaster.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Vast Stores of Gold Await Lucky Finders

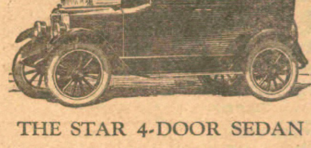
What becomes of gold? It has many channels of disappearance, according to experts. Figures show that more than half of the annual output is employed in the fine arts and jewelry trade. Thousands of pounds also are used by dentists, according to Popular Mechanics Magazine, one estimate being that over a ton is needed every year for the filling of teeth. Then money is worn in handling, this loss being one and a quarter million dollars annually. Bank of England sovereigns are often tested and found to have lost much of the original weight.

Of the immense quantities of the precious metal that have been buried away in the earth, it is believed comparatively little has ever been recovered. The priests of Peru are said to have buried approximately ten million dollars' worth of treasure to preserve it from the clutches of their persecutors. None of this has been found. The tombs of the old kings of Egypt were treasure houses, immense quantities of gold and jewels being interred with them. It has been estimated by historians that Alexander the Great became the master of great hoards of gold, all of which, so far as is known, has vanished.

Franklin Set Style

When Eighteenth-century Paris was still wearing the picturesque three-cornered hat Benjamin Franklin came to represent the new republic of the United States, wearing on his head a queer thing derived from the steeple crowns of the Puritan Pilgrim fathers. Paris copied it and turned it into the cylinder which Christendom has worn ever since, says the Detroit News.

In the Eighteenth century when partisans of France and of Russia were fighting it out in Sweden the French faction wore hats, the Russians caps. The Middle ages, as a familiar ballad reminds us, knew a Pilgrim by his "cockle hat."



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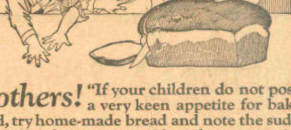
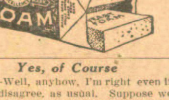
Auto Pound Profitable

Poundmasters did not disappear with the banishment of the horse and wagon in favor of the automobile and truck. In San Antonio, Texas, there is an automobile poundmaster to look after forgotten and abandoned automobiles found on the city streets. In 1924 the pound made a profit of $2,062 after all expenses were paid, largely through payment made by automobile owners who had parked too long in some restricted streets.





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Mrs. Harry Burke of Hudson, Ohio, has just had the good fortune to win an unexpected prize. She wrote for a 10c bottle of Liquid Veneer, which was sent her free and postpaid. The makers wrote asking her to tell her friends, if she liked it. She writes that she was so delighted the way it made her furniture look brand new that she told 15 of her friends and the makers sent her, entirely free and postpaid, a great big beautiful $2.00 Liquid Veneer Polishing Mop. "I'm simply delighted," she writes

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Motor Trucks in China

The rapid increase in the use of motortrucks and machines in China during the last ten years, reports to the Department of Commerce show, has resulted in the steady and constantly rising growth of the gasoline trade. The total imports in 1923 anounted to 6,365,000 gallons as compared with the 1914 figures of 823,000 gallons.

An Australian recently invented an aerial camera which has taken oblique photographs while flying at 126 miles an hour.

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Jonesville

Mrs. Roy Bales is still quite ill at the Doty Hospital.

Lydie McMahon of Mosherville is spending the week here.

Ed Jones of Kalamazoo was in Jonesville the first of the week.

Lorraine Marvin of Pentwater is at her home here for the spring vacation

Roy B. Jr. and Phyllis Howard visited school in Jerome Friday of last week.

Harry Godfrey and wife are expected home from California the last of the week.

Mrs. Winnifred Marvin leaves Sunday for Ypsilanti where she will attend the Normal.

The revival meetings at the M. E. church are well attended and much interest shown.

Arthur Wells and family spent Sunday with his brother Wm B. Wells and family in Pittsford.

J. C. Welden of Washington D. C. is visiting his brother Rev. I. T. and Wm H. Welden in Jonesville.

The Helen Childs Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. A. Mack on Wednesday.

Joseph Wyman, Arthur Merchant and Fred Mare are spending the M. A. C. vacation at their homes here.

Mrs. Minnie Squires and granddaughter Evelyn who have been in Detroit for several weeks returned home last Saturday.

The annual meeting of the Friendship class of the Presbyterian Sunday school was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Clara Dryer. A pot luck supper was served at 6:30 after which officers were elected for the coming year.

Somerset Centre

C. Lent and family spent Sunday in Hanover.

Ethel Foltz of Clayton is visiting at the home of Leonard Foltz.

The Aid Society Social Satnrday evening netted about $7.50.

Mrs. P. Phillips and Mrs. J. Smith were in Hillsdale Wednesday

Mrs. Craven and family of Cement City have moved to this village.

Ralph Sours and wife of Jackson pent Sunday evening at tne C. D. Carl home.

Ben VanCamp and family were at the home of Harry Alley Tuesday evening.

Eugene McGregor and wife called at A. L. Baker home near Jerome Monday.

Mrs. Carl Lent and daughter Carrie spent Saturday with Mrs. Lee of Jackson.

Earl Rutan and wife entertained Saturday Mr. Apple, Mrs. Shortly and Mrs. VanAllen of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuckerman entertained Sunday R. Jackson and wife of Jackson and C. D. Carl and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bonsteel and family also Ed Purchase and wife of North Adams.

J. P. Churchfield and Don Rutan were in Midland a few days last week. Hugh Norris returned home with them and spent the week end at the Churchfield home.

Center Adams

Dorothy Ambler returned home from her visit at Ypsilanti on Monday.

Mrs. John O'Melay and children of Hudson visited at the Will Keith home Sunday.

T. H. Tierney and family were Sunday visitors of their parents Eugene McBain and wife.

Walter Heath and wife of North Adams spent Thursday evening at the J. R. Wright home.

Grace Sabin entertained the I. C. E. club in a very pleasing manner on Saturday evening.

Helen Foust who attends Hillsdale High school is spending the spring vacation at her home here.

Bernice Keith and guest Ethel Lickley of Toledo visited Thursday and Friday at Shadyside with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Lickley.

Nathan Webster and wife entertained the formers brother Orin Webster and family of Toledo also their father from Hudson on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Chase attended a meeting of the S. P. I. class of the M. E. Sunday school at the home of Mrs. Lulu Wells of Bross district on Friday.

Robert Wyman and wife were in Hillsdale Sunday, guests of D. P. Goold and wife who were entertaining in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Goold's father Williard Wyman.

Town Line

Carl Strobel returned home from Toledo recently.

Mrs. Eugene Culbert had paper hangers Tuesday.

Loyal Brown and wife were in Jackson one day last week.

Elmer Fuller visited relatives at Allen the first of the week.

Randall Westcott marketed 60 gallons of maple syrup at Hanover recently.

Clarence Jennings, Abner Jennings and wife went to Ann Arbor Friday last.

Mrs. Roy Tuttle of Hillsdale has been visiting her parents O. M. Simmonds and wife for a few days.

Mrs. Frank Anson is in Toledo Ohio having received word that her mother was very ill with pneumonia

Ben Wheeler and family of Battle Creek were guests at the C. H. Jennings home Sunday also Marcy Sipe and Mr. Wheaton.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Gurn Baker, Mrs. Ray Fast and Mrs. Eva Moore were entertained at the Jennings home in honor of Mrs. Moore's birthday. A fine luncheon was served including a birthday cake all lighted with bright and glowing candles, reminding her of her 72nd birthday.

Jerome

Beatrice Morton has returned from a visit in Lansing.

Merl Morehead and T. J. Lane were in Jackson Tuesday.

Harold Sterling was home from Ypsilanti over the week end.

Mrs. Alzina Foote of Wayne has been visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Elmer Ward and Mrs. M. H. Morris are on the sick list.

Milton Turnley and Norene Pullen were in Hillsdale Monday.

Homer Marvin has gone to a Detroit hospital for treatment.

About 800 geese went over town in two flocks Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Ward and daughter Dorothy were in Ann Arbor Thursday.

Jack Cobwin of the Great Lakes training station visited at the R. O. Sawdey home last week.

I. W. Wertenberger and wife went to Monroe Saturday to see the former's uncle Lee Wertenberger who is seriously ill.

H. A. Voorhees and wife were in Hillsdale Tuesday while Mrs. Wayne Miller and Mrs. I. W. Wertenberger were there Wednesday.

About fifty persons attended a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merl Morehead Saturday evening. The surprisers presented the couple with a library table and supper was served later in the evening.

A male quartet furnished music at the church Sunday, members of the quartet being W. W. Ostrom, H. A. Voorhees, Fred McCowan, R. Morehead. Byron Ballard of Onondaga substituted in the absence of Rev. Scott who was in Chicago.

Local News

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Genial Bert Ward, an engineer on the New York Central Lines, passed away at his home in Hillsdale March 25, 1925. He was born in Hillsdale May 13, 1866, and began work as fireman on the old Lake Shore lines in 1899. He soon became engineer and at one time pulled the plug on the Ypsilanti branch. Many of our citizens will remember "Bert" for his ready stock of satire. One Thursday night in returning from the Hillsdale Fair his heavily overloaded train became "stuck" on a steep grade out this way. Passengers in rear cars rushed up ahead inquiring "Bert, are you stalled?" Mr, Ward pulled his cap down a notch and said nonchalantly, "Naw, just stopped to take a chew of tobacco."

Township Election

To The Qualified Electors of Adams Township:—

Notice is hereby given that the annual township election of Adams Township, county of Hillsdale state of Michigan, will be held at the township hall in North Adams in said township on Monday April 6th, 1925, at which time the polls of election will be open from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. except in the discretion of the Board of Election the polls shall be closed one hour at noon.

Following absentee voters will be allowed to vote by applying to clerk for necessary ballot: Any person in the service of the United States or State army, or any student attending any institution of learning or any regularly enrolled member of any military training camp; or any member of the legislature while in attendance at same or any commercial traveler or any sailor employed on the Lakes or any man employed on any railroad train in this state, or any person whose physical disability limits them to the care or assistance of other parties in getting to the polls.

Dated April 3, 1925
Frank W. Holcomb
Clerk of Adams Township

Mrs. Bennett VanZile

Lola V. Pool was born in Adams township Hillsdale county on the 31st day of March, 1860, the oldest of six children, of John S. and Philenda Pool, and passed away at her home in Allen, Mich., Mar 28, 1925, aged 64 years, 11 months and 28 days. After finishing her schooling in the schools at North Adams she spent the greater part of two decades in teaching in the public schools of Hillsdale county. the last few years being at Frontier where she met and married Bennett VanZile, Jan. 16, 1891. After working at farming for two or three years in Adams they removed to the Clark farm in Allen eventually moving to the present home in the village in 1910. Mrs VanZile was a member of the Allen M. E. church, also a loyal member of the Allen W. C. T. U.

Besides a host of friends she leaves to mourn their loss, her husband, four brothers and one sister. Rev. N. H. Pool of Holly Mich., Mrs. Jennie Thomas of Battle Creek, Willard Pool of North Adams, Will Pool of Battle Creek and John H. Pool of Jackson.

Services were conducted at the late home in Allen on Tuesday, March 31st, at 10:20 a. m. and interment was in North Adams cemetery. They had resided in Allen 30 years.

Walter Camp Went The Way of All Great Athletes

Apropas of the death of Walter Camp we didn't quite finish our story last week, but we find that his untimely death was the result of too much athletics.

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We love athletics but we fail to see where the regular worker gains a crown of glory. Much better would it be if plain Walter Camp without his great football record could remain on this earth and go on instructing the future Lincolns Washingtons, Napoleons, and Paderewskis for his allotted span and be just a slight dabbler in athletics than to be a dead football coach! But then, there are ideas and ideas!

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—"Maker of Men" at Congregational church Sunday evening at 7:30.

A new residence is being erected on the E. P. Kinney farm near Moscow.

Mrs. Grant of Chicago is the guest of her sister Mrs. Harry Hayhoe.

For Sale—Timothy hay also clover hay. Mrs. Frank Miller. North Adams. 45t3

The Lumber yard delivered to Somerset parties a load of cedar shingles on Monday.

Miss Elna Knowles was in Springport for a few days visit with her sister during vacation.

—See our Hats before buying else where, as we have one to suit your taste. 43t3 Corey Hat Shop

Miss Leota Hinkle of Hillsdale spent Friday and Saturday forenoon with Rosene Baker.

Mrs. Willis Watkins of Manchester was called here on Monday by the death of her uncle, Harmou Fowle of Moscow.

Darwin Carney is building a new frame garage on his premises in the east part of the village. He will lay a cement floor.

Mrs. Mary Jane Stansell of Mt. Pleasant Michigan is the guest of her sisters Mesdames Sharp and Hard in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Knowles and Mr. and Mrs. Jay D. Knowles visited Sunday with Mrs. Majorgia Knowles Caldwell of Springport.

Dell Fuller and wife of Battle Creek spent Saturday visiting friends and relatives here. Mr. Fuller is still with the Postum Cereal people and he likes the work better as time goes on.

Annual meeting of Alpha Chapter, No, 288, O. E. S. on Tuesday evening, April 14th. Payment of dues, reports of secretary and treasurer and various committees and election of officers.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrell drove to Mosherville Sunday morning where Mr. Carrell has been invited to supply the pulpit of the Methodist church on account of the illness of the pastor.

Harry Hayhoe and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Hayhoe's brother, Park Gates of Hanover last week. For 40 years he had been section foreman on the New York Central Lines

The barn on the Joe Harwood farm four miles north of this village was burned to the ground on Tuesday forenoon. It caught from burning grass. There was nothing stored in the building

Mrs. George Combs and son Walter of Romeo spent a part of last week at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pendell. Irene Triplett of Ypsilanti was also a guest at the Pendell home.

Mrs. Alvin Parish and daughter also Mrs. Harry Reed of Detroit visited here the first of the week. They returned home on Thursday accompanied by Mrs. Nathan Parish of this village who remain for a few days' visit in the city.

A. J. Hoffman and Cleve Crater left for Bad Axe Michigan in the Thumb district on Tuesday where the road gang is working on a contract of gravel pike. Hoffman and Crater expect to get things moving there and will return within a day or two.

The first convict road gang started away from Jackson Prison on Monday bound for Cambridge Junction to work on M-23, laying the concrete. This work will be pushed vigorously toward the west end to the state line. 25 men are in the gang and will progress very rapidly with the modern road building equipment.

At a recent meeting of the Directors of the Citizens Bank, the following officers were elected: Pres Harry Wilcox, vice pres. J. M. Williams, cashier, A. J. Hoffman. The affairs of the bank will be under the supervision of A. J. Hoffman who will divide his time between the bank and his construction work. Grace Doolittle remains as assistant cashier.

L. W. Meeks shipped the first carload of certified seed potatoes ever shipped out of this county last week to Knox County Farm Bureau at Mount Vernon, Ohio, where they will be divided among the co-ops there The famous Michigan potatoes are most desirable for seed purposes and in this section of Ohio they never have pretended to raise potatoes previous to a couple of years ago. After obtaining some of our excellent hardy potatoes they found crops there were abundant. Lawrence Kempton who is manager of the Knox county Farm Bureau made the recommendation.

SERIOUS FIRE

Apropas of the recent fires at Pittsford comes the calamity on the Wilson Houseknecht farm east of Jonesville, resulting in the death of Mr. Houseknecht. About 2 o'clock Tuesday morning the Houseknecht family were aroused by the cry of fire and looking out the window discovered the barn in flames The screaming of horses in the burning building gave the alarm. Mrs. Houseknecht sent out numerous telephone calls and neighbors flocked to the scene but nothing could be done to save the barn, all of which, including the cider mill, were consumed, together with hay, grain, straw, fixtures, three horses and two head of cattle, and only by superhuman efforts were the house and garage saved. A small building 30 feet away containing large gasoline and oil tanks, was so hot the sides were charred. A traction engine, much valuable machinery and cider presses were ruined. The fire evidently started in the south-west corner of the cattle barn and gained great headway before it was seen. Evidence points strongly to incendiarism, and it is high time a vigilance committee was appointed to patrol the country-side, at night. A drum-head court, a rope and a tree by the roadside would be amply sufficient if the fire-bug were caught. Loss on this fire is estimated between three and four thousand dollars; insurance is small. This is the second disaster in the Houseknecht family within a few days, the large residence of C. George Houseknecht in the same neighborhood, having gone up in smoke. Here is a job for the State Police.

As a result of the excitement Wilson Houseknecht suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he did not rally.

—Home in North Adams. Can make you good price. Cash or terms to suit. Harley L. Fry 18t5

—Everybody should see the big film "The Maker of Men" at the Congregational church next Sunday evening.

Wanted—Laborers for steady construction work. Apply at the office of Peninsular Portland Cement Co., Woodstock, Mich. 44t2

—The 7th and 8th Grades and their teachers are invited by the high school to study for the examination on Saturday. Pot-luck dinner.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. A. Crane thanks the O. E. S. for the beautiful plant given her during her recent illness.

Death of William Crisp

William Crisp of Osceola, Nebraska, died March 31st aged 91 years. He was a veteran of the Civil war and an uncle of Mrs. Mary Gray of this village, and is survived by his wife. He was a survivor of the Sultanna disaster on the Mississippi, and saved his life by swimming three miles to shore from the ill-fated steamer. Next week we shall give a more complete history of the affair.

Sunday School Banquet

A banquet was held in the parlors of the Congregational church Friday evening April 3rd., as a result of the Sunday school contest. A short but very interesting program was given by Rev. Hunt's class in the auditorium of the church after which all went to the inviting tables in the dining room where a delicious four course banquet was served.

Much credit is due to the committee for their success in the handling of the party. The evening was spent in song singing and a general good time.

Death of Harmon C. Fowle

Harmon C. Fowle an old resident of Moscow township, passed away at the age of about 81 years. at the home of his son O. J. in Moscow last Saturday afternoon from a shock of paralysis. An obituary will appear next week. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday at the Methodist church in Moscow and interment was in the cemetery there. He is survived by two sons Byron of Jackson and O. J. of Moscow and one sister Mrs. Carrie Bryant of North Adams.

Those from away who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Byron Fowle of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs H. Rubel Battle Creek, Mr. and Mrs Theodore Swan Battle Creek, Mr. and Mrs. George Knight Battle Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris Detroit, Mrs. Maud Harris Wilson Opalaca, Alabama, Mrs. Donna Harris Westripp Chicago, Mr. Jack Harris Chicago, William Harris Detroit, Miss Mildred Fowle Berrian Springs, Illinois, Mrs. Willis L. Watkins, Manchester, James Fowle Battle Creek, Emmet Richards, Hillsdale, J. H. Hollister, North Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens Jackson and Mr. Edson Stevens Jackson.

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Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

A special service for the church hour has been planned for this Sunday. The pastor will speak on the theme "The Risen Christ" Holy communion will be observed and there will be a baptismal service with the reception of new members

Special music will be rendered by the choir and a vocal solo "Consider the Lilies" by Mrs. Hunt and the offeratory solo will be played by Howard Haskell.

Mr. Holcomb has prepared a special program for the Sunday school hour. Be there this Sunday! A good time for all who come. Let's make this the best Easter ever!

Choir practice Saturday evening at 7:30 at the home of Frances Young. Everybody out! We need U for the Easter Anthem. You are cordially invited to attend all services.

NOTE: We are going to have another picture this Sunday evening. It is "The Maker of Men" the twin to "The Stream of Life." We want the church filled for this big picture. Tell your friends and come bring your family

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For Sale—S. C. White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Mrs. A. J. Holcomb. 43t3

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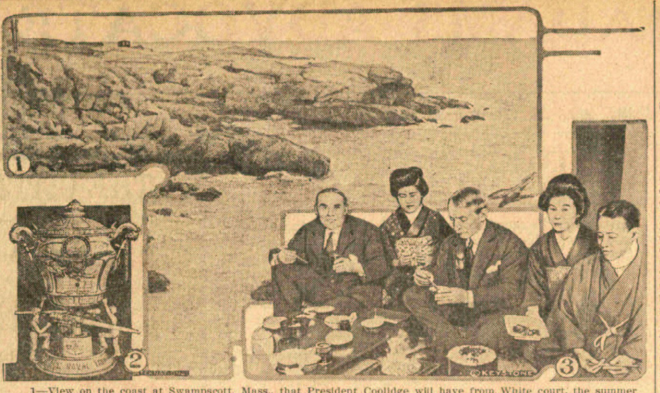


1—View on the coast at Swampscott, Mass., that President Coolidge will have from White court, the summer White House. 2—Spokane trophy, for excellence in gunnery, won by crew of battleship Pennsylvania. 3—E. A. Bancroft, ambassador to Japan, and his brother using chopsticks at great banquet given them in Imperial hotel, Tokyo.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

German Parties Lining Up for Second and Crucial Election on April 26.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

GERMANY failed to elect a President to succeed the late Herr Ebert, no one of the seven candidates receiving a majority vote, and now the party bosses are scheming various combinations for the "run-off" election that will be held on April 26. The best guess at this time is that the three candidates who will be offered to the people on that day will be Dr. Karl Jarres, right coalition; Doctor Marx, left coalition, and Herr Thaelmann, communists. Jarres, the monarchist coalition candidate in the first election, led all his rivals but Stresemann's Industrialist party is now trying to substitute another man for him. Braun, Socialist, was second, and Marx, Catholic Center, was third. Gen. Eric Ludendorff, supported by the Fascisti ultranationalists, ran last and received only about 300,000 votes.

The fight at the polls April 26 will really be between the republic and the monarchy, for the royalists, though they do not hope to change the form of government immediately even if they win the election, keep that in view for the not distant future. It is said they have completed their plans for putting the eldest son of former Crown Prince Frederick William on the throne in case a right coalition candidate is elected President, and that Frederick William himself favors this scheme. This prospect is worrying the republican press of Germany and also is causing a lot of anxiety in France.

BERLIN has been officially notified of the attitude of the allies toward the guarantee pact which Germany has offered. What England, Italy and Belgium have to say is not definitely known, but it is known that Premier Herriot has sent a series of specific questions and makes it plain that France insists that the eastern frontiers must be guaranteed the same as the Rhineland and that Germany must join the League of Nations. Herriot's firmness should do much to relieve the anxiety of Poland. Former Premier Poincare made an important speech warning France to reject Germany's proposal and to decline to reduce her armaments while Germany remains a potential danger.

France's position in regard to the new conference on limitation of armaments which President Coolidge desires to call is at this writing a matter of controversy. Dispatches from Paris say Ambassador Daeschner was instructed to tell the Washington government that France "could not permit any intrusion in her military forces until the security problem has been solved." On the other hand the embassy in Washington denied that M. Daeschner had received such instructions, and at both the White House and the State department it was asserted that no official communication concerning the proposed conference had been received from the French government. It was explained that Secretary of State Kellogg was still studying the situation and had not yet taken up with the President the matter of approaching other governments. Senator Borah, who as chairman of the senate foreign relations committee should know what he is talking about, says the plans for the conference should go forward and feels certain that reports of French opposition are exaggerated. Senator King of Utah, after calling on President Coolidge and Secretary Kellogg, expressed the belief that the conference would be held in Washington before winter and that it would take up the reduction of land forces as well as of naval forces.

ETIENNE CLEMENTEL, French minister of finance, resigned Thursday night because of opposition in the senate to his plan to add 6,000,000,000 paper francs to the money circulation of the country for the purpose of aiding business. Senator de Monzie was selected to succeed him. He has been prominent in negotiations with Soviet Russia and opposes the government's Vatican policy. There were reports that the entire Herriot government would soon resign, in which case Painleve, Briand and Caillaux might be expected to come into power. France's financial condition is admittedly desperate.

SENATOR BURTON K. WHEELER of Montana, indicted by a special federal grand jury in Washington for conspiracy to obtain fraudulently gas and oil permits on public lands in Montana, gave bail of $1,000 to appear for trial, and then issued a formal statement bitterly assailing the administration.

"The administration seems determined," Mr. Wheeler said, "to chastise every one who has the temerity to criticize or oppose the illegal practices of those in authority at Washington. A brief survey of political Washington during the last few years clearly indicates that I am not alone the subject of administration displeasure. Every public man who has raised his voice in protest against incompetence and corruption has been the subject of attack, the last being Senator Couzens of Michigan."

BRIG. GEN. WILLIAM MITCHELL, who incurred the resentment of certain of his superiors by advocating the creation of a separate air service and by his talks and writings concerning the relative importance of planes and battleships, thereby losing his position as assistant chief of the army air service, has been assigned as an air officer of the Eighth army corps with headquarters at San Antonio, Texas. The transfer takes effect April 26 and on the same date Mitchell automatically reverts to his former rank of colonel. Mitchell wanted to be assigned to the Sixth corps with headquarters at Chicago, but Secretary Weeks decided otherwise. "In selecting a post for General Mitchell," said he, "I took into consideration the fact that his rank as colonel in the air service entitles him to the best air post in the corps area. I understand he wanted to go to Chicago, but he did not apply formally for that post."

BY A vote of four to three the United States shipping board decided last week to sell to the Dollar steamship interests its five vessels now in the California-Orient service. The price obtained is $5,625,000. Commissioners Plummer, Thompson and Benson vigorously opposed the sale, pointing out that the price was $25,000,000 less than the original cost of the ships and $15,000,000 less than it would cost to build them at this time. The Pacific Mail Steamship company has been operating these ships for the board and was a bidder for their purchase. There are hints that this concern may try to prevent consummation of the deal and may carry the matter before congress at the next session.

THE week in the United States was marked by two huge financial transactions. In the first the Dodge Brothers Automobile company was sold to a syndicate of bankers headed by Dillon, Read & Co. of New York. The consideration was cash and though the exact sum was not made public it is known to be more than $175,000,000. The sellers were the widows of John and Horace Dodge. Some time ago it was learned they were tired of business cares and wished to sell their property, and at once there began a lively struggle among various interests to obtain it. Many bids were rejected and the final contest was between two groups of bankers, one headed by Dillon, Read & Co. and the other by J. P. Morgan & Co., who are largely interested in the General Motors corporation. The company is to be maintained as a separate organization, but an entirely new corporation will be formed, chartered in Michigan, with a capital of between $175,000,000 and $200,000,000. Its backbone will be an issue of first mortgage bonds, probably of about $100,000,000, the balance to be represented in common and preferred stocks, in which control of the organization will be vested. It is not unlikely that an offering to the public of some new Dodge Brothers company securities will be made soon.

It was announced Wednesday night that control of the Pan-American Petroleum and Transport company had passed to a group of interests including the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, Blair & Co., Inc., and the Chase Securities corporation. Edward L. Doheny, chairman of the board of the Pan-American and a pioneer of the Mexican oil interests, signed the contract in New York for the sale of 501,000 shares of the voting stock of his company. The consideration was not stated but the present market value of the stock transferred is about $38,000,000. The shares are held by the newly organized Pan-American Eastern Petroleum corporation. This deal is the largest consolidation in the history of the oil industry. It gives the Standard Oil Company of Indiana an important rank not only in the oil industry in this country, but also in foreign markets. It acquired control not only of the Mexican properties of the Pan-American Petroleum and Transport company, its pipe lines and refineries, but also of its tanker fleet, consisting of 31 vessels with an aggregate deadweight of 272,500 tons and capable of transporting 1,800,000 barrels of crude oil. This tanker fleet is second in size to that of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

MORE systematic and effective efforts to enforce national prohibition are expected to follow the appointment of Assistant Secretary Lincoln C. Andrews as the head of all the prohibition activities of the Treasury department. He was given this post by Secretary Mellon after Assistant Secretary Moss and Prohibition Commissioner Haynes had indulged in a long controversy over the holding of the balance of power. The prohibition unit of the department and the "dry" work of the coast guard and customs divisions will be managed by Andrews. He was in the regular army 30 years, rising to brigadier general, and gained note as the reorganizer of the military police system of the army in France after the armistice.

WHETHER Federal Judge George W. English of the Eastern district of Illinois shall be impeached will not be known until December when the congressional subcommittee that has been investigating his acts reports to the full committee. After a lot of testimony had been heard Judge English took the stand in his own behalf. Some of the accusations of official misconduct he denied, others he sought to explain and to justify, and in excuse of others he pleaded ignorance of the law. The subcommittee adjourned but may hear some further evidence later.

THE sixth international neo-malthusian and birth control conference came to an end in New York last week after adopting a resolution providing for encouragement of large families among persons of superior stock.

"The conference believes," said the resolution, "that persons whose progeny give promise of being of decided value to the community should be encouraged to bear as large families, properly spaced, as they feel they feasibly can."

An international birth-control committee was appointed, with England, Scandinavia, Austria, Hungary, Holland, Germany, Japan, China, Mexico, Switzerland and America represented. The conference voted to raise a fund to pay the fine of 37,000 francs to save Eugene Humbert and his wife from further imprisonment in France for distributing birth-control pamphlets. The next international conference will be held in Geneva next August.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, it is announced, has selected White court, at Swampscott, Mass., for his summer vacation and he and his family will go there on June 13. The residence was leased recently by Frank W. Stearns, the President's close friend.

SECRETARY WEEKS has invited bids for the purchase of power developed by the Wilson dam at Muscle Shoals. This is in accordance with the plan of the army engineers to develop and sell the power pending final disposition of the project by congress. About July 1 the Wilson dam will begin the development of 100,000 horsepower daily. It is not expected that high rates of pay will be obtained since the contracts must be revocable by the government on 30 days' notice and will be of short duration.

Italian Women Fight for Right to Vote

Rome.—Angered by the suspicion that they have been the victims of a political game and indignant at the idea that the government has broken its promise to grant women suffrage in municipal elections, Italian proponents of equal political rights for men and women have begun a vigorous campaign to win public opinion to their side of the case.

The decision of committees of the senate and chamber of deputies, rejecting woman's suffrage as a step too inopportune to be taken at this time, was a bitter one for the suffragists.

It came but a short time after their hopes had been raised, as they had been never before, by the declaration of Premier Mussolini before a congress here of women from all parts of the globe that Italy intended to grant the vote to its women.

Government leaders explain their change of front as a necessary result of the present political situation, but the women refuse to believe this, especially since one government spokesman was quoted as saying: "Italy has suffered too much in the past from women rulers; it is not easy to forget the Borgias."

The National Association of Italian Women has issued a manifesto declaring that forty-eight nations have granted the vote to women and that Italy runs the risk of being the last to take the step, thereby creating false ideas abroad about social and political conditions south of the Alps

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Senate Approves State's Buying D. G. H. & M. Railway Property

Lansing—By a unanimous vote, the Senate passed the Howarth Resolution declaring the intent of the state to purchase the property of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad. The vote was taken after the bill had been reported out of the Committee on Rules and Resolutions with a recommendation it be passed. The vote which brought the resolution out of committee with recommendation of passage was unanimous, although it is understood that Senator George G. Hunter of St. Johns, chairman, was opposed to the recommendation, as was one other member. Finding themselves outnumbered, they agreed to make the vote unanimous.

Split On Rapid Transit Bill

After lengthy discussion members of the Wayne delegation in the house and spokesmen for the Detroit rapid transit commission were still disagreed as to what financial limitations should be incorporated in the new enabling act that has been drafted at the governor's suggestion and which it is proposed to introduce in place of the bill that the governor had threatened to veto because of belief that it was unconstitutional. The legislators plan for financial restriction of the rapid transit commission roughly would provide for the raising of a $60,000,000 fund and the building of approximately 12 miles of railway.

Solons Indulge In Horseplay

The roguish atmosphere of April Fool's Day provided self-entertainment for 30 members of the Michigan state senate. Senator Harvey E. Penney of Saginaw, and his anti-gas station bill were the objects of the sprightly remarks. While the boyish capers were enacted into legislative history 30 members of the senate, seven newspaper correspondents and an unlimited number of senate employes looked dubiously at cigars passed through the chamber by Senator Walter Truettner, of Bessemer. The cigars failed miserably to explode.

Primary School Bill Passes

A new system of distributing the primary school fund was enacted into law, save for the Governor's signature, by the legislature. The Bohn-Carter-Turner measure, providing that 5 per cent of the fund be set aside for distribution to the poorer counties under the so-called Escanaba plan, passed by the House by a vote of 83 to 6. It had previously passed the Senate. The change will permit the apportionment to the counties which need State aid in the most of about $750,000 a year, in addition to their regular quota of the fund.

Prohibition Enforcement Cut

That probition enforcement in Detroit and other parts of Michigan will be curtailed this year was indicated when the senate finance committee reported out an appropriation bill allowing only $150,000 for this branch of law enforcement. At the same time it was announced that the department of public safety is to be reorganized under the direction of state administrative board.

State Fair Number Approved

The appointment of John W. Smith, of Port Huron, as a member of the board of managers of the State Fair was confirmed by the Senate on presentation by Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck. Several other appointments to minor boards, made by the Governor since the adjournment of the 1923 Legislature, were referred to the Committee on Executive Business.

Senate Passes Courts Bill

The Callender-Wood-Darin County Court Bill, aimed to effect a reorganization of Justice Courts in counties of 100,000 or more inhabitants, and pointed particularly at Detroit, passed the Senate by a vote of 22 to 8. The measure is now in the House. The new bill changes the name of the court to the County Court, and makes it a state institution.

Finance Measure Amended

Senator Charles E. Greene, of Richmond, asked a reconsideration of the vote by which his bill to license and regulate finance corporations was passed by the Senate. The reconsideration was granted and Mr. Greene presented an amendment to the bill, specifically exempting real estate companies and private banks from the operation of its provisions. In this stage, the bill was repassed by a unanimous vote.

Governor Calls Conference

Gov. Alex. J. Groesbeck took a hand in the legislative appropriations tangle when he called a conference of the Senate Finance Committee, the House Ways and Means Committee, Lieut.- Gov. George Welsh, Speaker Fred B. Wells and Henry Croll, Jr., director of the budget, in the offices of the State Administrative Board in the State Office Building. The immediate cause of the conference, it was reported, was the question of rebuilding the State Sanitorium at Howell.

Highway Amendment Passed

The Kirby Bill to amend the Highway Laws by eliminating the sections providing for the payment of state rewards to townships and counties for road construction, was passed by the house by a vote of 58 to 30. It would do away with a system which has been in effect since 1909, but which is now considered out of date with the centralizing of construction and control of trunk line highways under the state highway commissioner and administrative board

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Owosso—The Consumers Power Co. is rebuilding its entire system here, in anticipation of the city becoming one of 20,000 population within a few years.

Grand Rapids—Vernon Nederveld, 9-year-old son of Gerrit Nederveld, was injured fatally when he fell from a hay mow through to a cement floor, at the farm of Peter Dewys, in Walker township.

Jackson—Fire, starting in the town hall at Grass Lake, destroyed the structure and endangered the business district of the town. The loss to the building is estimated at $5,000, covered by insurance.

Detroit—Steamer Eastern States, of the Detroit & Cleveland Navigation company, has sailed for Cleveland on the opening voyage of the season. Over 250 passengers boarded the steamer for the pening voyage.

Bay City—Though it voted to instruct the superintendent of schools to give preference to single teachers, the Bay City Board of Education has voted against banning married teachers, a step for which there had been strong agitation.

Ypsilanti—Joseph Sackman, former State Trooper and for some time stationed at Wayne, has joined the Ypsilanti police force as a traffic officer. Last year Ypsilanti had but one motorcycle officer, but this season there will be two and possibly more.

Sault Ste. Marie—Water has been let into the American and Canadian locks at this port in preparation for the coming of the first boats. There is no ice in St. Mary's river between the two Soos. The ice in Mud and Hay Lakes is still about 15 inches thick but is soft.

Lansing—A total estimated income for the year of $18,000,000 from the gasoline and weight tax laws was the figure arrived at by the department of state following the issuance of its quarterly report. When the highway finance plan was adopted by the legislature estimates ran as high as $23,000,000 or $24,000,000.

Ann Arbor—The University of Michigan during the preceding year cut down on maintenance of its buildings away below the point of good business. Still, it has a deficit of $200,000. All this is due to lack of sufficient money, and that was caused by an arbitrary limitation on its revenue from the mill tax.

Muskegon—Circuit Judge John Vanderwerp has issued a permanent injunction restraining the city from paying Justices Robert E. Gale and J. E. Turner $400 a month increase in salary. The suit was brought by John Bennick, a taxpayer, on the grounds that the salaries had been increased during their term of office.

Cadillac—They lived together and they were buried together. Such epitomizes the lives of two old cronies, mill employes for the same company for 30 years. Frank Victor, 57 years old, died March and his room mate, Adolph Ericson, 63 years old, died late rthe same day. Each succumbed to pneumonia, following an attack of influenza.

Lansing—Judge William F. Steinkohl, of Municipal Court, notified the city council that he is not satisfied with the salary fixed in the 1925 budget it remains the same as when he was elected, $2,400. The council refused an increase of $600 when it declined to raise the salaries of any elective officers. As a result Judge Steinkohl may resign.

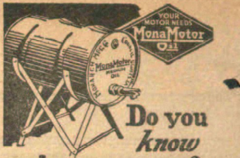
Mt. Clemens—Little hope was expressed by physicians at the St. Joseph's Sanitarium here for the recovery of Mrs. Wesley Mull, or her five-year-old son, Wilson, whom she saved from instant death at the risk of her own life by throwing him from the track of a Port Huron bound interurban car at Roseville, on Gratiot avenue between Detroit and Mt. Clemens.

Bay City—"The Detroit & Mackinac railroad has not given any thought to the subject of discontinuing any of its passenger train service," said John McCray, of East Tawas, assistant to the general manager, in explaining why the company had asked the Michigan public utilities commission for permission to operate a bus line between this city and Alpena.

Bad Axe—Joseph Schwalm, in accepting the office of city treasurer, said that he would be willing to accept a lower salary than the office pays providing the difference was turned over to the firemen for a fire hall fund. The amount, $600, was placed in the hands of the city council by the firemen. An amount equal to the sum presented by the fire department will be added yearly to the fund to erect a new fire hall.

Lansing—Upon the request of Mrs. John J. Cox, of Ann Arbor, chairman of the conservation committee of the Michigan Federation of Women's Clubs, for an extension of privileges to the Boy Scouts of Michigan, the state conservation commission offered the state's game and forest reserves as free ground for the establishment of summer camps for the scouts. Mrs. Cox, appearing for the Federation, asked that the scouts be given the privilege of studying the state's program of reforestation at first hand.

Ypsilanti—Mrs. Edith C. Munger, of Hart, was re-elected president of the Michigan Audubon Society at the closing session of the annual two-day meeting here. T. L. Hankinson, professor of zoology at the Michigan State Normal College here, was elected vice-president to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Arthur D. Moore, of South Haven. Walter Hastings of South Lyon, was re-elected second vice-president, and Miss Geneva Smith, of Ypsilanti was re-elected secretary-treasurer.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Better Homes Truck To Tour State Again

A special "Better Homes" truck equipped with a variety of farm and home conveniences suitable for demonstration purposes, will tour several Michigan counties during the coming summer, according to announcement made here this week by the agricultural engineering department at M. A. C. sponsors of the campaign.

A year ago this same demonstration train covered 22 counties in the southern part of the state, making 71 separate stops. As a result of the success of that trip, the decision to tour again this summer has been made, it is understood.

Starting in Saginaw County on May 18, the tour will reach Midland, Arenac, Ogenaw, Tuscola, Huron, Sanilac and St. Clair counties on its first swing, which ends on June 12. Later in the summer an itinerary of counties in the western part of the state will be covered.

The truck, which becomes a giant demonstration booth, will carry electric lighting plants, a variety of farm water systems, a completely equipped farm bath room, gas engines, a radio receiver, a concrete mixer and other items of home conveniences. O, E Robey, extension specialist at the college, and two assistants, will "man" the truck.

Erection of a Michigan septic tank at each of the stops on the tour, the forms used to be left in the neighborhood for future building, will constitute one of the most important features of the demonstration train. Local county agricultnral agents are completing arrangements for the stops to be made in their territory.

New Ruling on Mail Matter

Evidently the postoffie system was not paying out very satisfactorily as rates on nearly everything except first class letters and postal cards has been raised. Postmaster VanWert hands us the following summary of the changes effective April 1st, 1925. You will be somewhat surprised when you send money orders or bulky packages through the mails:

Mailable matter is now divided into four classes—1st, written matter; 2nd, periodical publications; 3rd, merchandise and printed and other mailable matter, except that of the first and second classes, not exceeding eight ounces in weight; 4th, merchandise and printed and mailable matter, except that of the first and second classes, exceeding eight ounces in weight.

The rate of postage on private mailing cards (post cards) shall be two cents each. They must be approximately the size of the stamped postal card now in general use in the United States. The regulation government cards will remain one cent each.

The letter postage remains the same as at present. Second class rates affect only publishers and newsdealers and is figured on a zone basis. Third class includes all matter not in the first two classes up to eight ounces in weight, thus bringing small parcel post matter in this class. The rate is 1½ cents for each two ounces or fraction thereof, except that on books, catalogues, seeds, cuttings, bulbs, etc., not exceeding eight ounces shall be one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

Typewriting and carbon and letter press copies thereof are now classed as first class mail.

Facsimile copies of handwriting or typewriting produced by a mechanical process such as the printing press, mimeograph, multigraph etc., shall be treated as matter of the third or fourth class, according to weight, providing they are presented for mailing in a minimum number of 20 identical unsealed copies. If mailed elsewhere or in less number the first class rate shall apply.

Mail matter of the 4th class shall be in excess of eight ounces, and not exceeding 70 pounds for delivery in the first, second or third zones, or not exceeding 50 pounds for delivery in the other zones. Nor shall the package be of greater size than 84 inches in length and girth combined, nor in form or kind likely to injure the person of any postal employe or damage the mail equipment or other mail matter, nor of perishable nature within reasonable period required for transportation and delivery.

The zone rate on the fourth class matter is not changed except that a service charge of two cents for each parcel (except upon parcels collected on rural routes). Whenever in addition to the regular postage 25 cents extra in stamps be affixed with the words "Special Handling" written or printed thereon, such parcel shall receive the same expeditious handling, transportation and delivery as is accorded first class mail.

Sealing a package of third or fourth class matter without a printed label stating that the package may be opened for postal inspection makes it first class with postage at two cents per ounce. The registry fee for first class mail indemnified for $50 or less will be be 15 cents; over $50 and less than $100 is 20 cents. By paying an additional fee of 3 cents a receipt will be returned to the sender upon delivery of the mail.

The insurance fee shall be 5 cents for indemnification not to exceed $5; 8 cents for up to $25; 10 cents for up to $50 and 25 cents up to $1. The fees for insurance are in excess of the regular postage. An additional fee of 3 cents will bring you a receipt upon the delivery of the parcel. Parcel post matter may be sent collect on delivery between money order offices in the U. S. and its possessions, except to the Philippine Islands. The fees are 12 cents for collections not exceeding $10; 15 cents not over $50; 25 cents not over $1. Both postage and fee shall be paid by affixing stamps to the parcel. The C. O. D fee shall also cover the insurance fee up to the value to be collected

Money orders shall not be issued for more than $100, and the fees shall be: Not exceeding $2.50, 5 cents. From $2.50 to $5.00, 7 cents From $5.00 to $10.00, 10 cents. From $10.00 to $20, 12 cents. From $20 to $40, 15 cents. From $40 to $60, 18 cents. From $6 to $30, 20 cents. From $80 to $100, 22 cents.

Reminiscences of An Old Whaler

(Continued from last week)

We also had paddles which we lost but saved three buckets for baling which were kept busy to keep the boat afloat. We held the whale with a harpoon which I have now also two pieces of black bone about three feet long and a piece of hide from the top of his head. These may be seen by anyone who will come to my house. I did not need them to remember him by. I was sitting in the water three hours in that climate with more clothes on than I ever wore here, before the ship got to us and we got on dry clothes. It was the cause of a spinal trouble of which I never fully recovered and I was forced to change my occupation. We had the whale tied to the bow with the anchor chain arround the tail, his body lying along the ship's side. We made fast to the head then cut it off and raised it on deck We cut the tongue loose and let it float away for food for the fish.

You often hear a man tell about what a tongue a woman has, but Oh my! You should see a whale's tongue. They will weigh a ton or more according to size of the whale. This whale was what we would call a small one, only 50 barrels of oil from the body back of the head. We cut the head off about a foot back of the mouth and 6 inches back of the eyes. The tongue was not less than 15 feet long, 6 feet wide and 2½ feet thick when the head lay right side up, jaw flat on deck, 7 feet high and 9 feet between the eyes, there I had before me a straight wall of meat except the backbone I did not get the size of it. I could easily get my arm in the throat above the elbow. Any large whale would be over 10 feet in diameter at the neck. I had found out the size of a fifty barrel whale's throat and the only way it could be done was to have the head on on deck; the throat was lying in its natural condition. There was no trouble to get any measurements desired and yet the most important point needed I could not get and no one ever has got it. How much is the throat capable of expanding? All whales swallow their food whole except the Sperm What object would God have in creating the largest monster in the sea and give him a throat that would compel him to feed on minnows and he would have to scoop fast and not stop to rest to supply a body of that size. Scientists say what we know of a thing is by comparison. I will go by their rule, we will compare a whale's throat with the throat of a small grass snake. The whale's neck is 10 feet or more in diameter, the snake's ¾ inch or less. The snake will swallow a toad more than twice the size of its neck.

I believe a whale swallows many fish that are larger than a large man. I don't believe it was necessary for God to prepare a fish for the job. I don't consider it a miracle to put Jonah in a whale's stomach but it was a miracle to put him on shore alive, giving him a chance to repent of the sin of disobedience.

This miracle was in a warm country. The whale was probably a large Humpback which are found in those waters. The account of it being recorded in the Bible is positive proof that it is true. Only a person seeing a whale can imagine its size. I will give you a starting point for a guess as to its size. The blubber or fat lies the same as the fat on a hog. It is 5 to 15 inches thick according to the size and age of the whale. Now imagine taking a layer of fat 15 inches thick from the outside of a whale, back of the head and trying it out and get 317 barrels of oil.

If your imagination is correct as to the size of the whale's carcass you will have the size of the largest whale ever captured. It is on record in the office of a ship owner in the city of New Bedford Mass. It was caught in East Greenland many years ago and was a Wright whale. The largest Sperm whale was caught in the South Atlantic near the island of St. Helena and made 212 barrels of oil. Late years the size of whales caught run from 50 to 200 barrels of oil. On account of being hunted so much they do not have time to get full size. There are less vessels in the business but better facilities for catching and handling them. Now don't think you know all there is about the whaling business. If I should explain all the minor details you would get more than twice as much as you have here. Without spinning any sailor yarns I will say to any young man having an attack of sea fever if you have a home stay there and be as useful as possible. Try and make the world better for your having lived in it.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale,

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 16th day of March A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, deceased.

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A.D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered : That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three succesive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR D. GUERNS
Judge of Probate E

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 16th day of March, A. D., 1925.

Present : Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY, Judge of Probate,

In the matter of the estate of Daniel A. Wisner, incompetent,

Cynthia J. Wisner having filed in said court her final adminitstration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered : That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTRUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3-12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3-12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3-4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

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Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

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STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

ON "SUCKER LISTS"

"Ever since I bought that $500 electric company bond, Aunt Emmy," said Helen, "I have been pestered by all sorts of bond salesmen to buy other things. I should like to invest again, but I am bewildered. Every day or so I see something that sounds so good. But I don't know what to do."

"That reminds me," said Aunt Emmy, fishing through her workbasket and taking out some clippings from her needle book. "I have an article from a magazine that will help. The writer gave some questions to make a bond salesman answer in writing and said that if the salesman were on the square he would answer the questions satisfactorily. Here they are," and Aunt Emmy began to read:

"'1. Will my bank say that the house which is offering the security is reputable?

"'2. Give an exact description of the security?

"'3. What provision is made for paying off this and other securities of the company?

"'4. What is the nature of the business of the company?

"'5. How much of a margin did the company earn annually over all its depreciation and interest charges for each of the last ten years?

"'6. What dividends has the company paid on its stock for each of the last ten years?

"'7. What are the company's total assets and liabilities and has it sufficient funds to carry on its business?

"'8. What are the experience and reputation of the men controlling and operating the company?'

"Then the next thing to do is to go to your banker and let him check up all this information for you," added Aunt Emmy. "Now that you know your name is on a 'sucker list' be doubly careful."

"What's a 'sucker list,' Aunty?"

"It is a list of the names of people who have purchased securities or inquired about them. Such lists are bought by so-called investment brokerage houses all over the country. Lots of bad securities are sold through unscrupulous brokers writing to the names on those lists."

"Oh, that's it, is it?" exclaimed Helen. "I suppose the poor people are flattered at getting such letters. I know I was."

"Just so," Aunt Emmy said, with a smile.—Anne B. Aymes.

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Seventeen students are securing an education in the Georgia State College of Agriculture through financial aid which the State Bankers Association is giving. In 1923 the Association increased its annual dues so as to contribute toward the education of boys and girls in club work who could not otherwise receive a higher education. This year, therefore, $1,000 was put into a trust fund with the College to be loaned to students who need help. It was placed in what is known as the "Ex-President's Fund," a fund which has been receiving voluntary contributions from the retiring presidents of the Bankers Association since 1915. In amount the fund is now $7,153. Fifty students have been helped prior to this year, making a total of sixty-seven.

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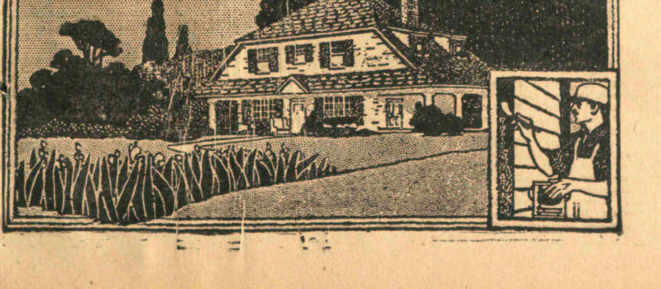
WALT MASON.

Clean Up and Paint Up



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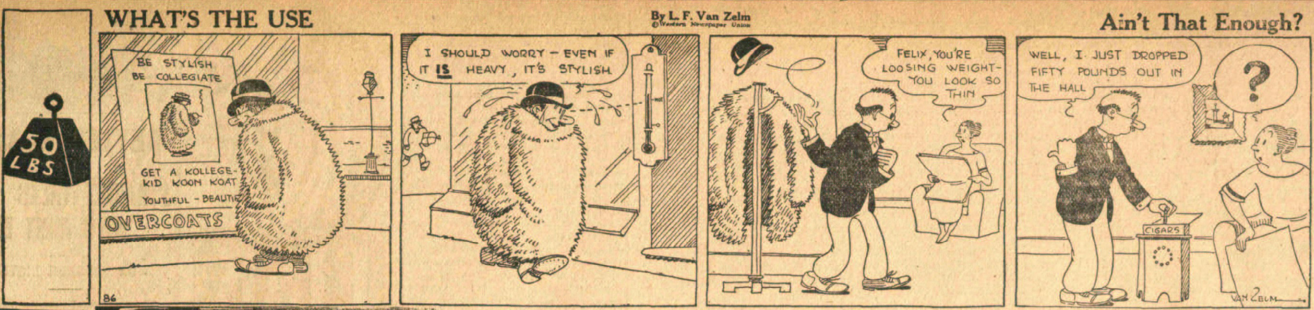
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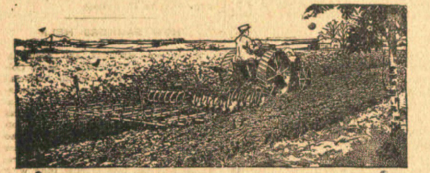

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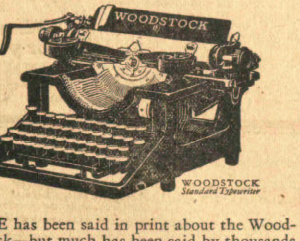

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"The Juvenile Jazz To Jail"

The preachers are not the only ones who are disturbed over the alleged immorality of youth. Under the above caption The Literary Digest of March 26 calls in a host of witnesses from the courts and shows that the preachers are not fools after all. The judges of America are coming to the aid of the church, and it is high time that the guardians of youth get together The Digest starts a two page discussion with these words:

American parents can not fail to be disturbed by the terrible precocity in crime which, even from a casual reading of the daily papers appears to be the distinguishing feature of this great age of jazz. The flouting of the law and of the ordinary conventions and decencies of society by the generation now growing gray, has set an example, court records and newspapers show which the cradle itself is learning to follow, with exact precision aud deadly effect.

The 'teen age totes its own; it is saturated with the sophistries which usually distinguish adults morally gone to seed; from the youth of the land the jails and prisons are recruiting as victims those who should still be playing marbles or dressing dolls.

It would be squandering time and space to recite details with which every newspaper reader is familiar. Every one can recall reading of rum parties engaged in by high school boys and girls, of young murderers, thieves and bandits brought to bay—a sickeningly large number.

More than one judge in the great criminal courts of New York City has pointed out that modern criminal processes are continually dealing with children in their early and middle 'teens. The report of the Prison Commissioner of the of the State of New York notes with horror that a large percentage of the criminals of today are mere boys and girls.

The papers have been full of high school escapades, excesses and not a few tragedies, last of all the stirring of Wyandotte over the alleged sale of liquor to its students A good many communities would do well to stop complaining about their taxes and find out how things are really going with their youth. The few items picked up by the press tell the story of other possibilities that are still in embryo under the surface.

Here is a chance for a volume of comment, but we content ourselves with a "few feeble remarks." Fundamentally, the present situation is possible because of lack of team work by youth's best friends, the school, the home and the church Aiming at the same goal, we thoughtlessly trip one another up in our efforts, and disaster follows.

The home is lax and lazy. It is easier to let the children go "out" for the evening than it is to plan a worth-while evening at home. If they stay at home, it is liable then to be a case of following the path of least resistance, and wasting the evening, or worse, on cards. Strange how this exiled game is working its way back in the homes formerly quarantined against this gaming pest, this ancient infection that, like the flu, breaks out with regularity.

The church today is the least guilty, for it is making the finest attempt to reach young life against the fiercest odds in its history. In the city it has a scant chance at youth of school age. A pastor of another denomination recently voiced the sentiment of scores of our own pastors, when he said: "I can not get the high school folks out to anything. Their nights are pre-empted, either for the study or the social life of the school. Sometimes we get a group out for a supper, but it is a touch and go affair at the best. I can not even find time to train a class for Easter and even Sunday night is now utilized for getting Monday's lessons.

Ministers everywhere speak with deepest resentment over the unwarranted encroachment of the modern social and recreational life of the school. The pity is that this modern program of our schools is put on in perfectly good faith. It is a new experimentation, suggested by modern educational leaders who are so enthusiastic over some passing fad as to ignore the abiding effort of the church. If only these experiments could be tried out on a race of guinea pigs, nobody would kick, but the plot thickens when the stunts are tried on children. Nor does it help as much as it ought to know that we are being wounded in the house of a friend. Some of our best educators worry over some modern programs. If they had children in school they would worry more.

FATAL NON-CO-OPERATION

What is the result of the non cooperation? It takes the leadership of youth away from the home, the church and the school, and gives it largely over to the gang, the scientific name of the group of boys or girls, or both, with which your children are identified.

Ever see it in figures? The church is lucky if it gets two hours of your boy's time in a week. You are with him how many hours? Counting meal time, do you have him ten hours a week out of his waking 112 hours? Just figure it for yourself.

The school authorities have him from 25 to 40 hours a week. When you consider that at certain ages, a parent's influence is low and a teacher's influence is high, it seems only fair to ask the school to bear its fair share of responsibility for present day troubles.

(Continued next week)

Annual House Cleaning Day

'Tis time when the intricacies of the back yard appeal to the lady of the house and she getteth the garden rake and hieth herself toward the ash heap. Wonder what we will have to announce this spring in the way of new paint ups and house repairs? The village is not especially dirty; there is no such volume of offal and garbage to dispose of as cities may have to complain of, but we have a certain amountoffeffete matter which should be taken care of in the spring time such as old tin cans, old worn rubbers and shoes, stove pipe and discarded kitchen utensils, and the sooner you citizens make up your mind to remove it the better. The board of health has told you what it harbors. You know from personal experience that vermin, and disease lurk in such things. They are non sanitary and non-lookable and you don't want them laying around anyhow. Let's just get after the stuff pretty soon and no doubt the village council will fall in line directly and furnish free passage of your rubbish to the junk yard. We laugh (we can't help it) when we note the old nondescript vehicles parked in some rear premises. We used to think the automobile was a machine which only the ideal rich. While the price lists of new autos seems to stay right up where they were a few years ago, yet the used car keeps degenerating until today it is possible to get a machine which is running on its last hundred mile for practically the price of removal in Detroit. In no other institution about our country is so much money lost as in these "gas buggies" and nobody cares a rap. We have set a pace and we are living up to it—you bet. When a man (rich or poor) pays $1,000 for an automobile and drives it one month where at its value has dropped to $400 we'd say he is slightly extravagent and he is, but its all in the life. Nobody will ever be the poorer for it—any more than they would 20 years ago by owning a $200 horse. The whole scale is adjusted to work in unison and when one little poor man moves up the scale one notch another takes his place and if he disposes of a good machine for $400 some poorer man makes a little profit off his misfortune and buys what looks to him a palatial rig, and so on down until the last man who junks the car has really got his money out of it. In other words every machine sold works out its full value in several different hands and keeps the money in circulation. Now to get back to the house cleaning proposition we want to say a little paint and a little elbow grease go a long way on life's pathway. Let's paint up, pay up, clean up and stay up.

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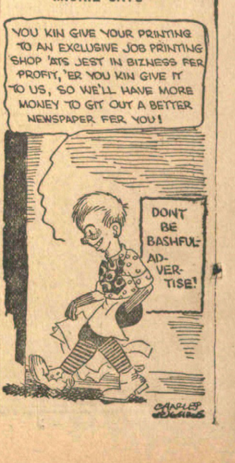
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CHAPTER VIII—Continued

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She nodded happily. "I am ashamed to feel so gay when you are unhappy," she said.

"I am not unhappy, Joan," he answered. "I thought over everything last night, and I see now that you were right. I shall go back. Of course I shall go back. I shall regain what I have lost, and I shall face my enemies and beat them."

At ten o'clock the horse was harnessed and the drive back began.

At first Joan, seated at her lover's side, breathed in the mountain air, the sense of freedom, the scent of the pines, the joy of the sunlight. Then the peaks began to tower above them. The dulled valley air struck something from her joy, but not too much for her to dream. She looked fondly at Lancaster, who drew her hand into his.

"I am going back to win," he said again.

Later the sun went into clouds. The air grew moister, the hills inclosed them, the familiar landmarks began to reappear. And now something of Lancaster's despondency of the evening before came over Joan. And again, as if sensing her mood, he reiterated:

"I am going back to fight and win, my dear."

But when the institute came into sight at last the long, gaunt building cast its chill over the girl's heart. In contrast with the mountain village Lancaster was depressing and lonely. And Joan was conscious of one gripping fear. Suppose that Myers had returned!

She understood now how Lancaster had felt the evening before when he said he would never go back. It was like plunging out of the sunlight into a dark mountain pool.

The matron came forward as the buggy stopped. Joan looked at her in terror. But her face was placid enough, and she was able to read in it the secretary's continued absence.

"Dr. Lancaster, there was a telephone message for you a few minutes ago from Avonmouth," she said.

Lancaster leaped from the buggy and helped Joan down. "I'll be with you in a few moments," he said, throwing the reins over the hitching post.

He went into the house. His step was firm, his demeanor unruffled; the matron, who followed him, seemed undisturbed. But already everything was changed. The black shadow of Myers seemed to loom up until it overspread the institute again. Joan paced the porch in fear which gathered strength each moment that Lancaster failed to return. When at last she saw him coming her suspense was unbearable.

She looked at him in mute fear as he laid his hand carelessly upon her shoulder.

"I have to go to Avonmouth at once," he said. "I have no choice in the matter. It is a patient who must undergo an operation—my operation—within twelve hours. It is fortunate that we have the buggy, because I shall just have time to catch the afternoon train and get into Avonmouth at midnight."

Then he looked at her white face and read the fear in it. "If you tell me to stay, I'll say," he said.

"And the patient?" whispered Joan.

"Will die. No, of course I shall go. Nothing could keep me from going, not even you, my dear. But you would not have me stay."

"You are right. Yes, of course you must go. But I am afraid," said Joan. "I am afraid of Myers."

He started, as if he, too, had been thinking of the secretary. "But the man can't harm me, dear," he said.

"The message came from him!" cried Joan in fear.

Lancaster looked away. But, when she repeated the question he answered, "No."

"He is at Avonmouth. Is he not there?" she asked.

"Well, Joan, I think he is," said Lancaster reluctantly. "But he may not be. I only know that the message was not from him."

"It was not from the hospital? Not from MacPherson?"

"It was from a man connected with the hospital," said Lancaster. "But it was not from MacPherson and not from Myers, and it did not mention Myers' name. Why, my dear, you mustn't give way to nerves now that I am losing mine. It is a simple request for me to operate tomorrow."

She pulled herself together. "Of course you must go, John," she said again. She put her arms about his neck. "Dear, if you should see that man, you will not fall into any trap that he may set for you?" she asked. "You are so strong, you will not let him trample on you? You are yourself again, and you will remain so for my sake?"

"Never fear!" he answered cheerfully. "I am not going to take morphine again. Why, I shall have none with me, my dear Joan, and I should have no opportunity to buy any, even if I wanted to. I shall operate perhaps as soon as I reach the hospital, and return on the morning train. I may not even go to my house at all."

"I am not afraid that you will take morphine," said Joan. "But you will not see Myers?"

"Not if I can help it. He can't come to the hospital, and I don't think he will dare to lie in wait for me at the station. If he does, he'll find me a tough customer to kidnap in broad daylight. There, my dear, be calm and sensible, and when I return I shall tell you everything that you must know."

He kissed her and hurried in to pack his suitcase. He came out in a few moments and placed it in the buggy. "Good-by, Joan, dearest Joan," he said. "And you will not hint at our engagement to Mrs. Fraser while I am gone? I have very special reasons for this."

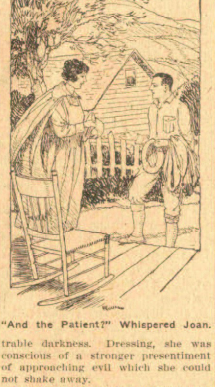
She shook her head and laughed, and returned his kiss, and all the while her heart grew heavier. And long after the buggy had disappeared from sight she stood upon the porch looking after it.

Chapter IX

That night was sleepless as the last, but all the joy that had filled her heart in the hill cabin was gone. She lay awake, listening to the rain that pattered on the roof, thinking and wondering. How strange her life had become, and how far away the old landmarks were! She had fought for a man's soul in darkness and snatched it into light, and now the darkness seemed closing about her again. And she could only hope and wait through endless hours.

In vain she tried to tell herself that it was only an ordinary summons. On the face of it, the call was natural; but Joan's instinct told her that there was more behind it. Myers had not surrendered his prey so easily as he had assumed to do. And Lancaster had been evasive—to spare her, perhaps, but evasive. And her task now was only to wait.

At eight she rose. She imagined that he must have finished the operation some time before, and be at the station, or on his way there, but her soul could not go out to his across the distance, and their communion seemed to be cut short by the same impenetrable darkness. Dressing, she was conscious of a stronger presentiment of approaching evil which she could not shake away.


"And the Patient?" Whispered Joan.

It was a gloomy day, and the rain came down in torrents. About eleven o'clock Doctor Jenkins arrived in his buggy and inquired for Lancaster. He seemed surprised to learn that he had gone to Avonmouth.

He was preparing to return but Joan felt the need of speech with him irresistible. She did not mean to cross-examine him, she only wanted to shake off the feeling that Lancaster had passed out of her reach by speaking to one of his associates. She hardly knew the purpose of her accosting Jenkins until she saw the look of concern upon his face.

"Miss Wentworth, you aren't well!" he exclaimed. "You have been overdoing it!"

"No, Doctor Jenkins, but—Doctor Lancaster has gone into Avonmouth—"

"Yes, Miss Wentworth. But he won't come to any harm there, thanks to you. You've taught me a thing or two about morphine patients, Miss Wentworth," he went on, in his polite, complimentary fashion. "I never saw anyone get well as fast as Doctor Lancaster, nor any nurse that could handle a situation as you did," he added.

"Yes, but it was not really morphine, you know," said Joan, and then she almost gaped in astonishment. What had she said? Why had she said it?

Doctor Jenkins was staring at her too. "Not morphine, you say, Miss Wentworth?" he stammered.

"I mean, the symptoms weren't those of morphine poisoning," said Joan.

"Oh, well, Miss Wentworth, everybody takes it in a different way," he answered. "Yes, I reckon it was morphine right enough. They wouldn't put the wrong label on the bottles. You certainly did set things humming, Miss Wentworth," he added, laughing and raising his hat.

"Wait a moment, Doctor Jenkins," persisted Joan. "I am so anxious about the doctor. He ought not to have gone; he was in no condition to go, and yet a man's life is at stake."

The doctor's face became at once impenetrable. He seemed to be on his guard against her. He seemed to know more than she, Doctor Lancaster's fiancee, knew; it was humiliating and ironical, but Joan saw that to question him, even if she had been so minded, was useless.

She was not minded. That would be a disloyal act toward her lover. Soon she would know; and meanwhile she kept down her fears. She watched Jenkins drive away with sinking heart. And somehow the morning passed.

The hours of afternoon were leaden ones. Five o'clock came at last, with no cessation of the downpour, and Joan went out and paced the rain-soaked veranda endlessly, looking anxiously in the direction of the station, though she knew that it must be at least two hours before she could hope to see Jenkins' buggy again on its way up the hill.

Through the lowering western clouds the sun, emerging for a moment, streaked the west with angry crimson splashes. Lancaster must be nearly home. But it was no use waiting there, where her fears grew from moment to moment. She went into the building, and saw the matron standing within her door. Suddenly she sensed the reflection of her own fears in Mrs. Fraser's heart; she knew the woman was doing nothing as she stood there, was waiting, like herself, and, in the same manner, hoping against hope for the doctor's safe return. Impulsively Joan entered the room. She could keep silence no longer. She broke down, sobbing distractedly.

"I am afraid something has happened to the doctor," she wept.

"Now you sit down in that chair, Miss Wentworth," said Mrs. Fraser kindly. "It's been a trying day. But Doctor Lancaster will be home in an hour, and there's no use becoming anxious about him. Heavens, if we got anxious before we had cause, what should we do?"

"I know," sobbed the girl. "But I can't bear waiting. I know something has happened to him."

"Now, my dear, you are all worked up about him," she said. "He won't come to any harm. He can't come to harm when he went straight to his own hospital," she added.

But she spoke without conviction. Joan's hysterical mood was infecting her, increasing her own fears and forebodings.

"I reckon you know, Miss Wentworth, how much Doctor Jenkins and I feel we owe to you for taking care of the doctor," she said, seating herself at the girl's side. "And for getting that man out of the place, my dear. Man? He's a devil—he's the doctor's devil, Miss Wentworth. And no harm can come to the doctor with you watching for him and praying for him."

Joan looked up at her with troubled face. "Mrs. Fraser, I am so much at a loss," she said. "Doctor Jenkins and you have known Doctor Lancaster so long, and I am a stranger here. I am like a child in comparison with you, so far as knowledge of Doctor Lancaster is concerned. I have been fighting his physical troubles, and I do not know his mental ones. That is what puts me at a loss. How can I know that Doctor Lancaster's enemies are not waiting for him, or have not hurt him?"

The matron placed her hand on the girl's knee. "Why, my dear, Doctor Lancaster has no enemies," she said. "How could such a splendid man have enemies? Of course there are troubles; who hasn't them? And it may be there's things that Doctor Jenkins and I don't know—I've thought there might be. But we've only been here three years, and that was long after the doctor's troubles began. And of course we never listened to the village gossip. But oh, Miss Wentworth, you can't imagine the sorrow in our hearts when we saw that splendid man giving way to his habit, and letting it creep over him little by little and gain the mastery.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"News" in "Newport News"

The origin of the name of the city of Newport News is uncertain. It is believed to be derived from two proper names—Newport and Newce. Captain Newport commanded the first vessel to bring immigrants to Virginia and William Newce was one of the early treasurers of the colony. John Smith wrote the latter name "Nuse."

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Good Motto for Life: "Bring Out the Best"

Did you ever stop to think what kind of a woman your wife would have been if you had not asked her to marry you? Or did you ever imagine what type of man your husband would have been if you had not answered "Yes"?

Have you ever crushed any ambition, chased away any talents or driven inspiration from your household? What have you done to increase or develop your life partner's talents? Whether you are aware of it or not, you have either brought out the best side of this partner's life or buried all that was good in him or her.

A good many of us possess two sides. There are more Doctor Jekylls and Mr. Hydes in the world than we realize. How frequently your opinion of a man and some one else's do not tally! You will often say: "I can't see how Brown tolerates Jones; he's the meanest man in the world!" And yet Brown has found the better side of Jones.

Have you found the better side of your husband or wife? Have you done anything to bring that better side to the front?—Chicago Journal.

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"Have you heard anything about a machine for telling when a man is lying?"

"Sure."

"Ever seen one?"

"Seen one? Why, I married one!"

POULTRY

DUCK RAISING IS WORTH CONSIDERING

The average farm has all the facilities which are necessary for the raising of a goodly number of ducks and with a little outlay may add considerably to the farm income from that source.

Duck raising in some sections of the country has become a greatly specialized industry. It is hardly advisable for the average person to go into it extensively, at least not until he has become acquainted with handling ducks on a smaller scale. However, ducks do afford a side line to the regular poultry business of the farm that is worthy of the consideration of the average person.

The houses which are needed for ducks are simple affairs. They are plain and comfortable and need very little furnishings. Generally on every farm there is a small shed or building that can be used for this purpose. Warmth is not essential to the extent that is necessary with hens, but if it is dry and protected it will generally serve the purpose. Ducks should not be closely confined.

Artificial incubation and brooding are used almost entirely by the large producers of ducks, but under most farm conditions the incubation and brooding will be mostly done by hens or by ducks. Before the hens are put on the eggs and again before the ducklings are given to her she should be thoroughly dusted with insecticides. The nest should be watched for lice and treated as may be necessary.

The feed of the ducks in nature is both vegetable and animal. In the wild state they get a great deal of their food along the creeks and marshes. This type of food needs to be imitated to some extent. The duck has no crop like the chicken, the food passing directly to the gizzard and as a consequence they are not fitted for as much hard food as chickens. In fact, a large number of the professional raisers depends largely on soft foods. However, under farm conditions where the ducks have free range the problem is not so difficult and most of the additional feed will be grains. Feed that is adapted to producing growth on chickens will answer the purpose for ducklings without going to the expense and inconvenience of mixing additional rations. The main difference that will be noted by the beginner is that the ducklings make a faster growth and therefore they will consume a larger amount of food.

Sick Fowls Afterwards Are Usually Worthless

When a fowl becomes ailing and emaciated it most often denotes either a tubercular condition or coccidiosis. Such hens, should they recover, are poor layers and are apt to pass their weaknesses to their offspring. Seldom will they get well and fatten to marketable condition, so it is a money-saving method to kill and burn their carcasses.

As the majority of poultry diseases are contagious, retaining such birds menaces the present health of the flock, as well as the vigor of future ones. Often one sees an emaciated hen walking stiff-legged about a hen house. Such birds almost always die without human aid, but while alive very likely infect other fowls as well as the yard where the remainder of the flock runs. Whole flocks are often devastated through the owner's neglect of destroying worthless individual hens.

If flock owners realized that through ignoring such present menaces they are inviting weakly flocks in ensuing years, more importance would be placed on the necessity for immediately killing and burning hens or growing stock that becomes ailing, especially those which get decidedly poor in flesh, an almost unfailing tubercular indication.

Poultry Hints

Keep young stock growing.

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Protect hens and young stock from the sun.

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A clean, disinfected poultry house gives the laying hens a chance to do their share.

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Sensible people are willing to pool their interests and co-operate in a common cause. Are farmers sensible people?

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The brooder house floor should be covered with fine gravel or sand, over which is scattered a litter of alfalfa or clover leaves if available.

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Proper care of the chicks during the brooding season will do much to stop up one of the important "leaks" in the poultry business.

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In warm weather the hens can be dipped in a solution of sodium fluoride made by dissolving an ounce of the material in a gallon of water.

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Salt in excess is poisonous to chickens. If salty water is thrown where chickens can drink it or if salt is mixed with the feed in quantity chickens may be poisoned.

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Unless a hen lays from 75 to 100 eggs she is probably being kept at a loss, especially when feed prices are as high as they are at present.

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The proper feeding of the young chickens makes a great deal of difference in the future profit which can be expected from the flock.

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Don't leave the old litter too long in the poultry house. If you do it will cost you more in reduced egg production and possible loss of hens than several times the cost of new litter.

Claims Sure Cure for Scarlet Fever

A serum for scarlet fever has been found which will cure the most hopeless cases in 24 hours, according to Dr. Francis G. Blake, professor of medicine at the Yale Medical school, the discoverer. The serum is prepared from immunized horses, and 72 cases have been treated at the New Haven hospital, an adjunct of the Yale Medical school. The cases were classified as 43 without complications, and the remainder complicated with measles, typhoid and other diseases. In the first classification, with treatment and single serum injections, before the third day the entire group was cured, he said. In most cases within 12 hours temperature subsided to normal, the rash disappeared and an excess of anti-toxin circulated in the blood. Only one death resulted in the remaining 29 cases, all complicated and treated on various days from the third to the ninth. A child, in coma, and having typhoid and scarlet fever simultaneously, treated on the eighth day, recovered.

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Man of Future to Be Practically All Brain

Two million years from now man will have a great brain, but he will be lacking in physical strength and ugly to look upon, says Prof. Conrad Theraldsen of the zoology department of Northwestern university. Several days ago the professor created a stir when he said man was not directly descended from a monkey, but that 2,000,000 years ago he was something like a cousin of the anthropoid and closely resembled him. Today Professor Theraldsen turned the picture around and looked into the future 2,000,000 years, and this is what he saw:

A big bulging head supported on a sliver-like body with short arms and legs and maybe hoofs instead of feet. There will be little use for strength in that dim period ahead, and consequently man won't have much muscle.

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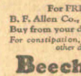

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Judge Ignorant of Law

Judge G. P. Hargreaves of Brentford County court in England, decided to get married himself the other day, but his ignorance of the law held up the wedding for a day. The judge's bride had been divorced previously and a certificate regarding the divorce had to be filed prior to the license request. The episode brought to light that English judges frequently cause litigation after they are dead due to the loose way in which they draw up their own wills.

Prairie dogs' tastes so nearly resemble those of cattle that they are serious food robbers on western grazing lands.

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Jonesville

Roy Howard and family spent Sunday in Jerome.

Melvin Burnett was in Jackson last week to visit relatives.

Mrs. Garret Walcott entertained the M. E. Ladies Aid Wednesday.

Wm T. Wallace of the Hastings school spent last week at his home here.

Mrs. Mary Weston is spending the week at her old home in Mosherville.

Helen McKercher of the Ypsilanti Normal spent last week at her home here.

The Helen Childs Missionary Society met with Mrs. S. W. McIntosh Wednesday April 8.

Percy Parkyn and family of Detroit were here over the week end to visit her mother Mrs. Tousan.

Mrs. Percie Wisner entertained the 500 club last Friday at her pleasant home on West Chicago St.

Victor Hawkins and wife arrived home the last of the week from Florida where they spent the winter

W. B. Howlett and wife have purchased the George Kirby place next to the Library and wil move there soon.

R. D. Howel of Detroit has bought the W. B. Howlett home on Evans street. The son Tyler will occupy the new home.

Members of the Jonesville Alumni Association met Friday evening in the music room of the High school and made arrangements for the Annual Alumni Banquet to be held at the close of the school year.

West Hoxie

Edward Bloemker is spending an indefinite time at home.

Charles Sprague took a load of onions and maple syrup to Ohio.

Ellsworth Sprague has been on the sick list for the past two weeks.

Ray Haines and family spent Sunday with her parents in Hillsdale.

The entertainment Tuesday evening at Community hall was well attended.

Margaret and Muriel Shambaugh called at the Bloemker home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Burl Shambaugh has been sick tor a week but is improved at this writing.

The Hoxie Ladies Aid will meet with Rev. Hutton and wife April 16 Everyone invited.

Mrs. Lavina Sprague who has been living In this vicinity for the the past two years has moved to Hortsville Ohio.

Lillian Pendell, Irene Triplett of Ypsilanti and Mrs. George Combs of Romeo visited at the Ben Pendell home last week.

Clyde Sprague spent Sunday at Tontogany and Mildred Sprague who has been visiting there for a week returned home with him.

Jerome

Dorcas Greek has been on the sick list.

W. W. Ostrom was in Lansing Tuesday.

Rev. Scott will deliver an Easter sermon next Sunday.

Merl Morehead is engaged in ditching near Manchester.

H. L. McGregor and T. J. Lane were in Hillsdale Thursday.

The auction held by Henry McGregor Saturday was well attended

Clifford Burr purchased the Parks estate at Administrator's sale Saturday.

Dr. J. S. Sterling has purchased the L. D. Walworth farm south of town.

Floyd Woodard of Albany N. Y. is employed at present by Robert Frantz.

Elmer Parks and wife of Horton were guests of T. J. Lane and family Saturday.

R.O. Sawdey and wife entertained Ed Sawdey and wife of North Adams Sunday.

Frank Luttenton and family of Jackson have been recent guests of C. W. McGregor and family.

Wayne Linsday and Marguerite Dubois of Lansing spent the week end with N. A. Linsday and wife.

Merl Morehead and wife also Wayne Miller and wife attended a surprise party at the home of Floyd Sawdey in Hanover Saturday evening.

W. W. Ostrom and wife entertained Sunday as follows: Ernest Gilchrist and wife of Battle Creek, Chas Shults and family of Onsted, Earl Sword and wife and Mrs. Rachel Bailey of Cadmus.

Teachers for the local school have been secured for the coming year as follows: Supt. I. W. Wertenberger. Principal, Mr. Sheldon. Grammar, Mrs. Charles Rynex. Intermediate, May Anson. Primary, Bertha Olney.

Center Adams

Lawrence Chase and son Clarence are confined to their beds with Flu.

Mrs. J. I. Post spent Thursday in North Adams with Mrs. Eliza Williams.

M. C. Church and family were Sunday visitors at Mrs. Ida Church's in Bross District.

Nathan Webster and family were Sunday visitors at the Cecil Hemry home in East Jefferson.

Prof. Chase and wife of Hillsdale were callers at the J. R. Wright home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. N. Williams spent Wednesday night in Hillsdale with her sister Mrs. Robert Bates.

F. I. Williams and family of North Adams ate Sunday dinner with James Post and wife.

Mrs. Will Peterson of North Adams spent Sunday and Monday with her daughter Mrs. Sadie Gray.

Mrs. Eunice Crisp of Hillsdale was the guest of Mrs. Addie Wyman from Thursday until Sunday.

D. A. Fuller and wife of Battle Creek were entertained over Friday night at the G. R. Ambler home

Nearly every home in this place has a case of grip or flu. Some quite severe cases and others more light.

Herbert Rose of Concord and Alfred Rose of Litchfield visited their mother Mrs. L. E. Chase and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Delcie Shufelt and son Wayne of North Adams and Mr. Mrs. Eben Petrie of Bankers visited Sunday with J. R. Dewey and wife.

Mrs. Minerva Fairbanks and granddaughter Myrtle Lohnes of Hillsdale and Glen Butler and family of Jefferson visited at the G. R. Ambler home Sunday.

Local News

There was a very good attendance at the Woman's Club on Monday at the home of Mrs, Josephine Jones. Husbands of the members were guests at a potluck dinner and the following program was given: Roll call, current events; paper "Peace Through Legislation" prepared by Lois Holcomb and read by Lizzie Holcomb; music. vocal solo, Lida Kempton with Elfrieda Calhoun at the piano; reading, "My Neighbor's Chickens" Eva Overley; paper, "The Board of Commerce of the U. S. and its Relation to Foreign Trade" Gertrude Pierce; vocal solo, Lida Kempton with Elfrieda Calhoun at the piano. The club adjourned to meet Monday, April 20th, at the home of Allie Holkins.

Death of Wilson Houseknecht

Wilson Houseknecht who was stricken with paralysis shortly after his barns burned on Tuesday, passed away about three o'clock the same day. He was born in Lycoming county, Pennsylvania, 71 years ago, and came to Moscow township when he was 16 years of age. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Avery and C. George, one daughter, Mrs. Maud Scott of Kalamazoo, four brothers, James of Illinois; Fred of Colorado, George and Ed. of this vicinity and two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Masters of this locality and Mrs. William West of Concord.

Mr. Houseknecht was well known in this vicinity having been a thresherman and cider maker for many years, as well as a prosperous farmer and apple grower. He had been in poor health for some time.

The unfortunate circumstance of the fire and death is a blow to the family and the sympathy of the community goes out to them

Rasults of Election In The Townships

The Town Meeting on Monday in this township was not particularly exciting and in fact a light vote is reported, as was the case in surrounding precincts. The Democrats succeeded in electing supervisor and treasurer but all other plums went to the Republicans. Following is the vote:

Supervisor—B. Reid Shepard, d 187; Giles Stevens, r, 145; Clerk—Frank W. Holcomb, r, 226; Lizzie Northrup d, 106; Treasurer—Merton N. Wolcott d, 196; Wm. W. Anderson r, 133; Highway Commissioner—Ernest L. Burd r, 224; Jas. McLaughlin d, 111; Justice, (full term) Darwin Carney r, 209; Fred Baker d, 119; Board of Review (full term)—H. Wells r, 209; Eugene McBain d, 122; Board of review (one year)—Edgar Kempton r, 207; Bert Taylor d, 119; Constables—democrat, G. Mercer 124; P. B. Shepard 122; Geo. Bates 111; Will Frederick 118; republican, Ray Gould 209; Raymond Barker 191; Floyd Wilcox 216; Frank Caswell 207.

Moscow Township

Supervisor—H. J. Gochanour d, majority 20; clerk Tressa Sherrard d, majority 60; treasurer Jno Crapser d, majority 4; highway commissioner L. G. Denning r, majority 9; overseer, James Norfolk r, majority 44; Justice Orson Crapser r, majority 13; board of review. B. J. Brown r, majority 17; constables republican, Will Little, Minion Coutz, Earl Denning and Morris Leonard,

Wheatland Township

Supervisor, Harry Lyon; clerk George Bailey; treasurer, Ernest Fuller: highway commissioner, Edgar Thorp; overseer, Will Post justice, Alexander Lee; board of review, Fred Giddings; constables, Floyd Daniels, Fred Dillon, Charles Hall, Fred Fowler. No democratic ticket.

Somerset Township

Supervisor, Bert Harper r, majority 44; clerk, Bessie Becker d, majority 92: treasurer, Ed Speer d, majority 41; highway commissioner, J. M. Baker d, majority 19: overseer, Eugene McGregor d 26; justice, Stanley Murray r, majority 83: justice (vacancy) L. B. Lane r, majority 4; board of review, Earl Rutan d, majority 5.

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Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

The subject for next Sunday morning worship will be, "The Armistice of Heaven." and for the evening service will be, "The declaration of independence." Mr. Perkins will sing an Easter solo entitled, "As it was written."

Mrs. Kenrick will sing the beautiful solo entitled, "As it began to Dawn," at the morning worship.

The Easter program will be put on in the Sabbath school by the Fidelis class.

Sunday morning after a short discourse by the pastor, the ordinance of Baptism will be observed, and the doors of the church will be opened to receive members, after which the Holy Communion will be observed.

Next Tuesday night the third quarterly conference will be held at the Wheatland church. After which the Ladies Aid Society will give a banquet and Dr. Clapp will deliver an address at the hall. Bill only 25c.

Don't forget the apron and bake sale Saturday beginning at 10:00 a. m. at Mr. Wertz's store. If you have any special order for Sunday dinner telephone itto Mrs. Lois Holcomb.

Please note the change in time for the evening services—Epworth League, 6:30 and the evening service at 7:30 p. m.

Should there be any one who would like to attend the morning services, and have no way of getting to church and home again, If someone will notify the Pastor there will be ways provided by the Fidelis class.

The Fidelis class will put on their Easter program at the Wheatland church, at 2:30 p. m. also. We would be very glad to have all attend the service there as possibly can. Autos will be provided to take all who would like to go—leaving the church at 2:00 p. m.

Special attention is called to the Thursday evening services, Bible study at 7:30 and Choir rehearsals at 7:30 also.

For Sale—Early Irish Cobbler Potatoes. Bert Taylor. North Adams. 45t3

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Knowles School Notes

Report for month ending March 27.

Geraldine, Vivian and Vernice Richards visited school Tuesday.

The seventh grade are nicely started on their geography work books of Michigan.

Next week we expect to begin our keeping clean contest. The losing side will furnish a supper to the winners.

We have just completed a teeth cleaning contest. The winners were: Evelyn Blackmer, Bobby Brown, Robert and Barbara Hersh.

Several new scholars entered school this month: Eugenia Turner, Wilfred Turner, Rex Turner, Virginia Carpenter, Gordon, Norris and Rex Cook, Evelyn and Robert Carpenter.

The following received holiday Friday for perfect attendance: Ruth Marvin, Evelyn Blackmer, Tom Brown, Robert Hersh, Lloyd Knowles, Bobby Brown, Barbara Hersh, Verl Bleech, Virginia Carpenter, Gordon Cook, Robert Carpenter, Rex Turner, Norris Cook, Leslie Goodrich and Rex Cook.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 3rd day of April A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward E. Carter, deceased.

Jay D. Knowles having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to him or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 5th day of May, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered : That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate

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—My shop will be in charge of capable management until my return. 43t3 Mrs. W. R. Corey

A Quiet Wedding

A quiet wedding in which many friends in North Adams and else where will be interested occurred at the Methodist parsonage in Jonesville Thursday afternoon, April 2nd, when one of North Adams' most esteemed ladies, Mrs. Minnie Tiffany Rockwell was united in marriage with Rev. Morton Drew Carrell of State College, Pennsylvania, the Rev. I. T. Weldon officiating, using the beautiful and impressive ring service.

Mrs. Rockwell, widow of the late John R. Rockwell, and daughter of Mrs. Catherine and the late Ezra L. Tiffany; has been intimately associated with North Adams life since childhood and has many friends here who will unite in wishing her all prosperity and happiness in her new relationship. Mr. Carrell has for many years been a member of the Michigan Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, has served important churches in that conference and has acquaintances in nearly every part of Western Michigan. His boyhood was spent in Hillsdale county, and he has had several pastorates in the county including North Adams and the city of Hillsdale.

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Death of Mrs. W. H. Pearson

Mrs. Anna Pearson who has resided in North Adams for a number of years, passed away Sunday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. Pearse in Hillsdale from cancer. On Sunday, March 29, she was taken to the hospital and the next day was operated upon but nothing could be done to relieve her sufferings. She had been ill for some time and had resided alone since the death of her son. She is survived by four brothers, Nat Smith of Jefferson Thomas Smith, Wm. Smith of Camden, Oliver Smith of Jonesville and one sister, Mrs. Sarah Pearce of Hillsdale.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 19:00 a. m. by Rev. Ellsworth Abel Selah Allen of Onsted at the Congregational church and interment was in the local cemetery.

Parent-Teachers Association

Meets Monday evening, April 13, with the following program: Music, orchestra; paper "Late Achievements in Medicine" Mrs. Rena Randolph; violin solo, Albert Roberts; paper, "Patent Medicines and Quack Doctors" Mrs. Ruth Westcott; reading, Howard Haskell; paper "Morals Taught by Vocational Training" Mrs. Mary Wertz; vocal solo, Everett Roberts; "My Trip to the West" Mrs. Jessie Haskell; remarks, Supt. R. C. Young; music, orchestra. As usual the meeting will be held at the school house.

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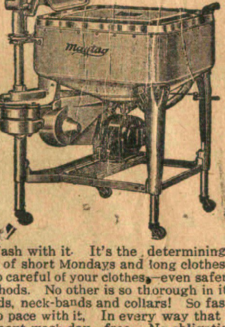

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Mary Frietag spent Easter Sunday with her parents in Jackson.

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Clifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allen, died on Sunday morning April 12th.

The Friendship Club will meet with Mrs. Burley Friday afternoon, April 17th.

The Woman's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Allie Holkins on Monday April 20th.

J. M. Williams and family motored to Ypsilanti to spend Easter with relatives.

Ray Barnhart and family, Claude Moore and mother were Sunday callers at Frank Hicks.'

Carl Hicks and wife of Toledo, Ohio, spent Easter at the home of his parents, Frank Hicks and wife.

Herman Walters has been confined to the house the past week on account of having a knee dislocated.

Thomas Caldwell and wife of Springport Mich. have been visiting her parents J. D. Knowles and wife.

Mrs. Sadie Gray and mother Mrs. W. H. Peterson attended the funeral of Mrs. Byron Bunn at Jonesville Wednesday.

Rebekah Aid Society will meet at the I. O. O. F. Hall Friday, April 24 with dinner. The public is invited. Adults 25c. Children 15c. 46t1

The Fidelis Class of the Methodist church distributed flowers to Mrs. Tiffany, Mrs. Shepard and Mrs. Jack Barber, who are shut-ins last Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. W. R. Corey are pleased to have her home, after a four months stay at Ann Arbor. She has been greatly benefited by treatments.

The Congregational church reports a steady growth. On Sunday April 12, 15 new members were taken in. Altogether 50 have been taken in since Rev. Virgil Hunt has been pastor.

Miss Donna Lynch entertained at her home Saturday evening. Music and games were enjoyed and refreshments served to the guests, numbering seven. The table decorations were in yellow and white. Miss Lynch resumes her school work in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Orville French and baby of Valentine, Indiana after a visit in North Adams, returned to Wolcott, Indiana, to meet her husband, and from there the family will go to Los Angeles to embark for Korea where they are sent by the Methodist church as missionaries for 5 years. It is estimated three years are necessary so learn the language sufficiently to instruct these people.

The annual meeting of Alpha Chapter No. 288 O. E. S. was held at Masonic hall on Tuesday evening with a fair attendance. Reports of the Sec. and Treas. showed the Chapter to be in a prosperous condition. Election of officers resulted as follows: w. m. Alice Holcomb. w. p., Arthur Holcomb. a. m., Etta Corey. sec. Josephine Jones. treas. Myra Beecher. cond. Grace Williams, asst. cond. Grace Doolittle. The appointive officers will be named later. Installation will be on Tuesday evening April 28th.

The Hoxie Aid Society met at the home of Rev. W. H. Hutton and wife Thursday April 16th. with an attendance of about thirty. The program consisted of music and readings, also a playette, Dr. Gertrude Mason M. D. was given. Characters were: Dr. Mason, Flora Spratt. Auld Norah, Belle Sweezy. Marie, Mable Steveson. Mrs. VanStyle, Frances Cox Miss Sumpkins, Etta Welker. Miss Bertha, Cora Franks. Miss Ella, Gertrude Thompson. Two solos by Mrs. Kenrick of Princeton N. J. A bountiful dinner was served and an enjoyable time was spent. Society adjourned to meet with Grace Sprague next month.

Hillsdale county comes to the fore again in agricultural work and we note that in the issue of April 10 of the Farm Bureau News published at Lansing appears a group picture of Hillsdale County champions, and among others we recognize Paul Wells, James Meeks, and Gerald Wells. Louis Matthias, county agent, among other things, states: "Any Michigan boy or girl who wins a state championship, in any project, is granted a scholarship by M. A. C. for one year, all tuition expenses free. If the club member on entering college, makes good the first year he or she is allowed free tuition the second year. This shows the attitude of the college and the importance it places on club work."

George Litchhult of Detroit spent Sunday in this village.

Mrs. Etta Pray spent the week end at her home in Jonesville.

Mrs. Carrie Huff is in Jackson for a visit with her son Glenn Huff and family.

Max Fitzgerald and wife of Adrian spent a few hours in North Adams on Thursday.

Herbert Patton and family were in Hillsdale over Sunday to visit F. A. Nichols and family.

Eleanor Trumble of Jackson visited last week at the home of her sister Mrs. Glen Mercer.

William Owen and family of Detroit were week end guests of his parents John Owen and wife.

Carl Binns and family of Detroit were Easter guests of her parents F. L. Westcott and wife.

Della Crowell and mother, Geo. Litchhult of Detroit and Mrs. Jane Kajohn of Marshall visited Della Gillett on Sunday.

Ruth Hewitt of Addison and friend, Basel Johns, of Onsted visited her grand-mother Della Gillett, Monday evening.

—Special meeting of Adams Lodge No. 189, F. & A. M., Monday evening April 20th. Work in M. M. degree. Refreshments.

Will Densmore and wife of Otsego, Claud Helmer and wife of Albion Mrs. Claud Kilmer of Parma visited their aunts, Della Gillett and Helen Crowell, on Monday.

Members of Henry Prates Jolly Eight Musical and Comedy Co. were in North Adams on Thursday seeking to arrange for a show here on April 28 at the Community Hall. They will appear on that date in the evening.

The Fidelis Sunday school class of the Methodist church visited Mrs Margaret Shepard and daughter, Mrs. Emma Young, on Easter Sunday and gave their regular Easter program for the latter's benefit. We thank you, girls. Come again.

Elsewhere in this issue appears a parody copied from a Hillsdale paper of long ago as to how we fight fire, and we don't blame the Hillsdale men a bit for making fun of us. We are the most asinine asses, the most incompetent jawboned baboons, the weakest kneed molly-coddles in Michigan and this is why: Thousands of dollars of the tax-payers' hard-earned money we have spent for gravel roads which serve to lead our trade to Hillsdale and no doubt will make paupers of many of our property owners, yet we have not one red cent for practical fire protection. We are up for public observation. Kick the bosoms of our trousers, please!

At the Easter Service held last Sunday morning in the Congregational church Rev. Hunt spoke on the theme "The car of Salvation," comparing the church to a trolley car. It was a very interesting subject and was very impressive. The choir rendered a beautiful anthem "Lift up your heads" and Mr. Howard Haskell played the offeratory solo. "Consider the Lilies" was the pretty Easter solo sung by Mrs. Hunt. At the invitation of the pastor for those who desired to be taken into the fellowship of the church to come forward, 15 persons responded. As they came to the altar beautifully decorated in ferns, lilies and plants Mrs. Hunt sang "Just As I Am Thine Own To Be." The baptismal service followed and Rev. Hunt extended the hand of fellowship to them all after which the "Sacrament of the Lord's Supper" was observed. At the Sunday school hour a very good program which had been prepared by Mr. Holcomb was enjoyed. "The Maker of Men" which was shown at the evening service was said by all who saw it to be the best picture they had ever seen. A very impressive lesson was brought out to all who saw it. The church was well filled at all services.

The Graduating Class of 1925

The month of graduation, weddings, springing flowers and odiferous airs is fast approaching and too soon will it all be past, and summer vacations, hot dusty days and succulent hay will dot the landscape with laborers taking care of the crop Our public schools are getting into shape for the final exams and weeding out the laggards.

Following is the personnel of the Senior Class this year who are expected to finish in June:

Frances Young, Charlotte Lane, Thelma Brooks, Myrtle Rogers, Ethel Bohn. Naomi Crapser, Genevieve Roberts, J. W. Lynch, Clarence Hoffman, Paul Wells, Everett Westcott, Theron Randolph, Ralph Wolcott, Bernard Shaw, comprising altogether 14 members. Graduating exercises will occur at the Community Hall on Thursday evening, June 11th. Class motto "Climb, Though the Rocks Be Rugged" colors, Purple and Gold. Class flower—Yellow Rose.

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Congregational Church Calendar

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Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

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Don't forget the Thursday night services.

The largest communion service ever remembered of by the old members, took place last Sunday morning at the church, between one hundred and twenty five and one hundred and fifty communicants partook of the Communion.

Also the largest average attendance in Sabbath school was reported at the Quarterly Conference held at the Wheatland church Tuesday night, and average attendance of one hundred and twenty three, against sixty six last year. "Let's Keep Boosting!"

Mrs. Delcie Shufelt and son Wayne spent Easter with Mrs. Eben Petrie and husband at Bankers.

Mrs. Dora fields and son Jack of Hillsdale were over Sunday guests of her sister Mrs. R. C. Young and family.

George Fullerton and wife who have been spending the winter in Pontiac with their daughter, Mrs A L Bell and family, returned home last week.

Rose Major of Fenton and Jay Hayhoe of Jackson were callers at Donna Lynch's home Saturday evening. Miss Major and Miss Lynch were classmates at the Ypsilanti Normal.

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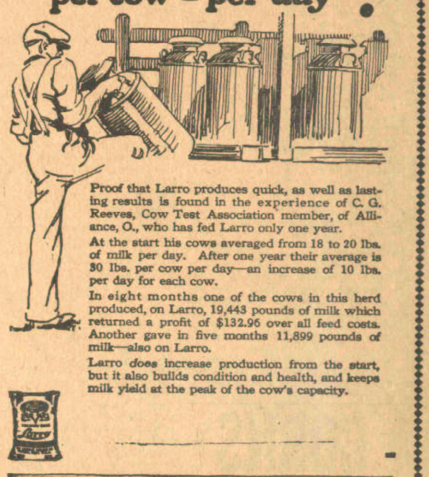

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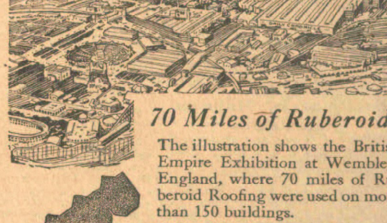

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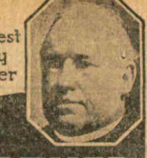

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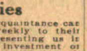

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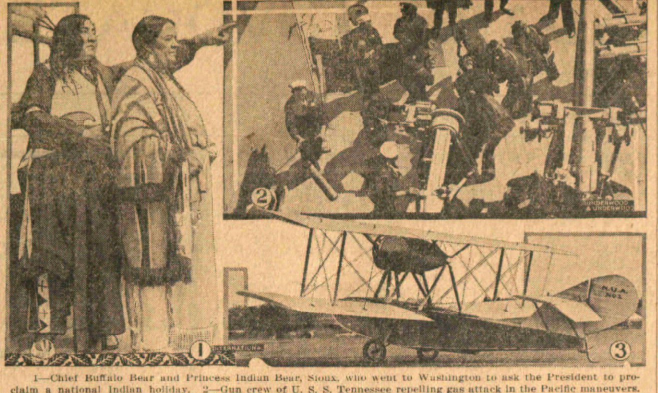

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NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Herriot Cabinet in Peril—Hindenburg Nominated by German Nationalists.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

AT THIS writing the downfall of the Herriot government of France is momentarily expected, because of the determined opposition in parliament to its financial plan. Already the premier has met defeat in the senate on a minor issue, and though he was persuaded not to quit on that account, it was believed the cabinet would soon be overthrown.

Anatole de Monzie, the new minister of finance, offered to parliament his scheme for meeting the financial crisis. This, briefly, is a camouflaged capital levy of 10 per cent on French wealth and an increase of paper currency to the extent of 4,000,000,000 francs (roughly, $200,000,000). The levy is disguised as a "voluntary contribution" in return for 3 per cent bonds, payments to be made at twenty-three-month intevals. Wage earners employed at physical labor and those drawing salaries below a fixed sum are exempt. All others must contribute 10 per cent of their wealth, under penalty. The people of France as a whole did not seem especially opposed to this measure, but the finance committee of the chambers had many changes to offer and the opposition parties attacked the plan vigorously. The currency inflation is not considered so serious since the Bank of France already has issued more francs than the legal limit, but the "forced voluntary contribution" is being fought especially by the nationalist bloc and the reactionaries. M. de Monzie says he hopes to raise 15,000,000,000 francs ($750,000,000) during five years, which is only about 3 per cent of the nation's wealth, while an additional 1,000,000,000 francs ($50,000,000) would be produced annually because reduction of the floating debt would cut down interest and carrying charges.

Hundreds of Americans and Englishmen who have established official residence in France in order to escape heavy income tax at home will be compelled to contribute a tithe of their wealth unless they are able to transfer their holdings before the measure becomes operative—if it ever does. The safes of the great gambling casinos on the Riviera and at Deauville also will be tapped. Primarily the plan is designed to uphold the exchange value of the franc. For the present this is being kept steady by the purchase of francs by the French government with Morgan loan funds. The re-establishing of the gold franc is the ultimate aim of the government.

FIELD MARSHAL VON HINDENBURG has accepted the nomination of the German Nationalists for the presidency, in opposition to Wilhelm Marx, nominee of the Republican coalition and leader of the Catholic Centrist party. Twice the old soldier declined the honor, partly because of his age and partly because he wanted Dr. Karl Jarres to run. But the Nationalists compelled Jarres to withdraw from the campaign and obtained the indorsement of the Hanoverian party, the Bavarian People's party and the Economic party for the candidacy of the field marshal. The German People's party, led by Doctor Stresemann, for some days threatened to break away from the Nationalist coalition if Von Hindenburg were nominated, but it, too, finally yielded, issuing this statement:

"Despite our apprehensions of international and national difficulties which may result from the nomination of Gen. von Hindenburg, we will stand with him in the fight for his election for the sake of the bourgeois parties. We will keep up the discipline of the party."

Von Hindenburg still declares himself the "devoted servant" of former Kaiser William, and German Republicans wonder how, if he is that and if he is elected, he can swear an oath of allegiance to the republic. His most prominent supporters assert openly that they, as well as the field marshal, believe the idea of a monarchy is only slumbering in Germany and that the nation is awaiting the day when a monarch shall preside over its destinies. "For us all" they say, "the son of the crown prince will be the legal heir to the throne when he reaches his majority." This will be in 1927, so that is the date when the Nationalists expect the restoration. The way to it has been made clearer by the virtual renunciation by Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria of his claims to the imperial throne. He says north Germany does not want a Catholic sovereign, and that his health is broken.

And then, on the other hand, all of these plans, hopes and discussions may be futile, for Marx may be elected president and the German republic may be continued indefinitely.

It is announced that Germany's payments to creditor nations under the Dawes plan during March amounted to 91,691,000 marks ($22,923,500). Of this France received 37,900,000 marks and Great Britain 21,600,000. Total payments for the seven months the Dawes plan has been in operation have been $145,000,000.

"GIVE her a good swipe now," said Secretary of the Navy Wilbur to Mrs. Wilbur Tuesday at Camden, N. J., and the lady promptly smashed a bottle of mineral water on the bows of the largest airplane carrier in the world. The U. S. S. Saratoga thereupon slid down the ways while whistles shrieked and aircraft swooped aloft. The Saratoga is the biggest ship ever built in the United States and when completed will have cost $45,000,000. She will be the mother ship of 72 planes, 31 of which will be bombers. In addition she will carry great stores of parts and explosives and will have elaborate repair shops. Her huge electric motors will give her a speed of 30 knots, enabling her to forge far ahead of a battleship fleet. The turbine generators will supply 45,000 horse-power to each of the four screws.

Admittedly something of an experiment, the Saratoga is looked on with scorn by Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, about to be retired from the post of assistant chief of the army air service. Said he:

"I could sink the Saratoga with a pursuit plane; I wouldn't even need a bomber. As a part of the national defense it is not worth considering. By this fall the building of aircraft carriers of that kind will be stopped. It is useless to build a carrier for airplanes that can be sunk so easily.

"The same thing goes for all battleships. Look at the great fleet now at anchor on the Pacific coast, waiting to participate in the Hawaiian exercises. They could be sunk to a ship within a few hours by a single squadron of bombers. Holding maneuvers with battleships made obsolete by the airplane is Civil war stuff. It's ridiculous."

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, a notable advocate of considerable silence, lets it be known that he would like a little more of that concerning several things. One of these is the matter of the French debt. He is fully cognizant of France's financial troubles and there will be no attempt to force her to discuss the war debt problem until she is in better position. Concerning the plans of the United States for calling another limitation of arms parley, also, there is too much talk, the President thinks, in view of the fact that nothing definite is planned for the immediate future.

Government officials say that the many recent stories of the President's extreme economy in the matter of his clothing purchases are not received kindly at the White House, and that most of them are false or misleading. Merchants in Washington had begun to fear that the example attributed to Mr. Coolidge would be followed by the society folk there and that the re-soling of shoes and the blocking of old hats would become "the thing."

TURKEY is having a hard time suppressing the revolt of the Kurds, who are determined to revive the caliphate and are all in arms. Sheik Said, their leader, is said to have at least 30,000 fanatical followers and is holding a number of important towns. The government has offered a reward for his capture alive or dead and has sent some 70,000 troops into Kurdistan. Complete mobilization has been ordered, Premier Ismet Pasha admitting that the revolt is much graver than newspaper reports have indicated.

EMULATING the examples set by Mrs. Mae Nolan and Mrs. Julius Kahn, both of San Francisco, Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers of Lowell, Mass., has announced her candidacy for the seat in congress left vacant by the death of her husband, John Jacob Rogers. She would continue the policies established by Mr. Rogers.

NAVY airplanes manned by volunteer navy flyers will be a part of the Donald MacMillan Arctic exploration expedition that is to start for the polar regions this summer, and the expedition, though a private enterprise, has the indorsement of President Coolidge. The explorers will have the use of two planes of the amphibian type with a cruising radius of more than a thousand miles and a speed of 120 miles an hour.

One of the chief objects of the expedition aside from scientific discovery, radio research and search for historical data concerning the original landing of the Norsemen, will be the hunt for the unknown Arctic continent, an illusive domain which has been reported several times by explorers, but never set foot on by man.

MacMillan's ships plan to leave Maine about June 15, and proceed northward, skirting the Labrador coast, then across Davis strait to the Greenland shore. In Labrador and Greenland the ancient Norse ruins will be explored to connect them, if possible, with Eric the Red. As soon as the exploring ship has pushed its way northward through Baffin sea and across Mellville bay to Etah in the far north, an attempt will be made to reach Axel Heiburg land. Safely anchored there, it is planned to establish the airplane base some 250 miles away from the ship at the northern point of the land. Working from this advance base, the planes will strike first in the direction of Crockerland, the problematical continent of the Arctic.

SPEAKING of the Arctic, Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who said and still says he discovered the North pole before Peary, left his home in Fort Worth, Texas, last week for a sojourn of 14 years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth. He was sentenced for fraudulent use of the mails and already had spent 16 months in jail. Petitions to the President asking pardon for Cook are in circulation and many signatures have been obtained.

POLITELY but firmly, President Coolidge refuses to reconsider his award in the Tacna-Arica dispute between Peru and Chile or to comply with the conditions asked by Peru, which included the dispatch of United States forces to displace Chileans in control of the disputed territory until after the plebiscite is held. In his reply to the Peruvians the President assures them that their interests are fully safeguarded and that the powers of the plebiscitory commission headed by General Pershing are ample.

AMONG the well known persons taken by death during the week were Mahomet Ali, former shah of Persia; Albert Dickinson, head of a big grain and seed business in Chicago; Archbishop Alexander Christie of the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Oregon City, Ore.; G. S. Fernald, general counsel of the Pullman company, and Most Rev. Dr. Tikhon, former patriarch of all Russia, whose struggle against the soviet government attracted so much attention in recent years.

PLANS are being perfected for a non-political Pan-Pacific conference in Honolulu from July 1 to 15. Seven countries will be represented by prominent men and it is hoped the gathering will take on much of the character and importance of the Institute of Politics at Williamstown, Mass., and will become a permanent forum of all peoples of the Pacific.

THE American Cotton Manufacturers' association held its annual convention Friday and Saturday in New Orleans with all the leading cotton organizations of the country represented. Edwin T. Meredith, former secretary of agriculture, was the principal speaker on the opening day.

Plan Special Survey of Aleutian Islands

Washington.—A scientific expedition to the little-known chain of Aleutian islands, off the coast of Alaska, is the task this summer of a special field party of the coast and geodetic survey, to be aided by the coast guard.

Equipped with modern apparatus, the party will be picked up by the coast guard, which will land it on one island of the group, resume its patrol work and later pick up the party and take it to another of the Aleutians.

The program of the party, which is to leave Seattle aboard the coast guard cutter Haida some time in April, is to make a preliminary survey to collect data useful in a more thorough survey; to obtain magnetic observations, including determination of possible local magnetic disturbance due to the character of the rocks; to determine accurate positions by astronomical observations; to operate an automatic tide gauge, whenever conditions warrant, and to make topographic surveys of the harbors and collect coast pilot information.

The new radio method will be used in getting hitherto doubtful longitudes, by making observations on stars and receiving radio signals, and calculating the difference in time between the transmitting station and place of observation.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Monroe—The city council has authorized the expenditure of the necessary funds with which to beautify the Soldiers and Sailors' Park and the Water Works Park here. Shrubbery is to be planted. The parks are located along the River Raisin.

Petoskey—Sheriff George Carpenter was injured when he was attacked by Bernard Klise, a prisoner. The attack came as the sheriff was passing a table where Klise was sitting. The man jumped and struck the officer on the head with a chair leg.

Grand Rapids—An appeal to the Kent Welfare council to help check the sale of babies in Kent county if this condition is found to exist, was made by City Commissioner George H. Gruenbauer, a member of the board of control of the juvenile home.

Escanaba—Victor Olson, a sexton, was attacked and severly bitten on the right hand by a mad dog while he was digging a grave in Stannes cemetery. The animal was shot by the police. Several cases of rabies have been found here and a "shoot unmuzzled dogs on sight" order has been issued.

Mt. Clemens—Incorporation as a city of that community in and near the village of Center Line has been asked of the Macomb County Board of Supervisors by nearly 6,000 residents. If a special election is authorized and the proposal approved the city is to be known as Garland, according to present plans.

Marquette—Red Cross workers and municipal officials from surrounding towns endeavored to secure shelter, food and clothing for the people of Chatham, made homeless by fire. The fire was started by two girls who were playing with matches. The Alger county infirmary, the public school, railroad station and all except one dwelling were destroyed.

Owosso—Waiving examination on a charge of forgery, Frank E. Sutfin, former Owosso business man and a candidate for mayor two years ago, has been bound over to Circuit Court and will, he says, plead guilty. He furnished bail in the sum of $3,000. The charge grows out of Sutfin's alleged attempt to conceal assets of $8,000 in a recent property settlement with his divorced wife.

Detroit—Opening of a second interurban passenger terminal was announced by the Detroit United Lines. The station which is on Fort street in River Rouge, is to be called the Oakwood station and placed in operation. All cars and trains operating on the Detroit, Monroe & Toledo short line will be met at this station by motor coaches and brought through the congested parts of the city.

Detroit—Police reserves, routing a mob of 5,000 persons, saved Adline Mathis, Negro, his family and boarders at 5915 Northfield avenue, from a threatened violence after a crowd had advanced in close formation and bombarded his house with rocks and other missiles. A strong police picket thrown about the house, still was on duty early today to guard against another outbreak. Mathis told police move from the district.

Lansing—Three million dollars worth of highway refunding bonds was sold to a syndicate headed by Keene, Taylor and Company, by the State Administrative Board. The syndicate paid a premium of $270 for $2,410,000 of four per cent bonds and $590,000 worth of 4 1-2 per cent bonds. The average interest cost to the state will be 4.046. The proceeds will be used to retire an issue of short term five per cent bonds.

Ypsilanti—As a result of the action of the voters here in rejecting a proposed charter amendment, which would have raised the limit for the issuance of paving bonds from two per cent to four per cent of the assessed valuation, the same amendment which was defeated last fall the council has refused even to allow a reading of bids offered by contractors for paving certain streets here. The ultimatum was issued that since the voters refused to allow the council a free hand, the latter will permit no paving whatever during the coming year.

Lansing—Officials of the Ann Arbor Railroad completed arrangements with the State Tax Commission whereby they will issue $1,500,000 worth of bonds against the physical property of the road and from it pay the state $600,000 for back taxes. The delinquent taxes cover a four-year period. Demand for payment has been made from time to time and was insisted on a year ago. On that occasion, Mr. Lord says, officials of the road protested that the Ann Arbor would be forced into the hands of a receiver if the state set about to collect the taxes.

Sandusky—Farmers and shippers living along the Detroit, Bay City Western Railroad route must raise $50,000 with which to purchase first mortgage bonds from the present owners if they wish to receive transportation service. The new owners, who purchased the road recently for $200,000 at a receiver's sale in Bay City, state that the section of the road in the vicinity of Sandusky can not be operated without the $50,000 additional capital. If the money is not forthcoming, it is stated, this part of the railroad will be scrapped.

Saginaw—A driverless automobile, careening through the business district, was a pyre of death for three little girls. The girls were fatally burned after the car caught fire and ran without a driver for two blocks after the pilot, Lawrence Boyd, in attempting to save the children, had fallen from the automobile. Two of the girls were Boyd's daughters, aged four and five years, who were riding in the rear seat with another little girl. Boyd says that in attempting to climb over the back seat to lift them out he fell from the machine.

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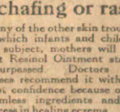

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‘‘Birth control is harmless, religious, human and it should be legal", he declared. ‘‘If civilization is to continue to be worth while in that it signifies increasing health, happiness, high ideals, altruism and progress, there must be less mental conflict, which is the harbinger of neurosis.

‘‘The greatest source of all neurosis is admittedly the conflict between the fundamental, instinctive desire for mating, with reproduction as a consequence and the taboos and conventions which have been built up against it."

He declared that many divorces and wrecked homes can be attributed to lack of reliable information on the part of married couples

This medical man may be right but if he were in North Adams he'd find a lot of opposition to his pet theory without looking into the Bible. From a casual perusal of his argument it would appear he was trying to establish a loose social condition under which no class of people can live and thrive.

The Sultana Disaster

Last week we mentioned the death of William Crisp of Osceola, Nebraska, and promised more concerning his eventful life this issue. We should have mentioned last week that besides Mrs. Mary Gray he also has one other niece here in the person of Mrs, Will Peterson. What we are mostly concerned about now is the great disaster which took place on the Mississippi river 7 miles above Memphis Tennessee when a large steamer laden with liberated prisoners from Confederate pens was homeward bound. This affair has been pretty well described in our columns some time ago but we doubt if many remember the details. The sinking occurred on April 27, 1865 and it was claimed at the time 1500 soldiers died. However since that time actual records have shown the number to be considerably less but the circumstances was a sad blow to many a yearning relative in the north.

A number of Michigan boys were in the disaster and among them was a brother of Hiram Cole formerly of Pittsford but now deceased. Mr. Cole gave a graphic description of the accident. He said he was sleeping on the deck when the boiler of the Sultana let go with a terrific roar. Large numbers of men were instantly killed and a good many scalded, and Mr. Cole had most of his clothing shredded by the blast. Looking up forward where the fire was fast eating at the cabin wood work he could see the terrified men jumping in masses into the river, and as they clung together they looked for all the world like a clump of bees struggling in the water and rolled over and over in a drowning mass. He decided at once that was no place for him and crawled rearward until he arrived under the protection of one of the big paddle wheel boxes. Here he disrobed, grabbed a plank and plunged into the icy waters of the Mississippi which was swollen by floods until it was fully three miles wide. The horror of that night remained with him until his dying day and the screams of the wounded and drowning soldiers created a pandemonium hard to realize. Mr. Cole swam about for many hours and was finally picked up by a boat from the shore. Mr. Crisp was also sleeping on deck only three feet from the engines of the boat and was frightfully burned, had a broken shoulder and three broken ribs. In this condition he was obliged to jump overboard and swam three miles, coming to a tree where he lifted himself out of the water and hung on until nine o'clock the next day when he was rescued by a southerner with an old ‘‘dugout" boat. This same man took out 65 dead and alive from the wreck. He was a Confederate soldier. Mr. Crisp was taken to Memphis to a hospital and it was six weeks before he was able to navigate. In the mean time relatives in the North had not received any intelligence from him and supposed him dead. By slow stages he finally got back to Michigan being obliged to stop enroute at hospitals to receive treatment. Arriving in Hillsdale he was a raw sight, all bandaged and blackened from his burns and elicited considerable excitement. For a year afterward he was ill and unable to work. When he did recover he went into the ministry, moved to Nebraska and there led a very useful life until death. To the end he carried frightful scars from the burns received when the Sultana's boiler blew up. It is probable that now there are not one dozen living who went through this terrible experience, and they are widely scattered. It is miraculous that anyone lived to tell the story as most of the men had been in a southern prison starving and dying of many diseases and no doubt were very weak and ill conditioned for such exposure.

Correspondence Schools Are Scored

We have always contended that a correspondence school for learning the young ideas how to shoot was not practical and far from square toed. Way back some years ago we remember how such an institution wheedled us out of twenty two hard earned dollars for which we received practically nothing. There is no use talking when a young man starts out intending to get immensely rich from what he can pick up from a correspondence school it means his Waterloo. Michigan as a state has probably the same opinion since the officials of the notorious Detroit Show Card writing school have been indicted for using the government mails to defraud. We remember of seeing this school's advertising in thousands of papers in the country and no doubt they have had plenty of time to garner in millions of money from the abundant crop of suckers. On Monday a Detroit Judge handed out to the proprietor of this school a sentence of one year in Leavenworth Penitentiary and $12,000 fine, to a general manager a fine of $8,000 and six months in the House of Correction. So we hope this will be a lesson to all aspirants to let these fly by night correspondence schools severely alone.

Mail order buying is largely discouraged by a class of real red blooded citizens in this country. In the first place the man who buys from the mail order house is usually a well off person financially and his money could be used to advantage right here. Our merchants have to pay high taxes for the upkeep of the village that your property and my property shall become valuable, and the small communities shall exist and do business. Otherwise the big cities would gobble up our entire industrial system and we would have to visit Hillsdale or Jackson each time we wished to have the transmission renewed, the valves ground in, or we wanted a pair of everalls, or a gallon of oil, or a check cashed. We don't want such conditions. We want a live prosperous village and our money will have to be kept at home if we maintain local business. At times it seems hard to meet the tax gatherer and you are a little provoked to learn you are taxed to provide a drain or a gravel highway to drive your automobile on—yet here's where you make your money, raise and educate your children and bury your dead. You certainly are interested in this community, and it is up to you to make it strong and prominent. You can't do it by sending your money to Sears and Ripsaw.

They Put it Out

This is the way the North Adams fire brigade went to the fire away back in the '80's according to a clipping from an old edition of the Hillsdale paper:

‘‘North Adams came near being treated to another extensive fire last week, the high school being honored this time. Fire started around the register in some manner and but for the promptness with which the fire engine was run out and run in again, a sad conflageration no doubt wonld have resulted. Capt. Hank Boniman and his speaking trumpet rushed wildly up the center of the street blowing hoarse blasts on each other, and scaring all teams and other truck out of the way of the engine and hose cart. The engine, by the way, stood bravely by the water-works while some men and boys carried the hose cart to the school house on a stretcher and tried to throw it in at the window but could not owing to the hose becoming tangled around a shade tree. Foreman Curtis passed the engine in the street without recognizing it, and arrived at the school house in time to receive a bucket of cold water dashed over him by some zealous patriot. Having got the engine aad hose cart where no one could injure them and broke up most of the furniture and chopped away the floor, the boys carried some water in buckets and put the fire out. Pandemonium reigned Tine Speer busted a gallus, and everyone was happy.

If there is anything in North Adams people are proud of, it is that pretty little fire engine. They are so mashed on it that they will set up a stove in its stall to keep it warm, and some one will sit up with the dear little thing nights. In the spring when the weather softens, the city daddies will let some one take it to squirt water on the house plants, as it must not take cold water into its system!

Not every little city can afford snch a pretty toy."

The Citizen's Military Training Camp will be held at Camp Custer Michigan from July 23rd to Augnst 21, 1925. All young men are eligible between the ages of 19 and 31 years. World war veterans who are interested in attending this camp should communicate with the commanding general 6th corps area 1819 West Pershing Road, Chicago, Illinois.

He's Gone To Editing

The other day we picked up a copy of the Michigan Business Farmer published at Mt. Clemens, and casually glanced over its columns before taking our Sunday siesta. An honest open physiog beamed out at us from its columns; we recognized the photo at once as a correct map of Lewis Meeks' face. Sure enough! Our old acquaintance bigger than life! Right at the top of the department it stated that Mr. Meeks was editor of ‘‘Broadscope Farm News and Views" We read down a ways and the further we read the better we liked it—all solid stuff a yard wide, and right off the reel by a man who has practiced what he preaches for a number of years right here in our midst

It pays to work scientifically whether you are a farmer or a banker. Farm news is not the only commodity Bro. Meeks deals in. It is a fact he is one of the prominent potato raisers of southern Michigan. He raises spuds that stand out alone. It was his tubers that won the state championship in certified seed stock, and now those boys down in Ohio who have never supposed they could raise potatoes fit to look at on their hard pan clay, are buying his certified seed and getting results. There is more than one way to make good. Mr. Meeks has chosen one of the higher callings in life. His experience is worth something to the farmers of Michigan—at least the ‘‘Business Farmer" thinks so.

It is mighty consoling to know that after many years of Rip Van Winkle rest, Hillsdale county has decided to wake up to scientific farming, and the Boys' and Girls' stock clubs are fast forging to the front—they made a record at the great International Live Stock Show in Chicago last December. After all, Michigan is bound to become not only a popular playground for America's summer resorters, but her beautiful border of temperature softening lakes makes her one of the best agricultural states of the Union. We are proud of our scientific farming. It is fitting that the first high school in the state to install an agricultural department, should be the center of scientific farming. Go to it, Lew!

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sophia S. Davis Deceased. M. Myrtle Davis, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to the executors named therein or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of May A. D. 1925, at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy here of for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 46t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of April, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Harmon Fowle, deceased.

Byron C. Fowle having filed his petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten a. m., at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy here of for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTRUR L. GUERNSEY
46t3 Judge of Probate

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 8th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Belle M. Fowle Deceased. Byron C. Fowle having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration de bonis non of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or to some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition:

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 46t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale,

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate,

In the Matter of the Estate of Ann M. Pearson Deceased. Sarah Pierce heir at law of deceased, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to D. L, Pierce or some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of May, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is here by appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

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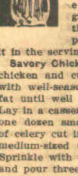
SEASONABLE GOOD THINGS



When you have a few of the large coarser outside stalks of celery, cut them into dice and cook in boiling salted water until tender. Meanwhile heat one cupful of thin cream to which a tablespoonful of butter has been added, season with salt and pepper, and one-eighth teaspoonful of grated nutmeg. Drain the cooked celery and pour the hot cream over it in the serving dish.

Savory Chicken.—Select a six-pound chicken and cut into pieces. Dredge with well-seasoned flour and saute in fat until well browned on both sides. Lay in a casserole and place around it one dozen small onions, three stalks of celery cut into inch pieces and two medium-sized carrots cut into slices. Sprinkle with one teaspoonful of salt, and pour three cupfuls of strained tomatoes over the top. Dot the top with one tablespoonful of butter, cover tightly and cook in a moderate oven until the vegetables are tender. Usually three hours will be needed for the cooking. Serve with boiled rice.

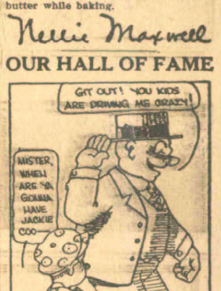
Vegetable Combination.—This dish will be sufficient for a main dish without meat. Place a cooked cauliflower in the center of a hot chop plate and surround it with mounds of the following cooked and seasoned vegetables: Small onions, diced carrots, diced beets, diced turnips and shredded string beans. Prepare a mock hollandaise as follows: Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour and blend well together. Add gradually one cupful of hot water, stir until well thickened. Season with one-half teaspoonful of salt, a little cayenne and a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Pour this sauce over two well-beaten eggs and pour at once over the cauliflower.

Take small canned beets, chop after draining and serve them heated in hot butter with a dash of vinegar and cayenne.

A nice way to bake apples is to fill the cavities with brown sugar and butter and pour a little water into the pan. Baste often with the water and butter while baking.

Nellie Maxwell

OUR HALL OF FAME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In Shabbytown

IN Shabbytown they do not care if things look seedy everywhere. They have no pep, they've lost their grip, they simply sit around and yip, in envy's tones, of Glossyville, the shining village on the hill. Oh, Shabbytown is punk and gray, and it shows symptoms of decay, and strangers passing through remark, "It surely dates back to the Ark." "Clean Up and Paint Up" makes men frown along the streets of Shabbytown. A can of paint makes no appeal to this bum village, down at heel; the people think there is no sense in going to so much expense; so things are always going down, and getting worse in Shabbytown. It always gives my soul a thrill when I arrive in Glossyville. The town looks like a blooming bride; the people take a hearty pride in making things look clean and bright, and in their labors take delight. They're lavish with the helpful paint, selecting colors chaste or quaint, and decorating every shack; thus warding off decay's attack, and making all the buildings look like buildings read of in a book. And strangers, when they see the town, say, "Here we'll come and settle down, and raise us nineteen kids apiece, and live and die as slick as grease." This happy burg goes right ahead, while Shabbytown is prone and dead.

WALT MASON.

Clean Up and Paint Up

OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1925

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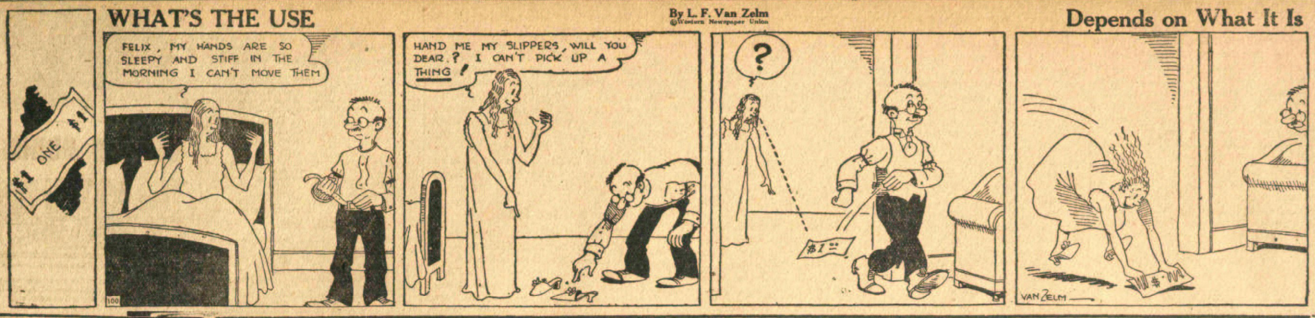
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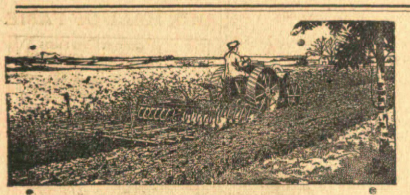

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

"The Juvenile Jazz To Jail"

(Continued from last week)

Remember that the gang functions both at school and church, as well as at play and in the long evenings out, often making 10 hours a day that your boy is with the gang. And maybe you have him 10 hours a week!

The future of your boy is more and more in the hands of the gang and less and less in the hands of the church, the school or the home

And what is the big moulding influence on the gang? Unquestionably, commercial amusement, that is bidding for every possible moment of youth's time. The movie the pool room, and the dance hall are hot on his trail every minute of his available time. There you have it, the influence of the church slipping, the influence of the commercial amusement vulture as steadily gaining.

You would think that the home and church would get together for common defense, but such has not been the fact. The home surrenders supinely to the drift. The school, in her eagerness to assist, unintentionally robs the church of her chance to help,

MIDNIGHT STUFF

Take the high school "midnight stuff" that has swept this and other states, Parties, games, plays and contests are followed by a dance in the gym, getting out maybe at mid night. Then the auto rides home, by the longest route, often via a neighboring town, with crowded seats, inviting disaster on the road and moral let-downs to the midnight riders.

The school declares that the parents demand this new social life. Probably some do, but more make some feeble sort of a protest against the tide and many are fighting with their backs to the wall to keep their own homes safe. But any home struggling against a school has small chance in a world that is bound socially so close together.

One pastor tells of the father who offered his daughter a new piano if she would cut out this night stuff at school and get down to business. Another father offered to buy his boy and girl a new car if they would cut out the basket ball team with its three to six nights a week, and go at their books They refused the offer. Perhaps he has "raised" his bid since then.

WE RUN THE RISK

It would be disloyalty now to raise a question as to the profound wisdom of the intensive training of a handful of youngsters, and working them as hard as trained and mature athletes. Why call it recreation when this handful plays in a crowded gym where ventilation is often unknown? A few years from now, it may be displaced by something that is a blessing to the whole school. "Give 'em the Air," but do not give them too much night air, nor air that has been breathed sixteen times.

One rather angry father insists that some high schools need a night padlock put on by an awakened community. These words are not written by a grouch, but by one who believes that athletics form a vital part of youth's training. There is a program that will really re-create youth. We are for that!

BIG WITNESSES

We have talked with two of the wisest and best big men we know, who are facing this problem daily. One of our most conservative leaders assures us that the modern dance is far more dangerous than of old and that with the precocious sense of sex that is developing, it is working ruin among our youth.

Another frankly admits that he regards the modern high school as impossible and takes his own children out and sends them away to school. And the wise little preachers all agree with the big men. One optimist assures us that when the modern boys and girls get married, they will settle down and profit by their mistakes and we shall swing back to normalcy. But meanwhile, what of the wrecks that are strewn along the high school road, wrecks that can not be saved by any future generation's finding itself?

We are among those who count the present generation now in high school as one of the best that ever came from the hand of God. All the more shame if this company is marred by want of co-operation among their friends.

What can be done in a constructive way to remedy this situation?

1. Why couldn't the teachers and the preachers eat supper together, and when all hearts had been warmed by the coffee, talk the whole thing out? There must be a real get-together here, at last.

2. Church and school could agree to give and take on their nights, so it would be understood which nights "belonged," by a gentleman's agreement, to each organization. Only a few years ago, nights belonged to the home and the church. Just how we got to the place where we let the school claim "eight nights a week" is difficult to explain.

3. The school could insist on a reasonable closing hour, and enforce it. Why does the city of Detroit close its pavilions at the skating ponds at 9:45? They figure that the skaters will be back home at 10:30. The little towns do not get their midnight stuff from the organized recreation of Detroit.

4. The school can guard the interest of a minority that is hurt by the "advanced" program. There are still some conscientious objectors to the high school dance and the midnight stuff that goes with it. If the majority of the parents want the dance. then why not put it on in the afternoon of Saturday and let those come who wish to do so? Perhaps the parents would come also to supervise the dance. Why force it upon the minority? Why weave it into the athletic program which ought to stand on its own merit? If it must be held then why not clip its most objectionable features?

5. Couldn't we divorce the school from its endless money making devices for everything under the sun? The children are made to feel the bitter charge of disloyalty if they do not patronize everything going. What a pity it is that while the church is trying desperately to pull its feet out of the bottomless mire of money making stunts, the next generation is being headed away from possible freedom back into the slough of trying to ogle a dollar out of folks instead of manfully earning it and saving it for themselves.

6. The school and church can each afford to go out of its way to boost for each other. They hold the bridge for civilization, the home having so largely deserted the field. The pastorate of a church and the superintendency of a school system, or of a high school, represent two of the biggest and hardest and best tasks on the American continent today. If we do not hang together we will hang separately. Certainly we can not afford to hang each other, or even hinder each other.

If some Roman Catholic friend should smile over our predicament let him forget the smile. We are not compelled yet to choose between his parochial school and our present public school. There is still before us an ideal toward which we are striving, and we are on the way. We are conscious of the defects, and Protestantism is set to try to remedy them. We prefer our schools with all their faults and we like them so well that we want them to go on unto perfection.—The Christian Advocate.

(The end)

Adapted Seed Makes Good on U. P. Farms

Adapted varieties of oats and barley have made good in the upper Peninsula of Michigan, in tests conducted during the past four years by specialists from the M. A. C. Results of these tests, showing what can be done under climatic conditions found in the northern part of the state, have been announced by C. E. Skiver, member of the crops department at the college.

Wolverine and worthy oats, and Wisconsin Pedigreed barley have proved to be especially adapted to the soils and climates of upper Michigan, says Skiver. This matter of adaptability, while very important anywhere, must be watched with especial care in northern sections like the upper peninsula.

On the 80,000 acres of oats produced annually in the Upper Peninsula, use of above named varieties would bring a sufficiently increased yield, under normal conditions, to mean an increased revenue of around $350,000 a year. The same ratio holds true for the adapted strain of barley, which would increase revenue around $50,000 on the U. P.'s annual crop of 8,000 acres. The Michigan Crop Improvement Associations, with offices at East Lansing, is a cooperative organization of growers who are producing certified seed stocks under the supervision of the extension service at M. A. C.

Moving Soils Lab. Makes Good Start

A movable soils laboratory, one of the most unnsual demonstration trains ever assembled in Michigan got under way in Jackson county on April 7 for a three weeks tour. Members of the soils department at M. A. C, and railroads over which the train will run are cooperating in putting on the "special".

A dozen counties in the southern part of the state are included in the itinerary for the moving laboratory. Soils are tested at each stop and demonstrations are given. Big crowds are reported to have met the train at each of its stops.

Stumps Cause Loss In Farm Operation

That farmers all over the state are annually suffering heavy loss because of the waste caused by "tramp" stumps in cultivated fields is the opinion of Larry Livingston Agricultural engineering specialist with the M. A. C. extension division. The lost crop area around these stumps is said to represent a bigger item of wasted efficiency than most farmers realize.

"The time has arrived," says Livingston, "when the farmer must improve his cultivated acres in order to produce maximum crop

Harley Voorhees

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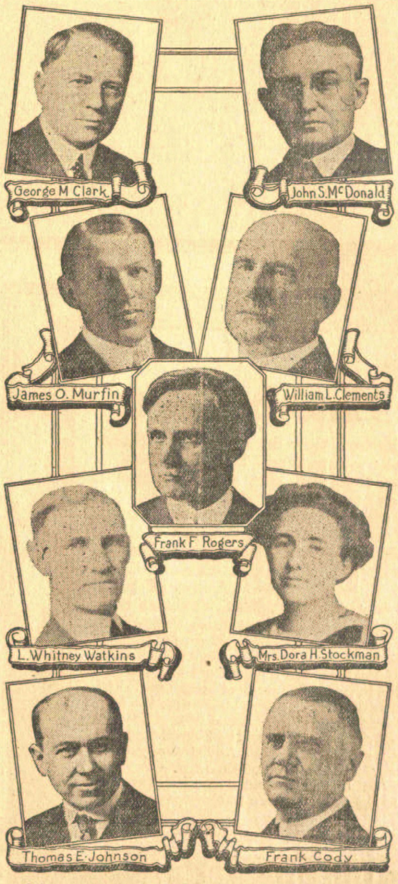
Republican Candidates on State Ticket, Election Monday, April 6



It is very apparent that Michigan Republicans believe that public servants at all times deserve to be rewarded for their faithful performance of duty, the entire state ticket at the April election being present incumbents of their respective positions. Supreme Court Justices John S. McDonald and George M. Clark are present members of that bench; then William L. Clements and James O. Murfin have each for a number of years been active on the Board of Regents having charge of the U. of M., while L. Whitney Watkins has served two terms and Mrs. Dora H. Stockman one on the State Board of Agriculture, the governing body of the M. A. C. Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, has held that office more than a dozen years and was connected with the same department since its creation in the present form. Thomas E. Johnson has been connected with the school work of Michigan since 1890 and was appointed Superintendent of Public Instruction to fill vacancy by Governor Sleeper. Frank Cody, who is superintendent of the public schools in Detroit, has been a member of the State Board of Education for the past twelve years and is now the Republican party nominee for a third term.

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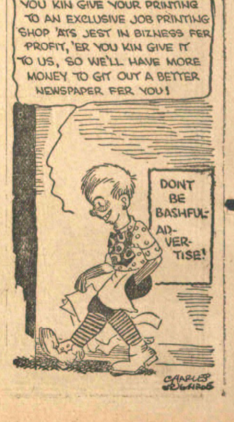
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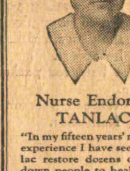
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CHAPTER IX—Continued

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"At first, when I came here, it was only at times that he'd take the morphine, and then he'd have terrible outbursts of rage, and his mind would go, especially when he'd have those fits after he came back from Avonmouth. But after that the hoodoo got him. That was when I was afraid."

"The hoodoo?" inquired Joan.

"Miss Wentworth, the devil who was at him so long got hold of him once or twice. I've seen him come back from Avonmouth a different man, Miss Wentworth. That's when I've been afraid. Because the devil that can kill the body isn't much of a devil, but when he kills the soul there is no help but prayer. When he's in those dreadful moods he's another man. He's a wicked man, Miss Wentworth, and I'd shoot him then, if he tried to harm me or any of mine, and I wouldn't think I'd killed Doctor Lancaster. It all began after they accused him of stealing the trust funds."

"It is not true," said Joan.

"I'm sure it isn't, Miss Wentworth. But you see old Doctor Lancaster didn't leave the charge of the fund to his son; he left it in the care of the trustees. And there were complications about the hospital at Avonmouth. And then, after the doctor's bride ran away on the eve of their marriage it changed all his nature."

"I have heard of that," said Joan quietly. "But we must not discuss that in the doctor's absence."

"Why, everybody knows about that, Miss Wentworth. Before it happened they say the doctor was the most respected man in Lancaster. He'd been born here, you know, on the plantation down in the valley Millville way. She was a Miss Reid. She came from Farnley county. She was the reigning belle there, admired and flattered, and it turned her heart to a stone to have all the men after her, crazy to marry her. The doctor was a young man then, and he couldn't see any further into her heart, such as it was, than the rest of them.

"She led the doctor a chase before she promised him, they say. But the very day before their marriage was to have been she left her home without a word to anyone, to go off with another man who's never been discovered. That broke the doctor up. He took to drugs then, they tell me. The institute had been a big place before; it stood over on Morley's hill, but it burned down one night, and we took this old farm house. And the doctor was using the funds, they said, and wasn't responsible at all.

"The trustees found that the money was gone. Nobody knew where it went, because the doctor had his own inheritance, and he wasn't the man to steal or squander. They wouldn't do anything to him, because of his family; but they put Mr. Myers in charge of the finances. That's all. None of us liked him, but what could we do about it? He was here when Doctor Jenkins and I were appointed, and as soon as we understood how matters were we agreed to stay as long as we could and try to help the doctor."

"Mrs. Fraser, I want to know why Mr. Myers incited Doctor Lancaster to use morphine," said Joan.

"Miss Wentworth—"

"You know he did. You told me so. And Doctor Jenkins knows."

The matron looked agitated. "What could we do?" she cried. "Suppose we knew, what can two people do against a man like Myers? Suppose we had said so, who would have believed us? We did all we could do; and we all love the doctor and would rather stay with him and help where we could than be discharged and do nothing."

She looked at Joan piteously, like a child caught in wrong-doing.

"I know you did your best," answered the girl. "But why should Doctor Lancaster stay here in Myers' power, instead of at his home in Avonmouth, where he is respected and powerful? Nothing of all this is known there."

The matron wrung her hands. "I don't know," she answered. "I suppose that man has had him by the throat in more ways than we know. Whenever the doctor used to go to Avonmouth Mr. Myers would go with him, and generally he'd come back with him. Miss Wentworth, till you came here the doctor wasn't a man; what with his drugs and the hold Mr. Myers had over him, he was just a machine. And Mr. Myers was the driver."

Joan had the feeling that she should not listen to the matron's talk about Lancaster; it seemed disloyal of her; but she felt, too, that she must know more, and speedily, if she was to thwart that menacing evil which she sensed more and more clearly as the moments passed.

"Miss Wentworth," said the matron, placing her hand on the girl's arm firmly, "there's something else I ought to have told you about, Mrs. Dana—"

"Hark!" interrupted Joan, holding up her hand for silence.

Then they heard, a long distance away, and inaudible to one whose attention was not strained, like theirs, the sound of the wheels of Jenkins' buggy.

Chapter X

Joan hurried out upon the veranda and stood peering under her raised hand across the rain-swamped fields to where the carriage road wound in and out among the hills. The sun had set, and it was beginning to grow dusk; a bat was flitting under the eaves, and the steady downpour never ceased. Mrs. Fraser, who had moved to follow the girl, went back into her room. There was a queer, troubled pucker about her lips, and once she went to the door and looked intently at Joan, who had not stirred from her position of expectancy.

Presently, looking out through the dripping trees, Joan could see the buggy crawling up the hill through the mud. Slowly it moved along the road. Jenkins was driving, and there were two men with him, not one. Joan recognized Lancaster; then she perceived, first the hard hat, next Myers' face under it.

She shuddered. The worst had come about, then. But the last battle was joined, and under her fears she felt a hardening of her spiritual resources. She would not falter. She went slowly toward the top of the three low wooden steps, and stood there like a statue, watching the buggy pass up the weed-grown drive until it came to a standstill.

Lancaster and Myers were laughing together, and, as Myers saw the girl, he said something, and the other threw back his head in merriment.

Myers was the first to descend. He raised his hat to Joan and grinned. "The doctor's *come back* quite safe, you see," he said, "and feeling fine again."

Joan hardly noticed the man; she was bracing herself to bear what was to come.

Lancaster got out, and Jenkins, contrary to his custom, lashed the horse violently and drove rapidly away. Myers and Lancaster came up the steps of the porch together. Now Lancaster was raising his hat in turn, and under it was the face of the smirking bully of the operating theater at the Avonmouth hospital.

"Well, I had a fine trip to Avonmouth, my dear, and I hurried back as fast as I could, to see you. I couldn't stay away from you very long, Joan, after you saved my life. And I persuaded Mr. Myers to return with me. We're all going to be good friends. Mrs. Fraser! Mrs. Fraser! Where the devil are you?" he bawled.

Mrs. Fraser's frightened face appeared at the door. "Here, sir!" she stammered.

"Is supper ready? If so, we'll all eat together."

"It's waiting, sir. I'll lay another place," said the matron.

"Good! Then we'll go in. What do you say, Joan, darling? Aren't you glad to see me?" he asked, linking his arm in the girl's and advancing his face within a few inches of hers.

With a sob Joan tore herself away from him and ran upstairs at the top of her speed. She was choking with grief and shame. Hard as she ran, she knew her flight was an incentive to Lancaster to follow her. He went after her as fast as he could, and, as she slammed the door of her room, his hand was on the knob outside. She was just too late to turn the key.

"Joan! Joan! Open the door and don't act like a little fool!" he shouted. "What's the matter with you? Ain't you glad I've come back? Say, I've got a half dozen bottles of the fizzy stuff in my bag, and we three will make a night of it."

"Oh, won't you please leave me?" pleaded Joan. "Try to remember how—how different you were yesterday."

"That's true!" he swore. "I'm different now. I was a sanctimonious mug yesterday. I'm in my right mind today. It gave me the blue creeps, being cooped up here in this God-forsaken place. I tell you, Joan, now that I've had enough good liquor to soak that morphine out of my system I'm feeling like a king. Say, now, come down to supper, like a good little girl, and we'll have a great time together. Myers doesn't bear any ill-feeling. And we'll put him out after a while and finish up the bottles ourselves. And say—"

He was advancing toward her with his arms outstretched. Joan sprang back to the washstand and snatched up the half-filled pitcher, with such an evident determination to defend herself with it that the man fell back scowling.

"Joan, don't be a little jackass!" he shouted angrily. "I know what you mean when you look at me like that. You think you're above being jolly and sociable, just because I don't choose to stand on my dignity tonight. Did you expect me to go about always looking like a sanctified mummy, as I did when I was ill?"

"Listen, Doctor Lancaster," panted the girl. "I am not going to judge you by what you are saying now. Leave me, and tomorrow, if you are yourself, I shall be willing to hear your explanation, because I know it is not your better self that is speaking. Leave my room now, please, immediately!"

The man glared at her; but he was dominated, in spite of himself, by her courage and apparent calmness.

"Well, I'm not going to fight with you before I've had my supper," he answered. "You think things over, and in a little while I guess you'll see them in a different light. You can't fool me with these mock airs and graces, dearie. I've seen them in women before. Used to believe in them once, too, till I found it meant that it was going to cost me more in the end. You come down and act straight, Joan—see?"

He slammed the door viciously behind him. Joan fell upon her knees beside her bed. There, tearless, but shaken with her grief, she poured out a wild prayer for the lost soul of the man. This was worse than anything she could have divined. Better by far that he had returned as on that earlier day, drugged and possessed by the morphine spirit than in the chains of this devil. Better that he had died. For Lancaster, even when the shifty, false, lying drug fiend was in control of him, had never been vicious and vile like this before.

And yet this was the John Lancaster of the Southern hospital. It was the traditional Lancaster in his hour of relaxation. He treated women shamefully, as a gossiping nurse had said. Joan had never been in fear of physical harm as she was now. She rose from her knees, looking wildly about her. Then she heard footsteps outside, and she sprang back across the room.

But it was only the matron. Mrs. Fraser cast a scared glance at her and ran forward. "What did he say to you?" she cried.

"I am afraid of him. I dare not stay here. Where shall I go?" cried Joan, losing all self-control.

In the midst of her terror Joan suddenly realized that the look upon the matron's face was the same as on her first night, when they had held a brief conversation in the same room.

For a moment Mrs. Fraser did not answer her. The women drew together, listening. They were having supper below, conversing in boisterous tones and laughing loudly. Joan heard her own name spoken, and a renewed outburst of mirth followed.

"Mrs. Fraser," said Joan, "the Doctor Lancaster whom I respect and honor is not in that man's body. I am going away. I am going at once. I shall ask Doctor Jenkins to protect me until tomorrow. He is a gentleman; he will do so."

"You can't go through this storm," exclaimed the other, and, as she spoke, Joan realized that the wind had risen to a hurricane, and the boughs creaked and snapped like pistol shots. "You must stay here tonight. Stay with me, and I'll swear he shall not hurt you. Look at this!"

She pulled a revolver from beneath her apron and handed it to Joan.

"I've kept that ever since the last time he came back like this, when he went raving among the patients, mad with liquor. That was the end of the institution. He frightened a sick girl almost to death. Use it on him if you must—use it, because it won't be him you'll kill, but the devil that's got him."

She was almost incoherent with fear and excitement. Joan took the revolver and slipped it into the pocket of her uniform. Oddly enough, she felt that the Lancaster of that evening had so grossly wronged the Lancaster of earlier days that to kill him would be to avenge an intolerable outrage. She hated him with all the intensity of which her heart was capable, hated him for the wrong he had done himself, the outrage on their love; and under the hate the flame of the love she had borne burned pure and clear.

It was long since dark, but the maid had not lit the lamp outside Mrs. Dana's door, near the head of the stairs. The moon had not yet risen. The women crept cautiously along the hall.

Lancaster and the secretary were in Myers' room. The door was open. Joan heard a cork fly with a bang, and the gurgle of the champagne in glasses. Their voices were raised high, and there came the sound of a scuffle.

"Sit down!" the secretary was crying. "Do you want to be a fool and spoil everything? Leave her alone until tomorrow."

"I'm d—d if I do!" cried Lancaster. "Wait a minute! Listen to me! You agreed to come back here and put her out. Why don't you do it now?"

Lancaster laughed coarsely. "Because she's too d—n pretty, Myers," he answered.

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"You'll do!" said the manager.—Boston Transcript.

Major's Man Knew How to Deal With Scorpion

The major acquired a body servant named Garvino while we were soaking up malaria in the hills back of Santiago. One day the major was stung by a large scorpion—stung through his leather legging at that. Major Latimer was probably one of the world's greatest technicians in the art of profanity. He tore loose with his entire vocabulary when the virus of the scorpion made itself felt. Then he concluded he was going to die, as many other scorpion stingees had.

Garvino dug around till he found another scorpion. He broke the critter in two, tore off the major's legging, rolled up his pants and drawers and applied the raw end of half the broken scorpion to the spot on the major's leg where the sting had entered, writes Leo P. Cook in Adventure Magazine. The pain ceased immediately and the major felt no further discomfort. Thereafter we knew how to treat a scorpion sting. This may be old stuff.

Another little trick of Garvino was to catch a scorpion, hold it by the head from beneath with thumb and finger, and with his other hand tear out the muscle that actuated the scorpion's sting. You know the scorpion must flip his tail up over his head to strike. After Garvino had performed this operation the scorpion was helpless to sting, though his locomotion was not interfered with.

The Humble Daisy

Children sometimes remove the white petals from daisies and then use the yellow center as pumpkin pies for their dolls' tables. By clipping off the rays to shape a cap and leaving two long ones for strings, with a little ink, a capped grandmother's head and face are made. In literature the daisy has a place second only to the rose.

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"Sometimes I take books and cigars and go back to bed. Some days I walk around in unfamiliar parts of town; some days I play golf or ride. And at evening I am refreshed and I say, 'One more day to charge up to the reserve for wasted days.' And invariably the next day I feel fine."

Uncertain

Friend—"It never hurts one to love and lose." Mr. Peckmoore—"But one can't always lose!"

Vegetable Scoops

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National Sports Museum

A group of English sportsmen are taking steps to open a national sports museum in London. Exhibits would include busts and pictures of noted sportsmen, and bats, rackets and clubs used by famous sportsmen, amateur and professional. A large library would also be a part of the museum. The sum of $25,000 has been subscribed for buying exhibits and arranging them, when proper accommodation has been found.

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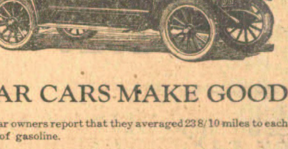
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We would like to see a larger crowd out at the picture shows on Saturday nights.

There have been a number of pupils out of school with the grippe and colds for the past two weeks.

The 7th and 8th grades entertained the 7th and 8th grades from the country last Saturday. About 70 7th and 8th graders from the surrounding schools responded to Mr. Young's invitation to spend the day at the school house in preparation for the coming examinations. After a forenoon's work in Geography History, Arithmetic, Physiology and Hygiene a pot.luck dinner was enjoyed. In the afternoon there was a spelling contest and some outdoor sports. About 30 tickets to the picture show were issued as prizes to the winners of contests given thru' the day. Don't forget the next meeting Saturday, April 25th.

Grubby Knoll School Notes

Report for month of March.

We have the ground prepared for our school garden.

We are starting a clean up contest to extend over one month.

The school enjoyed an egg hunt and marshmallow roast last Friday afternoon.

The seventh grade are working on "The work book on the Geography of Michigan".

Marie Wilcox and Mildred Robb have received the most merit cards for perfect reading lessons.

Our enrollment has increased to 17 by the entrance of Grace, Lorraine, Francis and Myrle Beach.

Those who were neither absent or tardy for the month of March were Robert Winchell, Joseph Johns, Lloyd Robb, Beulah Robb Louis Meyer.

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Meeting called to order by President M N Wolcott

Councilmen present D H Carney, Glenn Mercer, L. B. Eggleston, H. L Fry, F N Baker, Bert Taylor

President Wolcott instructed H L Fry to see the County Road Commissioner and endeavor to get stop signals put up on Hillsdale street one north and one south of Main street, also school signs put up on each side of the school house

Motion made by F N Baker and seconded by D H Carney that Marshal J W Losey get enough roofing of F I Williams & Son to cover the village hall

President M N Wolcott selected Wednesday, April 22nd, as clean-up day.

President appointed L B Eggleston, D H Carney, and Bert Taylor to look after Decoration day program.

President instructed J W Losey to remove the pole standing in front of Miss Myra Beecher's home

President appointed the following committees:

Finance—F N Baker, Glenn Mercer, Harley Fry

Street—L B Eggleston, Bert Taylor, D H Carney

Purchasing—Bert Taylor, L B Eggleston H Fry.

Light—D H Carney, F N Baker Glenn Mercer

Health Officer—Dr O G McFarland

Marshal and Street Commissioner J W Losey

Motion made, seconded and carried that the meeting stand adjourned H A Williams, Clerk

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Somerset Centre

C. D. Carl spent Tuesday in North Adams.

Clayton Garver and wife entertained relatives Sunday.

Clifford Clark and wife spent Sunday with E. Buck and wife.

A. Hinman of Jackson was a Sunday guest of Seymour Roberts.

C. D. Carl and family spent Easter with Mrs. Catherine Carl.

Mrs. J. P. Churchfield spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Henry Haas.

Mrs. C. Lent, John and Carrie Lent spent Sunday with Charles Finch and wife.

Earl Rutan and family spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cora VanAllen.

D. Finch and and wife of Hanover spent Monday evening at the home of C. Lent.

Eugene McGregor and wife spent the week end with H. Ballard and wife of Auburn.

Tom Tuckerman and family spent Sunday at the home of Ray Tuckerman of Cement city.

Mrs. J. Smith accompanied by Mrs. A. Smith of Hillsdale spent one day last week in Toledo.

W. Branch and wife of Detroit Clinton and Arthur Lester of Weston were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Parker.

Mr. Apple, Mrs. Shortley and Mr. and Mrs. Slate of Jackson spent Sunday evening with Earl Rutan and family.

Mrs. Craven entertained Sunday Seymour Roberts, Vena and Bonnie Roberts. Leonard Foltz and wife and A. Hinman.

L. A. Mercer and wife eutertained Sunday Orrin Parrish and wife Lawrence Parrish and wife, Alice Parrish and children.

(Too late for last week)

J. P. Churchfield left Monday for Midland.

Carl Lent, Edith Lent and Mollie Lent spent Sunday at Charley Lents

Charles Carl and family spent Sunday at the home of C. D. Carl.

D. Rutan and wife spent Sunday evening at the L. A. Mercer home.

Clayton Garver and wife entertained Sunday relatives from Cement city.

Lud Roberts and wife called at the home of Seymour Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Harold Alley spent the week end with his grandparents Ben VanCamp and wife.

Earnest Hudson and wife, Charles Tuckerman and Leona Tuckerman spent Sunday at Rives Junction.

J. Parker and wife, Clayton Garver and wife, C. D. Carl and wife, J. P. Churchfield and wife, Don Rutan and wife and Mrs. L. A. Mercer have been in Jackson recently.

Jonesville

Perry Kimball and wife spent the week end in Detroit.

Archie Porter and wife were in Jackson over Sunday.

F. M. McGowan is in Ypsilanti superintending construction work there.

George Voorhees of Ypsilanti was calling on old friends here this week.

Evelyn Sangster of Detroit was a visitor last week at the L. E. Swan home here.

The April meeting of the mothers club was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Arthur G. Wells.

W. D. Harding and wife who have been in Florida for the winter returned to their home here last week.

L. W. Sibbald and wife and Miss Maude Walcott are at home from a few weeks visit in Ft. Lauderdale Florida.

Mrs. D. J. Donnihue and three children of Toledo are spending the Easter vacation with her parents A. L, Massey and wife.

Clyde Graves and Arlington Rodlam attended a party Saturday evening at the home of Miss Donna Lynch North Adams.

Mrs. Frances Tiffany of Adrian and daughter Bernice Tiffany of the Detroit schools were guests during the week at the W. M. Wetmore home.

Mrs. C. V. Burnett returned to her home here last week after spending several months with her daughter and husband Dr. and Mrs. Dupont of Detroit.

Edith Barkman died on Wednesday April 8th from the effects of terrible burns received on Tuesday evening. Miss Barkman lived with her mother Mrs. Ann Barkman who is 86 years of age.

The Annual Easter sale of the Grace Church Guild is being held this Friday afternoon in the town hall. The supper will be followed by dancing, music furnished by L'Amoreaux and Baverly Orchestra

The death of Mrs. Roy Bales occurred at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Keck on East Chicago street on Thursday April 9th. Mrs. Bales was 24 years of age and besides the parents, is survived by her husband Roy Bales, two little daughters, Betty and Florence and one sister Gretchel Keck. A short service was held at the home on Friday evening. Burial taking place in Paulding Ohio, her former home.

Jerome

Sam Long of Hillsdale was in town recently.

R. Cochron of Concord was in town Monday.

Irene Lane spent Easter with friends in Pittsford.

Rev. Kampner of Albion will preach at the church Sunday.

I. W. Wertenberger and wife attended the funeral of Lee Wertenberger in Monroe Wednesday.

Harley Harwood and Vivian Foutz of North Adams visited Sunday evening at the M. Morehead home.

A. U. S. Judge recently decided that Charley Forbes should spend a term of two years in the penitentiary. Charley is the boy who was appointed by Warren Harding to boss the Veteran's Bureau and according to investigations, Charley proved so inefficient that 450 millions of government money or rather the people's money was grafted or wasted. As a sample of the corruption practiced one may call attention to the fact that Forbes sold 98,000 pairs of pajamas for thirty cents a pair and these pajamas were made by hand by American women for the benefit of the soldiers who were deprived of home comforts. Forbes had a bad record before his appointment but then it seems that men of his type are the ones who receive the best positions in politics yet it is one consolation to remember that LaFollette is on hand in Washington to prevent the crooks from carrying away the mint.

The entertainment at the church last Thursday evening was well attended about $50 being realized including expenses of eight dollars The program lasted about two hours. Musical selections were furnished by Norene Pullen, Bessie Van Allen, Blenn Tower, L. D. and Phyllis Walworth, H. A. Voorhees and wife, Robert Moreland and wife, Mrs. C. W. McGregor, Ford McCowan, W. W. Ostrom and Mrs. Frank Kies. Reading, Mrs. Howard Kies, Beatrice Morton. "Jumbo Jum" a 40 minute play was put on by the following: Wayne Miller and wife, Fred McCowan, Harley Lane, Clayton McGregor, Bessie VanAllen, Lawrence Walworth, Charles and Lyle Miller. A star drill was put on by Bessie Olney, Naomi Wilkes, Lola Bishop, Belle Anderson, Frances Ramsdell, Louise and Edna McClanahan, Dorothy Linsday, Bessie VanAllen, Genevieve Tryon, Jane Randolph, Kathyrn Sherrard, Lucille Walworth, Florence Hammonds, Hilda, Nettie and Lettie Sawdey. The school band furnished several selections. Mrs. I. W. Wertenberger directed the program. It is expected that at least part of the program may be presented in other towns.

Central Moscow

Joe Harwood and wife were callers at John Adams Monday.

Rena Crapser and friend were callers at her father's Friday last.

Paul Shepard has gone to the Great Lakes to begin his naval service.

Leonard Brayton spent last week helping his father with the farm work.

Lucile (nee) Carpenter McDoual and husband and little daughter Betty Jane visited her parents Sunday. Lucile and baby remained for a week.

John Adams and wife entertained for Easter Levi Lockwood and family of Jackson, Clyde Beagle and family, Homer Sturdevant and family and his mother Mrs. Cora Sturdevant.

Too late for last week

Lee Kies of Jackson was home Sun

Zella Richards was home for vacation.

John Adams was in Hillsdale Friday on business.

Mrs. Henry Taylor visited Mrs. John Adams Tuesday.

Paul Shepard and mother were in Hillsdale Saturday.

Mrs. Lee Kies and baby visited Mrs. John Adams Friday.

Mrs. Lee Kies and baby visited her parents Than Linsley's at Jerome Saturday.

Rena Crapser of Jackson visited her parents John Crapser and family Sunday.

Mrs. Miles Bleech of Jackson visited her aunt Mrs. Lucy Booth Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. John Adams visited Mrs. Joel Fuller Saturday also Mrs. Fullers two sisters from Hillsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Everhart and baby visited her sister Mrs. Hattie Kies Sunday also her sister Mrs. LaVern Fitton and family.

Howard Adams and family of Allen visited his parents John Adams and wife Sunday also her neice Mrs. Bernie Brail and family.

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Obituary

Harmon Fowle, the fourth child of Benjamin and Caroline Fowle, pioneers of 1833, was born May 15 1843, and died April 4th, 1925, being at the time of his death nearly 82 years of age, his wife and children having passed on before.

He procured his education in the public schools, also attended the Baptist college at Spring Arbor, Michigan, now located at Hillsdale. Mr. Fowle followed the occupation of farming all his life. He was a man of sturdy character and splendid judgment, which aided him to make a success of life.

In the year 1864 he was united in marriage to Belle M. Ladd and to this union were born six children, Orris J., Byron C., Lula, Jennie, Maybelle and a son who died in infancy He is survived by the sons, O. J. and Byron, one sister, Mrs. Carrie F. Bryant, also several grand-children, nephews and nieces.

The services were conducted by Rev. Redfern at the Moscow M. E. church Tuesday afternoon, April 7. Interment was in the Moscow cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the beautiful flowers, the sympathy of friends and neighbors also to Rev. Redfern tor his comforting words.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale,

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 3rd day of April A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward E. Carter, deceased.

Jay D. Knowles having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to him or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 5th day of May, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered : That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
4 5t3 Judge of Probate

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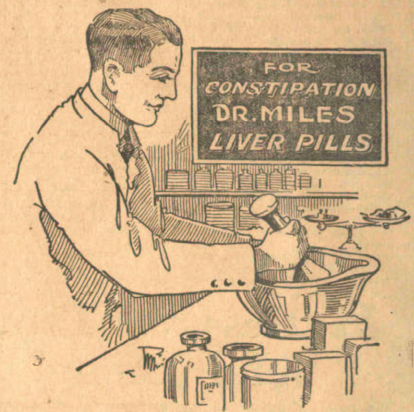

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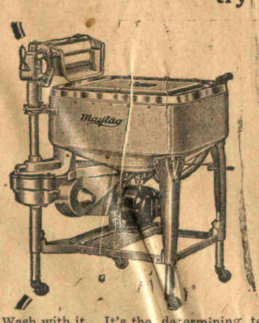

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Local News

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—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24tf

Mrs. Harriet Weeks and daughter Frances, are home from Ypsilanti for the week-end.

For Sale—Timothy hay also clover hay. Mrs. Frank Miller. North Adams. 45t3

Mrs. Lucy Booth of Moscow was a guest Saturday of Mrs. Carrie Bryant.

Sharp's Garage in this village has been re-painted, a much needed improvement.

The Rebekah Aid will serve dinner at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday, April 24, 1925.

The Sorosis Club will meet next Tuesday. April 28th, at the home of Mrs. Jennie Othoudt.

Mrs. Carrie Scoville who has been confined to the house by illness, is reported as gaining.

Mrs. Etta Pray and Miss Mary Freitag spent the week-end at Mrs. Pray's home in Jonesville Mich.

Will Frederick was in Davison on Friday to visit his daughter, Miss Sarah who is teaching there.

Lew Barber purchased a Purple Ribbon winner male dog last week from a party at Imlay city Michigan.

L. H. Barber shipped a dog to C. G. Douglass at New Galilee, Pennsylvania last week. It was a Purple Ribbon Beage.

North Adams will have Decoration Day exercises Saturday May 30th. Watch for program and further announcements.

Mrs. Carl Binns and daughter Bettie, have been here with her mother, Mrs. Fred Westcott who is ill with the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Knapp spent Sunday and Monday in Adrian visiting their daughter and husband, Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Stoner

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and two daughters of Detroit spent the week-end with Samuel and Will Anderson and families.

Hugh VanFleet and wife of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Claude Sharp. They also called on Mrs. Hattie Sharp Saturday evening.

Mesdams McFarland, Fowler, Eggleston and Jones were in Hillsdale Saturday morning to attend a lecture on "Conservation" given by Edgar R. Cochran, secretary of conservation in Lansing.

Wanted—Man with car to sell complete line quality Auto Tires and Tubes. Exclusive Territory. Experience not necessary. Salary $300 per month. Milestone Rubber Company. East Liverpool, Ohio. 47t1

L. H. Barber shipped from Manitou Monday morning one of his thoroughbred English Beagle dogs to Jennie Buskirk, Catletsburg Kentucky. Mr. Barber is proprietor of the Goldenrod Kennels near this village and his dogs stand well up in the breeding circles of the state.

News received this week from Osceola, Nebraska, states that the widow of the late William Crisp did not long survive her husband. He died March 31st and she passed away April 13 at the same place. She was a Nebraska woman and had no kin here.

A special meeting of Alpha Chapter, No. 288, O. E. S. will be held at Masonic hall on Tuesday, April 28, for the purpose of installing the newly-elected officers. Jessie Haskell will act as installing officer and will be assisted by Alice Williams as Grand Marshal. A social hour and refreshments will follow the ritualistic work.

"Hebephenic dementia praecox" is what an expert says is ailing Dorothy Ellingson the San Francisco girl who shot her mother because the latter objected to her all-night jazz parties. Translated into plain United States this means "double barrelled cussedness and all-round delinquency" a condition into which a lot of our girls are drifting rapidly, and which can be cured by a little practical demonstration on the part of father and mother before the kids get that far along.

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Allie Holkins yester day with a good attendance of members and several visitors. Roll call was responded to by naming a hardy shrub. The following program was given: Paper "How to Beautify the Home Grounds" Mrs. Anna McFarland paper "Our Forests—their Utility and Conservation" Mrs. Eva Wolcott; paper on the Smithsonian Institute was read by Mrs. Mary Wertz; a guest, Mrs. Carrie Bryant, played a piano solo. Club adjourned to meet Monday, May 4 at the home of Mrs. Lulu Wells.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
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Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Notice To The Pubilc

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Crater & Edinger have entered the business of wholesaling eggs to Eastern firms. Headquarters are in the McFadden building on east Main street.

Superintendent Young will hold a second of a series of meetings for the benefit of 7th and 8th Grades pupils of the community at the High school building on Saturday. April 25th. Miss Mary Freitag and T. N. Lamb will assist.

When the pioneers came to Michigan they built a schoolhouse and a church in every neighborhood, and afterwards a little plot of ground was set aside in which to lay away their reverenced dead. Today the churches are falling into decay, the schools are being deserted, while weeds and brambles flourish where the forefathers of the hamlet sleep. What a fine thing it would be if the grandsons and granddaughters would return from the city to the country lanes and renew once more the old pioneer spirit of this state.

A. J. Hoffman and wife returned on Wednesday from Lexington, Kentucky, where Mr. Hoffman went to investigate a road contract. They drove the Hudson Coach and in 10½ hours covered 336 miles over all kinds of roads. They report some primitive roads in the state of Kentucky among the foot hills, but in the famous blue grass region found the finest farming country they had ever seen. When in the wildest part of the journey they had the misfortune to hit a sharp stone in such a way as to puncture the gas tank, and most of the gas ran out. Coming to a small station in this rugged region they could get gas but had no way of repairing the leak. Finally they happened to think of chewing gum and thus the leak was stopped for the time being. They were away three days and covered 1200 miles.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will speak on the theme "Swings and Round-Abouts." The Offeratory solo will be sung by Miss Jean Young. Sunday school immediately following this service, to which you are all welcome. Watch the paper for notice of our coming picture.

Choir practice at the church Saturday evening at 6:45 p. m. Note the change in time.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

The subject for the Sunday morning worship will be, "The fate of Jericho" and the evening subject will be, "Does Godliness pay?"

In the evening service, Miss Snyder of Frontier will render a solo entitled, "Teach me to pray."

The S. P. I. class will hold their class party at the Parsonage Friday afternoon. A potluck supper will be served.

The contest on in the Sabbath school will be ended next Sunday. Let's all line up for the round up in Sabbath school next Sunday.

Revival meetings will begin at the Methodist church Sunday May 17th. Rev. Harry G. Hamilton evangelist has been engaged, and all the churches of the town are urged to co-operate in these services. Make them yours!

Sunday evening May 3rd, the service will be Young Peoples service, nevertheless everybody is invited. There will be a special discourse for the young people, and special music by them.

Watch for the announcement of the musical concert put on by our Epworth Choir Friday night May 15. for the benefit of the choir.

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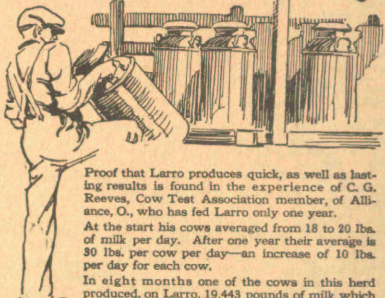

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NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Reapportionment Measure Wins Approval of Senate By Big Majority

Lansing—The Howarth Bill, reapportioning the House of Representatives so as to give Wayne County 21 **members**, was passed by the Senate, 26 to 5.

Senator Horton's county, Lenawee, would lose one of its two representatives under the new bill. Mecosta County forms part of Senator Case's district. It now has a representative of its own. Under the Howarth Bill, it would have to share its representative with Lake County.

The bill, after its passage by the Senate, was received in the House without comment. It was referred by Speaker Fred B. Wells to the Committee on Apportionment. No attempt was made to raise the expected point of order on the right of the House to consider the bill.

The next obstacle the bill must clear is the opposition majority in committee. That majority, since the session began, has had a margin of only one vote.

No Clemency For Drunk Drivers

The Drunk Motorist bill which passed the Senate some weeks ago was bolstered up by a House amendment and then passed, 96 to 0. As it now reads the drunken driver will automatically lose his operator's license at the moment of conviction and will be unable to drive again until he has been either a passenger or a pedestrian for 90 days.

The members of the House Judiciary Committee stood out for a 30-day suspension period on the grounds that many a drunken driver who now pleads guilty in hope of being placed on probation and sent out to drink and drive again, will plead not guilty and call loudly for jury trials and such. The house made it 90 days, regardless.

Rep. John Holland, of Bessemer, announced that he was not greatly impressed by the measure. He could see no logic, he said, in recognizing the fact that a man might drive while drunk as long as the existing law prohibits the process of getting drunk.

Condemnation Bill Shunted

The Atwood highway condemnation bill, the last item on the governor's program of highway legislation, was torn off the house calendar and dumped back into the judiciary committee. It is expected to die there. Several representatives attacked it on the grounds that it was too radical in its proposed departure from established condemnation practices. The belief that the bill will not emerge from the committee is based upon the fact that the offensive against it was led by wo members of that committee.

Big Deficit Looms

This year's legislature does not propose to be common-place. Not as the "do nothing legislature," the self-conjured appellation of the last body, will it be known, but as the prodigal among Michigan legislatures it promises to go down in history. It has proceeded with a spending program that has no precedent. If all of the appropriation measures pending are passed, Michigan will be spending through its various agencies upward of $50,000,000 in each of the next two years.

Senate For Sanitorium

The Administration Tuberculosis Sanitorium Bill was passed by the Senate by a vote of 23 to 6. The bill provides for an appropriation of $500,000 to be spent in two years in acquiring a site and building a new sanitorium to replace the state institution now at Howell. The bill was introduced by Senator Burney E. Brower, of Jackson, Administration spokesman. It has gone to the House.

Court Reform Starts

The Senate passed the Darin Justice Court Bill, providing for the taking of appeals from Justice Court to Circuit Court on transcript of testimony. The bill, introduced by Rep. Frank P. Darin, former River Rouge justice of the peace, has already passed the House and has gone to the Governor for signature.

Felony To Carry Pistols

The senate passed the Condon firearms bill which makes it a felony to carry pistols, blackjack and major weapons used by thugs. Carrying of lesser weapons is a misdemeanor under the bill.

Gambling Bill Passed

The Bahorski Anti-Gambling Bill has been passed unanimously by both the House and Senate and will become the law of Michigan as soon as it is signed by the Governor.

Watson Sworn In

The Senate attained its full membership of 32 for the first time since the session opened when Senator Joseph E. Watson, representing the ninth district, was sworn in. The ninth district consists of Calhoun and Branch Counties. Mr. Watson was elected two weeks ago to fill out the unexpired term of Senator James Henry, of Battle Creek, who died after the session opened. Mr. Henry was never well enough to assume his seat.

M. A. C. Changes Name

The Horton Bill, to change the name of Michigan Agricultural College to Michigan State College of Agriculture and Applied Science, which already has been passed by the Senate, was passed by the House. Although the bill had been the subject of much informal discussion among House members, there was no debate before it came to vote. There was a burst of hand-clapping from the floor, however, when the result was announced. The bill awaite dthe Governor's signature.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Port Huron—Port Huron's tax rate is $30.38 a $1,000 valuation, which is said to be among the lowest paid in the state for cities of its size.

Port Huron—The St. Clair Central Telephone Co., which furnished telephone service to the subscribers at Memphis, Goodalls, Emmet and vicinity has been sold to Silas A. Coleman and Fred E. Sene, of Detroit.

Hart—In Circuit Court here, Vern Wells and Lewis Hodges were each sentenced to the State Reformatory at Ionia for not less than one year nor more than five years, with the recommendation of the lesser term for violation of their parole.

Detroit—Postmaster Charles C. Kellogg announces that the Detroit River Postal Service boat C. F. Bielman, has begun operation. William S. Winkler will be in charge of mail on the boat; Walter J. Meade will supervise the mail at the shore office.

Big Rapids—Muskegon River was dragged by officers in the hope of locating the body of Roy Jaquith, 17 years old, believed to have drowned while fishing. It is believed that he waded into the stream and fell into deep water. No trace of the body has been found.

Muskegon—Miss Jennie Norlin, Blue Lake Township business woman is Muskegon County's first elected woman supervisor. A ballot recount gave her a one-vote majority over August Krubasck, incumbent, who was declared the winner over Miss Norlin in the first count.

Detroit—William G. Smith, a student flier of a local flying company, accompanied by a pilot of the same company, has been bootlegging via airplane from Detroit to Howell to Lansing, it was stated by probation officers. Smith, arrested on a non-support charge, made the foregoing admission to the officers.

Pontiac—Pontiac's school budget for the coming year will be above $1,000,000. As the board of education is not empowered to raise more than $716,000 and the revenues are about $205,000, it has been found necessary to put before the voters of the district an additional appropriation by direct tax of $116,000.

Mason—Sunday dancing will be prohibited at resorts in four counties this summer, Sheriff Hough Silby has declared here. Dancing pavilions in Eaton, Ingham, Shiawassee and Clinton counties will be closed during the summer on Sundays and plans are being made for the law enforcing officers of the four counties to exert all their authority in an attempt to enforce their ruling.

Detroit—The police, who have been battling hordes of armed thugs and bandits engaged in killing and pillaging in branch banks about the city, were given another case to run down when two men held up three employes of the Strathmoor branch of the Northwestern State bank at Grand River and Freeland and escaped with $7,000. The robbery took place just at closing time.

Flat Rock—Scores of families in the valley of the Huron River between Flat Rock and Lake Erie were driven from their homes when the dam at the power plant of the Ford Motor Co., here, burst and released millions of gallons of water into the valley. More than 5,000 acres was reported under water. The water was reported more than 12 feet deep in some places by the State Police.

Pontiac—Dr. E. A. Christian, superintendent of the Pontiac State hospital, has accepted the chairmanship of a general committee in charge of arrangements to raise $150,000 in Pontiac to pay half the cost of building a new general hospital. The site has been donated by a local citizen and the Sisters of Mercy, of Dubuque, Ia., are willing to finance the balance of a $300,000 institution.

St. Jospeh—Sheriff Fred C. Franz was at least partly successful when he went before the Berrien county board of supervisors with a request for an increase in his allowance for feeding prisoners. The board decided that law enforcement in Berrien county was costing too much money. In putting into effect several rules of economy, the supervisors cut the jail board allotment down to 35 cents a day.

Lansing—George McManus, of 1428 Jerome street, is held in Lansing jail and his mother-in-law is in the Eaton county jail, waiting transportation to Oscoda county to face a charge of kidnaping. Police and sheriff's departments of Michigan are seeking Mrs. McManus and her 11-year-old daughter, Evelyn Buchanan, whom, it is alleged, the trio spirited away from a country school near Mio.

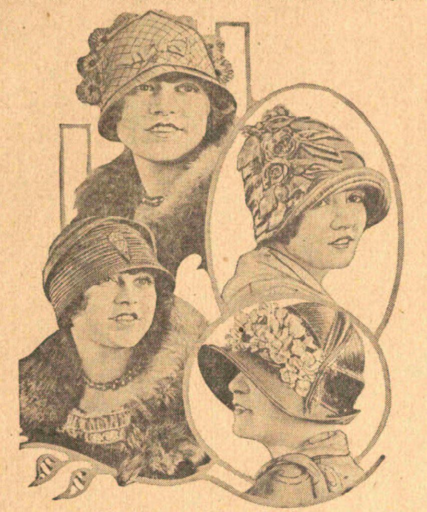
Flint—After compelling him to open the safe in his shoe store on North Saginaw street, two armed bandits forced J. N. Barton into the basement at the point of pistols where one of them tied Barton's hands and feet with shoe strings while the second returned to the store, took $62 from the cash register and $2 in pennies from the safe. Pedestrians said a third man stood guard in front of the store. The three are believed to have escaped in an automobile. Barton was held up about four months ago.

Duluth—The steamer S. H. Robbins, loaded with 450,000 bushels of grain, was unable to move from its dock here because the reduced water levels had permitted the vessel to ground. Two tugs worked several hours in a vain effort to free it, and if further efforts are futile the vessel may be lightered, unless a rise in the water level is predicted. Vessel men here point to this, together with a hydrographic report that the Soo locks level is six inches below last year as evidence that all interlake vessels will be compelled to load light.

NOVEL CROWNS ADORN CLOCHES; UNUSUAL IN NOVELTY SWEATERS

IF IN doubt as to whether the cloche is still in fashion, take a stroll down Broadway or Main street and tabulate for one's self. However, there is a difference between the now and the then of every popular cloche. Analyzing the situation, the small cloche is keeping favor with the public by offering such a fascinating medley of novel crowns, one's interest is not allowed to lag.

For a long time fashion has thus been spending its ingenuity on crowns, brims being considered a negligible quantity, but lo! with the coming of spring brims have burst into sudden glory, that is as far as depth and size are concerned. The latest pokes are mostly brims, and they are getting more so as the season advances. In many instances of these new bonnet shapes, the brim is turned up at the back. Indeed, the turned-up back brim is a definite style tendency. Many of the large hats in the advance guard of summer millinery emphasize this feature. The idea is demonstrated in that charming poke bonnet shown last in the accompanying illustration. This model uses taffeta silk for its brim and fine silk haircloth for the gown. Note how the crown is fitted to the head.



Novel Crowns and Turned Up Brims.

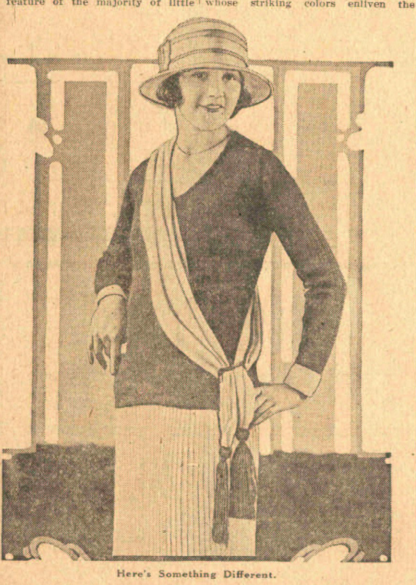
Of the three modish cloches completing this group, it may be said that the crown in each instance shows great depth, this being a characteristic feature of the majority of little shapes. One traces the cloche trend in each brim, although presented in various moods of roll-off-face—for hat number two, slight droop for number one brim, with a restricted turban-bonnet effect defined in the tailored silk model.

Not only do brims roll high at the back in last-minute chapeaux, but the trimming itself rises in tall bows and erect effects directly over the coiffure. This is especially true of the larger-brimmed shapes which are "on the way" for summer conquests. Particularly are soft hair bodies folded up at the back, held into position by soft silken loops or under masses of stemmed roses.

The many "sometimes different" ideas created by knitted outerwear stylists each season somewhat contradict the "nothing-new-under-the-sun" theory. Perhaps the artistically scarfed sweater in this picture is the "exception to the rule," for at a glance it proclaims the unusual. The thrill of newness which it affords is no doubt due to the unique placement of a fine white scarf or sash which is matched, as you will observe, to the cuffs and pocket flap. Not only in name, for this model is known throughout fashiondom as the "student prince" sweater, but in appearance this fetching knitted and sashed blouse is sure of appeal to women of artistic temperament. Indications are that before the season is far advanced the "student prince" sweater will be a pronounced favorite.

There are innumerable other lovely and out-of-the-ordinary things among fashionable knitwear this season. For instance, there are new lacy one-piece frocks knitted of fine rayon which are adorable. They come in "delicious" colorings and their distinctive note is the long knitted sleeve.

The knitted scarf and shawls are marvels of beauty, being lavishly befringed and decidedly colorful. These partake of shawl-like square shapes. Of course, they are going to prove irresistible to the summer girl, for they are ideal over lightsome frocks.



Here's Something Different.

Adding to the glory of things knitted are winsome hat, scarf and blouse sets, whose striking colors enliven the scene of picturesque fashion. Magenta with white bespeaks the last word in color combinations in these sets.

Among sweater novelties a favorite is knitted of white mohair. The collar, cuffs and bindings are of gaily plaided flannel.

Knitted coats in fancy constructions are wonderfully popular, and becoming more so, as time progresses. These abound in novelty touches, such as all-over jacquard patternings, pipings of gold leather, while fancy knitted stitch contributes greatly to their interest. The chenille knitted coat is the latest. Last minute modes stress the knitted suspender skirt.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Effective Ornament

It is so often the little things that contribute the distinctive note to one's costume. Not expensive, and just the thing to lighten the somberness of a black or dark-toned frock, is a ball of cut crystal that swings from a long cord of black silk.

Pearl Beads

Very large pearl beads are used in the newest chokers that are worn very closely about the throat.

Kasha and Silk

A combination of materials that is extensively featured is kasha in neutral tones and printed silks in colorful designs. These are used both for dresses and for ensemble suits.

New Gloves Ornate

The latest gloves have the ruffles finely scalloped and turned back so that they give the appearance of being attached to the sleeve rather than to the glove below it.

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM EVERYWHERE

Hundreds Executed In Attempt To Crush Uprising In Bulgaria.

Belgrade—In spite of the rigid censorship that prevails throughout Bulgaria, authentic reports have reached here of the terror that reigns in Sofia. The courts martial are in permanent session, thousands are in jail, and more than 400 have been executed.

Secret headquarters of the communistic peasants and communists were discovered by the police in Sofia. They show that the communists were certain of obtaining control after bombing the cathedral recently and that even a list of new ministers was ready.

Police and troops are continuing their efforts to run down suspected persons. There have been several sharp clashes between authorities and revolutionaries, both in the capital and in the provinces. Several persons are said to have been killed or wounded.

A detachment of troops dispatched in pursuit of the band which attacked the automobile of the king has captured an accomplice of the band, whose arrest it is hoped will lead to the discovery of all the participants.

A quantity of pyroxylin, a high explosive, was found in the home of a French woman. Many women are said to be involved in the communist plot, either having acted as intermediaries or concealed fugitives in their houses.

Inventor of Automobile Dies

Kokomo, Ind.—Elwood Haynes, inventor of America's first automobile and internationally known as a scientist and metallurgist, died at his home here following an illness of a few days. In July, 1894, Elwood Haynes, then a young field superintendent for a natural gas company with headquarters at Kokomo, had a queer buggy, without tongue or shafts, towed out onto a country road. He drove it triumphantly back into Kokomo, at the remarkable speed of eight miles an hour, under power generated by a gasoline engine. That, it is claimed, was the first trip of a gasoline driven vehicle in America.

Postal Efficiency Requested

Washington—Postal workers were appealed to by Postmaster-General, Harry S. New, to increase their efficiency at least 5 per cent and at the same time were given warning that incompetent men would be dropped from the service. Now that employes have received an increase in salary, the Postmaster-General believes they should make their work a little more effectual. Increased efficiency would in the aggregate amount to a large sum of money, officials declare. Postmasters were told that each clerk on the average now represents about $7,000 and each carrier $10,000 in revenue.

Houghton Sails for England

New York—Alanson B. Houghton has sailed on the steamship George Washington to assume his new post as United States ambassador to Great Britain. Mr. Houghton avoided discussion of political affairs. He said he was aware of the importance of his new post and realized "the necessity of maintaining friendly relations between the English, speaking people."

Legs Insured for $50,000

New York—Evelyn Law, dancer considers her two shapely legs worth $50,000. She got an accident insurance policy for that amount and on it she was rated as an extra hazardous risk. Miss Law is appearing in a new musical comedy. She enters the stage in one scene in such a manner as to make the slightest miscalculation a risk to life and limb.

Scott Granted Reprieve

Springfield, Ill.—Russell Scott, of Toronto and Windsor, Ont., was given a reprieve of 90 days by Gov. Len Small, shortly after the Supreme Court had failed to take action on his appeal.

Only a few hours separated him from the time fixed for his execution by hanging for the slaying of Joseph Mauer, drug clerk.

Wilson's Birthplace Raises Fund

Staunton, Va.—With an oversubscription of $10,000, a citizens committee here closed a campaign for $100,000 to go toward establishing a birthplace memorial to Woodrow Wilson here. In announcing the result of the campaign, William A. Pratt, chairman of the committee, said a national appeal for funds for the shrine soon will be made.

Trade Agreement Reached

Madrid—The negotiations for a trade agreement with Canada have been concluded. Spain obtains benefits of the Canadian intermediate tariff only when her goods are shipped direct to a Canadian port from a country with which Canada has a convention. They can not be shipped by way of any American port.

Cause of Students' Strike Quits

Paris—Dr. Georges Scelle, professor of international law at the Sorbonne, sent has his resignation to the minister of education.

The appointment of Dr. Georges Scelle to the chair of international law at the Sorbonne, and the insistence by the Herriot government that he retain that position, gave rise to the recent rioting by students in Paris and to the students strike which spread throughout France.

PAINLEVE AGAIN PREMIER, ORGANIZES NEW CABINET

PAUL PAINLEVE

Paris—After much urging President Doumergue obtained the consent of Paul Painleve to head a new ministry to succeed that of Edouard Herriot. This is the second time that M. Painleve has held that stormy office.

Negotiations have proceeded rapidly for the formation of the new cabinet and its completion has just been announced. Only one member of M. Herriot's cabinet remains. He is Anatole de Manzie, former finance minister.

M. Painleve himself takes the post of minister of war, as well as president of the council, while M. Briand assumed the portfolio of foreign affairs, and Joseph Caillaux, whose political career was thought to have ended when in 1920 he was sentenced to imprisonment and ordered expatriated, will have the guiding hand over France's finances.

Taxi-Plane Service Planned

San Francisco—Distances between San Francisco and other California cities are to be reduced to a minimum, insofar as time is concerned, by the establishment of the first airplane taxi service in the United States. This service has been provided for through a consolidation of the Checker Taxicab Co., of San Francisco and the airplane interests of Walter T. Varney.

Each plane will carry two passengers, a pilot and hand baggage. With two passengers flying for the same destination, the mile rate will be 20 cents, as against the 25c rate for long distance taxi service.

Bulgarian King Attacked

Sofia—Bulgarian troops were in pursuit of the bandit band, believed made up of communists, who attacked King Boris's automobile and killed two of his party as the Bulgarian ruler was returning from Orkhanie to Sofia, recently.

The attack came almost at the same time that General Kymon Gheorgdif, leading government party member, was slain by two young men as he left a church in Sofia. The assailants, believed also to be communists, escaped through the crowd.

Coolidge Prunes Payroll

Washington—President Coolidge's governmental economy program, which includes weeding out unnecessary clerks in the executive departments, is going forward rapidly. More than 2,300 clerks in Washington have been dropped from the payroll. This breaks all records for discharges in a single month, with the exception of wholesale discharges immediately after the war.

Guests Routed By Flames

Washington—More than 300 guests fled to the street when fire broke out in the St. James hotel, Sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue. Among them was a party of New York school girls visiting the capitol on an Easter holiday trip. The blaze did little damage, but produced a heavy smoke which gave it the aspect of a serious fire.

Zbyszko Regains Title

Philadelphia — Stanislaus Zbyszko, 55 years old, won the world's heavyweight wrestling championship here when he pinned Wayne (Big) Munn, former Nebraska football star, to the mat in two straight falls. The two falls were obtained in a little over 13 minutes. This is the second time that Zbyszko has held the title.

Will Study Tax Relief

Washington — Suggestions which may be of service in removing complexities in procedure under the present income tax law will be sought by Representative Green, Republican, Iowa, chairman of the house ways and means committee, during a European tour, he announced before leaving for New York to sail for Paris.

Ship Sale is Protested

Washington—Manuel Quezon, president of the Philippine senate, has protested to the war department against the sale by the United Shipping board of the five ships of the trans-Pacific fleet to the Dollar steamship company.

Filipine Staff To Be Cut

Manila—In pursuance with a drastic policy of economy, Gov. General Leonard Wood intends weeding out all unnecessary government employes.

Ruth Undergoes Operation

New York—Babe Ruth's services probably will be lost to the New York Yankees for another month. The Bambino, who has suffered a diversity of ailments since he left to begin training at Hot Springs, Ark., was poerated on at St. Vincent's hospital for abcesses of the lower intestines.

This condition was brought about as a result of the influenza which has kept him in bed more than a week and because of his general rundown health, according to the doctors.

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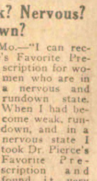
Two Ideas of Quatrain

A quatrain is a poetical stanza of four lines, usually rhyming alternately, but the term is sometimes loosely applied to a poem of four short stanzas.

Help That Achy Back!

Are you dragging around, day after day, with a dull, unceasing backache? Are you lame in the morning, bothered with headaches, dizziness and urinary disorders? Feel tired, irritable and discouraged? Then there's surely something wrong, and likely it's kidney weakness. Don't neglect it! Get back your health while you can. Use *Doan's Pills*, a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. *Doan's* have helped thousands, and should help you. *Ask your neighbor!*

A Michigan Case



Mrs. W. Casterton, 222 West St., Howell, Mich., says: "I had bearing-down pains through my back and when I bent over, it was hard to straighten. Mornings, I felt stiff and lame all over and my back ached and pained. My kidneys acted too frequently. It didn't take Doan's Pills long to regulate my kidneys. One box drove the trouble away."

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If you want to be well, ask your dealer for this Prescription, in tablet or liquid form. Write Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for free advice.

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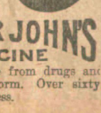

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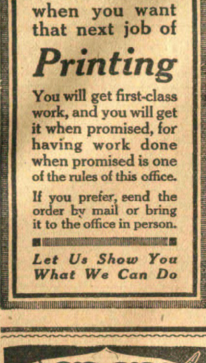
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Michigan Plants To Meet Crop Demands

Michigan farmers are showing an increasing tendency to study crop and market conditions in planning their farm programs, in the opinion of those who are studying crops of the state. As evidence is cited the interest taken in government reports on the outlook of the national wheat crop, and the inclination to sow considerable acreages of spring wheat.

H. C. Rather, extension specialist at M. A. C., comments briefly on the general crop prospects and conditions, and gives interesting pointers for the grain grower, as follows:

It looks as though a reasonable increase in the spring grains might be justified. At any rate, much of the large acreage of alfalfa being seeded on Michigan's better soil might be acompanied by plantings of a bushel of oats or barley per acre up to early May, with reasonable assurance of a fair demand for the grains.

Michigan farmers can wisely plan to put in a normal corn acreage, as practically the entire crop is used in the State. Higher corn prices usually prevail here than in the corn belt proper.

The bean acreage of Michigan has been about right for the past two or three years. There has always been a good demand for red kidneys, and growers on well drained heavier soil, will doubtless find this type of bean a profitable one.

Michigan bean dealers report difficulty in moving the Brown Swedes. This Brown Swedish bean has been on the increase in Michigan in recent years, but most growers would probably do better with red kidneys, which yield fully as well and find a much better market.

Michigan grew about 75 percent of the White navy bean crops of 1924 and it has been marketed at fairly good prices. About the same acreage as last year should be well warranted for 1925.

New Bulletins Show Orchard Practices

Details of correct orchard management are explained and illustrated in three extension bulletins just off the press at M. A. C. These pamplets, which cover some of the most common operations in the orchard, are popular editions of more complete and technical publications issued by the college earlier.

"Orchard grafting", showing by illustration details of handling this important operation, is covered in one of the new bulletins. Another discusses "Fertilizing the Mature Orchard", and a third covers "Pruning Black Raspberries."

The bulletins, all edited by members of the horticultural department at the college, may be had by writing to Bulletin Clark, M. A. C. East Lansing, for extension bulletins 28, 29 and 30.

For Instance A Poet Laureate

The state solons at Lansing have been really and honestly discussing the necessity of Michigan appointing a Poet Laureate. Of course such is necessary. The duties of such a person would be to write cute little verses which would be handy for the speakers of the houses at Lansing to get off before opening the session he would also furnish a few lines occasionally for the senators and representatives to recite at odd times on the floor of the house, in fact it has been noticeable the Legislature was conducted quite along the lines of a "Deestrict Skule" for some time. Our old side partner Hank Sawin of Grand Rapids who a long time ago broke into the newspaper game occasionally furnishes little write ups for the Grand Rapids Chronicle, and this is how Henry hits it off concerning this new functionary:

"GUESS WHO?

O! Michigan, My Michigan,
Your record is so bad
Cheer up! Today be glad and gay
No longer we'll be sad.

Our mighty solons have decreed
From early morn' 'til late
We need a mighty singer now,
A Poet Laureate.

One who will calm our troubled breast
When taxes get too high,
And lull our souls on life's dark crest,
Like songsters in the sky.

No matter what expenses are,
He'll sing of rock and rill.
While we will calmly stay athome,
And foot the little bill.

Her army all mobilized,
Old England holds our fate,
We've stole the thunder from the crown
And sport a Laureate.

And so the search goes gaily on,
This legislative quest
Here's hoping it soon will end,
By finding Edgar Guest."

Did J. Wilkes Booth Die at The Fire?

There seems to be considerable dispute concerning the ultimate end and final disposition of the remains of J. Wilkes Booth, assassin of Abraham Lincoln. People way down in Oklahoma put up the claim that there lived about 1900 a man there calling himself David E. George, but on his death-bed he confessed he was none other than Booth the famous actor who shot Lincoln.

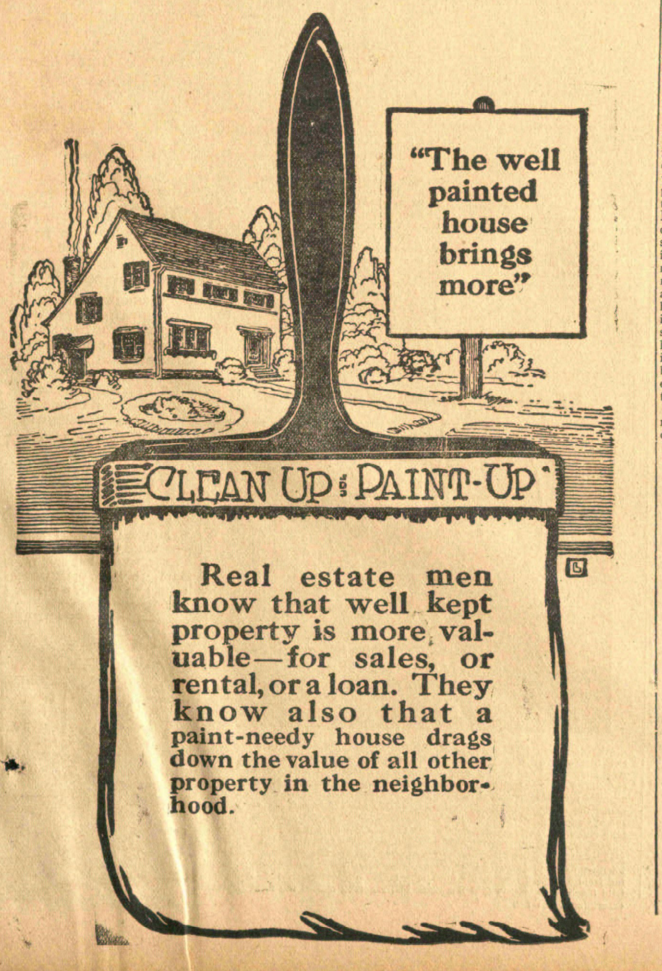
This claim stood until 1923 or thereabouts, when an investigation was made by a representative of the Dearborn Independent. Among the people about the city of El Reno, Oklahoma, were some intimately associated with the man George and after his confession to which they gave full credence, caused his body to be suitably embalmed and for many years exhibited it to the public in a local garage at that point. The culprit, apparently having no living kin, the body became the property of a former creditor named Smith, who at one time thought of taking the relic about the country as a show, but on account of some difficulty in getting a permit from the authorities, gave it up. It seems that "George" became tired of life for some reason and suicided with a dose of strychnine. What has caused most of the dispute since was a confession he is claimed to have made and wrote out on paper and signed "J. Wilkes Booth."

However, these people upon being interviewed, did not stick to the original story but some of the more ignorant ones fully believe the yarn and looked with awe upon the mummified corpse. As a matter of fact the whole business is pure bunk. Testimony of reliable people in the city where this took place, shows that David George was a miserable no-account bum who eked out a somewhat frugal livelihood by house painting and was of a tired disposition—in fact just filled in the time when he was not drunk. He had been good-looking and resembled Booth in complexion, hair and mustache, also in size and build. He had been a man of some education and when well sogged on Oklahoma bug juice, was wont to reel off a string of stage talk which led many to suspect he had been an actor. It was also ascertained he was a morphine addict. His friends have told very conflicting stories about George's finances. Some claimed he always had oodles of coin, and received checks from parties unknown in the East, but investigation shows he was mostly on his uppers, borrowed money of a number and never paid but few. In "George" was just a fair specimen of your average village loafer of those days. He worked when the spirit moved, usually laid about in a comatose state when drunk or drugged, mumbling actor stuff.

At last he owed for paint and a lot of other things, George became discouraged, went to his room and took the fatal dose.

Propagandists among these simple folk kept the fake going for 23 years, and there is no evidence now that the ghastly "relic" has been put out of sight, although the bubble of their gullability was punctured by the Dearborn Independent.

Unless the officers and troops who captured Booth and took care of his remains, erred, he was shot by Sergeant Boston Corbett in the burning barn, carried out and died on the porch near-by. The other conspirators including Mrs. Surratt, were hanged. If anyoue doubts this, they can ask John S. Blackmer of this village as he witnessed the execution.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The Fight For Representation

In Lansing the congressmen have been having a hard fight over the matter of re-apportionment of representatives in the districts of the state. Wayne county and Kent with their large population both want larger representation in Lansing and as the law stands are entitled to it, but its a mighty poor law. In the first place the city districts and country districts should be two different precincts, as the interests of the country people are certainly not what the city people want. Wayne county with 21 representatives could certainly boss the state and this is not desirable. Many of the representatives from down state counties as well as up state are wrought up to the fighting pitch over this deal, and it is not strange they should be. Our man up there Dennis Clancy, has already let loose upon the assembled house a few of his ideas as to what is right and what is wrong and by so doing has brought down upon himself the ridicule of Grand Rapids editors. Clancy claims he has been woefully misquoted, and the editors have reported his doings entirely wrong.

Governor Groesbeck is quite mixed in the melee and is accused of trying to influence many votes in the house. Grand Rapids papers stated that Mr. Clancy had called upon the Governor and concerning the re-apportionment they had some words in which the Governor threatened to take away Hillsdale county's prospects for new highways the coming year, unless this apportionment matter was settled to suit him, but Clancy gives the lie to the whole thing so there you are! Taken all around it is an interesting mess, and the sports they pull off up there are real good reading for the tax payers who would like to see something accomplished.

One good act has been consummated: The law has been passed compelling incorporated village councils to publish the proceedings each month as they appear. This is not cooked up to help some newspaper deadheads as some suppose, but simply to give the common people who pay the expenses a look in into how their money is being spent. Heretofore village councils in this neck of the woods, have assumed a sort of none-of-your-business air. At last they will be well aired.

Father And Son Executed

Charles W. Stewart, 51, and his son, Elmer, 23, were put to death in the electric chair for the murder of two prohibition agents a year ago. The men were calm to the last, expressing a desire to expiate for their crime.

The two men were executed for the murder of Sam Lily, a United States deputy marshal, and Deputy Sheriff Lon George, while the officers were searching for prohibition violators.

As he walked to the chair, the son leaned heavily on the arms of the two guards. He smiled faintly as he took his seat and as the prison attendants hurried to bind him he smiled again and said: "Take your time, boys, I'm in no hurry."

He then began to pray, his supplications being cut short by the throwing of the switch.

It is now rumored that the State of Michigan is not able to build as much highway this year as promised a short time ago. Owing to a few shortages in the yield of the gas tax this is the result. The dividends accruing from gas tax do not seem to mount up as it was hoped and futhermore a large item is developing for up-keep of roads already graveled. The last reports said the road work this season would likely be somewhat limited. This applies to more remote highways. It is probable the work on M-23 will not be stopped.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sophia S. Davis Deceased. M. Myrtle Davis, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to the executors named therein or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of May A. D. 1925, at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 46t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of April, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Harmon Fowle, deceased,

Byron C, Fowle having filed his petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased. and that administration of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten a. m., at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTRUR L. GUERNSEY
46t3 Judge of Probate

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 8th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Belle M. Fowle Deceased. Byron C. Fowle having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration de bonis non of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition:

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 46t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale,

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate,

In the Matter of the Estate of Ann M. Pearson Deceased. Sarah Pierce heir at law of deceased, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to D. L. Pierce or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of May, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

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Baked Onions.—Peel six medium-sized onions and boil until tender. Drain and place in a shallow pan which has been well-buttered. Pour over one cupful of milk in which a tablespoonful of tapioca has been stirred, add a tablespoonful of butter, salt and pepper to taste. Place in the oven and bake until a light brown.

Banana and Rice Pudding.—Take two cupfuls of cold boiled rice, add one-half cupful of cream, with sugar to taste, then add a sliced banana or two. Bake for fifteen minutes. Serve hot or cold.

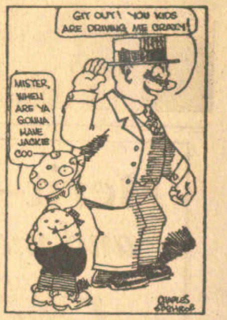
Syrian Meat Dish.—Cut three pounds of lean meat from a shoulder of mutton, cut into inch-pieces. Slice three large onions and brown them in four tablespoonfuls of fat. When partly cooked add the meat, stirring until well-browned; add a pint of tomato juice and set back to simmer for an hour. Season to taste. Scald three-fourths of a cupful of rice with a pint of boiling water, cook ten minutes, drain, add three tablespoonfuls of bacon fat and cook until the fat is all absorbed. To the fried rice add three cupfuls of boiling water and cook in an open saucepan until the water is all evaporated. Brown half a cupful of nut meats in a half teaspoonful of butter. Serve the meat in the center of the dish, with a border of rice and sprinkle the browned nut meats over all.

Garcia Salad.—Cut equal parts of celery and apples into strips two inches long. Serve on lettuce with French dressing, garnish with eighths of ripe tomato and a slice of truffle.

Lambs' Hearts.—As lambs' hearts are small, one should be served for each portion. Prepare them, slash and wash well, removing the arterial walls. Place in a deep dish and cover with any good rich stock, adding worcestershire sauce and tomato catsup to give piquant flavor. Cover closely and cook for two hours.

Nellie Maxwell

OUR HALL OF FAME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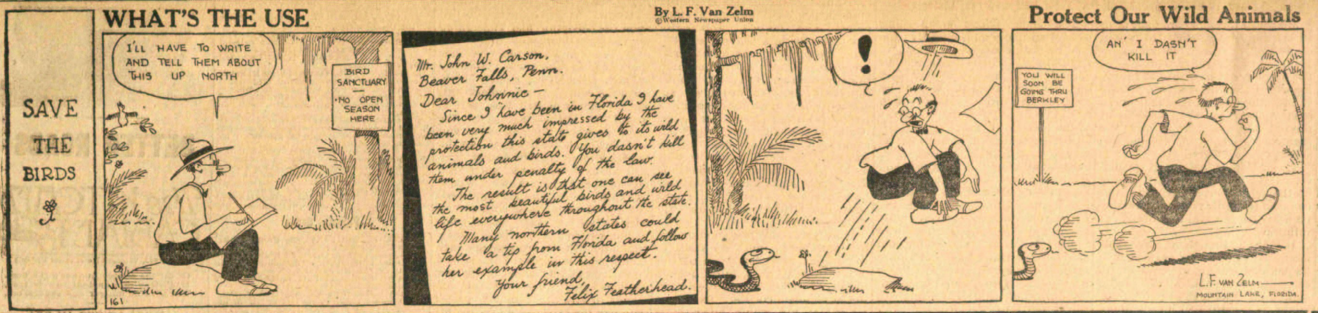
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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

What Are the Movies Doing to Your Children?

What are the movies doing to our children, anyway? First, let us get it clearly in mind that they are doing far more than merely amusing them; they are educating them giving them their ideals, their standards and much of their knowledge of life. Let us go to a moving picture show together, not to see the picture, but to study the children who are there, and to note their reactions to the picture.

It is a very lovely picture in which there is not a thing harmful to any child. Notice how completely the children are absorbed in it. Every child sits forward in his chair, body tense, eyes intently fixed upon the screen. Ready laughter comes at the funny places, intense silence in their tribute to the sorrowful moments of it, and frantic applause comes when the hero meets with good fortune or is rescued from a dangerous situation. Their reaction to the picture is complete. Now this picture is good a clean interpretation of a beautiful child classic, but it is followed by the "comic". Bathing beauties in a daring state of undress are flashed upon the screen and greeted with shouts of laughter by the children. Later there is a prize fight, brutal, sickening, which creates wild excitement and enthusiasm. Notice that the children's reaction to the cheap and bad "comic" is just as complete and intense as it was to the lovely classic.

Now that we have discovered for ourselves is that children react most intensely to the moving picture, that their hearts and minds are wide open to their influence, let us look at the pictures themselves. Go to a number of motion picture theaters and study the pictures shown with this question uppermost, "What things in this picture are harmful to child life?" A study of the pictures from that angle will reveal some disconcerting things. Keep in mind, also, the fact that a child learns most and is also most impressionable when he is interested and amused, as h invariably is when he goes to the movies.

EVIL THINGS VIVIDLY PICTURED

First, there will almost certainly be drinking, that is, one or more of the characters, at least once in the picture, will drink. If there is a comic they will very likely produce the drink in a way that reveals the fact that they have succeeded in getting it in defiance of the law, or have made it secretly. All the characters will manifest great joy at the sight of the liquor, the one who bought or made it will be the object of admiration and congratulation, It will be a jolly scene. The good law-abiding citizens in the audience will laugh at the scene, and so will the children. Question for thoughtful grown ups to consider: If a child laughs often enough at such a scene can he be expected to grow up with very strong convictions regarding prohibition? Add to this the fact that the characters, both men and women, smoke. Have you seen a picture in which there was no smoking? Another queston for thoughtful parents: If a boy's movie hero smokes, what will be his attitude toward smoking? If a girl's movie heroine or hero, (most likely) smokes, how will she feel about smoking?

We have become so used to indecent dress in the movies that it is hard to realize to what extremes it has gone. But in studying pictures critically, with the child audience in mind, it is appalling to discover how far the movies have gone in this matter. A thoughtful father may ponder the effect upon his adolescent boy. There will almost surely be a sex problem, with a dramatic love scene, and prolonged embrace. When this happens watch the adolescent youth. Watch the boy's arm slip about the girl; a girl's hand slip into the hand of the boy who is with her; watch them sit closer and closer. Notice their bright eyes and flushed faces. They aren't bad, they are just in the clutch of stormy adolescence when life forces are making terrific problems for each of them, and we help them out by permitting the motion pictures with their sex lure.

There will surely, in some of the pictures, be a shooting, or stabbing, a brutal fight, perhaps a lynching or a suicide. These a child or adolescentboy or girl should never look upon. It is a fact that whatever is clearly and sharply impressed upon the mind tends to work itself out in action of some sort. So we see little boys with toy pistols shooting each other, fighting battles with swords, shooting themselves and pretending to fall down dead. With many it goes no further than this, but what thinking person can fail to see a connection between the movies and the juvenile crime wave with which we are now struggling.

MOTION PICTURES AND MARRIAGE

Civilization has always been built upon the highest ideals of the race. The decay and disintegration of civilization begins when people lose sight of their ideals and begin to look with liberality on the questionable or evil. When, in other words, they lose their sense of moral values. That we are very rapidly losing our sense of moral values in our attitude toward marriage and divorce can hardly be denied when as early as 1885 the United States has more divorces than all the rest of the Christian world, and when there has been a constant increase in the proportionate number of divorces in this country ever since, until today there is one divorce for every 6 marriages.

America certainly faces a most urgent need for constructive ideals of love, marriage and home life. Not only is that need being met in a very inadequate way but there are many forces at work in our land which are undermining any constructive work which is being done and sowing with intense rapidity the seed of social disease. Among those forces none is more prominent or potent than the motion picture. The fact that its main purpose is amusement and entertainment is no reason that it should undermine the home, the mainspring of the nation's life, or poison the social ideals of our youth.

The bad motion picture is more deadly than poison literature, for it leaves its imprint on the mind earlier and with intense realism, for it enters the eyegate. Let us not forget, that for the same reason a good picture is an unusual power in the building of ideals.

Just what is the relation of the motion picture to our social conditions? What is the trouble in American social life and home life?

First: Most unfortunate marriages are based wholly or almost wholly on physical attraction and the motion picture is giving a most exaggerated idea of physical appeal and all but ignoring any charm of personality; whereas intellectual and spiritual comradeship is essential to the constant association which makes up the life of a home.

Second: A sense of the sacredness of love and marriage should be implanted in the minds of our youth, but these relations are constantly made cheap and commonplace on the screen today.

Third: Divorce should be looked upon with regret as a last resort in most extreme cases, but it is so presented as to seem necessary and desirable in any case of married infelicity and the case with which it is secured is left to the imagination, so there is no apparent difficulty. No wonder some girls are saying when perplexed as to which admirer to marry "Well, I will marry so and so for such and such a reason and if it does not turn out well, I will get a divorce."

Since literature, art, drama, motion picture and humanity in general testify that lover, marriage and home are most vital to human life and happiness, there can be no possible excuse for poisoning the ideals of a nation relative to these sacred relations. Futhermore, if we are concerned in the future of our nation and of the boys and girls whom God has entrusted to us, there can be no possible excuse for us to stand idly by and see these mainsprings in our nation's life snapped by any individual or organization which has so lost its sense of moral values as to undermine the ideals of our youth for personal profit.

Winter Resorters Are Coming Back

There has been an awful exodus of resorters from Michigan to Florida the past fall and winter and along about this time they are coming back in great flocks. Of course it is easy tc see why Michigan well off people prefer to sojurn in Florida, neither does a man have to buck up against income taxes and all property that is taxed is limited to a five mills tax. No millionaire or pauper is asked by Florida to make a sworn statement as to his worldly goods and no examiners snoop around the bank and investigate a man's private deposits. Taken all together, the state of Florida is not so bad to live in. and now you know why W. J. Bryan and our own Uncle Henry Ford like to bask in her sunlight. Michigan is a hard taskmaster, and wants every cent in taxes possible, in fact it has come to be said that everything is taxed in Michigan except water and air and these two commodities not being measureable cannot be reached by the tax gatherer.

When our state wakes up to her opportunities as a summer resort she will make taxes a little milder and a few other necessities a little more getable, and bid for the summer resort trade of the United States which , by right should come here on account of our Great Lakes.

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Have you—Seen the new shades and fabrics in hats at the Corey Hat Shop?

Farmer's Value to Nation

To some this movement away from the farm is an alarming symptom. Yet as a nation we are not so much concerned with the specific number of people living on farms as we are with the volume of food production, and government figures show that this is being maintained.

In no small degree our commercial development of the past seventy-five years has been made possible by increased efficiency in food production on the part of the farmer. Power and power uses are well established on the farm. Today the American farmer uses power, lots of it, and he will undoubtedly use an increasing amount in the future. Rural progress depends in no small measure upon this.

Power Now "the" Thing

In view of what the use of power on the farm has already accomplished, it is no wonder that the farmer is looking over the fence into the electrical field. He wants to know what agricultural possibilities are to be unlocked by this mysterious power which flows noiselessly over the wires.

No one can doubt that the general introduction of electric service on the farm will improve living conditions, making available to rural districts practically every convenience now enjoyed by urban dwellers. Electric service has literally revolutionized living conditions in the cities, and agriculture is determined to keep step with this development.

Vision, Courage, Study Are Needed

To secure maximum results with minimum costs, in working out applications of electricity to agriculture, vision, courage and determination to succeed are essential. The power problems of the farm must be investigated by the best talent available, and the application of electricity to this field must be developed along sound economic and engineering lines.

Electricity has already done so much for our urban population that maximum rural development without electric service is unthinkable. We will never be on a secure foundation until the farm is on as attractive a basis as the city, from the viewpoint of living conditions and business opportunity.

tice, Prof Rice declares, is the principal reason for dissatisfaction with the use of lights to increase egg production.

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IS PROLONGING LIFE

Women on Farm of the Future May Find Electricity Adding to Their Years.

Several men who are leaders in the farm electrification movement have expressed their belief that the farmer appreciates fully the humanitarian aspect of electric power on the farm, over and above its value to him in dollars and cents.

Dr. E. A. Stewart, of the University of Minnesota, declares that farmers will have electricity in order to make life convenient and happy, irrespective of whether or not they are always able to make their electrical installation show a dollars and cents profit.

Simultaneously, M. H. Aylesworth, executive manager of the National Electric Light Association, asserts his conviction that electricity will add from fifteen to twenty years to the lives of farm women and will in many cases change misery into happiness.

"Water in the home, pumped by electricity, the electric iron, the electric washing machine, the vacuum cleaner, electric range, refrigerator, percolator—all these things are unknown to farmers' wives and daughters. Electricity will bring them. And they will be happiness-makers, although not a bit more important than the advantage of electric lights."

Broadcast Drama With Music

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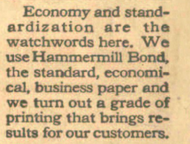

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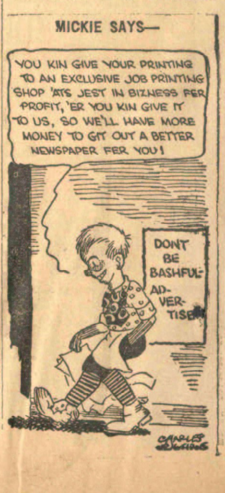
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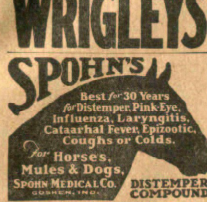

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CHAPTER X—Continued

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"It's the drink in you. She isn't better-looking than any average woman in Avonmouth. See here, are you going to bust up the game or are you not?"

"I'll show you!" shouted Lancaster, breaking from Myers' grasp and rushing from the room.

He met the women at the foot of the stairs. His face was flushed, his hair disordered, his manner maniacal.

"You sneak, what are you butting into this show for?" he demanded of Mrs. Fraser.

The matron, cowed by his violence, trembled. She tried to pull Joan toward her room; then caught her eye and made the slightest gesture indicative of shooting. Lancaster raised his first threateningly.

The matron did not lift a finger to defend herself. She stood quite calmly, awaiting the expected blow; perhaps it was some atavistic trait inherited through generations of poor ancestors; and yet, servile although it might have been, the look on the woman's face was almost heroical.

The man let his fist fall; he seized the matron by the shoulders and pushed her back into her room. He turned the key in the lock and put it in his pocket.

"That's settled, I reckon," he said with satisfaction.

Joan's hand went into her pocket. Her fingers closed about the revolver handle. But at that moment the secretary, who had come out of his room, went up to Lancaster.

"See here, now," he began to remonstrate, "have a little sense, doctor. If you're bent on busting everything up, you and I part company."

The other turned on him with so menacing a gesture that Myers flung up his hands in despair and went back into his room. Joan stood facing the doctor alone. At that moment her decision was nearly ripened, and she felt conscious of no fear of him at all.

If he attempted violence she knew what she would do. But he did not lay hands on her. He stood leaning against the newel post at the foot of the stairs, watching her face.

Joan was searching his eyes for the least sign of the man she had known, and he broke off, scowling and wincing under her stare. Above his words was the sound of the beating rain, the lashing wind; and from within the matron's room Joan heard Mrs. Fraser crying in prayer:

"O Lord, save her!" she wailed. "Save that girl this night! O Lord, from the devil! Save her! Save her, O Lord!"

"Maybe I got you wrong," continued the doctor. "But if I did, I ask you, who's to blame? Didn't you come to me at my house in Avonmouth and ask for your job back? Weren't you as sweet as sugar when you wanted something out of me? And didn't you agree to come up here to work for me? Well, what's the inference, then? You can have your job back if you want it. But I can do better by you than that. You're too pretty for a nurse's job, and I told you so that day you turned on me in the theater like a wildcat. Now, then! It's up to you! Your move, partner!"

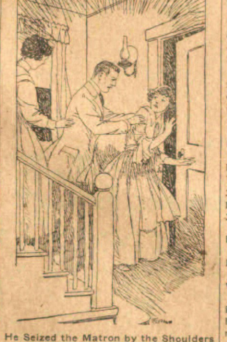
Joan tried to push past him, but he remained at the foot of the stairs, blocking her way.

"Let me pass, please!" she cried. "I'm going to leave the institute at once."

"Without your hat?" he sneered.

"Let me pass at once!"

"Well, I reckon I can't stop you," he rejoined. "Just one word more, though. Do you realize your situation? Do you know what people will say when you go to them with crazy stories about me? Nobody will think you came down here to the notorious John Lancaster after he'd fired you just because you were such a wonderful nurse that he couldn't do without you. What sort of reputation do you expect to have in Avonmouth? You can go, but you won't go there. Not back to Avonmouth, understand that well. I'll hound you out of the town, you little double-crosser!"



He Seized the Matron by the Shoulders and Pushed Her Back Into Her Room.

For the first time Joan felt her spirit begin to shrink from the ordeal. She was cowed, she was almost as helpless as if he had used physical violence toward her. And through the baneful dream she was aware that Myers had come out of his room and was watching the scene from the end of the hall, wearing a smug, complacent smile. Myers was getting his way and having his revenge in one.

And because the situation was too horrible for belief, Joan could remember only the Lancaster of the yesterday. She ran to the man and caught him by the arms, and looked into his face with pathetic earnestness.

"I'm going to stay, John!" she cried. "My faith is stronger than that. I remember what you have said to me, and I remember my promise to you. Some day you will come to yourself and everything will be clear. I shall call to the John Lancaster I know against the man who claims to be he and is not."

"What do you mean?" shouted the other. "Whom do you take me for?"

"You are not the John Lancaster who won my love," cried Joan, with an impassioned gesture. "Let your better self hear and understand me. You asked me to stay and fight your battle with you, and nothing shall drive me from you till you tell me to go; and not even that; nothing shall make me falter till I have won you again."

The man's eyes blazed. "You're right; you're dead right there, Joan!" he cried, and caught her in his arms. He pressed his lips to hers.

She struggled wildly in his grasp. "Let me go!" she panted. But she could not free herself. She screamed. The matron's voice shrieked through the door. "Shoot him!" she cried. "Shoot him dead! Shoot him!"

Joan wrenched her arm free and struck at the man, but he pinioned it again.

"I've got you, Joan!" he cried triumphantly, "and nothing under heaven shall make me let you go."

Held as she was, Joan got her fingers into her pocket. She grasped the little revolver and pulled it forth. She thrust it upward into the man's face. He recoiled with an oath, squinting at the weapon, his face convulsed. And in that moment knowledge came to Joan Wentworth.

"You are not John Lancaster!" she cried.

As she spoke they heard the sound of halting footsteps on the porch. The door swung slowly open. Joan's hand dropped to her side, she slid the revolver mechanically into her pocket; she tried to cry but could not.

Upon the threshold of the door, looking out with a wry, distorted grin on his pale lips, was the man who had held her. And on the threshold, looking in, with eyes drug-clouded, swaying and clutching at the door-pillars to support himself upright, was the John Lancaster of yesterday. And even Joan, with all her love and hate, could not have told the one man from the other.

But with a cry she ran to Lancaster, and caught at him, and felt his arms about her.

Chapter XI

It seemed to Joan, long afterward, like some dreadful picture, the swaying man upon the threshold, to whom she clung, and his double within; and then the rasping voice of Myers broke the long silence.

"Well, well," said the secretary, rubbing his hands together, "here's a pretty kettle of fish. It will all have to come out now."

The Lancaster within the door turned his eyes from Joan to Myers; his passion and rage had frozen into malevolence.

"Don't put the blame on me," said Myers acidly. "I warned you to get rid of her."

Strangely, at that moment Joan felt that she, in spite of her physical weakness, was the dominating figure in the play, and the controlling mind as well.

John Lancaster advanced into the hall. His double, who had drawn back a pace or two, stood watching his efforts to steady himself with a scornful smile. Joan put her hands on her lover's arm; it seemed unbearable that he should display his weakness for them to mock at.

But then, glancing into his face, she saw that, weak as he was, and morphine-ridden, too, it was John Lancaster himself, virile in personality and mind, who had come back. The devil who had been exorcised had returned into his swept and garnished chamber, but he could claim only the physical domain. The body was afire with the accursed drug, but the soul of John Lancaster looked from the cloudy eyes, a man's and not a weakling's.

And Joan knew that it was through no fault of his that he had come back enchained, and that her love had borne him throughout the day and kept his spirit whole.

Lancaster's double turned fiercely upon the secretary.

"Yes, it is a pretty kettle of fish," he retorted, "and it's going to be fried. We'll have this out tonight. Curse you, why didn't you stay here at your post, instead of running to me? Were you afraid of this girl?"

"Who is this man?" Joan asked Lancaster.

"My half-brother and my evil spirit," he answered.

"Why don't you order him to go? Why don't you order them both to go?"

"Because," replied the other, sneering, "John Lancaster sold me his birthright for a mess of pottage—morphine pottage. That's why. Because it is I whom the world knows as John Lancaster, and not that outcast, who has sunk so low that he sold his very name for drugs."

"That is a lie," said Lancaster. "You stole my name. You devil, you have robbed me of my manhood these four years past."

"Gentlemen," cried the secretary, "we've got to talk this matter over, and this isn't the place. If the agreement has worked any injustice to Doctor Lancaster, no doubt it can be readjusted. It is clear that we've got to come to a sensible understanding. Let's face the facts like men, and talk it over in the doctor's room. And this girl had better go upstairs," he added.

"Miss Wentworth stays with me," said Lancaster.

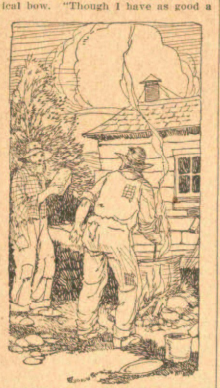
The double and the secretary exchanged ironical glances. It was evident that they did not feel themselves to be in the position of trapped conspirators.

"Doctor Lancaster, if you cannot order them to leave, is it necessary that you should be drawn into a discussion now?" Joan asked.

"Yes, it is necessary," said Lancaster. "I'll fight this thing with Lawson to a finish tonight."

"Lawson?"

"I believe that I am Lawson," said Lancaster's half-brother, with an ironical bow. "Though I have as good a right to the name as Doctor Lancaster here. Perhaps I should have introduced myself before. But now that we are all introduced I am ready to accept Mr. Myers' sensible suggestion."



Became a Common Tramp and Wandered About the Country With Hoboes.

They went toward Lancaster's room. Joan perceived now that the doctor's weakness was purely a physical one; he dragged his limbs slightly, the curious result of the morphine poisoning that she had noted before. But he was gaining strength rapidly, and his will had never been stronger.

This was the last battle, of which he had so often spoken to her. This fight must end his captivity.

She went into the room with him, confident in that belief. Myers closed the door behind them and placed his thickset body in front of it. It was astonishing to see how Lancaster braced himself for the ordeal. He drew himself up, standing erect, and faced the others.

"Doctor Lancaster has the floor," said Lawson mockingly. "At least, I understand that the proposal to revise our agreement comes from him."

"Joan, I owe you an explanation," said Lancaster, turning toward the girl. "This morning, after I had operated, I was called to the house which people think is mine—which should be mine," he added with sudden vehemence. "I was told it was an urgent case. I found these men there. They drew me into an argument, and in the heat of it Myers plunged a needleful of morphine into my arm."

"To quiet you, because you were becoming violent and injuring yourself," sneered the secretary. "Yes, I did, and I left you in good hands."

"They left me senseless in the consulting room, but I managed to force my limbs to obey my will. John Lancaster had still a little more will power than they had counted on. And John Lancaster's name was enough to conjure up a special train this afternoon, though they had robbed him of his money."

Joan put her hands on Lancaster's shoulders. "That is all you need to tell me," she said quietly. "I knew you had been trapped by them. I never doubted you."

"Eight years ago," said Lancaster, "I was a man respected in Avonmouth and everywhere throughout the South. Then a domestic trouble overtook me. You know what that was, Joan. It broke me down. I could not cope with life. I lost my grip on reality, gave up my work—"

"Yes, John, now we're getting at the truth," interposed Lawson bitterly. "You, the honored head of the Southern hospital, became a common tramp and wandered about the country with hoboes, and I have been living down your reputation for you. Go on, John. Don't skip the interesting parts."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Expression Actually an Invitation to Death

The origin of some common expressions is always interesting, and whether the following is authentic or not is an open question. When in ancient days the weaving industry of Halifax, England, was a cottage craft—a farmer's family working on clumsy handlooms—the "pieces" used to be spread out on the hillside, and were therefore peculiarly liable to theft.

Particular crimes led to particular remedies, and a custom, which had the authority of a local law, grew up, that anyone convicted of stealing cloth to the then value of 13 pence halfpenny was liable to immediate execution, a drastic law which naturally safeguarded the cloth industry.

Punishment was carried out, not by hanging, but by a sort of guillotine. This was the Halifax gibbet law, the name of which is preserved by a still standing street in the town, while the actual knife of the gibbet may be seen in the old manor rolls office at Wakefield. Halifax thus acquired a reputation among thieves and vagabonds as the last town in England desirable to visit. And to tell anyone to go to Halifax is equivalent to bidding him to "Go hang!"—Chicago Journal.

A Common Place

The chief danger in platonic friendship is that it so frequently ends in matrimony.—Duluth Herald.

FARM POULTRY

CONTROL OF ROUP BY SANITARY RULES

Contagious roup is probably caused by unsanitary conditions of the henhouse and yards. It is aggravated by cold, damp weather. Correction of the causes, so far as possible, is most advisable, as remedies are slow working and not sure in effect.

It causes a loss, not only from a heavy death rate, but also from the interference with egg production and weakened vitality in breeding. It is very contagious, especially in damp, cold weather, and attacks both young and old stock.

Contagious roup is probably easier to identify than any other poultry disease. It usually starts like a simple cold, with a thin, watery discharge from the nose and eyes. This secretion has a peculiar, offensive odor. Inflammation sets into the nasal passages, eyes and spaces just below the eyeballs. The birds then often cough and sneeze, breathing becomes noisy, and if the air passages of the nose become entirely blocked, they breathe through their mouths. The birds soon lose their appetite and become depressed, their wings drooping and their feathers ruffled. The secretions from the nose and eye change from fluid to a yellowish, cheese-like mass. This grows rapidly about the eyelids and the nostrils. One or both eyes become enlarged and swelling may appear on the head.

The exact cause is not known. Whatever it is, the organism is hard to kill, because it penetrates into the tissues. If the formations about the head are removed, the uneven bleeding surface which is left forms a new mass in 24 to 48 hours.

Infected birds carry the disease from place to place and infect others by contact. Food and water may become contaminated by the secretions from sick birds and healthy birds become infected in this way.

Roup is easily controlled by proper management and housing. Damp, unsanitary, poorly ventilated, overcrowded, drafty quarters are conducive to its spread. The first treatment is to remove the cause at once. Only valuable birds should have individual treatment. A simple cure for the sick bird is as follows: Place it in a dry, well-ventilated place away from the other birds, and give it plenty of fresh water and feed. Every morning and evening remove all the matter from the eyes and nostrils of the bird and dip its head into a solution of bichloride of mercury (1-1000). This is made by placing one 7.3 mercury bichloride tablet in a pint of water. Hold the bird firmly and immerse the head until the eyes are covered, keeping it there a few seconds or until it struggles. In most cases, the following procedure is advisable:

Dispose of bad cases by killing and burning them.

Isolate birds having colds.

Be sure quarters are dry and tight on all sides, with adequate opening in the front for ventilation and light to reach every part of the house.

Allow at least three square feet floor space per bird.

Place a little kerosene on the top of the drinking water or one 7.3-grain mercury bichloride tablet in a gallon of water in a nonmetal container. These should never be used more than ten days in succession.

Place one pound epsom salts per 100 birds in the drinking water or a wet mash.

Judgment in Feeding

Good judgment must be exercised in feeding the pullets after they are mature and are in their winter houses. Usually eight quarts of hard grain is fed to one hundred birds a day. One-third or one-fourth of this amount should be fed in the morning and the balance at night. When about half the birds are laying well they may require as much as ten or twelve quarts per day. Sometimes, however, eight quarts is too much and it is necessary to cut down on this amount. Mash should always be kept before them in hoppers or feeders.

Poultry Notes

Cull nonproducing hens.

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Chickens need sunlight to prevent rickets.

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It is a good plan during warm weather to keep a little earth spaded up in the shade of a tree for the fowls' dust bath.

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Broilers and frys are most profitable when they reach the market before the slower-grown chicks are ready.

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There are a good many different systems of feeding the young chicks and a good many feeds which are used for this purpose.

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Commercial baby chicks scratch and chick mash may be fed to advantage in place of the home-mixed feeds and can be bought from almost any feed dealer.

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The use of the large colony brooder stoves makes it possible to raise chicks in larger numbers and with less labor than can be done when the chicks are brooded with hens.

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Turkey eggs may be very satisfactorily hatched in an incubator. Of course it takes a week longer than hens' eggs and the temperature at the beginning of the hatch should be run a little lower than for the hen eggs.

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A stream or pond of natural water is an excellent aid in raising geese as they have free access to water at all times. Waste land that is watered, or a swamp that is not fit for anything else can be turned into a profitable piece of land by letting a flock of geese roam over it.

MANY HOUSEKEEPERS TOO ILL TO WORK

How Many Are Finding Relief from Weakness and Pain. Mrs. Brandenburg a Notable Case

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Milwaukee, Wisconsin.—"I was in a badly run-down condition and I would get weak spells and terrible headaches. I felt so badly last year that I could not do any housecleaning. The minute I would lift or stoop it seemed as if I was going to fall to pieces. I told a neighbor how I felt and she said that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was surely the right thing for me. I took four bottles then and in the fall of the year I took three. I had been treated by a doctor, but he gave me an iron tonic and that did not help me. It seemed that the tonic did not have in it what the Vegetable Compound did. That gave me the strength and ambition I needed and I have gained in weight. This year before I started to clean house I got four bottles of the Vegetable Compound and am taking it right along. I tell all my friends about it and how much good it does me. They can notice it because I have gained in weight. I weigh 118 now and do all my work myself again."—Mrs. EMIL O. BRANDENBURG, 651 37th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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Oddly Marked Stone May Prove of Value

A rather broad claim is being made for the Leopard stone quarry, in Davie county, as "the only stone deposit of the kind in the world." The leopard stone, or leopardite, as named by the geologists, was discovered on the Phifer property, in the Belmont section, years ago, and the government has at frequent intervals sent agents to get samples of the stone. It is a species of granite marked with black spots, suggesting the leopard.

If the quarrying of the stone on the Harrison farm proves of commercial value, then we might expect development of the leopardite quarry at Charlotte, for the quarrying of the rock would indicate that a use has been found for it in construction purposes of some kind. It would make a beautiful building material, and the wonder is that it has not been adopted by architects long ago.—Charlotte (N. C.) Observer.

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Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

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China Falls Into Line

Foreigners in China have taken to the cross-word puzzle. Most of the foreign papers in the country are printing the puzzles and people are working away at them in homes and clubs.

To Have a Clear, Sweet Skin

Touch pimples, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin. Everywhere 25c each.—Advertisement.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Town Line

Elmer Fuller is working for Geo Walworth at North Adams.

Claud Moore was at Somerset and Cement City Saturday.

Abner Jennings and wife visited relatives in Addison last week.

Mrs. Frank Hudnut is on the sick list also Mrs. W. LaFollette.

Z. Horton and wife of Blissfield were at the parental home Sunday.

Fred Southard of Addison was at Clarence Jennings Monday evening.

John Sommers and wife were business visitors at Niles Saturday.

Flutell Thompson and wife called on their uncle Joseph Beecher Tuesday.

Charles O'Neal of Somerset Center was a caller at A. D. Jennings Sunday.

Gladys Westcott and a friend of Albion spent the week end at home.

Clarence Jennings and wife were in Battle Creek, Reading and Allen Monday.

Glen Baker and family of Toledo were visitors at Eugene Gamble's Easter.

Orlando Westcott and wife of Addison were guests at Eugene Culbert's one day last week.

Gurn Baker and wife attended the funeral of a relative at Moscow Plains church last week.

Mrs. Albert Pease, Mrs. H. Dow and Mrs. F. Giddings who have been ill are better at this writing.

Mrs. Loyal Brown who has been sick a week is slowly improving. Mrs. George Ziehrs of Hillsdale is caring for her.

Myra Beecher of North Adams spent Sunday with her Uncle and Aunt, Joe Beecher and wife. Mr. Beecher does not improve as fast as his many friends would like to see him.

Percy Wells of Adams is putting in crops for Arthur Westcott. Mr. Westcott not able to work was obliged to rent his land. Farming and sickness does not go hand in hand.

Mrs. Eugene Culbert had a birthday April 15th and a number of neighboring ladies started out to give her a surprise but seems it did not work out, still all enjoyed a pleasant afternoon and a nice lunch was served. Wishing her many happy birthdays all departed for their homes feeling it was good to remember old time friends.

West Hoxie

We are very much in need of rain in this vicinity.

Iris Sutton will spend the week end at the Bloemker home.

The next Larkin club will be at the home of Mrs. Bloemker.

Ellsworth Sprague is able to be out again after a few week's illness.

Muriel Shambaugh spent Sunday afternoon at Will Bloemker's.

Clyde Sprague and Edward Bloemker spent Sunday evening in Jackson.

Edward Bloemker, Mrs. Bloemker and grandchildren spent last week visiting relatives at Huntington and Fort Wayne Indiana. The weather is very wet and quite warm.

Center Adams

Mrs. Frank Powderly of Hillsdale spent Wednesday with Mrs. Marion Coryell.

Mrs. Mabel Leonardson and Mrs John Hile of Pittsford visited Mrs. M. C. Church on Thursday.

Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams ate Sunday with her son C. N. Williams and family.

Harry Foust and family motored to Hicksville Ohio on Sunday and spent the day with his mother.

Mrs. Addie Wyman spent the latter part of last week in Battle Creek returning home Sunday evening.

Clarence Webster and family of Ransom were Sunday guests of his brother Nathan Webster and family

James Post and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. Whaley of Vine Street Hillsdale Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Nelia Smith and Mrs. Jennie Smith and daughter of Moscow were the guests of the formers brother C. O. Smith and wife on Thursday.

The Girls sewing club of Center Adams met with Mrs. Carl Shull on Saturday afternoon, she kindly consenting to assist them during the absence of Mrs. Wyman.

Mrs. J. H. Gordon and children attended the Hoxie Aid Society at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hutton in North Adams on Thursday and also stayed for the evening.

Mrs. N. J. Lickley of Shady side spent a part of last week at the Will Keith home assisting in caring for Mrs. Keith who has been quite ill. Friends will be pleased to hear that at present Mrs. Keith is so much improved as to be able to be up part of the time.

Miss Grace Smith of Hoxie spent Wednesday with our teacher Miss Hayhoe at the schoolroom and incidentally making the acquaintance of the children as she has been engaged to take Miss Hayhoe's position another school year, as the latter will attend school.

Jerome

Harley Voorhees and wife were in Jackson Monday.

D. C. Turnley and T. J. Lane were in Hanover Monday.

G. J. Pullen and family are entertaining Caroline Baker of Jackson.

G. Ford McCowan of Moscow was in town Monday on business.

Alexander Volekikas and wife of Jackson were in town one day last week.

Mrs. Julia Potter, Mrs. A. M. Carpenter, Mrs. R. O. Sawdey and Thomas Brayton have been on the sick list.

Mrs. Charles Rynex, Bertha Olney, May Anson and Margray Hayhoe attended the Teacher's meeting at Hillsdale Saturday.

Mrs. Maude Wilson and son have returned to their home in Alabama after spending about two weeks with relatives in this section.

There will be no services at the church Sunday as Rev. Scott will preach to the Oddfellows of Jerome, Somerset Center, Cement City and Hanover at the Somerset Center church Sunday evening. Everyone from these towns is invited to attend

The Boy Scouts organized Saturday evening at the home of C. W McGregor. The organization has two troops, the Eagles and the Rattlesnakes. W. W. Ostrom is Scoutmaster while members of the committee are Robert Frantz, C. W. McGregor and Harley Lane.

From all appearances the authorities have succeeded in placing Gerald Chapman where they wanted to place him for the past year or two. In some ways, Chapman is more to be admired than are some of the leaders in political life who have deceived the people while pretending to be the friends of the people. For instance there was Czar Fall of New Mexico who used his high position to assist Doheny in procuring control of U. S. oil lands from which Doheny admitted he intended to clean up a hundred million dollars. But neither Doheny nor Fall will ever spend anytime on the rock pile for Fall has powerful political friends while Doheny is supported by Western Roman Catholics to whom he gave two hundred and fifty thousand with which to build a church. Doheny's son, Edward, is one of the head trustees of the University of Southern California and no professor at the University would dare to mention the word "oil" for the professors probably know what happened to Prof. Levine ot the University of Montana who had the audacity to talk about "copper".

Somerset Centre

Mrs. Cora VanAllen spent Sunday night at the Earl Rutan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson of Clinton spent Sunday with C. D. Carl and wife.

Mrs. J. P. Churchfield spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Jesse Giddings.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper of Jackson were week end visitors at their home here.

L. A. Mercer and family spent Sunday with George Baker and wife of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. France of Toledo Ohio spent Monday with Earl Rutan and wife.

J. Pullen and wife and Miss Caroline Baker have been recent guests of L. A. Mercer and family.

Zeneth Lent, Carrie Lent and Edith Lent spent the week end with their grandparents at Hanover.

Seymour Roberts entertained Sunday John Curtis and wife of Vandercook Lake, L. Roberts and wife, and A. Hinman of Jackson.

East Hoxie

Will Smith and wife visited relatives north of Addison Sunday.

B. Elwood Cox, Miss Anson and Mrs. L. O. Spratt have been on the sick list this week,

A good many from this vicinity attended the Hoxie L. A. S. held at Rev. Hutton's Thursday.

Louis Matthias organized the Blue bird sewing club at the Hoxie school Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Rickard is at home after spending many days with his sister Mrs. Joseph Beecher.

Mrs A. J. Marks was called to Jackson last week to care for her daughter-in-law Mrs. Martin Marks who was ill.

LaVern Cox and family entertained Charles Oaks and wife of Church and Corwin Cox and wife at Sunday dinner.

Jonesville

Vaine Hess and family are moving to Jackson this week.

W. E. Miller and wife are visiting their son in Shepard Michigan.

Maurice Pierce and family were visitors Sunday at the W. M. Wetmore home.

Mrs. Winnifred Marvin of the Ypsilanti Normal was at her home here over Sunday.

Richard Varnum Jr. spent the week end in Hillsdale at the Mrs. Emma Evans home.

Neal Simpson of Hillsdale has purchased the Riverside garage of George McKercher.

Mrs. Arthur L. Massey is spending the week in Toledo with her daughter Mrs. Dee Donnihue and family.

Mrs. Enna Harding of Coldwater is spending a few days at the F. L. Dunn home on East Chicago street.

Mrs. Clara Dryer entertained the Wednesday afternoon club last week. Luncheon was served at one o'clock, followed by cards.

Rolla Blanch and family and Mrs. Eddeva Davis of Ann Arbor were guests at the home of R. S. Varnum and family Saturday.

Clayton Bowersox who has been employed in the Alverson meat market for some time, left during the week for his work as manager of an A and P store at Coldwater.

The Annual Easter market of Grace Church Guild held last Friday in the town hall was well attended both afternoon and evening. Music for the dancing was furnished by L'Amoreaux of Hillsdale and Lang and Beverly of Jonesville. About $150 was realized for the society.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale,

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 3rd day of April A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward E. Carter, deceased.

Jay D. Knowles having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to him or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 5th day of May, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered : That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
4 5t3 Judge of Probate

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Arbor Day

By the Governor

In view of the especial effort of Michigan's Conservation Department and other agencies to create new forests where they once flourished, additional emphasis is this year given to Arbor Day. The one purpose of the observance is to create as much interest as possible in the extreme necessity of tree planting. Human existence to a very great extent depends upon our wood covered land We should never overlook an opportunity to plant trees of all kinds and restore as far as possible the forests of a generation ago.

Therefore, I, Alexander J. Groesbeck, as Governor of Michigan, designate Friday, May 1, 1925, as Arbor Day and strongly urge that every community in the state take some part in fulfilling the intent for which the day has been set aside.

ALEX. J. GROESBECK
By the Governor Governor

Our Cigars Are Good

There's a lot of difference in tastes. Some people prefer a mild, domestic, some like Porto Rican, others will be satisfied with nothing but Havana.

Whatever your taste may be, we've the cigar to suit you.

Some men say that a cigar just before bed time makes them sleep! Some say it keeps them awake. Probably, neither is correct.

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Local News

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R. C. Young and family visited relatives in Hudson on Sunday.

Mrs. Etta J. Pray spent the week end at her home in Jonesville.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comtortable glasses. 24t

Mrs. Mary Crater has been visiting her son Cleve Crater and family

Born to Charles Cox and wife a son Sunday evening April 26th.

O. E. S. Installation was postponed from Tuesday April 28 to Tuesday May 5th.

George Combs spent a day last week visiting at the Henry Carmichael home in Hudson.

Mrs. F. E. Caswell is teaching at the Grubby Knoll school during the illness of Ethel Brewer.

Miss Donna Lynch of Detroit spent the week end with her parents B. I. Lynch and wife.

The next W. C. T. U. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Glenn Mercer Friday May 8th.

George Walworth and family were Sunday callers on friends in Hillsdale and Moscow township.

Mrs. O. J. Gleason of Waldron has been visiting her daughter and husband A. J. Hoffman and wife.

—I am situated to do your carpenter work of all kinds. Phone North Adams. H. W. Beach. 48t4

Robert Tousan and wife of Pittsford visited Mrs. Tousan's brother Charles Stranger and wife Sunday.

Mrs. R. F. Culver and daughter Percibelle Young of Jackson were week end guests of E. S. Knowles and wife.

Mrs. W. H. Peterson and daughter Mrs. Sadie Gray attended the funeral of Mrs. J. H. King at Hillsdale Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb and daughter Thelma of Goshen Ind. spent the week end with T. N. Lamb and wife.

Edward Crisp of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Brown of Hillsdale were Sunday guests of W. H. Porter and wife.

George Walworth is building a new barn 66 x 50 feet using materials from his two former barns and adding some new material.

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet Wednesday afteroon May 6 at the home ofMrs. Enodna Robins

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet on Wednesday afternoon May 6th at the home of Mrs. Olive Crater.

The S. E. class of the Congregational church will meet at the church parlors on Tuesday evening May 5th with pot luck program and pot luck supper.

The Woman's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Lulu Wells on Monday May 4th. This is the annual meeting and election of officers. A good attendance is hoped for.

Claude Reed and wife of Arthur Hawk's Sunshine Revue Company now playing at the Regent theatre in Jackson were guests of F. Rock and wife in this village on Monday.

Mrs. Claude VanWert and daughter Gladys went to Sturgis Saturday to visit Ruel VanWert and Mr. and Mrs. Harl Myers. Mr. VanWert and Lucille drove to Sturgis Sunday after Mrs. VanWert and Gladys.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and baby also her mother, Mrs. Alta Schilling of Hillsdale were guests at the Fred R. Williams home on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Schilling later accompanied the Fred R. family to Hillsdale where the daughter, Miss Mildred, has resumed high school work.

One of the many automobile disasters of the season is reported on M-23 three miles east of Jonesville Sunday morning when the car of Archie Fenn of South Bend Indiana, ran off the culbert and capsized. We suppose records were being fractured and it is a wonder the whole family were not killed. The wife was hurt and the machine so badly frayed they had to continue the journey by train.

The circus on Tuesday evening under the caption "Henry Prates' Jolly Eight" got on the boards and just managed tc get out of town, although it is positive the "Boss" did not have the price of a gallon of gas after he settled for the house and a few incidentals which were absolutely necessary. It looks like a tie pass for the boys and girls soon unless business picks up. Candidly we want no condemnation for advestising the bunch as we knew absolutely nothing about them. We understand Homer was the objective point from here.

ANOTHER FIRE

The third of a series of disasterous farm fires in this vicity occurred about 1:30 Sunday morning last when the barn on the Addison Farmer farm 5 miles east of North Adams burned to the ground with contents. In the barn were some hay and grain, a team of horses; a veal calf and a dog, all of which were burned. As luck would have it, the cattle were in the open. Bert and Ross Trumble, neighbors were practically first on the scene and had difficulty in awakening the family of Mr. Hanson who reside there. Nothing could be done except to guard other buildings. A large number of automobiles with spectators were soon on the scene.

The loss amounts to around $1,500, with a small insurance on the barn, but the animals were the property of Walter Hanson with no insurance. There is a theory that lightning caused the fire, but neighbors scout the idea, and the origin is as yet undetermined. Looks like incendiary work but may have been a bolt. Considerable sympathy is expressed for the owners and especially Mr. Hanson.

BAPTIST CHURCH

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Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

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Mrs. Percie Wisner, Mrs. Olive Wisner and son Edgar of Jonesville were pleasant callers at the home of Mrs. Cynthia Wisner Sunday afternoon.

The Litchfield and North Adams teams played a ten-inning game of baseball at North Adams last Friday. At the end of the ninth inning the score was even and at the end of the tenth the score was 3 to 4 in favor of North Adams. There was a number of Litchfield students there and a fine group of North Adams students.

The Sorosis club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Jennie Othoudt on Tuesday afternoon April 28 with a very good attendance. The program was as follows: Recitation, Mrs. Burl Shambaugh. Debate, Resolved "That secret societies are a benefit to the nation" Affirmative, Jennie Othoudt and Myra Beecher. Negative, Mrs. Laura Walworth and Mayme Pendell. The judges were Addie Taylor and Nettie Smith of the village and Edna Fisk of Jonesville and the decision was in favor of the affirmative side. Music for the afternoon was two vocal solos by Nellie Kenrick with Hilda Williams at the piano and Edith Westcott accompanying on the violin. After singing "America the Beautiful" and repeating the collect, the club adjourned.

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Bigamy Charge in Somerset

Somebody lodged a complaint on Homer Marvin and Minnie Clark of Somerset and they were arrested and arraigned before Glenn Miller on the charge of unlawful cohabitation. They are said to have lived together since May 1, 1924, and Mrs. Clark has no divorce from a former husband. They waived examination and were put under $500 bond each and being unable to furnish this, they are sojourning at Hotel de' Midgley

Serious Accident East of Town

Ross Delamatter, living east of town on the Frank Smith farm, met with an accident which came near costing his life on Tuesday forenoon as he was blasting out stumps with dynamite. One of the stumps being tamped in and refusing to explode Mr. Delamatter went to investigate when the charge fired throwing out the stump, breaking his left arm and blowing sand and gravel in his eyes. His face was badly lascerated and bled from every pore, both eyes and his mouth filled with debris and his body bruised He was rushed to the house and Dr. McFarland summoned who dressed and bandaged the wounds

Investigation showed one eye seriously injured and it is not known whether the sight can be restored. Particles of grit were thrown with great force into the eyeballs.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

The theme for our morning worship period will be "The Other Side." Mr. Maltby of Hillsdale College will sing the offertory solo. Let's not forget our churches this beautiful spring weather. We need you in your place. Sunday school immediately following church service.

Don't forget! The ladies are going to need a few men to help them set out the new shrubbery and trees etc. at the church Friday (today). If you can spare a few moments of your time they will appeciate it. Let's help make our church home more beautiful than it is. Bring any plants or shrubs that you can spare.

Sunday May 10, we are going to show Helen Keller in "Deliverance" It will be a splendid picture and we ask you to noise it about among your friends to help us advertise.

Choir practice Saturday evening at the home of Frances Young. Please be there to help us with our Mother's Day music. We need you at 6:45 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M.
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Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

We are looking with great anticipation to the 17th of May, to the beginning of the revival services, and Rev. H. G. Hamilton will be with us. Some are not in sympathy with evangelistic or revival efforts. But it has been God's method all through the ages since the founding of the church. Maybe we can improve upon God's methods and may be not. All churches and people are urged to unite in this movement.

The Sabbath school program next Sunday will be in the hands of Jay North's class. A very interesting Temperance program is being prepared. All attend.

Don't forget the Concert May the 15th at the church, put on by our own Epworth choir. Let's boost them! Also the Ladies banquet which is the outcome of the S. S. contest which was ended last Sunday, in favor of the men, with over eight hundred points to the good, is being talked of being put on the same night. The banquet will be free but the concert will cost a small admittance fee.

The Ladies Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Patton next Tuesday May 5th. A potluck dinner will be served.

Mother's Day program Sunday morning May 10th. A special offering will be taken next Sunday in Sabbath school to secure flowers for this occasion.

Sunday night a special service for young people.

L. E. Dietz and family of Jackson were Sunday visitors at the Albert Dietz home.

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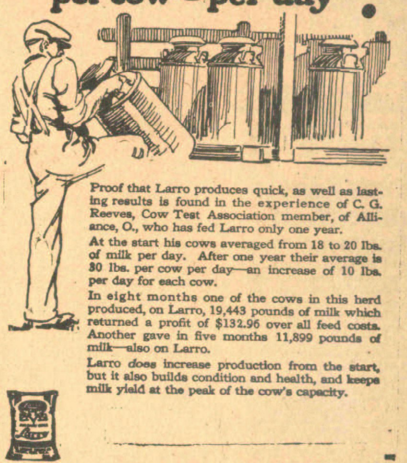

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NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Reapportionment Finally Wins Ending Long and Bitter Fight

Lansing—Reapportionment of representative seats in the legislature was agreed to by the house of representatives by a vote of 68 to 29.

Under the Howarth Bill Wayne county will be entitled to 21 seats in the next legislature, instead of just 14 as at present.

The vote ended a bitter legislative battle that has been unrelenting in its intensity for two years. Harsh personal recriminations have been passed. Other legislation has been sacrificed by one side or the other as they pressed for victory.

And even as the anti-apportionists conceded defeat, they lashed at the governor, the lieutenant governor and members of the legislature who have persistently fought for reapportionment with verbal invective that stung.

The Wood Bill, to reapportion the Senate, is still in the House Apportionment Committee. Gov. Groesbeck, who made a personal issue of Wayne county's demand for Constitutional representation and brought about the passage of the Howarth Bill, is already working for the enactment of the Wood Bill. If it passes, all of the Constitution's demands will have been met.

Transit Bill Passed

With the Callender Rapid Transit Bill passed by both houses of the Legislature and the Darin Super-Highway Bill passed by the House and apparently sure of passage in the Senate, Detroit is in a position to go ahead with the plans of the Rapid Transit commission if the voters so desire.

Erroneous reports from Lansing that the Callender Bill contained limitations which would prohibit Detroit spending more than $60,000,000 for a rapid transit system, or approximately 12 miles of subways, disturbed the Rapid Transit Commission. The Wayne delegation agreed after talks by leading manufacturers and businessmen, to support the Callender Bill without any limitations on special assessments, which meant an act permitting Detroit to build a 40-mile system costing $200,000,000, if the voters wanted it.

Previously members of the Wayne delegation had written into the new draft of the bill, as prepared for the Governor after the commission's original bill was found unsatisfactory by him, a provision limiting special assessments. The Governor's draft contained no such limitation.

City Bond Issues Limited

The House passed the Evans Bill designed to curb extravagance in municipal improvements and to regulate municipal bond issues. The measure was part of the administration tax program. It has gone to the senate. The important features of the bill are those which insist that municipalities must provide adequate funds for the retirement of bonds. Bonds must either be issued serially or a sinking fund must be built up, periodically and consistently. The state treasurer would be required to approve all bond issues.

Railway Bus Lines Approved

The second of the trio of railroad bus bills introduced by Senator Horatio H. Karcher, of Rose City, was passed by the Senate by a vote of 20 to 7. The bill gives steam or electric railroads permission to establish motor bus or truck lines in conjunction with or supplanting their rail lines. It was originally provided that they could be established in extension of the rail lines, but that provision was killed in committee.

School Bill Passes House

The Snow Bill, which is expected to take the rural schools out of petty county politics and place them under the supervision of men of constructive vision passed the House by a vote of 73 to 8. It would do away with the elective office of county school commissioner and substitute a county board of education of five members with power to employ a superintendent of schools.

Defeat For 'Beauty Parlor' Bill

Representative Cora Reynolds Anderson's "Beauty Parlor" bill went down to defeat in the general landslide accompanying the dethronement of Charles Culver, of Detroit, as chairman of the Wayne delegation in anything save name. Culver's connection with the bill was credited with causing the defeat, which was by a vote of 44 to 42.

Chiropractor Bill Fails

A bill to license chiropractors met defeat in a senate committee. It was introduced by Senator David Butler.

Disability Pay Beaten

Michigan Federation of Labor workmen's compensation bill has been killed. The committee on labor, by secret ballot voted against reporting the bill out on the floor for consideration of the house as a whole. The vote was nine to three. The committee split on the issue of amending the measure before placing it before the house.. John Crutchfield, of Saginaw, a miner, and Edward R. Carter, of Delta county, freight brakeman, stood firm against any amendment.

Appropriations Meet Protest

Opposition to the vast appropriations being made by the legislature without providing the funds to meet them, has appeared in the House. Rep. Loomis K. Prestonof Berrien County, objected when the House adopted 16 measures carrying more than $3,000,000 without the formality of discussion or a record roll call. The failure of the legislature to attach tax clauses to scores of building appropriation bills promises to force the State administration to increase the State tax rate next year.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Cadillac—Three sections of cut-over hardwood land is offered to the Izaak Walton League chapter of Cadillac as a municipal reforesting grounds. The offer was made by W. L. Saunders, a Cadillac lumberman.

Ypsilanti—The Michigan State Normal College has prepared a list of 10 teachers of physical education who will graduate from the college in June, and has sent a copy of this list to every school superintendent in the state.

Menominee—Mrs. Philomene Pelon, 86 years old, who leaves 104 direct descendants, died at her home here. She was born in Canada in 1839 and came here in 1873. She leaves two sons, five daughters, 41 grandchildren and 56 great grand children.

East Lansing—Of considerable importance to the potato growers of Michigan and their allied interests, is the recent formation of a committee at the Michigan Agricultural College to consolidate and direct all inpection work on certified potato seed throughout the state.

Ypsilanti—Said to have been disappointed in love, and to have met the stern disapproval of the girl's mother, James Wade, of Ypsilanti, attempted to kill himself in front of his sweetheart's home by drinking poison, according to the police here. Wade's condition is not serious.

Big Rapids—James Bannister, of Barryton, has been arrested and arraigned on a warrant charging embezzlement, the result of a shortage in his returns as a potato agent of the William Chase Co. of Greenville. The examination was set for April 28 in the Justice Court here. The amount involved, it is charged is $553.

Grand Rapids—A price parley held here by Western Michigan canners and fruit growers failed to bring about an agreement regarding prices for fruits delivered at canning plants during the coming season. The uncertainty of fruit prospects and the condition of the canned goods market combined to advise against determination of contract prices at this time, it was explained.

Jackson—Harold Streator, 12 years old, a member of the safety patrol at the Greenwood Park grade school, who recently saved the life of a schoolboy chum in imminent danger of being crushed to death by a street car, was presented with a distinguished service medal of gold. The donor of the medal was the Detroit Automobile Club, which maintains a branch office in this city.

Ypsilanti—O. O. Rowe, a farmer living northeast of this city, notified Chief of Police Connors that he had found a bundle of checks amounting to more than $800 in a sack in one of his fields. An investigation by Chief Connors disclosed that the checks were part of the loot stolen from the Ann Arbor office of the Connors Ice Cream company recently. The checks were weighted with rocks apparently having been thrown from a passing automobile.

Alpena—Installation on the lighthouse tender Amaranth here of a new radio compass, accomplished during the last few days, marks the beginning of a new era in vessel navigation on the Great Lakes, in the opinion of shipping men, and should result in a decreased loss of life and property in the future. During times of poor visibility each station will send out a distinctive radio call for the guidance of vessels, much in the same way that lights now are flashed from the various lighthouses.

Jackson—Having successfully dodged the long arm of the law for six years, Sylvester Thornburg, who escaped after being sentenced to life in Jackson prison, walked into the warden's office the other day and gave himself up. Thornburg says he has been wandering through western United States since he escaped in 1918. He recently spent a long time in Colorado, where he began to brood over the fact that he was a "hunted man." Thornburg was convicted of murder in Cass county in 1916.

Alpena—Frank Jermin, meteorologist at the local United States Weather Bureau station, is sending to Washington photographs to illustrate the spectacular drop in lake levels here during the last few days. The water has fallen to a new low level of three feet, two and one-half inches below the lowest previous mark. The photographs were taken with the view of revealing the effects of the withdrawal of lake water by the city of Chicago for sanitary purposes. Jermin has warned captains of lake vessels that sharp fluctuations in the lake levels and pronounced currents may be expected.

Scottville—Two unmasked young men staged a bold daylight robbery when they entered the Bank of Custer at Custer, three miles east of Scottville and escaped with $1,600 in cash. The teller, Edward Doe, a brother of the cashier, John O. Doe was alone in the bank when the bandits entered. One asked for change and when Doe turned the men shoved pistols through the wicket and demanded all the cash in the vault. In scooping up the cash the bandits overlooked $5,000 in Liberty bonds and securities.

Plymounth—George Springer, deputy sheriff and town marshall of Plymouth, announced that he is organizing a posse to exterminate a pack of wild dogs that has become a menace to property and stock in the vicinity of Plymouth, less than 25 miles from the heart of Detroit "There are about 20 dogs of all kinds in the pack, and we believe they are the descendants of a female Airedale that went wild here about 10 years ago," said Springer. The Airedale lived in a burrow in a hilly wood to 5 miles northeast of Plymouth.

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM EVERYWHERE

U. S. and Canada Order Survey Of St. Lawrence River Waterway Project

Washington—After negotiations of more than a year, the way has been cleared for active undertaking of the engineering survey of the St. Lawrence River deep waterway project through final agreement between the United States and Canadian governments on instructions to govern the joint engineering board's duty of the problem.

The final draft of instructions to the board, made public stimultaneously in Washington and Ottawa with the complete correspondence in the negotiations, showed a compromise finally was reached in the matter of water diversions to be considered in studying the power possibilities of the project.

By this the joint board is directed to consider in its study the effect of natural water levels in the St. Lawrence River of water diversions from the Great Lakes or the river made under license of either government.

Secretary Hoover, chairman of the St. Lawrence commission appointed by President Coolidge, declared the completion of the negotiations marked a decided step forward in the progress toward determination of the feasibility of the St. Lawrence project and a final solution of the problem of finding the best route from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic.

Battle Lines All Ready

Honolulu—The Island of Oahu, far flung western outpost of the United States and key to the nation's web of defense in the Pacific has been transformed by the Black forces, defending the islands from an attacking fleet, into a veritable armed camp, in preparation for the greatest war manoeuvers ever staged.

Just as the Blue fleet, which is steaming toward the islands from the east in an attempt to recapture the island from the land forces, was traveling under war conditions as far as possible, the army shore defenses have been arranged along lines which would be drawn in defending the island against actual instead of theoreeical attack.

Senator Wheeler Acquited

Great Falls, Mont.—Senator Burton K. Wheeler, was acquitted of a charge of unlawfully using his influence as a senator before the department of the interior by a jury in federal court here.

Exactly two hours and thirteen minutes elapsed between the time the jury retired to deliberate and the time the verdict was returned. Out of this time the jury took one hour to dine. The actual time for deliberation was but a few minutes, according to court attaches.

The accused received two pieces of good news simultaneously—his acquittal and the birth to Mrs. Wheeler of a daughter in Washington.

Steamer Sinks With Crew

New York—Thirty-eight Japanese seamen, the entire crew of the Japanese steel freighter Raifuku Maru, were drowned in the raging north Atlantic seas when their ship sank as the Cunarder Tuscania and the Homeric, of the White Star line, stood by, unable to help because of the heavy seas.

British Sovereigns Return

London—King George and Queen Mary have returned from their Mediterranean cruise where they have been for the king's health. His majesty appeared bronzed and vigorous.

Thousands of loyal subjects lined the streets and cheered as the king was driven from Victoria station to Buckingham palace.

Use Chemicals to Break Jail

Westminster, Md.—Burning their way with acids and other chemicals through the bars of their cells and then burning through the grating of an outside window, four prisoners made their escape from the county jail here. All were charged with stealing and were awaiting trial.

Largest Dictionary Compiled

Philadelphia—For the information of cross-word puzzle fans, the largest dictionary in the world, with more than 475,000 words, can be found in the University of Pennsylvania library. It is embodied in 10 volumes and several dozen pamphlets, and is still growing.

Hoover To Call Radio Meet

Washington—Secretary Hoover has decided that the increasing pressure of radio problems on his department, which regulates in the radio field, will require the calling of another national radio conference about the end of September.

Collins' Body Released

Cave City, Ky.—The body of Floyd Collins, cave explorer, who died from hunger and exposure when trapped in Sand Cave late in January, has been freed from its natural underground prison and moved from the cave.

Four Dead In Paris Riot

Paris—Four dead and 40 wounded were picked up in the streets of Montmartre when the police arrived to halt rioting between Nationalists and Communists. Bullets were flying wildly in the streets of Paris's gay night life district while the political extremists of right and left battled with whatever weapons they could lay hands upon. The rioting began as the crowd filed out of a campaign meeting of the Nationalist party and found a group of the Reds awaiting them

VON HINDENBURG ELECTED PRESIDENT OF GERMANY

FIELD MARSHAL von HINDENBURG

Berlin—The people of Germany have elected General von Hindenburg, former leader of the German armies, as president of the republic with a plurality of about 845,000 votes. This has stunned the republican elements, who consider the old war chief a chair warmer for the Hohenzollerns, a representative of the imperialistic ideals which ruled Germany before the World war.

General Von Hindenburg is the first president of Germany to be elected by popular ballot. He was nominated by the nationalist-conservative bloc, to replace Dr. Karl Jarres, who failed of election in the first balloting on March 29. His opponent was Dr. Wilhelm Marx, candidate of the republican bloc, adherents of the Weimar coalition, composed of centrists, socialists, and democrats. The third candidate was Ernst Thaelmann, communist.

Engineer Would Harness Tides

Fredericton, N. B.—Dexter P. Cooper, hydraulic engineer, who has spent many years working on a super-power plan by which the tides in the Bay of Fundy would be harnessed, said here that he would present his proposals to the Dominion and provincial governments. He came here to consult Premier Venoit regarding the plan. The project would involve an estimated expenditure of $100,000,000 and result in the development of 600,000 horsepower of electrical energy.

Ford Aid Welcomed

Washington—The postoffice department will welcome any effort by Henry Ford and his associates to improve aerial transportation, Postmaster General Harry S. New has announced. New said that he would "give them all the business" possible in the transportation of mail, but that no definite proposal has as yet been received from the American Airway, Inc., the Ford organization.

Report Unfavorable To Britain

London—The League of Nations commission which has been investigating the question of future possession of the rich oil district of Mosul in Mesopotamia has completed its report which is not entirely favorable to Great Britain. The commission is a purely advisory body, and decision now rests with the league council.

Germany Builds Highest Towers

Berlin—Two broadcasting towers are now under construction in Germany that will exceed in height all others in the country. Both will be provided with elevators, and will be used as observatories as well. One, to be located in a suburb of Berlin, will be 1,049 feet high, topping the Eiffel tower at Paris.

Will Direct Ford Airline

Chicago—Maj. R. W. Schroeder, former holder of the world's altitude record, has been appointed director of the Ford Airplane Service, with headquarters at the Ford Airport, at Dearborn. He will be in charge of all flying operations for the Stout company, including the service between the Ford factories.

Associated Press Honors Founder

New York—In recognition of his 25 years' service as president of The Associated Press, or since the organization was founded in its present form, Frank B. Noyes, of the Washington Star, was honored signally at the annual meeting.

Tacna Award Protested

Washington — President Coolidge has received a cable protest from American residents in Peru against his arbitration award in the Tacna-Arica dispute between Chile and Peru, it was announced at the state department.

Bulgaria Increases Army

Paris—The council of ambassadors has authorized Bulgaria to increase her armed forces by 7,000, the permission to extend only until the end of May for the purpose of settling present disturbances.

Bounty Placed on Crows

St. Paul, Minn.—Minnesota has outlawed the black crow when the state legislature completed passage of a bill placing a state bounty of 10 cents each on the bird.

Enforcement Drive Planned

Washington—The greatest criminal drive in the history of the government is planned by the Coolidge administration through practical merger of all federal law enforcing agencies. Every crime detecting branch of the government would be called into the drive, and their combined ranks thrown against rum runners, dope peddlers and alien smugglers, if a program drafted is adopted. The chief objective would be to erect a barrier on all American border lines.

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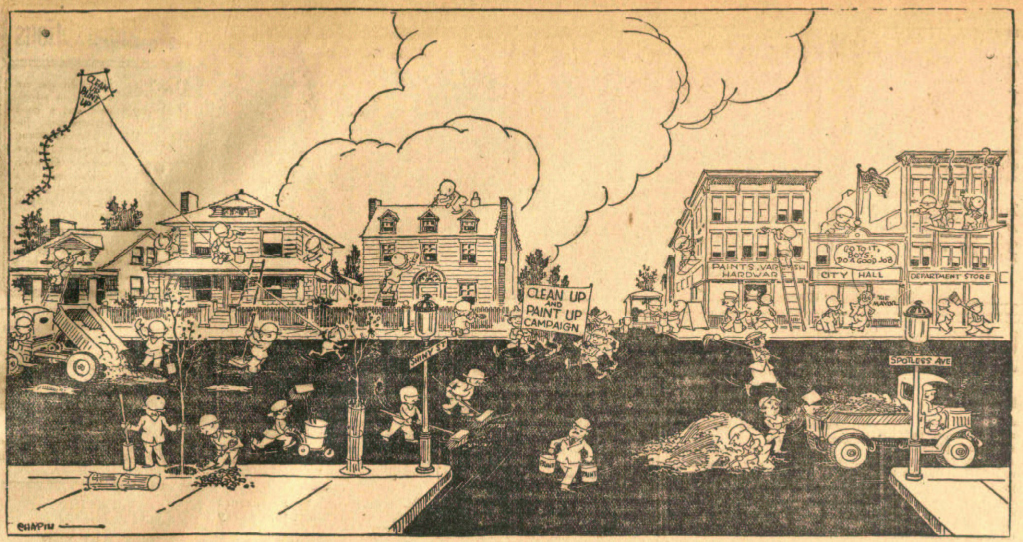

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 23rd, day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel A Wisner Deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate,

It is Further ordered, That the 27th day of August 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recordsd in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the south west corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.
July 24, 1925. 48t13

Form New Control of Potato Inspections

Formation of a central committee, to have general supervision of of all potato inspection work for seed certification, was announced at the M. A. C. this week. The new committee will serve to unify and standardize the inspection work for different growers associations in the state, it is said.

H. C. Rather, secretary of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association, and senior crops entension man at M. A. C., is chairman of the potato inspection committee. Serving with him are R. J. Baldwin, director of extension work at the college; J. F. Cox, professor of farm crops; J. W. Weston, corrosponding secretary of the Michigan Certified Seed Growers Association; and H. C. Moore, corresponding secretary of the Michigan Certified Seed Growers Association; and H. C. Moore, corresponding secretary of the Michigan Potato Producers Association.

The two cooperative associations of which Mr. Weston and Mr. Moore are secretary handle the increase work with certified seed stocks, certifying the tubers after inspection service supervised by the college. The new committee is intended to place all potato certification on a standard, state wide basis. Rather, the chairman, is in charge of inspection work for certification of general crops under the Crop Improvement Association.

—New hats, arriving daily at the Corey Hat Shop. 47t3

Kaiser Bill Is Altogether Too Happy

The election of General VonHindenberg to the office of President of Germany comes as a surprise to many in this country who have supposed despotism is dead in the Fatherland. A clipping from the Jackson Daily News gives a somewhat yellow exposition of it as follows:

"The former Kaiser at his chateau at Doorn, Holland, last night expounded significance and importance to Von Hindenberg's election as related to the restoration of the monarchy and the Hohenzollern dynasty. William, who seemed in excellent spirits, spoke to a home circle audience including his wife, the Princess Hermine, her two children, his Court Marshall Von Moltyke and others of his former Imperial entourage as well as two high officials from Germany and one German Ambassador However, the Hohenzollern banner no longer floats from the chateau to-day.

After the speech the audience broke into enthusiastic cheers of "Hoch Der Kaiser!" The servants were treated to a generous allowance of wine to celebrate the occasion. Despite this celebration it is said by well informed persons that VonHindenberg's victory is less likely to effect the ex-Kaiser personally than it is the former Crown Prince whose activity and influence in military quarters has been increasing. It is understood that the Princess Hermine brought caek that impression from her last trip to Berlin."

As straws indicate the direction of the mind, so the recent complexion of politics in Germany are anything but good news to either France or America, especially the former, which has good reasons to fear certain factions east of the Rhine. Von Hindenberg is to all intents and purposes a prototype ot the ex-kaiser and there is littlo to choose beteen an absolute monarchy and anything the General might sponsor. Yellow journalists are predicting another war soon, and the horizon of Europe to-day has as many clouds as it ever did. France without doubt, will continue the same program of watchful waiting she has followed for two hundred years, and the least move on the part of German militarists might at any time result in a declaration of hostilities.

Flogging Bill Passes Senate

By a vote of 17 to 12, the senate today placed itself on record as approving the old system of punishing criminals incarcerated in the state prisons by repeated flogging administered under the supervision of the warden of the prison.

The vote was on the wood bill which provides that the court may prescribe an additional punishment of flogging for male persons convicted of robbery while armed. The punishment would be administered once each year during the first five consecutive years of the sentence. It does not apply to women, who might be convicted of being accessories to the crime.

The measure, which has been described by Dr. Howard Baxter of Grand Rapids, and other opponents of the measure, as a step backward a revision to the practices of the inquisition and dark ages, now goes to the house tor consideration.

It is considered likely that the lower house will not favor the measure.

The Divorce Mills Keep Grinding

The other day we picked up a paper containing the salacious details of a divorce case in the millionaire class, and the reading was quite edifying to say the least, being a mixture of charges and counter-charges. Wife accused husband of too much absence from home while husband came back at wife with accusations of laziness and alcoholic tendencies. Still another case was in court where the enraged wife took the stand and swore there was an affinity in the matter, a sort of next best friend—and the results were disasterous to home life. Husband cross-billed by saying wife was a professional nagger, a confirmed slouch and he hadn't been able to enjoy himself in her society since they were married. There are several small children in the family and the Judge is trying to be lenient but the alimony in this case will bankrupt most any one except Hank Ford. Another woman told the Judge hubby was afflcted with an unbalanced ration of "white mule" and cocaine, and while in that comatose state he was neither competent or able to keep the family exchequer supplied A husband ascertained that while his duties took him far from home there seemed to be no aching void in his absenee, and upon returning he had found cigar stubs and whiskey bottles upon the mantle, which were none of his. Wife made no rebuttal and so the decree was allowed at once, and so it goes.

There is a general laxity and resulting low moral tone among married couples which is not without it ludicrous phase, but the public at large feels that a law compelling the divorcee to remain single for at least a respectable time would not be amiss. The state solons at Lansing have at different times tried to meet the exigency, but the bill generally falls prey to the spell-binders and is talked to death So far as we know it gets nowhere. The marriage relation appears to be aterribly loose contraption these days.

We do not know why, but the state of society since the World war has been deplorable, and it resulted in a right about face with thousands of decent folks who were at least trying to live right. This is not the result of a poorer understanding or a more carnal mind; on the contrary it is the foul and offensive aftermath of the sojourn of thousands of our best blood within the environs of a Latin nation where moral laws are a rope of sand and religious ideals are flung to the four winds. Those thousands came home with new ideas and far looser habits than when they went across. America promised to return our soldier boys as good as she received them, barring accidents, but did she? Most certainly she did not. Our officers and men in authority permitted doings over across which here would have been little short of scandalous, and to-day we are reaping to the whirlwind.

Some of the boys came home in good shape but most of them got their education over there—in fact they got the most they ever had. That's what makes most of them so wise and so close-mouthed. They now know of matters of which they never dreamed. The results are beginning to tell on daughters sweethearts, wives and sisters, and it won't be many years before we'll be in a nice pickle along the line of morals. We see it mostly in the movies and on the stage; the bathing beach comes next, the dance hall is a ciose third. Inside of ten years we shall be obliged to put public meets under police supervision to guard against indecent exposure of the person, and innocent children will not be safe at any public gathering unattended.

There are those who claim the world has not digressed so far from the perpendicular as this, but they must be blind and deaf. The divorce courts are as good a thermometer as we need to judge social conditions, and divorces are so common that we find them in our midst for the poorest, most asinine reasons imaginable.

If you doubt this spend an hour or two a month in watchful waiting and see what happens!

Future Of The Pheasant

A few years ago the state started the propagation of ring neck pheasant at a great expense, and at the present time they are protected under the game laws. In some sections they are getting numerous and there have been complaints of their disturbing the farmer's barnyard flock of chickens, besides damaging and destroying crops. Just what the future of these imported birds will be, is hard to determine at the present time. Up in Minnesota they have become so thick in certain sections the game department is offering one dollar each for every live bird delivered to the wardens. As fast as they are brought in they are shipped to other sections of the state, where they are not so numerous. It will be interesting to watch the future of these imported members of the bird family in Michigan.

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's, Magazine both one year for the small sum of $2.00 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions from Paris, the best works ot Harold Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

The editor of the DeFuniak Springs (Florida) Herald rises to remark: "While we are not aristocrats ourselves and own several varieties of oil stock, we have never permitted our prosperity to fly to our head and run us crazy. Perhaps our "prosperity" saw the futility of trying to improve on nature, and gave up the job. Be that as it may, for 32 years we have been a "Florida Cracker" proud of this distinction and deeply penitent now if during those 32 years, we have at any time said or done anything that may have brought reproach upon the name. Howbeit, since the Ford car, short skirts, silk stockings and bobbed hair came into vogue we have been distressed to note a change on the part of people who used to eat chittlin's and pay their debts to kinder wince and writhe under the term "Florida Cracker" and to these the more aristocratic 'Floridian" will appeal with especial force.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1925

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sophia S. Davis Deceased. M. Myrtle Davis, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to the executors named therein or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of May A. D. 1925, at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 46t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of April, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Harmon Fowle, deceased.

Byron C, Fowle having filed his petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased. and that administration of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten a. m, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county,

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
46t3 Judge of Probate

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 8th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Belle M. Fowle Deceased. Byron C. Fowle having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration de bonis non of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or to some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition:

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 46t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale,

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate,

In the Matter of the Estate of Ann M. Pearson Deceased. Sarah Pierce heir at law of deceased, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to D. L. Pierce or some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of May, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is here by appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3-4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3-4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

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Radio Transmission Theories Confirmed During Eclipse of Sun

Signals Blotted Out as Moon Skims Over Sun.

Engineers and scientists were hard at work in laboratory and field observation stations recently when the rays of the sun were temporarily intercepted by the passing moon and great shadows were cast upon the earth. It is well known that the efficiency of radio transmission is affected by the sun's rays and the recent eclipse afforded an opportunity to observe the characteristics of radio waves under ideal conditions.

Observers were stationed in various parts of the country and will soon compare the results of their findings thereby adding to the fund of data which has been accumulating since the ether was conquered only a few short years ago.

The tests conducted included a study of the behavior of short and long waves. The short wave band included 65 to about 100 meters and the broadcast station band between 200 and 500 meters as well as the waves employed in transoceanic radio communication, 8,000 to 25,000 meters. Each of these group of waves were affected differently as the sun's rays were cut off from the earth, according to the observers.

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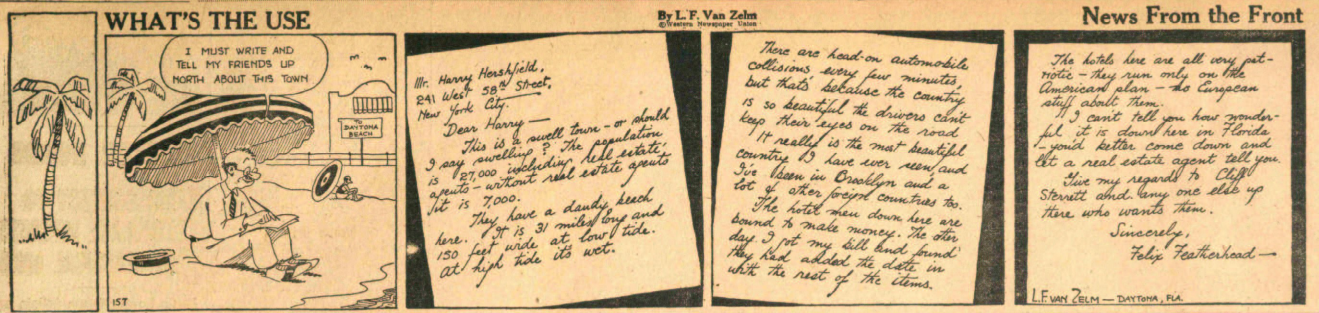
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News From the Front
I MUST WRITE AND TELL MY FRIENDS UP NORTH ABOUT THIS TOWN
TO DAYTONA BEACH
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Mr. Harry Hershfield, 241 West 58th Street, New York City.
Dear Harry— This is a swell town—or should I say swelling? The population is 27,000 including real estate agents—without real estate agents it is 7,000. They have a dandy beach here. It is 31 miles long and 150 feet wide at low tide. At high tide it's wet.
There are head-on automobile collisions every few minutes, but that's because the country is so beautiful the drivers can't keep their eyes on the road. It really is the most beautiful country I have ever seen and I've been in Brooklyn and a lot of other foreign countries too. The hotel men down here are bound to make money. The other day I got my bill and found they had added the date in with the rest of the items.
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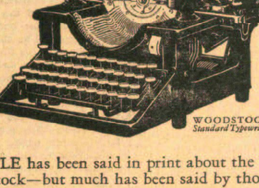

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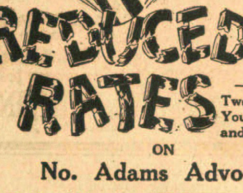
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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Mothers And War

We mothers spend our best selves, body and soul, to present to the world sons, perfect physically, mentally and morally, men like unto those counted "fit" in the World War, for instance; sons who are patriotic enough to die for their country; sons who would bless their country by their lives; but out from the training camps they go to battle! That precious body maimed, or shot down mercilessly! Stabbed unto death perhaps with a bayonet—O, the shame of it! That beloved face mutilated—O, the horror of it! If these calamities be missed, that fine braiu shattered, the whole being "gassed" or if all these were missed, the charactes besmirched by overmuch temptation and the sins caused by the circumstances of war.

One mother said during the World War—she had two sons overseas—"I had to take a pledge against thinking of bayonets. I saw bayonets whenever my eyes were closed. I could bear better, far better, the thought of my sons being shot and killed than to think of them being stabbed with bayonets, and left writhing in agony on the battle field. I should have gone stark mad if I had not asked my Father in Heaven to help me not to think of bayonets." O, we mothers know! That body was all ours once. It was so precious! We looked at little pink feet and wondered if there would ever come a time when we would even let them touch the rough earth in our own backyard. A little hoarse cough and we were panic stricken for fear of the baby terror—croup! And then to know perhaps the same throat was cut by a sword those same feet maimed forever! Yet, like Spartan mothers we let them go when our country called. Is there any loftier patriotism? Those sons, and we in the World War believed their going to war was to make an end of war, and it must be so. We mothers demand that it must be so!

How To Avert War

How are we mothers going to prevent war? First, we have the ballot in our hands now. We have been given this power to protect "those whom we have so loved." We shall use it to avert war and to bring the reign of reason instead of the fury of force for the settlement of differences.

We are going to "agitate". We shall no longer hide our feelings. We shall agitate, agitate, agitate, and our sister white ribboners in other lands will agitate until the powers that be in the whole world shall take notice and suppress their petty jealouslies, and their imperial pride, repent of their selfishness, do away with their prejudices, and say "There must be no more war!"

We shall educate the public. We can, we mothers! We are somewhat skilled in methods of mass psychology, we white ribbon mothers, because we have had successful experience in changing the mind of our great nation on the alcohol question; not only in mind but the policy, even unto the writing of an amendment into the Constitution of the United States.

Before we begin the effort to bring the public to peace thinking, we shall educate ourselves. We shall read the utterances of men and women, who are trying to do away with war, and study peace plans and see for ourselves if they be adequate. We shall also study present day problems involved in bringing an "enduring peace" among the nations of the world. We W. C. T. U. mothers are already familiar with the principle that in a reform that will be permanent, an educational program must follow the emotional stirring that gave it birth. This has been manifest in our learning the chemistry of alcohol, and its physical effects. What we have learned has been passed on to the schools through our Scientific Temperance Instruction department. We shall pass on our findings in the peace reform in the same way by urging oratoritorical and essay contests in the schools with some aspect of the peace reform as the subject for declamation, or essay. When we get this peace thinking into the minds of our children, if our dreams do not come true before we pass on to the Higher Life, our children will "carry on," trust them for that!

We will request from our local editors the courtesy of quoting in their columns from the best speakers and writers on the subject of peace, and through this vast medium penetrate with the religion of peace the remotest section of our great country.

As members of evangelical churches, we ask our pastors to preach sermons on peace and international arbitration. We will use all the ingenuity of love to think of ways and means to bring about peace thinking in the public mind.

Then, as praying mothers, we will avail ourselves of the wonderful, mighty privilege of prayer. We will ask Our Father to so guide and influence our representatives in Washington that they no longer will hinder legislation that will enable our nation to officially join other nations in discussing world problems. The National W. C. T. U. has gone on record as endorsing a World Court. At present the only machinery adequate for the settlement of disputes and differences is the League of Nations, of which the World Court is a development. We believe that political differences in our own country can and will be adjusted. We will pray and work to that end. Other nations are seeking to end wars. A peace plan acceptable to all will be found, whatever it is called. To this end will we mothers work and pray, as we follow the standard of the Prince of Peace.

A Song Of Peace

The Son of God goes forth for peace,
  Our Father's love to show;
From war and woe He brings release;
  O who with Him will go?
He strikes the fetters from the slave,
  Man's mind and heart makes free;
And sends his messengers to save
  O'er every land and sea.

The Son of God goes forth for peace,
  That men like brother's live,
And all desire the other's good,
  And other's sin's forgive.
He turns our spears to pruning-hooks,
  Our swords to ploughshares warm,
And war no more its death blast brings,
  Nor men their brothers harm!

The Son of God goes forth for peace,
  Nor lands nor power to gain;
He seeks to serve, to love, to lift;
  Who follows in His train?
A glorious band in every age,
  In spite of scorn and pain,
True sons of God, His peace have made;
  Who follows in their train?

Now let the world to peace be won,
  And every hatred slain;
Let force and greed be overcome
  And love supreme remain.
Let justice rule in all the earth.
  And mercy while we live,
Lest we, forgotten much, forget,
  Our brother to forgive.

We send our love to every land;
  True neighbors would we be;
And pray God's peace to reign in them
  Where'er their homeland be.
O God, to us may grace be given,
  Who bear the dear Christ's name
To live at peace with every man,
  And thus our Christ acclaim.

Argentine Alfalfa Fails In Michigan

That Argentine alfalfa seed, millions of pounds of which are imported into the United States annually, is virtually a complete failure when planted under Michigan conditions, is shown by results of tests at the M. A. C., just announced by the college crops department.

The rapidly increasing acreage of alfalfa in Michigan has created a heavy demand for seed, and farmers who contemplate seeding alfalfa this spring are warned of the fact that not all alfalfa seed offered on the market is adapted to northern conditions.

The lack of adaptation of certain strains for Michigan conditions has been very clearly demonstrated on the farms crops experimental plats at M. A. C. this year, says C. R. Megee, of the college crops staff, Four different lots of Argentine seed were compared with adapted Grimm and Northern Grown Common strains. All lots entered the winter in excellent shape. This spring, each of the Argentine lots showed stands of less than one percent, while the Grimm and hardy northern grown Common strains showed a one hundred percent stand and gave every indication of producing an excellent crop of hay. Owing to the winter killing of ninety nine percent of the plants of the Argentine lots, the stand is a failure and no crop will be secured.

Of the twelve million pounds of alfalfa seed shipped into the United States last year, approximately eight million pounds came from Argentine. From this it is safe to assume that the greater part of the alfalfa seed imported into the United States is worthless, insofar as Michigan conditions are concerned.

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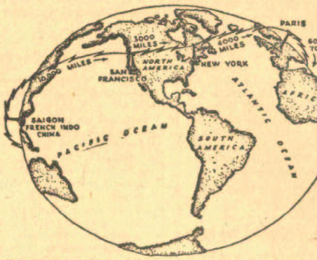
RADIO WAVES ENCIRCLE GLOBE IN FIVE SECONDS

Engineers Study Results of Record Making Feat.

The mighty transoceanic radio telegraph station at Rocky Point, Long Island responded to an impulse started at the Third Annual Radio Exposition in New York recently, and sent a message flying into space which, reinforced at Paris, France; Saigon, French Indo-China, and San Francisco, Cal., returned to its home station five seconds later.

This was the first time in history that engineers, using the high power radio stations scattered in the four quarters of the globe, have completely encircled the earth with radio waves. Engineers of the Radio Corporation of America claim considerable practical information was gathered from careful observations of the behavior of the apparatus.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The diagram above shows the four points where the waves stopped to replenish their supply of energy on their swift journey. The four operators who were responsible for the actual transmission and reception of the signals literally joined hands around the world.

Ups and Downs of Live Stock by Radio

J. D. Harper, editor of the "National Livestock Producer," is one of the regular farm program speakers of WLS, the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation station. Mr. Harper is one of the leading livestock authorities of the country. He gives a series of talks on the livestock situation four noons—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, and Wednesday evening. He represents a farm organization of 325,000 members—the National Livestock Producers' Association. In his WLS talk he gives up-to-the-minute information on livestock, co-operative marketing, news comment and market trends.

"The radio offers a wonderful opportunity for improvement in livestock marketing because of the comparative economy of reaching large numbers of shippers quickly with market information," said Mr. Harper, in commenting on the value of the market service given the farmer by the Sears-Roebuck station. "The radio undoubtedly will be one of the most important factors in the orderly movement of livestock to market."

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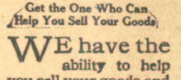

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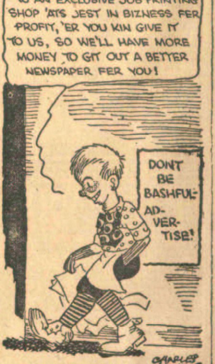
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We condemn what we do not understand.

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"I shall skip nothing. The woman I was to have married left me the evening before, and disappeared with another man. Had he been free to marry her she would have had no need to escape in secrecy. I gave up my work. I hunted them through the Southern states. My mind was obsessed with the idea of redeeming my honor. If I had found them I should have killed him. They knew it, and they fled before me. I gave them no rest. For five years I pursued them, running down every clue."

"You'll permit me to correct your memory on that point, John," said Lawson suavely. "For five years you wandered among tramps and hoboes, to the scandal of your former friends, thinking that you were looking for your fiancee, but actually doing your searching in morphine visions. Such delusions of phenomenal activity are a recognized symptom of your disease. De Quincey imagined that he visited every corner of the earth while lying at home in an opium stupor."

"I never touched morphine until you gave it to me," said Lancaster.

"That delusion is part of your disease. No, John, you may have searched the suburban districts of Avonmouth, but you can't have gone far, because every few months you would turn up at the institute, looking shabbier and more disreputable on each occasion, and more and more morphine soaked. And every time I tried to set you up and help you. I was sorry for you, and you knew it and traded upon my pity; I was shamed by you, and you knew that and traded upon my shame."

Lancaster hung his head; Joan laid her hand lightly on his, and after that he continued to return Lawson's gaze steadfastly.

"I went to you, Jim Lawson," he said, "because I had placed you in charge of the institute when I elected to head the other branch of the trust fund, the Avonmouth hospital. I had given you the charge here because you were—"

"Your illegitimate half-brother," said Lawson bluntly. "We are not mincing our words. Because you robbed me of my own birthright as your elder brother, by reason of the fact that my mother was not legally married to our father. Yes, go on."

"At last, Joan, I was broken down completely," continued Lancaster. "It was a monomania, that search of mine, as I came to understand afterward, a perverted pride that had eaten into my heart and left no place for other thoughts. But I did not become addicted to morphine until this man urged it upon me, under the guise of medical care. And even then I could have broken off the habit at any time, but I had no heart to, and it gave me relief from thoughts that tortured me."

"So they all think," said Lawson.

"It was he who told me that I could never break it off, who urged me to continue the use of it with sophistical arguments which I had not the energy to oppose. I had been five years away from Avonmouth. The people at the Southern hospital believed me dead, and I did not undeceive them. I never meant to return. When I came here it was always by night, to this man whom I believed to be my friend, to avoid shaming our name in the eyes of Millville. Thus none ever saw us together, and Lawson and I resembled each other as much as we do today."

"More, I hope, John," sneered the other. "The life one leads tells as the years go by."

"Nobody in these parts had seen me since I was a boy. I had left home young, and studied at Johns Hopkins and abroad. Lawson had taken my name. The old neighbors had gone away, and if any of the country folks have long memories, they have close tongues, too. The matron and Jenkins are both newcomers. I had passed out of memory.

"This devil saw his chance and grasped at it," he went on with sudden vehemence. "Here was the famous Doctor Lancaster, a broken man, an outcast, and believed in Avonmouth to be long since dead. And here was the Lancaster known to Millville and Lancaster village, at the head of this institute. Why shouldn't he get me to take his place here while he went to Avonmouth and claimed to be I? Lawson was ambitious. He wanted to be something bigger than the superintendent of a little hill institute. And he wanted to get his fingers on the trust fund at Avonmouth. Do I wrong you?" he demanded, turning fiercely upon the other.

"Not in the least; you honor me," said Lawson, with a suave bow. "I wanted to take the fund out of your worthless supervision and devote it to proper uses."

"This must be stopped!" shouted Myers, with a sudden interposition. "Doctor Lancaster, you are saying things that you will regret tomorrow. You are turning to bite the hand that fed you. Where would you be today save for Doctor Lawson? A dead man in a pauper's grave!"

"He persuaded me, weakened as I was by morphine with which he had been dosing me," Lancaster resumed, without paying the least attention to the secretary. "He was to take my place in Avonmouth, while I could assume charge here, pretend to have an illness, which would account for any change in my aspect and character. Nobody would know the difference, and nobody has known the difference. Here, he told me, I could be free to brood over my unhappy life, while he, the clever schemer, taking up my past, could adapt it to his own. He convinced me."

Joan gasped as she began to understand the enormity of the crime. And it was true: she could read that truth in Lawson's face, his pride in the exploit. Lawson was actually smirking, as he had smirked in the operating theater.

"I consented, and he went away," said Lancaster. "My recollection of the months that followed is necessarily a dim one. I know, however, that I was in no state to take care of the funds. They disappeared, and I was accused of having embezzled them. If I did that I did it in my dreams.'

"That's just the trouble with you, John," said Lawson. "You dream too much. The question is, what did you do with them? Bury them? You can't have spent thirty thousand dollars upon morphine."

"I have accepted and borne the burden of the guilt," cried Lancaster. "This man Myers was placed in charge. Thereafter he was ever at my elbow, urging me upon the downward path. When I would make an effort to break off my habit he would whisper to me that my life was ruined, that the charge of embezzlement would be pressed if ever I returned to Avonmouth. He would advise me to take my drug and forget—"

"You are lying, you dreamer!" yelled the secretary. "You lie, and you know it!"

"When you came, Joan, I was all but hopeless. I had caught at your aid as my last hope, because that day you came to me your face looked good, and strong, too, and you spoke so sincerely, and it was years since I had known anyone like you. And you seemed to have been sent to me."

"Religious hallucination," said Lawson, tapping his forehead significantly. Nevertheless, Joan could see that he was growing uneasy as the plot was unraveled.

"It was a miracle, that meeting, one of those chances that seem reserved to uncover such conspiracies. For, though this man had stolen my name"—and here a touch of pride was visible on Lancaster's face—"there was one thing he could not do. He could not perform the Lancaster operation, though he had picked my brains during the weeks in which he kept me here, a prisoner in one room. And so, from time to time, he compelled me to go to Avonmouth, under the charge of Myers, in order to operate. He laid down the regulations: I was to dress and mask alone; I was to speak as little as possible and to leave hastily after I had finished my work. And he always sent me there with a full injection of the drug in my body. I was too weak to resist, too much under the thumb of Myers here."

"Doctor, won't you stop this painful recitation of hallucinations?" pleaded the secretary to Lawson. "You know, tomorrow he will retract everything."

"The day came," continued Lancaster, "when a committee of visiting surgeons was to witness the operation. He thought that he had learned it. His vanity led him to go to the hospital in person, after he had brought me to Avonmouth. The patient died, but he alone was responsible for that. And that is where you come into the case, Joan. I managed to get word with you, and Myers followed you to this institute, in order to forestall me if possible."

"Doctor Lancaster, you did not steal the funds," said Joan calmly. "Do you not see the hold these two men have managed to obtain over you? They stole the funds, and their object in drugging you was to get rid of you, the sole evidence of their crime, by your death. And so, not daring to murder you, they planned that you should commit suicide."

"You'll answer for that!" shouted the secretary, white with rage.

Lancaster shrugged his sholders. "It doesn't matter now, my dear," he said.

But he had struck Lawson through his triple hide of vanity at last.

"But that isn't all," shouted the man. "Admit that there may be a substratum of truth in these morphine dreams of yours, John Lancaster. Admit that I was ambitious, and that I did take the place my half-brother had forfeited in order to be of use to the world, and in order to save you from a felon's cell or a maniac's grave. Acknowledge that I did impersonate you tonight, as before, that I came back with Myers in order to get rid of this girl who threatened to disrupt the institute and put a drug drunkard in the office I hold. Well, what then? That isn't all the story.

"You have played your miserable game craftily, John Lancaster, after having made a fair agreement with me. But I've done my duty toward you and our father's fund, and if he were alive he would thank me for it. And as for this girl, she can go, and, if her ravings receive credence anywhere, I'll face a jury and tell the truth fearlessly.

"But you haven't explained everything to your poor dupe, John. You haven't told her where your sweetheart is. You haven't said that all the while you have been making love to her your fiancee is under this roof, hopelessly insane, that she came back in her madness, and that you took her into the institute and cared for her when her own people had discarded her, because you still loved her. And I'll tell you something, John. I brought her back; I was in touch with her from first to last; and I brought her here as an additional lure to keep you at the institute after I had gone to Avonmouth. Just tell Miss Wentworth who Mrs. Dana is."

Joan's eyes met Lancaster's, and she saw in his the supreme moment of his anguish. She braced herself to meet the shock; she told herself that Lancaster no longer cared for his poor charge. She faced Lawson and Myers unflinchingly. But the spring of hope that had been bubbling in her heart seemed to have gone dry.

Lawson seemed to be animated by some infernal deviltry. He seemed to be throwing off the mask he had assumed; he leaned forward and shook his finger in Lancaster's face.

"And there's another thing, John," he said. "You remember that when we were boys together I resented the difference between your position and mine. Because of a few written words upon a legal document you, the younger, were the honored heir of John Lancaster, Sr., living in the big house on the estate, while I was the unacknowledged child, the shame of my poor mother, ostracized even by the meaner whites of the district. Your friends pretended not to know who I was when they rode by."

Lancaster made a gesture of deprecation as Lawson's voice shook with passion. "That's true, Jim," he said, "but can you blame me? Did I not give you the position here?"

"I hated you because of that, John," resumed Lawson. "I hated you, and I vowed some day to turn the tables on you. I wanted to be a surgeon. What a struggle I had, working my way through Johns Hopkins, while you were spending your father's money there! The struggle soured me, John. And once, do you remember, I was operating on a rabbit under curare, which had paralyzed the motor nerves and left the beast to suffer? It was an experiment such as I had often thought I should like to make on you, and you flung a vile word at me and killed the creature. I told you then that I would get even with you some day. The time arrived. I got my own back, and more, but there is one thing that I never told you. Your fiancee was the victim of a misunderstanding. There was no other man."

John Lancaster's deep breathing seemed the only sound in the room; and, as if galvanized into full strength, he stood now like a panther, poised for a leap, every muscle grown taut, and his eyes gleaming. Joan, paralyzed by the sudden unleashing of Lawson's venomous revenge, could not utter a word.

Lancaster spoke. "You said you were in touch with her and brought her here after she became insane," he said. "How did you do it?"

"You have had your full say, John Lancaster," replied Lawson, "and now I am going to have mine. Under the delusion that your intention was to elope with her, on the day before that fixed for the marriage in the parish church—a romantic plan to evade the family and curious neighbors—Miss Reid went to Savannah, to meet you there. I needn't go into details of the trap that your unacknowledged enemy set for you, but when she learned that she had been tricked it was too late to return. Her life was ruined, John; and it was I, impersonating you, who sent her there."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Americans Accorded Honors by Britain

The first native American to be knighted by an English monarch was Sir William Pepperell, who was born in Kittery, Maine, June 27, 1696. His father was a Welshman who came to New England as an apprentice to a fisherman. The son became a merchant and amassed a large fortune. As a military leader he took part in several conflicts with the Indians and attained much distinction. For thirty-two years he was a member of the royal council of Massachusetts, and as chief justice of common pleas he won eminence as a jurist.

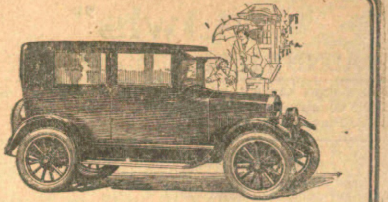
Since Pepperell's time many Americans have achieved knighthood and higher British honors, Lord Astor and Lord Shaughnessy, the former a native of New York and the latter of Milwaukee, being among the more prominent latter-day examples.

Easy to Lose Way in British Guiana Bush

British Guiana bush is a dangerous maze. Savages find their way by means of secret marks, but a tenderfoot enters at great risk. The country is five times the size of England, and there are not more than ten white men who have gone into the wilds of the interior, according to D. Bannerman Clarke, M. A., general manager of the Aranka Gold, Ltd., of Georgetown, British Guiana. "The natives," he says, "have the most marvelous sense of direction and find their way through the jungle with unerring precision. They have a sort of sign language. They make marks on trees which only they understand, and if some one has followed the natives he can always tell how large the party was, whither they went and just when they passed the given spot, by these curious marks on the trees made with cutlasses. They also leave marks for their own guidance when they turn about and start homeward. Once you know the bush and its hidden sign language it is almost as easy to get about as in the open, but if a tenderfoot gets lost he is in a hopeless maze and has very little chance of getting out alive.

Hindustan Proverb

He who has put his head into the mortar, why should he be afraid of the bellows?



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MRS. URQUHART GETS REWARD

Mrs. Urquhart of Omaha wants every housewife to share her good fortune in possessing a handsome reward. Here is what she says: "This is the way I did it. I answered an ad by writing for a free 10c bottle of Liquid Veneer and I found it so wonderful for dusting and polishing that I told fifteen of my friends about it and the makers sent me entirely free and postpaid, a great big, beautiful $2.00 Liquid Veneer Polishing Mop." Then Mrs. Urquhart goes on to say: "I am very proud and pleased with the reward given for what I have done, so will take great pleasure in showing it to friends."

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A fad for wearing 13 curls developed among girls of the United States immediately after the founding of the republic.

If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

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To bear troubles is a light thing; to endure them to the end is a heavy thing.

Many a man's shattered fortune is due to his negligence in mending his ways.

Misses 13,000 Lunches

Elmer Gray, assistant county attorney of Hennepin county, Minnesota, is a man of seventy years, but looks and acts like a man of fifty. He attributes his "youth" to the fact that he has never eaten lunch in thirty-five years. During that time he estimates he saved $3,250 on 13,000 meals, but would like to have some one tell him where the money is.

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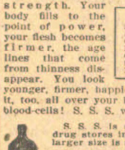

How to build up your Weight

TO BE under weight often proves low fighting-power in the body. It often means you are minus nerve-power, minus red-cells in your blood, minus health, minus vitality. It is serious to be minus, but the moment you increase the number of your red-blood-cells, you begin to become plus. That's why S. S. S., since 1826, has meant to thousands of underweight men and women, a plus in their strength. Your body fills to the point of power, your flesh becomes firmer, the age lines that come from thinness disappear. You look younger, firmer, happier, and you feel it, too, all over your body. More red-blood-cells! S. S. S. will build them.

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Planes Versatile

Every air-mail plane that flies over San Francisco bay and the high Sierras between the Golden Gate and Reno, Nev., has to be ready for two emergencies. One is a dip in the ocean and another is a forced landing in the snow-capped mountains. So every plane carries snowshoes and life preservers as part of the equipment.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Intellect doesn't necessarily mean sense.

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This snappy bunch of fellows have never played in this part of the country before. Singers, Entertainers and Specialty Banjo Players.

He Got There

Several years ago we had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of a real live artist in the person of Ernest Harrison Barnes of Hillsdale who has already made his mark in the world. Mr. Barnes was a student under the German artist, Professor George Gardner of Hillsdale College and we believe graduated in 1897 from that institution. He has followed the profession and is an instructor at the U of M. From the Hillsdale Collegian we clip the following article.

"Tryon, "an unspoiled paradise" in western North Carolina, has a live Chamber of Commerce which has recently published a souvenir booklet explaining the town's scenic and climatic advantages. A most enchanting reproduction of a painting on the cover of this book impels one to seek the author inside, where appears the advice, "The painting reproduced on the cover of this phamphlet is the work of Mr. Ernest H. Barnes one of the several artists who regula-ly came to Tryon, which offers all the year 'round a challenge to any artist's brush.

Ernest Barnes made his home in Hillsdale for a number of years. He received his master of Arts in June, 1923 by his Alma Mater. He has been winning a number of prizes and laurels in exhibits in the East, and that the succession of honors has long been richly deserved no one acquainted with Mr Barnes' work can doubt"

Sex Of Egg Cannot Be Told By Its Form Institute Finds

The sex of the chick to come cannot be foretold by the shape of the egg, says a statment of the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. The statement intended to correct an impression current among many that round eggs will consistently hatch pullets and extra long eggs a greater proportion of cockerels.

While neither a "sex detector" nor the formation of the egg is a true guide to the sex of the embryo chick, it is possible to distinguish male and female chicks immediately after hatching if certain breeds are crossed, the Institute statement continues. This is known as the sex linked characteristic principle which enables identification of male and female chicks resulting from the mating of males of certain breeds with females of certain other breeds. Just as the color blindness of the father among humans is transmitted only to his daughters and by these in turn only to their sons, in poultry breeding with certain colored breeds some principle of heredity makes it possible to know the sex of the chicks by the color of their downy coats.

"When a Buff Plymouth Rock male is mated with a Barred Plymouth Rock female, all the pullets from such a mating will be buff and all the sons barred," the Institute's statement says. "In other words, the daughters inherit the father's buff color and all the sons the mother's barred pattern. From this mating, hatching time will find approximately half the chicks buff and the other half dark, the buff chicks being all females and the dark ones all males. The pullets can then be retained for egg production and in most cases they will be found to be especially strong and vigorous. But under no circumstances should such cross bred poultry be used by breeders; only purebreds should be used to make the crosses."

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jerome

Victor Gochanour of Moscow was in town one day last week.

Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson visited Mrs. M. H. Morris Sunday.

Vernon Ballard and Geraldine Carpenter visited in Jackson Sunday.

Bernard Lyons of Liberty was a caller Monday at the home of Vern Fouty.

Edward Thompson of Jackson is visiting his daughter Mrs. Nellie Sterling.

Hart Dubois and family of Jackson have been guests at the home of Dr. J. S. Sterling.

Mrs. Otto Miller, Lyle Miller, Mrs. Della Lowery and Mrs. Nellie Sterling were in Jackson Saturday.

Chas Foster and wife and Mrs. J. E. Lane of the county farm visited Thomas Lane and family Sunday

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Sunday as follows: A. Hart and family of Jackson, Chas Harper and family of Marshall, Clyde Sawdey and wife of North Adams, H. A. Voorhees and family of this place.

H. A. Voorhees and family are moving to Hanover this week. Mr. Voorhees has been the local funeral director for the past five years and will continue in that capacity at Hanover where he has a larger field of endeavor.

Some of those who attended the High School play at Jonesville Thursday evening were: Thomas Brayton Mrs. George Brayton, Oliver Fouty Belle Anderson, Leon Anderson, Mrs. Chas Tryon and Genevieve Tryon.

Those who were in Hillsdale Saturday are as follows: S. L. Tower, E. Rhodes, Frank Struble and wife, Charles Struble, Ethel Struble, Mr. and Mrs, Frank Wolcott, Lester Wolcott and family, Hugh, L. D. and Phyllis Walworth, T. J. Lane, I. W. Wertenberger and May Anson.

Jonesville

Mrs. Addie LaFever was in Lansing last week.

Mark Grill and wife were in Jackson over Sunday.

S. S. Zook is quite ill at his home on Murphy street.

Henry Varnum of Detroit spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. Bertha Wetmore entertained the 500 club at a luncheon Thursday.

F. W. Graves and wife are spending the week in Cleveland guests of their sister Dr. E. I. Graves.

L. W. Sibbald and wife and Mrs. R. H. Schell were in Detroit for a visit with relatives during the week

Chas Oppel has bought the Harry Godfrey property on East Street where he will make extensive improvements.

Mrs. Minnie Skinner has moved from her home on Wright Street to the home of her mother on Maumee Street.

A reception for Dr. M. N. Wood and wife will be held this Friday evening in the parlors of the Presbyterian church.

Frank Bently and wife of Chicago who have been with his mother Mrs. Barkman for some time returned to their home last Saturday.

Mr. Hunter and daughter of Victor New York, are here for a visit with his mother Mrs. Joel Benedict who is ill at the home on East Chicago Street.

The open meeting of the Culture club was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Mack. Each member having the privilege of inviting one guest. Victor Hawkins was the speaker at this meeting.

Center Adams

Will Wheaton and wife of East Adams visited at the McBain home Sunday.

Margray Hayhoe of Hoxie was a guest at the Shull home over Saturday night.

Lawrence Binkley and family were Sunday visitors at the Ackley home in Rollin.

Mrs. Sadie Gray was in Hillsdale Tuesday attending the funeral of Mrs. J. H. King.

G. H. Brown and family of Toledo visited Sunday with Monroe Church and family.

Harold Johnson and family of Hillsdale spent Sunday afternoon with J. R. Wright and wife.

T. H. Tierney and family of Toledo spent Sunday with the lady's parents Eugene McBain and wife.

D. A. Fuller and wife of Battle Creek were guests of G. R. Ambler and wife over Saturday night and Sunday.

N. J. Lickley and wife of Shadyside and Mrs. Elizabeth Carver of Bankers were guests at the Keith home Sunday.

Herbert Rose of Concord, Clifford Rose of Brooklyn and Alford Rose of Litchfield spent Sunday at the home of their mother Mrs. L. E. Chase and family.

Charley Reynolds and family of Ypsilanti came last week to visit Mrs. Reynolds parents C. A. Skinner and wife. Mr. Reynolds returned home Saturday his family remaining for a longer visit.

Richard, the little son of Jesse Dewey and wife, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia is reported much better. Maria Petrie of Wheatland is assisting Mrs. Dewey with her housework during the illness of her little son.

Somerset Centre

Mrs. Glen Fisher is on the sick list.

J. Smith and wife entertained relatives Sunday.

Clayton Garver and family spent Sunday in Onsted.

Mrs. Wm Shock and son spent Thursday in Brooklyn.

A party of friends surprised Mrs. M. Rutan Monday evening.

Mrs. L. A. Mercer and son were in Hillsdale and Jonesville Monday.

Carl Lent and wife entertained relatives from Knox Indiana Sunday.

J. P. Churchfield and brother Ambrose of Midland spent the week end there.

Mrs. Ellen Craven of Cement City spent Monday evening at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker entertained relatives from Detroit, North Adams and Onsted Sunday.

Mrs. Lottie Wilcox is spending some time at the home her daughter Mrs. J. P. Churchfield.

Clifford Clark and family spent Sunday at the home of Howard Fowler and wife of Wheatland.

Earl Rutan and wife recently entertained Tom VanAllen and wife Mrs. Cora VanAllen and Wayne Cornwell and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson of Tecumsen, Henry Benken and family of Adrian, Ray Tuckerman and wife of Cement City and C. D. Carl and wife spent Sunday at the home of Tom Tuckerman, the occasion being Mr. Tuckerman's birthday.

Central Moscow

Chas Kies was in North Adams Saturday on business.

Oris Fowle has moved to the late Harmon Fowle farm.

L. L. Sloan of Hillsdale was calling on old neighbors Tuesday.

Mrs. Lee Kies visited part of last week with friends at Round lake.

Mrs. Fred Carpenter is on the sick list but is better at this writing.

Allen Kies of Jackson visited his parents Chas Kies and wife Sunday.

Zerelden Richards and Virginia Carpenter were in North Adams Saturday.

C. T. Horn has moved from the Fowle farm to the George Brayton tenant house.

Mrs. John Adams visited Mrs. Homer Sturdevant at North Adams Saturday.

Claude St John of Ann Arbor was calling on old friends and neighbors Monday last.

Ruth and Esther VanCamp visited their grandparents John Adams and wife the week end.

Parker B. Shepard was taken to the Hillsdale hospital where he had an operation for appendicitis Saturday.

Ellery Morford's daughters Bertha and Gertrude and littl grand daughter Alberta of Lawton hav returned home after spending the week with their father.

Mrs. Elthea Leatherman, Mrs. Bertha Brooks and Gertrude Brady and daughter were callers at Minnie Shepard's and Elma Morehouse' on Thursday last.

John Adams and wife entertained Sunday Lee Lockwood and family of Albion, Bernie Brail and family of Pulaski and H. Adams and family of Allen.

Local News

George Cheever and wife of Detroit came here Thursday to visit his sister, Mrs. Edna Hewitt.

Mrs. Lewis West is spending the week in Detroit, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hubert Haight, while Mr. Haight is on jury.

Mrs. A. J. Calhoun and son, Raymond, are spending a short time in Lansing visiting her sister, Mrs. J. R. Wooton and family.

Proprietors of large peach orchards in different sections are now using the aeroplane for dusting the trees for insects and other pests. It is claimed, the results are far ahead of the old system.

Ths 7th and 8th Graders meeting at the school house on Saturday was a winner as Supt. Yonng reports an attendance of 90, and by special request of the students another one will occur Saturday, May 9th, at the same place. All members of 7th and 8th grades are cordially invited.

The following teachers have been secured for next season in the surrounding districts: Mud Lake, Miss Grace Smith; Nethaway, Miss Grace Sabin: Bross, Mrs. Alice Cook; Jackson, Miss Rosene Baker; J. L. Buck, Miss Pauline Wells; Hoxie, Mrs. Roland Randolph; Hill, Mrs. Eleanor Sturdevant: Grubby Knoll, Miss Ethel Brewer; Knowles, not engaged, Bert Buck, Dorris Denning Veihle, not engaged; Pease, Genevieve Roberts.

The Junior class of the local High School entertained the Senior class at a Progressive Dinner Party last Friday evening. The first course was served at the home of Loreta Wertz from there they drove to the home of Lucy Foster, and then the entire group drove to Jonesville to attend the Senior play "Come Out of the Kitchen." On their return they were entertained at the home of Keith Williams where they enjoyed an after theater lunch of ice cream and cake. There were about 35 in the party and the Seniors and Faculty were guests.

The Whiskered colony at Benton Harbor known as the House of David has again jumped into the limelight. It is the intention of the Michigan Historical and Pioneer Society to visit this institution during its convention in the above city June 3, 4 and 5 1925. The Society goes on to say: "A score of years ago the founder of—this sect Benjamin Purnell, trudged over the unpaved streets of Benton Harbor behind a rickety push cart containing all his belongings- To-day the House of David has 900 members, owns thoustnds of acres of fertile farming lanes and a big hotel in the city."

On Saturday a couple of hobo boys seemingly from Detroit came meandering along through this section of the township. In passing Fred Baker's farm they discovered a dog whose exceeding good looks attracted their attention, and the animal being willing they coaxed him to follow. The dog was seen here and investigation showed he had been stolen. The culprits had already started down the railroad track toward Hillsdale when they were held up and arrested by Deputy Chester Alpaugh. Alpaugh took his charges to Hillsdale jail and searched them, $20 in United States lucre, a bill fold containing the picture of a Detroit motor cycle cop known to Mr. Alpaugh were found. Some questioning of the lads followed. They gave their names as Alden and Jack Malone but it was at once apparent they were alases. The boys claimed to have come from New York partly by boat and partly by rail to Detroit. Notification of Detroit officers was welcomed and police at once came to Hillsdale and took charge of the prisoners stating they were wanted for larceny

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State Needs More Cow Test Workers

Continuing rapid growth of cow testing associations in Michigan has brought about a shortage of trained testers, according to Prof. O. E. Reed, head of the dairy department at the M. A. C.

With more than 100 associations active in the state, or 15 percent of all those in the United States, the demand has exceeded the supply of m[illegible] to handle the cow testing work in nearly a dozen new groups being held up temporarily waiting the assignment of testers.

Men with practical experience in dairy work, especially along feeding lines, frequently qualify for the association management positions. The Dairy Department at M. A. C. is said to be anxious to get in touch with men who are interested in this field of work.

At the close of a busy day. Photo Copyright, Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

Conditioning the Farm Horse

Thousands of farm horses have been idle or roughing it during the winter months and are not ready for hard, steady work. It is now the season when the program of many a farm horse is suddenly changed without the preparation that is necessary for efficient service.

On many farms the horses have obtained their winter feed from stalk fields and the straw stack. They come through in a thin condition and need to be put in better flesh before ready for hard work. This is best done by gradually giving the horses in advance a portion of the same ration that is to be fed during the work season.

Whether the horse has been out in the open or standing idly in the barn, a moderate amount of light work preceding the rush season is advisable. The hardening process may be accomplished by changing horses each half day in doing the necessary hauling about the farm preparatory to working in the fields. This will exercise and strengthen the muscles without tiring them.

The horse will not perform efficiently in an ill-fitting harness. The raw sores that develop are due, in most instances, to plunging an idle horse suddenly into heavy work or to the fact that the harness is not properly adjusted. It is especially important that the horse collar be of the right kind, shape and size. A well-fitted collar does not choke and distributes the draft over the entire shoulder.

During the winter months most farm horses are groomed very little and the long hair of the winter coats is a handicap when spring comes. It is best to remove the old hair at once, by clipping. This is important as it increases the efficiency of the horse. It prevents the extreme sweating and lathering that would otherwise take place as the heavy work goes on and the weather becomes warm.

Due to the fact that the direct farm income is mainly from cattle, hogs, or sheep, the care of the farm horse and mule is generally neglected. It should be remembered that the income from the other classes of live stock depends upon the crops that the farm produces; and the horse furnishes the power that makes farm operations possible. More care for the work horse will in the end effect a saving and increase the efficiency on many farms. Be fair to the horse, by doing the things that will give him a good chance to give his best during the present season.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

PRESENTS

Helen Keller in "DELIVERANCE"

Sunday evening, May 10th

7:30 o'clock. COME!

Benge's Shoe Store

It is getting to the time of year when you can throw off those old Arctics and enjoy life once more. Half your happiness depends on your footwear. We have everything you could wish for in spring Footwear, Shoes tor Dad Mother, Brother and sister at very low Cut Rate Prices. We can save anyone money on their purchase of Footwear-

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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

Irve Haskins is building a one car garage.

Anson Meeks is improving from his recent illness.

Lawrence Chase is building a new chicken house.

L. D. Ford and wife were in Ransom Wednesday.

Ross Delamatter is now able to sit up part of the time.

Born, to Lloyd Hicks and wife Friday, May 1, a daughter.

Mrs. Levi Kesselring who has been quite ill, is improved.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Ye editor and Floyd Daniels were in Hudson Sunday morning.

—Seed Corn for sale. Phone B. I. Lynch, North Adams, 49t3

Whitney Johnsten is re-shingling his house with stained shingles.

Virgil Hanson will rebuild the barn which burned on the Ad Farmer farm.

Parker B. Shepard returned home from the Hillsdale hospital on Sunday, May 3rd.

—Don't miss seeing Helen Keller in "Deliverance" at the Congregational church Sunday evening, May 10th at 7:30.

Floyd Daniels has purchased a new International grain thresher and will be prepared to do your threshing this fall

W. H. Porter and wife accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Minor Knight, and children, were in Jackson Saturday.

M. F. Turrell and George B. Smith were in North Adams on Tuesday en route to attend meetings of the Farm Institutes.

Will Owen and wife of Detroit were in North Adams Sunday calling on John Owen and family Mr. Owen drives a new Hup sport car.

Mrs. Mattie French, District superintendent of the W. C. T. U. of Hillsdale will speak at the meeting at Mrs. Mercer's Friday, May 8th.

Ernest Miller and family of Churchs Corners, who have been having the scarlet fever, are better, excepting a little child which has contracted rheumatism.

Parent-Teachers' meeting Monday evening, May 11th, at the sbhool house. This is the last meeting of the year and all are urged to come. It is expected thai contests will be given and sree resreshments will be served.

Claude VanWert has traded his farm at the foot of Buck's hill to Frank Boone for the latter's Hillsdale property and both will take possession June 1st. Mr. VanWert has rented the A. H. Morey house west of ihe school house.

Glenn Mercer and wife entertained the week end Mr. and Mrs Frank Laverty and three children of Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mercer of Somerset, Mrs. Chet Bilby of Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Storms and children of Addison and Mr. and Mrs. Geerge Durga.

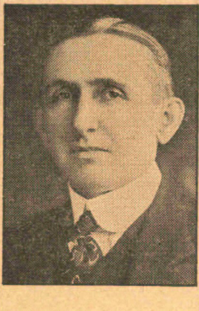
Harley Voorhees who has been the efficient undertaker at Jerome for several years, removed last week to Hanover where he will take up the business left by the late George Ryon, deceased. Mr. Voorhees wishes to annouuce that he is prepared to answer all day or night calls from Moscow phone

Edgar Kempton and wife and his sister, Mrs. Fred Randolph of Jerome motored to Saginaw on Friday to visit the family of Dr. Rockwell Kempton, and Edgar and wife went on to Mt Pleasant where they visited relatives. Upon returning home they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Manassah Kempfon who had been visiting their son, Rockwell, for a couple of weeks.

Womans Club Elects Officers

The North Adams Womans Club met at the home of Mrs. Lulu Wells Monday evening for their annual meeting. A lesson in Civics was given by Mrs. Fannie Fowler, reports of the various committees were given in and the following officers elected: President, Mrs. Alice Williams; vice pres., Mrs. Gertrude Pierce; sec. Mrs. Ann Ford; treasurer, Mrs. Fern Scrivens; two delegates to the County Federation of Clubs which is to be held in Waldron May 22nd, were elected: Mrs. Grace Williams and Mrs. Eva Overly. Monday, May 18th, the last meeting of the year will be held at the home of Mrs. Fern Scrivens.

IN MEMORIAM



Representative Arthur B. Williams of the Third Congressional District, passed away at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland, on Friday last from the effects of an operation. Michigan mourns the loss of an estimable citizen, a useful public servant and a gentleman.

The deceased was a resident of Battle Creek where he practiced law. He was a native of Ashland, Ohio, 53 years of age and was elected by special vote in June, 1923, to succeed Hon. J. M. Smith of Charlotte, and re-elected last November, starting with brilliant prospects. He was the author of the Capper-Williams bill to control farm produce markets, and in his passing the country loses a shining mark.. Requiescat in Pace!

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. Reiser, Pastor

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Senior Play "Backbone"

The Senior class of the High School are now preparing for a play to be given Friday evening, May 15 at Community hall with the following cast:

Mr. Henry Easton, whose principal accomplishment is the making of money	Everett Westcott
Mrs. Lucile Easton, an adept at disbursing the fruits of Henry's commercial sagacity	Frances Young
Elizabeth Easton, the attractive daughter	Naomi Crapser
Mr. Barton, owner of the department store	Ralph Wolcott
Fred Barton, son of his indulgent father	Paul Wells
Willie Scott, who lets well enough alone and plods along in the belief that he amounts to nothing until—	Theron Randolph
Wilbur, office boy at the store,	Bernard Shaw
Collector for an Instalment house	J. W. Lynch
Kate, maid at Easton home	Charlotte Lane
Miss Woodward whe believes in the message of the stars	Thelma Brooks

Elizabeth's Friends—Tom, Myrtle Rogers; Jack, J. W. Lynch; Bob, Clarence Hoffman; Dorothy Genevieve Roberts; Marian, Ethel Bohn.

There are three acts and following is the synopsis:

Willie Scott, who hasn't any backbone to put anything over, has taken a great liking to Elizabeth Easton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Easton. Mrs. Easton has a real motherly effection for Willie but does not want Elizabeth to marry him. So he was told not to call at the Easton home any more but is permitted to come to Elizabeth's party.

That night Willie made her jealous because of his advances toward Miss Woodward, and Elizabeth partly promises to marry Fred Barton. However, Elizabeth meets Willie later, and finally ——— Well, just come out and see what happened.

Price of admission has been fixed at 25c and 35c. Reserved seats 10c extra. 25c for High school students.

Decoration Day To Be Fittingly Observed

As previously mentioned in this paper the citizens and common council of our village are preparing to observe Decoration Day May 30 with appropriate exercises and a fluent speaker. Committee have been appointed to look after the details of the matter, and Trustee Eggleston requests that all who have flowers to donate will please leave them at the opera house not later than Friday evening. This will have to be done because the march to the cemetery is to be at eight o'clock in the morning where the students of the High school will decorate the graves of soldiers. It is expected the procession will be headed by a fife and drum corps. Returning the services will occur at the opera house at 10:30 a. m. Prof. Wood of Hillsdale College who is an eloquent speaker, has been engaged for the memorial address. A program is being prepared. Bert Taylor and wife are in charge of decorations and if any having flowers will notify them they will call for them.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. W. H. Hutton, Pastor

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

The Epworth League and evening service will be taken up on account of the League and Epworth choir participating in the county anniversary program held at the Methodist church at Jonesville, beginning at 3:00 p. m. Sunday. Those wishing to attend and have no way of going, notify the Pastor or Loreta Wertz.

There will be a special service in the morning worship and also in the Sabbath school period of Mother's Day.

There will be prayer meetings every afternoon next week except Monday and Saturday.

Revival services will begin Sunday May 17. Watch for posters and later announcements.

Congregational Church Calendar

Virgil A. Hunt, Pastor

"Mother O'Mine" will be the theme for the discourse for Mother's Day. Special music will be enjoyed at this service and the church will be decorated with flowers. If anyone has any to spare please call Miss Rosene Baker.

You are urged to attend our Mother's Day program. A special way will be provided for any of the "shut-ins" who would like to worship with us next Sunday. Any who desire to be called for please notify Mrs. Eber Williams before next Saturday evening. Sunday school immediately following the morning worship.

At our evening service we will present Helen Keller in "Deliverance." Tell your friends about this great picture so that we may have another full house.

Don't fail to be at choir practice Saturday evening at 7:15 o'clock at the home of Frances Young. Be there!

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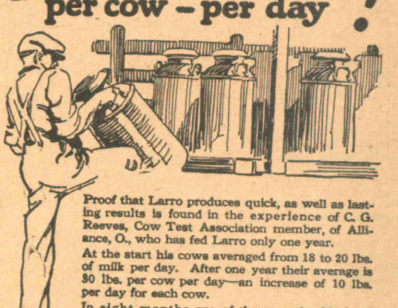

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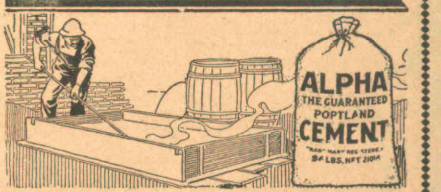

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

The youths of Pontiac had an opportunity to inspect first-hand the workings of civic and court jobs when for a limited time boy scouts and high school boys were acting manager of the city, secretary of the Board of Commerce, business manager of the schools, chairman of county board of auditors and many other important jobs in the city to which they had been assigned. The idea was carried out at the suggestion of the Rotary Club which sponsored Boys' Week. The boys thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

Transfer of the Flint Baseball club of the Michigan-Ontario Baseball league from Otto H. Powell to a group of business men, represented by Thomas J Halligan, president of the league. Suitable financial arrangements were made whereby the club will become the property of Flint citizens. A large down payment was made, and the last installment will come with the close of the season. Sixteen players and all equipment at the park and of the team were included in the deal.

High school attendance at Gladstone was reduced about 75 per cent when the girls staged a walkout in protest against a faculty order forbidding them to wear rolled stockings. The boys of the high school were already on strike, because the faculty ordered them to wear neckties or stay away. They paraded without ties through Gladstone, Munising and Escanabe, on foot and in automobiles, their necks adorned with red kerchiefs. They shouted defiance at school officials.

The last government office in Michigan has been closed, it was announced by George C. Jackman, register of the office at Marquette. Three tons of records of the office which was opened late in the 'fifties, have been forwarded to Washington where Michigan residents will transact business in the future. The Marquette land office has been the only one in Michigan since a fire in 1888 destroyed the office in Grayling. Records that were saved from the fire were transfered to Marquette.

Western Michigan is planting an increased acreage of early potatoes this spring, according to reports from counties in the potato producing regions. Reports from Montcalm county are to the effect that more early potatoes are being planted in April than ever before. Although this is due, in part, to the early season, growers are said to be anxious to have more spuds ready for market late in the summer.

Announcement of the proposed car transfer of the enclosed car plant of the Buick Motor company from Detroit to Flint was made by Harry H. Bassett, president and general manager. The consolidation of the Buick factories in this city will mean an increase in the production schedule of about 250 cars daily and the employment of more Flint workers, the announcement indicated.

The Ford Motor Co. air transport line between the Ford plants in Detroit and Chicago, which was established two weeks ago has begun to operate on a schedule of daily round trips. Hitherto the line had operated on a schedule of round trips on alternate days. Daily flights were made possible by the delivery of a second plane, the "Maiden Dearborn II."

Holland Post of the American Legion will extend their tree planting opeartions, begun las year when they planted 200 trees along the highways leading into Holland. A campaign for funds to carry out a similar program this year is already under way and with the raising of the necessary resources the setting of the trees will start.

One of the most active clean-up campigns the city has known is predicted for Mt Clemens this year by the city commissioner following the success of the parade of school children in behalf of the campaign here. Nearly 2,000 students, carrying banners with clean-up slogans, marched through the down town streets.

The plant and building of the St. Clair Republican, a weekly, which has been published for many years, has been practically destroyed by fire. R. D. Harmer, editor and publisher, places his loss at $12,000, partially covered by insurance. Mr. Harmer is undecided as to his plans for the future.

A deposit of 2,500,000 tons of Fullers Earth, valued at $13 a ton, will be taken from the ground on the Harrietta property, near Cadillac, according to an announcement made by J. W. Evans, Cleveland chemist, who has organized the Michigan Fuller's Earth Corporation to exploit the project.

At a special school election at Charlotte, the proposed bond issue $350,000 for a new high school was defeated 890 to 233.

Nathan F. Simpson, 63 years old, manager of the Michigan State prison industries and a former warden of that institution died in a hospital at Jackson of a ruptured appendix.

Holland chick shipment records for the season were broken when nearly 100,000 chicks were shipped via parcel post from the postoffice. The chicks were shipped from 48 hatcheries in this vicinity to all parts of the United States and Canada.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Governor Entertains Legislators With Harmony Dinner At Country Club

Lansing—Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck has reversed himself in the matter of entertaining as chief executive of the State. At each of his three inaugurals he cut out the customary festivities, simply taking the oath of office New Year's Day, then starting work for the two-year term. No inaugural balls or formal receptions. The reversal of his policy was when he had all the members of the Senate and House, and their wives and other women of their families, also many State officials and their wives and legislative clerks, altogether about 300, at a dinner at the Lansing Country Club.

It was a strictly informal affair; no dress suits or tuxedos. Just the ordinary everyday attire that the senators and representatives wore in their daily occupation for the past four months of passing or killing bills. The Governor made a three-minute talk, in the course of which he complimented the members of both houses for the harmony that provided and the constructive work done during the session.

State Tax Levy Increased

The state tax levy for the coming two years will be somewhere between sixteen and twenty millions annually. The levy last year was fourteen and a half million dollars.

From figures obtained from the senate finance committee, it appears that appropriation bills will total $59,000 000 for the next two years.

From the corporation tax and other revenue sources aside from the annual state tax going into the general fund, the state will receive nine and a half million dollars a year, it is conservatively estimated. This reduces the tax levy to $20,000,000 yearly.

Further reductions are expected when Governor Alex J. Groesbeck applies the veto to a million or so of the appropriations, as it is reported that he will do. This and the possibility of the corporation tax and other fees going close to $12,500,000 mark, will place the state levy somewhere near $16,500,000 a year, it is believed by several of the committee members.

Condemnation Bill Passed

The Atwood condemnation bill, stripped of its most radical features by a half-dozen amendments, was passed on general orders. The bill was buried in the house judiciary committee after several attacks were aimed at its radical departure from usual condemnation practices. But the governor wanted it passed to expedite condemnation proceedings along Woodward avenue, where a wider highway from Pontiac to Detroit is being constructed. The committee was urged by word from the executive office to release the bill.

City Advertising Limited

The Senate passed the Woodruff Bill to permit the common councils of cities to spend not more than $50,000 a year for advertising their city. As introduced, the bill called for a straight four mill tax, which would have meant that the Detroit Council could have authorized the spending of about $9,800,000 a year in advertising. The limit of $50,000 was imposed in committee.

Increase State Normal Funds

Vastly increased appropriations for the maintenance and operation of the four State normal colleges agreed to by the Legislature. The House adopted the report of a conference committee, appointed to settle House and Senate differences on the appropriations, authorizing increases totaling more than $500,000 over the grants made by the 1923 assembly.

Solons' Pay Raise Passes

The senate by unanimous vote passed the Palmer joint resolution calling for the submission of a constitutional amendment to the people raising the legislator's pay from $800 to $1,200 a term. This amendment will be submitted at the November 1926 election as the resolution had previously passed the house.

Senate Passes Flogging Bill

The Wood Whipping Post Bill, providing for the flogging of men convicted of robbery while armed, was passed by the Senate by a vote of 17 to 12, the smallest majority the bill could receive and still pass. It has gone to the House. Prospects for its passage there are not bright.

Anti-Bribe Bill Introduced

Representative Fred Ming, of Cheboygan, introduced a new bill in the house of representatives. It will be the last this session, aside from probably a few strictly facetious, that are expected customarily on the last day of the session. It masqueraded under the title of an anti-bribe bill. In introducing it, Ming simply made a gesture of reprimand toward suspicions that have been whispered that some members had been guilty of unethical conduct. There is not sufficient time left in which to pass it.

Appropriate College Funds

The University of Michigan and Agriculture College Appropriation Bills were passed by the Senate, carrying a total appropriation for the two schools of $3,616,000. The money is to be spent in the next two years and is exclusive of maintenance costs. The University of Michigan bill calls for $1,800,000 and includes $900,000 for a new museum, $400,000 for a building for the college of architecture and $500,000 for land. The Michigan Agricultural College Bill appropriates $1,041,000 for building improvements.

1.—Members of Academy of Design, New York, placing wreath on statue of Samuel F. B. Morse, founder of the academy and inventor of telegraph. 2.—Martin, Wade and Arnold, of army world flyers, receiving Distinguished Service medals. 3.—Latest portrait of Field Marshal Paul von Hindenburg, elected president of Germany.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

How the World Regards the Election of Hindenburg as German President.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

FIELD MARSHAL PAUL VON HINDENBURG, candidate of the Monarchists and Nationalists, leader of Germany's defeated armies in the World war and devoted servant of the former kaiser, was elected President of Germany with a plurality of approximately 900,00 votes over Wilhelm Marx. This bare statement may sound a bit startling, but probably there is nothing in the fact that should cause great alarm among nations that desire peace. Hindenburg's declared policies are not different from those of Marx, and since the election Chancellor Luther, who will remain in power, has put forth statements designed to reassure the world. Said Dr. Luther:

"Germany in her disarmed condition is justified in demanding security. It is all the more to the interest of Germany to seek protection through treaties against future attacks, since she does not wish to wage war, and as every expert knows she is unable to wage war.

"Germany will co-operate in the removal of continued international tension. Our attitude is so clear and distinct that there cannot be any doubt regarding our aims. It goes without saying that the stand taken by the German government remains unchanged."

This means that Germany is adopting a stiffer attitude toward the allies that defeated her in the war and will not agree to a one-sided security pact which guarantees the frontiers of other nations but leaves her own open to attack. She demands assurance that France will not seize the Rhineland. Dr. Luther also spoke some firm words concerning the failure of the allies to evacuate Cologne, saying:

"During more than three and a half months we have waited vainly for a substantial justification of non-evacuation. This justification, though constantly announced to us in the allied notes, has not yet reached us. The German government has repeatedly said in public statements and diplomatic communications that it is absolutely out of the question that reprisals be imposed upon a nation because of a partial nonfulfillment of a treaty while at the same time that same nation is deprived of the possibility of explaining itself and of the possibility for objective discussion. We must definitely expect that the allied governments no longer will delay in putting an end to this state of affairs."

Many of General von Hindenburg's backers are opposed to the Dawes plan and he has not yet committed himself concerning it, but Chancellor Luther praised the plan warmly, declaring it was responsible for the stabilization of German currency and for the start on reconstruction work. The Monarchist press already has begun a campaign against the carrying out of the Dawes plan, but the government officials doubtless realize that to repudiate it would mean financial collapse.

FOREIGN governments generally were not especially disturbed by Von Hindenburg's victory, even that of France feeling that his policies were no more inimical than those of Marx, who had demanded revision of the eastern frontiers and union with Austria and had declared that further disarmament of Germany was impossible. The French people, however, feel their suspicions of Germany's intentions are justified by the election results and that the United States and Great Britain must now cease interfering with France's plans for self-protection. In England, Italy, Japan, Holland and Rumania the comments of the press showed the people were not at all pleased with Germany's choice of a chief magistrate but there was little fear expressed that it meant an early return of the monarchy. The Russian communists declared the danger of a new war was increased. Poland alone was really satisfied, believing there was now no need to fear that the western powers would sacrifice Poland for a guarantee treaty securing the western frontiers.

Washington of course had nothing to say officially, but no one would admit seeing cause for alarm. The present situation with respect to loans to German industries will not be disturbed, it was pointed out in an authoritative source, since both German and American bankers reached the conclusion some weeks ago that further extensive borrowing in the United States by German industries was unsound and have sought to discourage it, the fear being that if such borrowing continued, it would complicate, if not render impossible, the payment of Germany's reparation obligations.

WINSTON CHURCHILL, chancellor of the exchequer, offering to parliament the British budget for the coming year, made the welcome announcement that Great Britain was back on a gold standard. He said the law forbidding the export of gold would be continued until the end of the year but would not be renewed, and meanwhile the Bank of England would be given a special license to export. Most of the rest of the world, Mr. Churchill announced, was following the example of Great Britain and the United States. The currencies of Sweden, Austria and Hungary are based on sterling, which now has become gold. Holland, the Dutch Indies, Australia and New Zealand acted simultaneously with Great Britain. Canada already is on a gold basis and South Africa reverts to it on July 1. American financiers and government officials received the news of Great Britain's action with enthusiasm, describing it as one of the most important steps toward reconstruction taken since the Dawes plan was put in operation.

OUR great war game in the Pacific came to an end early in the week and the chief umpires, Rear Admiral Coontz and Major General Hines, decided that the Blue forces had defeated the Black and had captured the Hawaiian islands. It was demonstrated that the islands cannot be defended against attack by a first rate power except by the big guns of the fleet. When the Blue warships attacked Oahu the numerous airplanes of the defenders demonstrated their great value for scouting duty, but not a single battleship was "destroyed" by them. The Black planes attempted to put the airplane carrier Langley out of action but she escaped. The aviation units of both forces caused considerable damage. While feint attacks and diversions were made on the west and south coasts of Oahu, several battleships swept the north coast with shell fire and a party of marines landed, despite the efforts of the defenders. Details of just what was accomplished must await the statement of the chief umpires after they have heard the contentions of the various commanders and digested their arguments. The outcome of any particular phase of the "battle" in the Pacific, says Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, was not the primary object in holding the exercises; if the United States fleet has shown that it can function smoothly and satisfactorily as a single unit under one supreme command and under approximate war conditions, the maneuvers have been fully justified.

One correspondent with the fleet calls attention to the fact that the Japanese navy tanker Hyatoma, carrying navy officers and midshipmen, followed our fleet all the way from San Pedro to Honolulu and probably sent to Tokyo accurate reports of the maneuvers.

WILLIAM S. CULBERTSON of Kansas, who has been vice chairman of the federal tariff commission, has been appointed minister to Rumania to succeed Peter A. Jay, promoted to be ambassador to Argentina. However, because of conditions in the Near East and Washington's recent demand that Rumania arrange her debt to this country, Mr. Jay will not at once leave Bukharest.

THE first distinguished service medals ever given for military services performed in time of peace were pinned last week on the breasts of Maj. Frederick L. Martin, first commander of the army world flight expedition, and First Lieuts. Leigh Wade and Leslie P. Arnold, members of the expedition. The other men of the group that made the world flight also will receive the medals, which were awarded by special act of congress.

JAMES M. BECK'S resignation as attorney general has just been accepted by President Coolidge. Among those said to be under consideration for the place are William D. Mitchell of St. Paul, Minn., and Charles W. Waterman of Denver, who managed the Coolidge preconvention campaign in Colorado. Former Representative Harry E. Hull of Iowa has been recommended for the position of assistant secretary of labor to succeed E. J. Henning, who has been given a federal judgeship in southern California.

IN A MANIFESTO the Agrarian party of Bulgaria, or peasants' union, has denied any connivance in or sympathy with the attempt on the life of King Boris and the bomb outrage in the cathedral. It denounces these acts vigorously and declares they were perpetrated by individuals "tempted by Moscow gold." The party admits that among the exiled Agrarians and former members of the party were some who were implicated in the crimes but refuses to accept responsibility for their acts. The leaders of the party, who were arrested immediately after the cathedral explosion, have been released. The police are running down and capturing or killing the ringleaders in the outrages one after another. The Labor members of the British parliament who accused the Bulgarian government of ruthless slaughter of suspects have returned from Sofia to London and repeated their charges. One of them adds that nearly every government in Europe is about to start a round-up and expulsion of Reds.

In the chief cities of Europe the authorities kept close watch to prevent Communist outbreaks on May 1, and in some of them, notably in Italy, numerous arrests were made and all parades and demonstrations were forbidden.

Already the Persian government has begun a cleaning up of the bolshevik agents who have been operating there. When one leader of intrigues was arrested the soviet legation in Teheran locked his papers in its vault. The police cracked the safe despite the angry protests of the Russians.

MISS MARY MacSWINEY, rabid Irish Republican and foe of England, has been lecturing in the United States for some weeks and gathering funds for her pet plan. Someone told the State department that she has no passport and inquiries were started. Interviewed in Chicago, Miss MacSwiney characteristically said she not only had no passport, but she did not need any and had no intention of ever getting any. She added that if she were arrested she would start a hunger strike. Immigration officials in Washington said if Miss MacSwiney had no passport her presence in the country was illegal and she might be deported.

ORVILLE WRIGHT announces that the original Wright airplane, which made the first successful flight on December 17, 1903, has been presented by him to the Times museum in South Kensington, England. Several museums in this country, he says, offered to take it, but only one of them was national in character and he would not trust the historic machine to that institution because it had permitted the Langley machine of 1903 to be taken out and mutilated for the purposes of private parties to a patent litigation. Therefore the priceless relic built by the Wright brothers is to be lost to the United States.

IN THE eastern part of the country, especially in Washington, there is a smallpox scare of considerable proportions. All government employees in the capital were asked to submit to vaccination, and it was reported that President Coolidge was one of the first to undergo the operation. Other cities where the dread disease was prevalent were Birmingham, Ala.; Richmond, Va., and Philadelphia. Further west only Milwaukee reported many cases. In New York and Chicago conditions in this respect were normal.

SIR EYRE CROWE, British permanent undersecretary for foreign affairs, is dead in London. He held that post of very high responsibility for years and was widely known and greatly respected.

Many Colleges Now Own Rail Securities

Washington.—Nearly 28 per cent of all the income-producing endowments of the principal colleges, universities and technical schools in the country is invested in steam railway stocks and bonds, according to an announcement made by the bureau of railway economics.

This conclusion is based upon a tabulation of replies received from sixty-five of the foremost endowed educational institutions in response to a questionnaire recently sent to them by the bureau.

The bureau stated that the value of the productive investments of the sixty-five institutions was $531,696,697. Of that amount, $148,270,933, or 27.9 per cent, is invested in steam railway securities. Investments in steam railway bonds by these colleges are $129,150,352, while investments in railway stocks amount to $19,120,581.

Leland Stanford university of California ranks first in the amount invested in railway securities. Of its total productive investment, $13,907,000, or 49.8 per cent, represents investments in railway securities. Harvard university with $13,681,396, or 31.8 per cent, ranks second; Yale, with $12,536,411, or 33.8 per cent, is third; University of Chicago, fourth, and Johns Hopkins university, with $10,156,904, or 53.8 per cent, is fifth.

Of the $52,695,357 in productive investments that have been made by Columbia university, $8,966,550, or 17 per cent, is in railroad securities.

AFTER HER BABY CAME

Mrs. Hollister Unable To Do Her Work for Six Months

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health

MRS. HENRY HOLLISTER
WYANDOTTE, MICHIGAN

Wyandotte, Michigan.—"After my baby was born I did not do my own work for six months and could hardly take care of my own baby. I always had a pain in my right side and it was so bad I was getting round shoulders. I would feel well one day and then feel so bad for three or four days that I would be in bed. One Sunday my mother came to see how I was, and she said a friend told her to tell me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. So the next day I got a bottle and before it was half taken I got relief. After I was well again I went to the doctor and he asked me how I was getting along. I told him I was taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and he said it did not hurt any one to take it. I am always recommending the Vegetable Compound to others and I always have a bottle of it on hand."—Mrs. HENRY HOLLISTER, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 7, Wyandotte, Michigan.

Another Woman's Case

St. Paul, Minnesota.—"I have a little girl three years old and ever since her birth I have suffered with my back as if it were breaking in two, and bearing-down pains all the time. I also had dizzy spells. I had read several letters of women in the newspapers, and the druggist recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to my husband for me. As a result of taking it my back has stopped aching and the awful bearing-down feeling is gone. I feel stronger and do all of my housework and tend to my little girl. I have also taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills for constipation. I have recommended these medicines to some of my friends and you may use this letter as a testimonial if you wish. I will be pleased to answer letters of other women if I can help them by telling them what this medicine has done for me."—Mrs. PRICE, 147 West Summit Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota.

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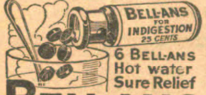

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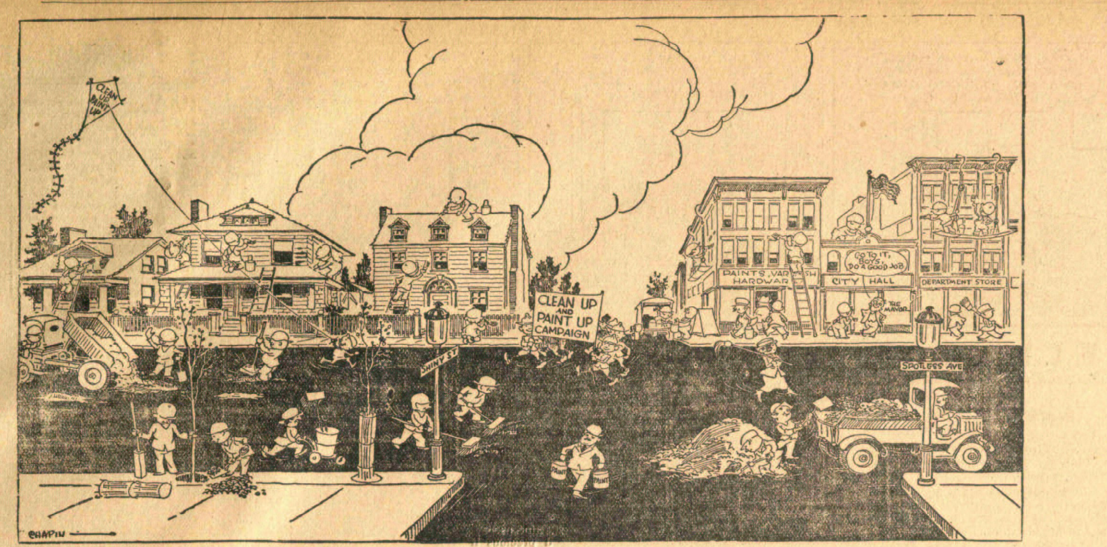

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 23rd, day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel A Wisner Deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate,

It is Further ordered, That the 27th day of August 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate
48t3

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit: all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.
July 24, 1925. 48t13

Why am I a Baptist?

1. Because it is a fact, that the First Gospel Preacher was a Baptist. Matt. 3:1; Mark 1:1-5; Luke 16:16. 2. It is a fact, that Jesus was baptized in Jordan, by a Baptist minister. Matt. 3:13-14; Mark 1:9 3. It is fact, that the Apostles were baptized by a Baptist minister. Luke 1:17; John 1:32-40; Acts 1:22 4. It is a fact, that the First Church organized, was composed of Baptist believers. Matt. 10:1; 16:16; 5. It is a fact, that the 3000 Converts of the day of Pentecost, all joined the Baptist church which Christ organized. Acts 2:41, etc,

6. It is a fact, that Paul the Apostle, was a Baptist. Rom. 6:4, 7. It is a fact, that the Apostles taught that every church member should be a regenerated person. Acts 2:37. 8. It is a fact, that each member was buried with Christ in baptism. Rom. 6:2. 9. It is a fact, that no believer was received for six months, nor was the Prodigal Son kept in the wood-shed a few months before being invited into the house. But each believer was taken into full membership as soon as he believed and had been baptized. Acts 2:41-47.

10. It is a fact, all members of the church were on an equality before God and each other. Acts 2:44 11, It is a fact, that they had a republican form of Government. Acts 1:23-26. 12. It is a fact, that the word of God was their only rule of faith and practice. Acts 26:22, 23. 13. Then, is it not a fact, that such a New Testament church should be the home of every believer in Jesus? Acts 2:47, last part of the verse.—George Fullerton.

The Military Training Camp A Winner

The Commanding General of the Department of Illinois Michigan and Wisconsin informs us that the registration for military training camps by young men of the country greatly exceeds that of last year, and the total enrollment for this season in this district so far is 19,500 and the entire quota will be filled by May 20, 1925. In view of the military necessities of the country it is indeed encouraging to the commandant to know so much interest is being taken in the movement for the physical betterment of the youth of this district, and by the way of a great uplift to our government which expects to become a military machine eventually. We are a little cocky concerning Germany's downfall which we ascribe to militant teachings but does it not seem we are slipping? The efforts to make the United States of America a land of bristling bayonets don't meet with the approval cf mothers who produce the cannon fodder and it never will. One mother said to us last season: "Well, we feel just delighted to send our son over to Battle Creek where he can come under military discipline. Its going to make a man of him right speedily and it certainly will put on polish never attained by remaining in isolated country towns" and the poor deluded woman meant just what she said. There was one instance Uncle Sam put something over a mother and codded her shamefully. Uncle Sam don't care a tinkers continental about polishing or touching up the styles and habits of your son Madam, but he does desire a fresh supply of cannon fodder and he is getting it, you can bet!

When we were a lad of fifteen the glory and glamour of war's trappings appealed to us with a mighty force. We read the story of the charge up Lookout Mountain and Sheridan's Ride from Winchester and Farragut's fight at Mobile with a devouring interest. We stood hours studying the masterpieces of paintings in the museum depicting the slaughter of battle hoping some day to be able to wear the stripes on the arm and the shoulder straps. The death and destruction of war had escaped our notice, but after passing the period of two great wars and learning the awful carnage in Flanders Fields the dull drab of the khaki unsurped all the glitter of gold cord and brass buttons and we have decided that war is even more than what Sherman called it. Woodrow Wilson caught the right idea at once when he sought to form a League of Nations but how the American Senate did kick his dog around! Did you ever ponder how many millionaires were holding down seats in the United States Senate at Washington and how they got their wealth? Well, you had better read how some of these men posed as stockholders in some of the largest firms in the world eugaged in the manufacture of munitions of war as for instance the Dupont Nemours Powder Co. and scores of others less notable, making millions in dividend for the owners while the war lasted. Henry Ford that man of mystery over at Dearborn, at one time wanted to keep this nation out of war—and spent literal oceans of money to equip a peace ship—and yet are we entirely satisfied as to his motives? It might have been a little more lucrative for Henry's business to keep the dove of peace hovering around the flag. When he found war was inevitable Mr. Ford at once became a foremost manufacturer of munitions with contracts of immense limit. Henry made a little stake out of the World war. Oh yes! But he had a large concourse of close seconds in the war game. No mothers, as long as this nation stands you will furnish cannon timber, but you can watch and wait—pray if you want to—only don't presume you have muzzled all the dogs of war.

The St Lawrence Waterway

The state of Michigan will undoubtedly miss Senator Townsend very seriously from the United States senate, and while there are scores of other good men in that august body, none as yet have ever manifested the interest in our great international question viz: Great Lakes to Ocean Waterway. They tell us that ways and means are being devised in both America and Canada to push this project to completion, and we do most sincerely hope the truth is told. Up to a year ago the powers of state in Canada were not strong for the canal, being as we supposed influenced by individual jealousy. fearing that we on this side of the border might receive the largest benefits.

When the day arrives that Detroit and Chicago will be practically on the coast of the Atlantic (and we hope that day is near) then it will be time to sit up and take notice for old Michigan will come unto her own. Of the five great central states Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin and Illinois which border the great inland seas, none will be prouder of that or more ready to give acclaim to the day when we dedicate this water route than the Wolverine state. Chicago with its great western connections by rail will undoubtedly become a gateway, and its resources from the west will tend to mushroom growth but our own Detroit with its miles of dockage right on the main route can never be excelled as a port. Great terminals would soon take shape, docks would stretch for miles along the river below Rouge and the Henry Ford smelters. Already Mr. Ford with his supernatural foresight has prepared his facilities to take care of such an arrangement by means of his privately owned freighters on the Lakes. Two mammoth modern electrical operated barges capable of crossing the Atlantic to foreign ports are in use at present bringing ore and timber from the northern peninsula. Aerial transport is now in full daily operation from Detroit to Chicago and great changes are being inaugurated almost over night along the Lake front. When the ocean traffic can tie up at Detroit docks we shall see a terrific boom and a word to the wise is sufficient in regard to investments in the city. Nothing in the Grand River Avenue or Rouge district of Detroit can go wrong. We believe both Canada and this nation are beginning to see a great bonanza which would accrue from an ocean route. With both mind and heart fixed on this project its completion will be a matter of only a few years.

Certified Potato Seed Men To Meet

Members of the Michigan Certified Seed Potato Growers Association, a cooperative group of farmers raising seed stocks under inspection, will be held at Cadillac on Friday, June 12, according to announcement made here this week by J. W. Weston, extension specialist at M. A. C. and corresponding secretary of the association.

An educational program will supplement the business sessions of the annual meeting, it is said. Minor changes in the by-laws of the organization, details of the five year contract plan for distribution of the certified potato seed stock, and a report of the pool for the past season will be among outstanding transactions at the meeting.

The Certified Seed Potato Growers Association and the Michigan Potato Producers Association are the two farmers' groups producing seed tubers under an inspection system carried out by the extension division at the state college. A committee, headed by H. C. Rather, secretary of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association, was recently appointed to head all potato inspection and certification for the state. As a result of the proved worth of the certified tubers, a marked increase in the quality of potato seed planted in the state is said to be apparent.

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Grant First Dairy Performance Record

First certificate awarded in the new Record of Performance, inaugurated recently by the dairy department at the M. A. C. for cows under association test in the state, goes to E. B. Loehe, Central Lake a member of the Antrim County cow testing association.

More than 800 applications were made by members of cow test associations for the record of performance certificates. To qualify, cows under three years must produce 280 pounds of butterfat; under four years, 310 pounds butterfat; under 5 years, 350 pounds; and over 5 years, 400 pounds butterfat.

Mr. Loehe's cow, winner of the first certificate granted, had a record of 484 pounds of butterfat for the association year.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 5th day of May A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward E. Carter, deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, That the 8th day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is further ordered: That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate
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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sophia S. Davis Deceased. M. Myrtle Davis, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to the executors named therein or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of May A. D. 1925, at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate.
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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of April, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Harmon Fowle, deceased.

Byron C. Fowle having filed his petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased. and that administration of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten a. m., at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate
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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 8th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Belle M. Fowle Deceased. Byron C. Fowle having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration de bonis non of said estate be granted to Orris J. Fowle or to some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 12th day of May A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition:

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 46t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 11th day of April A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ann M. Pearson Deceased. Sarah Pierce heir at law of deceased, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to D. L. Pierce or some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of May, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

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Veal and Celery Soup.—Cut up a dozen stalks of celery, cook until tender in salted water with a small onion sliced, then press through a sieve. Add six cupfuls of veal stock, pepper and salt to season and a teaspoonful of sugar. Bring to the boiling point, thicken with one tablespoonful of flour rubbed smooth in a cupful of milk. Cook five minutes and serve.

Deviled Crackers.—Mix together three tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, one-fourth teaspoonful of dry mustard, one teaspoonful of anchovy paste, a dash of cayenne and a saltspoonful of salt. Blend with two tablespoonfuls of butter, spread on crackers and place in the oven until they begin to color.

Roast Beef With Currant Jelly.—Place one-fourth of a pound of butter with half a glass of jelly in a chafing dish. When well heated add thin slices of cold roast beef, heat and cook five minutes and serve.

Cream Dressing for Fruit Salad.—Melt four tablespoonfuls of butter, add two and one-half tablespoonfuls of cornstarch, one tablespoonful of flour, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of sugar and three drops of tabasco sauce. When well blended add one cupful of hot sweet milk, stir and cook until well done. Remove from the heat and beat in one lightly beaten yolk of egg, then add five tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, beating well after each one. Finish by adding sour cream and beat with an egg beater.

Cheese Cones.—To two cupfuls of mashed potato add one cupful of grated cheese; season with salt and pepper, and mold in an ice cream scoop. Arrange on a baking sheet, sprinkle with buttered crumbs and brown in a hot oven. Serve hot.

Nellie Maxwell

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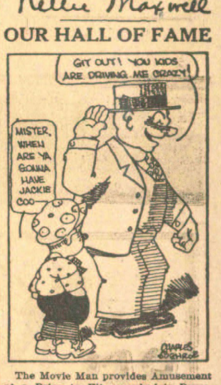
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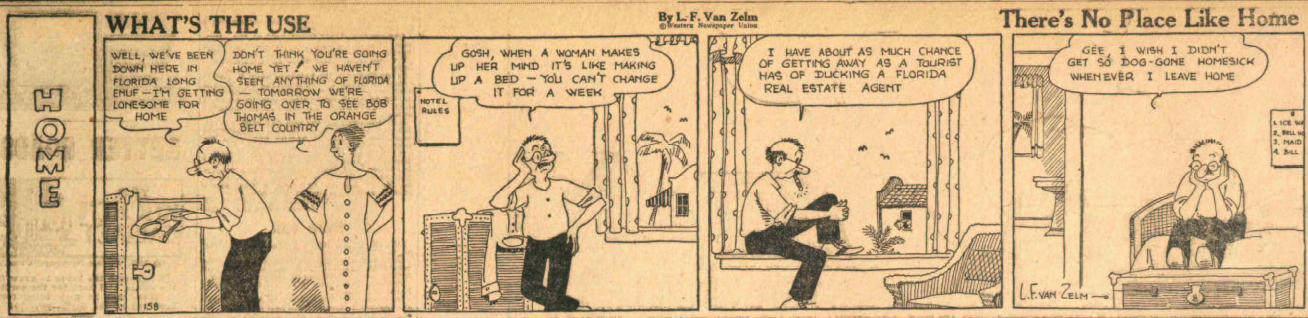
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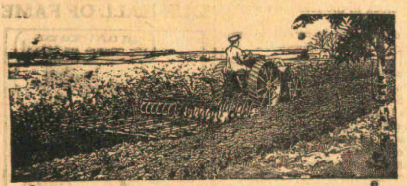

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Honest Enforcement Of Law

This article was written by Theodore Roosevelt in New York City in 1895. He was Police Commissioner at that time.

"If there is one plain duty for the average citizen, it is to obey the law; and if there is one paramount duty for public officials, it is to enforce the law. These two propositions seem to be self evident.

"Trouble has arisen over the course of the present Board of Police Commissioners of New York in enforcing various laws rigidly and with impartiality. The law of the state of New York is that all liquor saloons shall be shut on Sunday. This applies as much to New York City as to any other part of the state. In New York City, however, there is a very large proportion of the population, notably among people of foreign birth or parentage, who wish to drink liquor on Sundays. Many of these are entirely honest and respectable people, who only wish to behave as their forefathers have behaved for generations in the Old World. Many, however, are lawless and disorderly; and the worst type of native American is invariably the drinking man who frequents saloons. Over and against these men there is a large body of people fully in sympathy with the general Americen sentiment; that is, with the sentiment of the average American country district, which is against opening the saloons on Sunday.

"Those who believe in Sunday opening always insist that there is a great majority of the people of New York City on their side. Whether this is so or not, I cannot say, and no one can with absolute certainty. One thing, however is certain,—a far larger proportion of the voters than has ever been conceded by the friends of the saloo keepers are unquestionably in favor of closing the saloons on Sunday. The sentiment for which these people stand has hitherto been rather vague and formless, for the very reason that these people have hitherto themselves been deceived by incessant statements that the law could not be enforced. One of the commonplaces of our latter day politics has been this incessant reiteration that no severe excise law could be enforced in New York City.

"When the present Board of Police Commissioners approached the subject, we were met with this statement on every hand. It was made sometimes as a warning, sometimes as a threat, and sometimes with a note of despair; but it was always made. We were told that the effort had been made again and again by the most powerful city officials, but that it always failed and that any such efforts always must fail. However, after thinking the matter over, we came to the conclusion, that, as honest officials, we had no alternative other than to try to enforce the law. Accordingly we summoned the police captains before us, and informed them that the law must be carried out rigidly. It took us one or two Sundays before we could make the force understand that they had to do their duty. For years and years the entire body of police had been accustomed to seeing the powerful men who stood high in the dominant political party do whatever they wished unmolested. For years every policeman's well being had depended upon the hold he had over influential politicians. With a force trained under such conditions, it needed a violent wrench to sever them from their past habits. They could not at first bring themselves to interfere with the rich liquor dealers the aldermen or ex-aldermen, whom they had always regarded with fear as the 'bosses' of their respective wards. The honest members of the force, however, speedily saw the sincerity of the Commission and turned in with hearty zeal to execute its wishes, feeling much relieved themselves that at last an effort for fair play and impartiality had been made. The rest of the force was brought to order by rough measures. Captains were transferred and rebuked, or ordered for trial, patrolmen were fined and dismissed. When, in a given precinct, we found that certain liquor dealers persistently kept open the captain was told that he would be put on trial and dismissed if they were not forthwith shut up. Two or three weeks of this sufficed By that time the saloons were practically closed, and they were not again opened.

"The basest portion of the New York press, including some of the daily papers of largest circulation, went into a perfect agony of rage over what we did. Indeed, so shameful was their conduct as to give rise to the belief that not a few of them were bribed by some of the brewers or liquor dealers; for we had attacked the wealthiest organizations in New York City. It was of course, impossible to show whether these suspicions were true and the conduct of these newspapers due to corruption, or whether they were merely actuated by a shameless desire to pander to the passions and appetites of the worst class of our citizens. In any event their attitude was very discreditable to the profession of which they formed a part, and to the people upon whose credulity they traded.

"The politicians were almost equally nervous over our action. They were haunted by that nightmare of the ordinary politician, the fear of losing votes, and were pitifully anxious for the adoption of any colorless course which would not offend anybody, but which consequently would not accomplish anything.

"Having taken our stand, however, we felt as little inclined to yield to the abuse of the disreputable portion of the New York press as to yield to the fears and threats of the politicians. We were executive officers. Our was to enforce the law, and we enforced it.

"We have thus given, I hope, a valuable object lesson in the enforcement of law. It happens that we have done so at the expense of the liquor dealers, who wish to violate the law for their own pecuniary benefit, and at the expense of their customers, who wish to gratify their appetites illegally; but the lesson taught is just as applicable to other communities, with other needs, as it is to New York. More important than even the question of what law is, is the question of the honest enforcement of the law. Lawlessness breeds anarchy. A community has no claim to call itself civilized until it can call itself law abiding. Free government is impossible unless executive officers carry out the laws in good faith when once they have been enacted. The law breaker is the foe of American civilization and of republican government, and the worst of all public servants is the official who connives at law-breaking."

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Many would be customers of Radio are waiting simply to see what time will bring forth and while they would much enjoy a set, they are skeptical about buying and then being chagrined to learn their $200 outfit was a obsolete. Developments are bobbing up over night so that the Radio bought today in a month would not have the latest improvements. Five, six and eight tube sets are now as common as flies on a sugar bowl, and while the manufacturers claim to make them reach from coast to coast, it is doubtful if many of them are practical talkers over more than half this distance. In fact we know of no outfit in this vicinity which will carry on a successful program further away than Detroit or Chicago—that is, without interference. It is usual to catch Newark, New Jersey, Council Bluffs Iowa, and San Francisco on the air but do you know of anyone who is getting anything worth listening to from these points? Detroit and Chicago furnishes most of our concerts and speeches, and beyond it is mostly a jumble of squeaks and squawks which will jar your nerves and rasp your ears. But as science and invention goes hand in hand, we believe that five years will see some miracles performed by wireless—at least we hope so. Little did Marconi dream of present conditions when he set up his first antenna calculated to signal distant ships in the ocean. It was then not supposed that any sounds but telegraphic codes could be sent, and even that was limited to certain conditions of the atmosphere. Sea-going craft at once became users and valuable cargos and precious lives saved were the result, but this is ancient history. You can go down into deep mines, into the depths of the sea, in fact anywhere there is communication with the air, and listen to voices twelve hundred miles away. When we think what this means to Arctic explorers in the far north, to pilgrims on desert sands, to wanderers in the heart of darkest Africa, we marvel.

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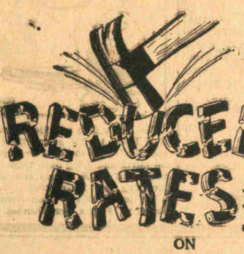

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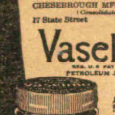

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Chapter XII

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Without a sound Lancaster leaped at him.

Joan saw the secretary snatch up the lamp and hold it on high. She heard his screaming, terrified voice above the uproar. He stood like some squat statue illuminating the space above the dark in which Lancaster and Lawson sprawled, clutching at each other like two primeval cave men.

It was grotesque, for it was like a man fighting with himself; and, in fact, it might have been Lancaster fighting with his evil angel. He was no match for Lawson, but at first his pent-up fury, at last unleashed, matched the two equally. Then Lawson flung his adversary from him and struggled to his knees. As Lancaster grasped him and tried to rise he flung him down again. Lancaster's head struck the corner of the iron bedstead. His hands unclosed; he sighed and lay perfectly still. Joan saw the look of malignant rage upon Lawson's face, saw him raise his heel above the face of the unconscious man. He would have ground out Lancaster's life, but that Joan pulled the revolver from her pocket and thrust it into his face for the second time.

Lawson staggered backward, rage and terror depicted upon his features in the light of the swaying oil lamp. At that moment Myers was crouching near her. He set the lamp down. Joan felt a sharp pain in the upper part of her arm. She saw the secretary putting something into his pocket. He dodged the wavering revolver and backed toward the door, pulling Lawson with him.

"I'm going to finish this!" yelled Lawson.

Myers clutched at him and pulled him into the hall. Joan heard Myers' eager whispers, and Lawson's struggles and angry muttering gradually subside.

Then she heard them enter the secretary's room, and, forgetting them instantly, she bent over Lancaster and raised his head upon her knee.

He was breathing heavily. The blow had only stunned him. Joan tried to lift him upon the bed, but he was too heavy for her. As she was attempting to do so, however, the door opened and Mrs. Fraser came in.

"I found a key," she whispered, trembling. "I heard them fighting. Heaven help me, what has that devil done to the doctor?"

"He isn't badly hurt," said Joan. "Help me get him upon the bed."

Mrs. Fraser and Joan succeeded. Lancaster lay there, still unconscious. The matron clung heavily to the bedstead, looking at Joan piteously.

"I know it all now," she muttered. "I should have known before if I'd listened to the Millville gossip. That devil is his brother."

"Yes," said Joan shortly. "What are you going to do, Mrs. Fraser?"

"I'm going to stand by the doctor," the woman answered. "I stood by him year after year when I thought he was possessed by an evil spirit. Wouldn't I stand by him now?"

"Good," said Joan. "And I, too. Tomorrow we'll make short work of those men."

"Heaven save you, you don't know that man, Miss Wentworth," muttered the matron. "He's a devil. He has no pity. And he has a devil ten times worse than himself."

"Myers? Who is he?"

"He was his assistant here. He was tried once, they tell me, for poisoning his sweetheart. He sent her candy—but they couldn't find any poison in her body. It was his master made the analysis, and he lied to get Myers free and have his hold on him. It's all plain to me now, Miss Wentworth."

"If you knew this," said Joan, "you should have told me; you should have told the police, told anyone rather than let him drug Doctor Lancaster day after day."

"I thought it was the doctor who was in league with him," the matron muttered. "Miss Wentworth, I'm timid, I'm easily frightened, but not another day will I keep silent. Tomorrow—"

"Yes, tomorrow," said Joan. "You'd better go to bed now, Mrs. Fraser. I'll guard the doctor with my revolver, and tomorrow we'll end these years of slavery. Doctor Lancaster is a free man. Think of him as a free man. The past is all behind us."

The matron slipped away stealthily to her room. Joan took her seat beside Lancaster, listening to the incoherent mutterings which had begun. Presently his eyes opened. He stared at her for some minutes until recognition came into them.

"Joan!" he whispered, stretching out his hand to hers.

She let him take and hold it, and sat beside him, while he began muttering again. Gradually he began to realize where he was, and to remember.

"It is all true, then, Joan," he said. "He has had his revenge for his fancied wrongs. He has had the best years of my life, and he has beaten me in the end."

"Beaten you?" asked Joan. "You are not beaten. They are at their wits' ends what to do now, and tomorrow you will send them packing and begin your new life."

"A pitiful hope," he answered. "For he has given me back one thing—my faith in that poor woman upstairs, and, with it, a greater faith in humanity; but he has robbed me of all my hope."

"Why, John?"

"Because I could not have imagined that humanity was so vile. Joan, I am crushed by his revelation. If he entered this room now I feel that his will would dominate mine."

"Those are the words of a sick man," said Joan. "Tomorrow you will adjust yourself. Tomorrow you will be strong. Why, hardly a man on earth could do what you have done with the morphine."

"I suppose I shall carry on my fight," he answered wearily. "But victory will mean nothing to me."

"I shall stand by your side until I have seen you conquer, and until I have seen you happy in your success."

"And then, Joan?"

"Then? Then I shall go somewhere, I suppose."

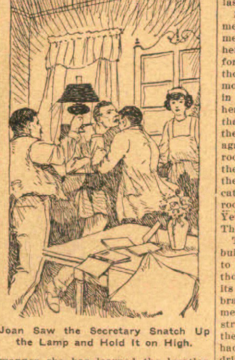
"Go away? From me? Is it because of Mrs. Dana?"

"Because of her, John."

"But she is nothing to me. She was never anything. Even my monomania of revenge rose out of wounded pride, not love. Surely you will not leave me because I once thought that I loved another?"

"It isn't that, John. But, you see, she has been an integral part of your life all these years. Even though her mind was gone, there was the consciousness of her presence that ate into your brain; she was the mainspring of your existence here. She would have been your wife today, but for that dastard's scheme. She is innocent, she has been deeply wronged, and her life has become bound up with yours indissolubly. You see, John, there is no getting away from that."

"Joan, don't you know she hates me? She thinks that my death will avenge her wrongs and cure her of her troubles. She has tried three times to kill me. In some mysterious manner she has learned the location of my room. Once she stabbed me in the wrist with a table-knife. Once she got the matron's revolver, but fortunately it was unloaded. I have been planning to send her somewhere where she could be better cared for and where my presence would not be a constant incitation to her."



Joan Saw the Secretary Snatch Up the Lamp and Hold It on High.

Joan shook her head. "It is all part of the past," she said. "One can't cancel the past. One must just carry it with one and try to profit by it. You know that, John."

"You do not love me, Joan."

She turned her face away; tears that filled her eyes came from the depths of her being. Lancaster took both her hands in his.

"You love me, Joan?"

"Too well to wrong you and myself," she answered. "Too well to let our love build a wall between us. So well that I would rather let the spiritual bond remain, rather than mar it."

He drew her toward him, and she remained with her cheek resting against his, with his arms about her. She could not stir. A strange physical lethargy seemed to hold her limbs, but her will was unshaken.

"Your last word, Joan?" whispered Lancaster.

"No, dear," she answered.

The humorous look that came at such odd moments into Lancaster's eyes flickered there now. "Your very last?" he asked.

"O, don't ask me to deny my resolution," she said.

She released herself and stood beside him. As she did so she had a sensation as if her feet rested on a cushion of air. Her physical weakness was matched by her sense of instability; she longed with all her heart to lean within the arms outstretched toward her; she knew that, if she had given Lancaster life, he could give her the strength of life; he was of her own people, and all that was chivalric and dear in the land she had loved seemed embodied in him. And before her she saw the closing hospital walls of some far distant city: she must exile herself from everything that she had known.

"You little stubborn thing, Joan!" said Lancaster tenderly. "But I shall go on loving you."

"I shall love you, John."

"I shall hear from you sometimes?"

"Yes. And I shall remain in Avonmouth until your battle is won. But there will be no battle. They know that they are beaten. You will never be weak again."

"No," said Lancaster. "But, O Joan, if you had said 'yes' to me it would have been so easy."

With the maternal feeling that is part of every woman's love for the man she loves, she stooped and kissed his forehead.

"You must try to sleep now," she said. "I shall leave the revolver with you, and you shall lock your door."

"I am not afraid of them," he answered. "They can do nothing, Joan. Keep it to assure you of your own safety."

That seemed the better way. There was nothing that the pair could do to Lancaster. If they aimed at anyone it would be she. She saw that, and she went out without speaking to Lancaster again. In the hall she breathed more freely. It was ended now, and she knew that she had done the right thing, the only possible thing. But Lancaster had not surmised the terrific woman's battle which she had fought during those last few minutes.

She stood in the hall for a few moments in uncertainty. She did not mean to sleep, but to lie awake with her door open, resting, and listening for any movements in the house. But, though her brain was awake, she was more tired than she had ever been in her life. She could hardly drag her limbs upstairs, and again she had that sense of walking on air. Under the little burning lamp she stopped again to gather strength to go to her room. The ticking of the clock in the hall below was the only sound in the house. She strained her ears to catch the sound of voices from Myers' room, but she could hear nothing. Yet the men could not be asleep. They must be planning together.

The silence in the ramshackle old building was a ghastly one. It seemed to hide innumerable thoughts, as if those of all who had ever lived within its walls survived, breaking upon her brain in invisible waves. She felt enmeshed in a web, as the dreamer who struggles to wake into free life from the horrors of nightmare. The wind had gone down, and the raindrops dripped rhythmically from the eaves.

Joan had an intense inclination to surrender, to run back into Lancaster's room, cry to him to help her, to let her fight beside him as long as they lived. And the silence, which was becoming more terrific every moment, was unmistakably malevolent.

She reached her room and tried to shake away her fears. She went to the window and leaned out. The night was clearing, and a delicious air blew in from the hills. Not a light was to be seen in Millville or Lancaster. And she wept again, heartbroken. It was all ended, that peace which had begun to inclose her, and all her hopes, and all that love within was bound up so intimately with the idea of home.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Genius of Philology Given Stern Justice

Curious pleas have sometimes been put forward in support of the reprieve of notorious criminals. One of the strangest was that on behalf of George Ruloff, an American school teacher, who was convicted in 1870 of a series of robberies and murders, his own wife and daughter being among the victims. For cold-blooded cruelty his record would be hard to beat, but Ruloff had his other side.

He was an ardent philologist, and had been engaged for years on the invention of a universal language. No one could attempt to palliate his crimes, but a widely signed petition was presented to the governor of Virginia for his reprieve on the ground that as his invention, if completed, would be of the utmost benefit to mankind it would be criminal folly to extinguish such a light of learning. The governor thought otherwise and Ruloff was duly hanged.

Spanish Swamp Home of Wild Camel Herd

Wild camels exist in western Europe, within two days' journey from Piccadilly circus, writes a correspondent of the London Mail. There are a considerable number of them in this mysterious "colony," but no one knows exactly how many. To survive they have actually become semi-aquatic.

Up the Guadalquivir in Andalusia is the dreariest malarial swamp in Spain, and perhaps in the world, an endless vista of waterlogged wilderness, broken only by occasional low islands covered with willow scrub. Here, among enormous flocks of gulls and greylag goose, teal, widgeon, pochard and mallard, dwell the outlaw camels. In another five years the colony will have completed a century of life in western Europe. Their ancestors were brought over from Africa in 1829 by the Marquis de Villafranca for farm work.

Villafranca's horses panicked, however, as horses will unless carefully "acclimatized" to camel, and there were some nasty accidents. Rather than have the work of his estates upset by labor trouble, the marquis turned his camels loose. Some were killed. The descendants of those who took to the "marisma" survived.

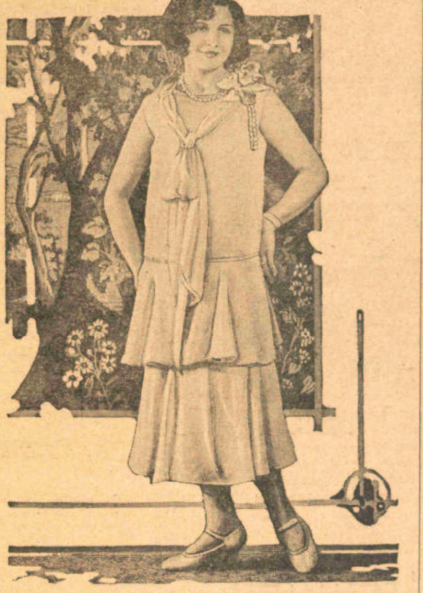
Copying Nature

Cover a billiard table in a bright red cloth instead of the customary soft green and every billiard hall would be deserted in half an hour. Billiard tables from the beginning were covered with green for the same reason that nature covers her open stretches usually with green, because it is soothing to the eye.

Even the dullest brain can think up reasons for not getting up.

PARTY FROCK THAT IS IN FAVOR; STAMP BLOUSE WITH GAY COLOR

If THE crystal globe of fashion-destiny reveals the future truly to those who peer into its depths to learn of "styles to be," then assuredly this summer will see chiffon enthroned as the reigning fabric for evening frocks. At this very moment dance and party dresses are unfolding a continuous and fascinating story of diaphanous georgette crepes and chiffons, always with the shoulder bouquet playing its part of coquetry and loveliness. It is peach-colored georgette, touched with the magic of the stylist's art which accounts for the charm of the party dress in the picture. Even our party dresses flaunt a flowing necktie, for neckties are a very important trimming item this season. Artificial orchids are worn on the shoulder.



Use Chiffon and Shoulder Bouquet.

Sheer materials reign supreme throughout advance costume collections. Billowy masses of chiffon manifest in tiered circular ruffles on evening frocks, in insets of circular portions that make the skirt measure yards around the bottom; in voluminous bows of chiffon at the left hipline and in countless other entrancing ways. Notwithstanding all this superfluity of transparent fabric, the effect as a whole is of extreme simplicity, for there is little or no trimming save the inevitable never-to-be-omitted shoulder bouquet. Another item, very important is the satin costume slip over which these frocks of transparency are posed. It must be nothing less than perfect, both as to color and fit.

Very many of the new chiffon frocks are trimmed in lace dyed an accurate match. Not only are airy-fairy delicately meshed silk laces used, but those of the heavier sort are employed for yokes, bandings and insets.

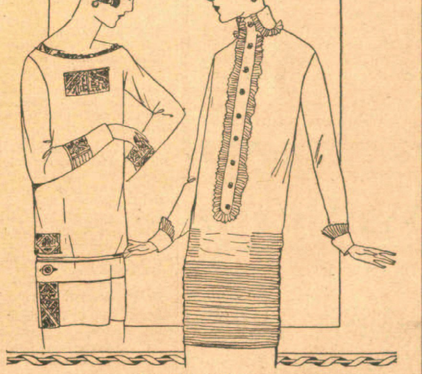
So pronounced is the vogue for sheer materials that even our daytime dresses are being made of georgette crepe. New wood tones are especially emphasized, also beige in these exquisite frocks. A new note is sounded in the chiffon shawl which accompanies this sleeveless dress of like material. These scarf-like shawls use the full width of the georgette or chiffon. They are fringed on three sides with hand-tied floss, the selfsame color.

Perhaps the tunic blouse is indebted to the ensemble suit for the honors showered upon it this season. This much is sure, the blouse and the tunic are topics supreme in the season's modes. Paris is content to keep coats and matching skirts severely simple, letting the blouse receive the full force of lavish touches and decorative features.

The French couturier has the gift of saying much in little. That is why the woman of fashion takes joy in owning a blouse "from Paris." It is sure to have a cunning touch here and there which stamps its artistic origin. Even the simplest tailored blouse is not immune from a delightful appeal of subtle detail. Per example, note the blouse to the right in this picture. In this model the artist resorts to tiny horizontal plaitings for molding the blouse to the figure. It is an excellent suggestion to carry out in one's tailored blouse, that is if one is not so favored as to be in a position to indulge in the purchase of the "original model." The thought is particularly valuable as it illustrates the tendency to get away from the short hip-band effect. The high turnover collar, with its plaitings, likewise the box plait down the front and the cuffs, are tailored-looking without being severe.

The dressier blouse to the left shows the inevitable touch of embroidery. It also has a graceful way of evading the now passe high hip band by means of an abbreviated skirt effect buttoned at the side.

Color is a subject of vital importance when it comes to the blouse or tunic. There is no such thing, this season, as overindulgence in gay hues. The solid shades may be yellow, scarlet or startling green, or they may be conveyed in prints, which qualify as the mode only when they are bizarre.



Paris Style in Blouses.

The woman who knows how to dress well, without extravagance, will acquire a handsome topcoat and skirt to match, supplementing these with a collection of blouses both tailored and fanciful, selected with a viewpoint of creating ensemble effects.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Feminine Haircuts

In London the newest mode of feminine haircut is facetiously styled the "deerstalker." It provides a sharp bob across the back with lappets of long hair left over each ear, which may be arranged either on top of the head or to conceal the fact that the hair is bobbed at the back

Neckwear Fashions

Tailored neckwear is very good just now. Striped linen is successfully used for the development of some of these sets. Tailored vests are being shown again, and there are some high-collared effects that have a strong style appeal. Lace combinations are also holding their own, as are rufflings of all kinds.

Fur and Metal Lace

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Mrs. Williard Wyman of Hillsdale spent Thursday with Mrs. R. H. Wyman.

M C. Church and family spent Sunday at the Clare Hile home south of Pittsford.

Mrs. Mary Gray of North Adams visited over Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Addie Wyman.

Mrs. Delcie Shufelt and son of North Adams were Sunday visitors at the J. R. Dewey home.

Elmer Smith of Detroit visited his brother C. O. Smith and wife over Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. G. O. Baker and Mrs. B. M. Young of Hillsdale were guests at the J. R. Wright home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vincent and little son of Frontier visited Sunday at the home of James Post and wife. The little boy Olin, remaining for the week.

Harry Foust and family were guests on Tuesday at a six o'clock dinner given in honor of the 16th birthday of Miss Helen Foust at the home of Hugh Nagel and wife of Hillsdale.

West Hoxie

Ellsworth Sprague has been ill for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Bloemker will entertain the Larkin club in the near future.

Florence Allen and sister and a friend of Onsted called on Pauline Wells Sunday.

Wilbur Sprague spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his parents Ellsworth Sprague and wife.

Mrs. Bloemker had a very good hatch from her incubator this year out of 234 eggs there were 203 chicks.

Mrs. Edna Haines will have an operation for the removal of tonsils at Hillsdale this week. She is staying with her mother.

Lawrence Sprague and Charles Sprague of Tontogany Ohio are spending a few weeks at the home of their grandparents Ellsworth Sprague and family.

Ray Haines and family went to Montpeliar Ohio last week. Ray Haines took his mother who has been quite ill with throat trouble to Fort Wayne for treatment at the hospital.

Town Line

Mrs. Loyal Brown who has been very ill is much improved.

C. H. Jennings and wife were in Reading Tuesday on business.

Roy Tuttle and wife of Hillsdale were callers at the Oliver Simmonds Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Anson has been suffering from a fall down the cellar stairs.

Zerald Horton, Roland Horton and wife of Blissfield spent Sunday with John Horton and wife.

Gurn Baker and wife took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker of North Adams.

John Horton is looking up his hired man who has left with Horton's car and his father's license.

Mrs. Frank Hudnutt, Mrs. W. La Follette and Lila Jennings were in Hillsdale Saturday afternoon shopping.

Ray Fast and family and Clarence Jennings went to Haviland Ohio Sunday morning returning the same day.

Harvey Powers and wife will stay at the Joseph Beecher home for an indefinite time to help care for Mr. Beecher.

Town Line friends of H. Powers and wife were surprised but pleased to have them return from Florida after so short a sojourn, No place like Michigan.

Myra Beecher and Mrs. Rex Northrup of North Adams called at Joseph Beechers Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Beecher remains in a serious condition.

Somerset Centre

Wallace Foote of Jacksan was in town Saturday.

Vena Roberts spent a few days last week in Jackson.

Mrs. Jennie Tearney has returned to her home here.

Mrs. C. D. Cárl and family spent Sunday at Rives Junction.

L. A. Mercer and family were in Hillsdale on business Saturday.

E. Rutan and family were in Jonesville on business Saturday.

R. Tearney of Reading was in town on business one day last week.

Ernest Hudson and wife were Sunday guests of Tom Tuckerman and wife.

Mrs. Spencer of Milford has been a recent guest of C. D. Carl and wife.

F. Wilson and wife and Mrs. Louise Wheeler were Sunday guests of C. Garver.

LaVere VanCamp and wife of Detroit spent the past week with Ben VanCamp and wife.

Mrs. Lottie Wilcox and Mrs. J. P. Churchfield spent the week end with Mrs. Jesse Giddings.

A group of ladies surprised Mrs. Bernard Phillps Monday evening The occasion was her birthday.

Orin Parish and wife and George Baker and family of Jackson spent Sunday with L. A. Mercer and family.

Tom Edget and wife and Bart VanAllen and wife of Jackson were Sunday guests of Earl Rutan and wife.

Jonesville

R. B. Howard was in Jackson Monday.

Miss Flora Wallace is visiting in Detroit.

Archie Porter and wife were in Toledo Sunday.

Lewis Gray and family spent Sunday in Battle Creek.

Marguerite Smith was in Lansing a few days last week.

Lynn Wirick and wife were in Chicago over Sunday.

Miss Eva Dickinson is working in the Godfrey Hardware store.

Arlington Rodlam was in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday this week

W. M. Wetmore is attending the Grand Lodge K of P this week in Detroit.

Mrs. Andrew Mack entertained the 500 club Tuesday afternoon of this week.

Mrs. A. J. Marvin of the Ypsilanti Normal spent the week end at her home here.

Eva Dickinson who has been in Florida for the winter returned to her home here last week.

Chas Sangster and family of Detroit are visiting at the L. E. Swan home on Reading avenue.

Ed Jones of Kalamazoo was in Jonesville during the week and attended the K of P banquet.

Dr. and Mrs. Claude Seeley of Detroit were guests at the D. L. Powers home during the week,

Dr. E. L. Graves of Cleveland is ill at the home of her brother F. W. Graves on West Chicago street.

The Helen Childs Missionary Society met with Mrs. Joda Banks for a literary meeting Wednesday May 6th.

Mark Grill and family were in Jackson over Sunday called there by the death of Mrs. Grill's father Elmer E. DuBois.

The fiftieth Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Green was celebrated April 27th at the home on Maumee street.

Miss Anna Bliss, a successful teacher for many years in Tacoma, Washington is quite ill at the home of her sister Mrs. J. F. Reinicke here.

John Henning, nine year old son of J. A. Johnson and wife of this place, died last Tuesday evening. The funeral was held at the home on Thursday and burial in Hillsdale

Jerome

Dorcas Greek is on the sick list.

Mrs. Julia Potter has been on the sick list.

A. J. Chupp and wife of Osseo visited Mrs. Merl Morehead Sunday

Mrs. Emily Miller and Mrs. Rosie Miller of Hanover have been visiting at the home of Otto Miller.

Ralph Seeley and wife entertained Mark Clement and wife also Wm Sheldon and family of Jackson Sunday.

Cecil Hair and wife, George Baker and wife and Caroline Baker of Jackson were guests of G. J. Pullen and family Sunday.

Residents of this section are interested in observing Henry Ford's aero which goes over daily to Chicago. The path of the plane is about two miles north of the Chicago turnpike.

Rev. Scott will deliver the baccalaureate address at the church next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Promotion and commencement exercises will be combined this year as there is only one graduate, Eslow Richards, The program will be given at the church Tuesday evening, May 12.

The University of Montana like all other state universities is supported by funds from the state treasury, but it so happened a few years ago, says Upton Sinclair that the money in the state treasury was very low and the university badly in need of financial assistance so chancellor Edwards of the U asked Prof. Levine to make a study of the tax situation throughout the state in order to discover if all were paying their rightful share of taxes. Levine investigated and found that many large concerns were paying only a small percentage of the proper tax and among these was the Anaconda Copper Co. a gigantic concern with much influence in Montana. Levine showed his report to the chancellor who lost his courage when he saw that Big Business might be offended so he finally ordered Levine to suppress the report but Levine refused. had the report published and in return was "fired" from the University. Prof. Seligman, called the foremost authority on taxation in this country says that Levine's book is one of the best obtainable but what difference did that make to a university where wealth exerted so much influence?

Jackson School Notes

Report for month ending May 1st 1925.

The Fourth grade have been making "Safety First" posters for Language.

There was no school last Thursday and Friday because of the Teacher's Examination at Hillsdale.

The Sixth grade have been making milk bottles for Hygiene. They picture eight health rules that all might observe.

On Wednesday, April 22, the school enjoyed a potluck dinner after which all co-operated and cleaned up our school yard.

Friday the 24th. Miss Anson and her pupils from Hoxie played Base ball with us. As we had not had very much practice and also due to the size of the players, we feel that our loss was not so terrible; the score being 54 to 34 in favor of Hoxie. We expect to have a return game in about two weeks at Hoxie.

Those being neither tardy nor absent during the month are:

Muriel Shambaugh; Louise, Ina and Bertha Petrie; Erwin and Alvin Wells; L. Z. and Calvin Comstock; William Fowler; Roscoe Haines; Leah and John Holcomb; Merle and Harold Arbogast; Althea Delamater; Dora Black; Rufus Roberts and Wilbur Bohn.

A New Building Promoted

On Tuesday the different farm organizations of the county met at Hillsdale in connection with a committee to launch the project of erecting a building on the corner of the fair grounds and officers were elected as follows: President, John Williams; sec., Denis Clancy; treasurer, Orville Cornell A committee of representative citizens, one from each township, to work among the ruralites of their communities to raise the necessary funds, has been appointed.

Fair Secretary C. W. Terwilliger states the Fair officials have nothing whatever to do with the project and it is up to the several farm organizations to put this building on the grounds. The Agricultural society requires however, that all necessary funds with a neat margin for emergencies, shall be in hand before erection can begin, as no unfinished structures are desired on the grounds, and to this the organizations have agreed.

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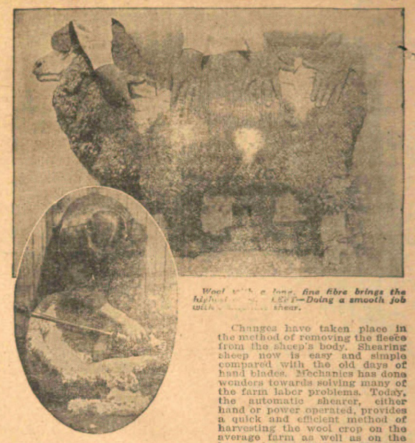

Wool with a long, fine fibre brings the highest [illegible] LEFT—Doing a smooth job with [illegible] shear.

There have been many changes in the operations of securing the wool crop. It has not been many years since it was considered necessary to clean the wool before it was taken from the sheep. This used to be done by driving the flock to a lake or stream where each animal was thoroughly washed. Modern methods of wool scouring have made sheep-washing unnecessary, although even today, a very dirty fleece is discriminated against by the buyer.

There are certain precautions observed by successful sheep owners at shearing time which have been found to increase the value of the clip. For example, bright days are selected on which to shear, as this will avoid obtaining fleeces wet with dew or rain. Do not shear sheep on the ground, but rather use a clean platform upon which to do the shearing operation. Keep the fleece in one piece, and clip off some of the inferior tags.

Changes have taken place in the method of removing the fleece from the sheep's body. Shearing sheep now is easy and simple compared with the old days of hand blades. Mechanics has done wonders towards solving many of the farm labor problems. Today, the automatic shearer, either hand or power operated, provides a quick and efficient method of harvesting the wool crop on the average farm as well as on the large sheep ranches. Machine shearing leaves no ridges and secures the maximum amount of fleece which is very important with wool at present prices.

For tying up each fleece, use, if possible, a paper twine. If binder twine is used, experience has shown that the fibres of the twine get into the wool, and as they cannot be removed, they are a damage to the resulting manufactured woolen goods. In preparing wool for shipment, large sacks which will hold several fleeces are used.

The program of sheep owners should include plans for most effectively harvesting a quality wool. The wool crop will be a large source of income this year, as it will be for years to come. High prices are being offered for the 1925 clip, and extremely satisfactory returns are assured. The changes that have taken place in the methods of harvesting wool are of great value to the sheep industry.

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Local News

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Carl Schilling and Miss Ruth Meloy were united in marriage Wednesday May 6th at Shelbyville, Indiana.

Born to Chas Sayles and wife at Jackson at the Foote Memorial Hospital a son Sunday morning May 3rd.

Clyde Wertz and family attended the funeral of MrsWertz grandmother Mrs. Boring, at Anderson Ind. on Sunday.

The Barchus Players, a company of ten people will exhibit at North Adams under canvas three nights beginning May 18. see big ad on back page.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Patton, and Homer Swoop and wife of Jonesville, Standard Oil agents attended the salesmen's meeting at Adrian on Friday.

Mrs. Giles Stevens underwent an operation at her home in this village on Monday morning performed by Dr. O. G. McFarland. She is convalescing in fine shape.

Miss Lucile VanWert underwent an operation at the Addison Hospital Tuesday morning for appendicitis. As we go to press she is reported as being well on the road to recovery.

The Mother's Day exercises held at the Methodist church on Sunday morning were much enjoyed. Four young ladies distributed bouquets to all the mothers in the audience. A fine program was given.

Claude Van Wert will sell at public auction on the premises one mile west of North Adams six cows 121 poultry and implements. Sale begins at one o'clock p. m. See his ad on inside pages. Saturday, May 16th.

Mrs. Edna Hewitt spent last Sunday as the guest of friends at Locust Corners and in the evening participated in the Mother's Day program at the Hudson Congregational church, rendering a vocal solo.

The Commandant at Custer informs us that one lad at Iron River, Mich., walked 18 miles to a doctor for typhoid inoculation so that he could qualify for military training. The commandant calls this "appreciative" We should call it "hard boiled."

Darrel Rock of Waukesha, Wisconsin, spent Sunday in North Adams with his parents, Fred Rock and wife. He is a mechanical draughtsman employed by the manufacturers of moving cranes. Mr. Rock has his goods all packed to remove to Michigan where he expects to locate soon.

Twenty nine candidates passed the recent examination held at Hillsdale and among the list we note the following from this vicinity: 2nd Grade, Ruth Randolph Jerome; Eleanor Sturtevant Osseo. 3rd Grade Maxine Armstrong, Osseo; Ed Bloemker, Grace Smith, Genevieve Roberts, Ethel Bohn, North Adams; Alzada and Florence Edinger, Osseo Stanley Gray, Hillsdale.

A most pleasing event occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Holkins Friday evening, May 8th when a few friends gave them a genuine surprise with a bountiful 6 o' clock dinner in honor of Mr. Holkins' 75th birthday. The occasion also was the wedding anniversary of John Owen and wife. After doing ample justice to the repast cards and other games helped to pass a very pleasant evening.

Those from away who attended the funeral of Harley Harrington on Sunday are: Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Werner, Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. John Bishopp, Eli Harrington, Mrs. Shepard, Litchfield; Loyd Harrington, Sioux City Iowa Lawrence Harrington and wife L-ron Harrington Oscar Prine and son, Ward of Jackson, Jake Werner and wife of Bronson, Forrest Baker and wife of Hillsdale, Grant Baker and wife, Alfred Baker and wife, George Baker and wife of Jerome, Leland Foster of Lansing, Harley Voorhees of Hanover.

The Third Annual Young People's Inter Sunday school Conference of the county will be held at the Presbyterian church in Hillsdale May 18 and 19 1925 beginning at 1:30 Monday afternoon. Such people as Clarence N. Wright of Lansing. Mrs. Northcott of Oak Park, Illinois, are on the program assisted by local talent throughout the county. We note by the program in our possession that Rev. Virgil Hunt of this place presides at the 2;30 session Monday and the theme is "Inspiration for Service" On Tuesday afternoon at 2;30 Miss Loreta Wertz will discuss "The Week day Session."

The Womans Club which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. Fern Scrivens has been postponed to May 25th.

When it comes to vigorous old age your Uncle Joe Cannon of Danville, Illinois, seems to be in the van. He recently celebrated his 89th birthday by driving his automobile. After the photographers were through with him it was discovered that Uncle Joe had forgotten his cigar which has been a part of him every time he was "took" for the past 50 years.

The case of Thomas Lorenzen whose temper got the better of his judgment last fall, was taken up by Judge Chester and sentence was passed on him of two year's probation and a fine of $200 If Lorenzen could raise this sum in 24 hours he was free. If not he must go to Ionia for one year. Lorenzen severely cut Elmer Fowler of Wheatland township but on the testimony of reputable citizens as to Lorenzen's good character previous to the trouble, the Judge was moved to clemency.

The W. C. T. U. election resulted as follows: President, Mrs. George Holcomb; vice pres., Ethel Clement; sec., Pauline Gray; treas., Mrs. Haight; Mrs. French, District President of the organizatisn, gave a talk about a meeting recently held in Detroit where she heard many of the prominent Christian workers discussing the problem of Law Enforcement. Dr Rice declared that the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was the most effective body in existence to carry on the work; and because of "The Bureau of Investigation" recently organized to inquire into the reason for the failure of the Prohibition law in some places, will need money the Union is advised to put on a drive' and enlist all women as members and men as honorary members of the Society. She spoke of the general attitude of the press toward Prohibition and the boast of the "Wets" that they had millions of dollars to use in putting their argument before the public. The people of our town certainly should rejoice that our Editor does not fail to boost the Prohibition cause and that he gives as much space to the W. C. T. U. work and holds a high moral standard before us. Contributed

"Backbone" By The Seniors

Tonight in Community Hall the High school Seniors present the comedy-drama "Backbone". The class have been drilled and should present the play in a creditable manner. The cast is as follows: Henry Easton, Everett Westcott; Lucille Easton, his wife and good dispenser of funds, Frances Young; Elizabeth Easton, attractive daughter of the family, Naomi Crapser; Barton, owner of the department store, Ralph Wolcott: Fred Barton, his son, Paul Wells; Willie Scott, who lets well enough alone, Theron Randolph; Wilbur, office boy, Bernard Shaw; Collector for instalment house, J. W. Lynch; Kate, maid at Easton home, Charlotte Lane; Miss Woodward, who believes in the message of the stars, Thelma Brooks.

Obituary

Harley Lewis Harrington was born in Wheatland township July 18, 1888 passed out of this life in Phoenix Arizona April 30th 1925. Aged 36 years 9 months and 12 days

The first few years of his life were spent in Wheatland and North Adams where he attended High school.

About 12 years ago he went to Chanute Kansas where he was employed by the Chanute Cement Co. as salesman. From there he went to Kansas City where he was employed by the Campbell baking Co.

The same Co. transferred him to Sioux City, Iowa. Going from there into Service at Camp Pike for six months.

After being discharged from Service he was made manager of the Campbell baking Co. of Tulsa Oklahoma which position he held until failing health made it necessary for him to give up work.

He was united in marriage to Miss Lillian Hyer of Chattanooga Tennessee October 8th 1918 who remains to mourn the loss. He leaves a father Eli Harrington of Litchfield, two sisters Mrs. Ida Bishop of Litchfield and Mrs. Maye Werner of Kansas City Missouri A brother Merton W. Harrington of Tuscaloosa Alabama.

Also a large circle of friends who will miss his genial smile and loving hand shake.

Card of Thanks

We wish most sincerely to thank those who assisted in the burial of our loved one and for the floral offerings, also Rev. Hutton for his words of comfort.

Mrs. Lillian Harrington
Eli Harrington
Mrs. Ida Bishoo
Mrs. Maye Werner

REV. H. G. HAMILTON

METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. H. HUTTON, Pastor
Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Next Sunday will be the beginning of the Revival meetings. Rev. H. G. Hamilton of Warsaw Indiana formerly from Belfast Ireland will be with us. He comes to us from St. Paul Minn. where he has been engaged in Evangelistic services during the months of March and April, with wonderful success, The St. Paul papers said of fiim, "He is a deep student, has a true message and tells it well." Hear him!

The Hoxie Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Flutel Thompson, Thursday p. m. A potluck supper will be served.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

You are cordially invited to attend the Congregational church services every Sunday at 10:30 o'clock. Let us not forget our churches these Spring days. We need to keep them filled.

Sunday school at 11:45 to which you are urged to attend. There is a place for you all. Clark Pierce has been secured as teacher for the new Junior class which is being started. You Juniors who aren't in Sunday school Come!

Bring your friends and we'll make you feel at home.

Choir practice at the home of Frances Young Saturday evening.

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A. REISER, PASTOR
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Sunday evening service 7:00
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William Owen of Detroit spent Sunday with his parents John Owen and wife.

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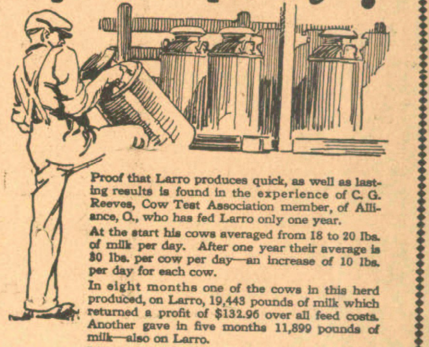

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Maniac's Frolic

An escaped lunatic at Binghamton, N. Y., drove a Lackawanna flagman from his station, then filled his pipe and sat down to take things easy until he found he had no match. A train whistled. Flagging the train he asked the engineer for a "light." That was more fun than he had counted on, so every train was stopped after that while engineers and trainmen tried to make out what the "new flagman" was up to. But hospital attendants found their missing ward and his vacation was short-lived. — Capper's Weekly.

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Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the *result* of kidney or bladder disease.

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A lad may wear balloon trousers and sweater shirts that look like crossword puzzles, and still not look any funnier than his father did in the '90s with skin-tight pants and collars that choked his ears.—National Republican.

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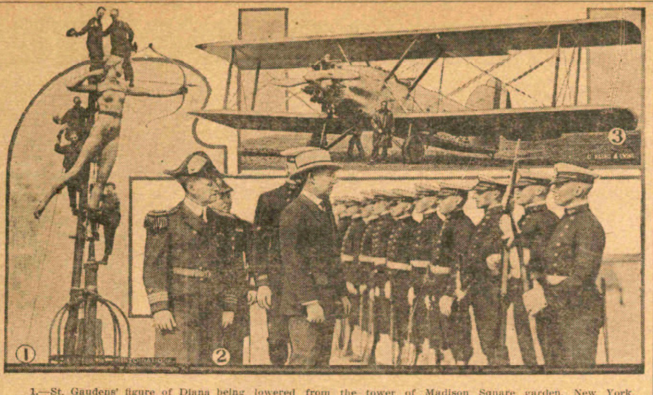

1.—St. Gaudens' figure of Diana being lowered from the tower of Madison Square garden, New York, before demolition of the building. 2.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews inspecting men of coast guard preliminary to starting big operations against the rum fleet. 3.—The "Cyclon," largest air-cooled airplane engine in world, installed in navy bombing and torpedo plane.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

France Tells Arms Traffic Conference She Must Have Security Pact.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

FRANCE is overlooking no opportunity to assure the world that she cannot be expected to adhere to any international peace and disarmament agreements until she receives guarantee of the security of her boundaries and those of Poland and the nations of the little entente. She continues to distrust Germany and insists that until the other great powers promise protection for her and her allies, she must remain fully armed and must keep on manufacturing armament for herself and for the smaller nations that look to her for their safety from German aggression.

Paul Boncour, powerful Socialist party leader, said all this and more very frankly to the international conference on the control of arms traffic in Geneva, giving warning that it was doomed to failure unless the demands of France were heeded. He threatened his colleagues with another world war if they persisted in overlooking this security problem, and said France intended to revive the discredited Geneva protocol at the September meeting of the League of Nations assembly; but he offered to discuss any adequate substitute for that pact that might be offered.

As for a convention for the control of traffic in arms, M. Boncour said this would be worthless and unjust unless it were confirmed immediately by a convention regulating private production, "because production is the originating point and traffic is merely the result." This is contrary to the view expressed by Congressman Theodore E. Burton, head of the American delegation, who insists foreign shipments of munitions, not the private manufacture, is the important thing. Mr. Burton on Thursday offered a scheme dealing with the traffic in poisonous gases.

Both Brazil and Uruguay advocate a rule under the proposed convention that no nation may sell arms to a rebel party until a half of the nations signing the treaty, including a certain number of the great powers, recognize the government of a revolutionary party. This is opposed by the American delegation because in most revolutions in the western hemisphere the hands of the United States would be tied, while awaiting the recognition of a revolutionary party by numerous European powers. This is looked on as a serious menace to the Monroe doctrine.

Carton de Wiart of Belgium was elected president of the conference.

ONE of the most significant events of the week was the first public address of Ambassador Houghton in London. Undoubtedly speaking for President Coolidge's administration, he tactfully but pointedly admonished the nations of Europe that unless they abandoned warlike ambitions and destructive methods and policies the American people would cease to aid in European reconstruction. He did not name any nation, but it was generally accepted that his warning was directed especially at France, and everywhere except in France the speech was warmly commended.

Telling his hearers that Americans looked on the aftermath of the war in Europe sympathetically and with an intense desire to help, Mr. Houghton continued:

"But we, too, are a practical people. When we lent our savings to make it possible for the peoples of central Europe to get work it was because we knew that only in this way could Europe as a whole be made to function economically. When we lent of our savings to rebuild markets that had been destroyed it was because we knew that in no other way could they be enjoyed again.

"That was a necessary beginning. It was common sense. If we went at the job with a certain moral earnestness, let that go to our credit. It is natural for us to assume that those who have suffered so much from the war should seek a settlement which as far as humanly possible should be free of the conditions leading directly to war. To that end and in that spirit we have helped.

"But we have never forgotten that there was a limit beyond which we could not go. The full measure of American helpfulness can be obtained only when the American people are assured that the time for destructive methods and policies has passed and the time for peaceful upbuilding has come. They are asking themselves if that time, as a fact, has come. And that question they cannot today answer. An answer must be given to them. It must come from the peoples of Europe, who alone can make decisions.

"If the answer is peace, then you may be sure that America will help to her generous utmost. But if, God forbid, that answer will continue confused and doubtful, then I fear those helpful processes which are now in motion must inevitably cease."

IF THE Atlantic coast rum-running fleet is not routed and dispersed it will not be the fault of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews, in charge of the treasury's activities in enforcing prohibition. Under his direction the naval and aerial resources of the coast guard of the New York area are being used to effect a blockade against the liquor smugglers. More than sixty coast guard boats, manned by 400 men and fully armed, are patrolling the sea and are assisted by thirteen seaplanes which are mapping and photographing the position of the carriers of contraband and scouting for shore boats. In reserve are many more boats, swift converted submarine chasers. Every vessel of the rum fleet is closely watched by one or more coast guard boats so that it is virtually impossible for shore boats to obtain and land any liquor. The blockade extends from Connecticut to New Jersey and its every move is directed from shore by radio.

AFTER defeating the Spanish in Morocco, the Riff tribesmen proceeded to invade the French part of that country with the idea of driving out the French. But they are up against the doughty General Lyautey and his experienced troops and already have been defeated in several sanguinary battles. General Columbat met the Riffians north of Fez and drove them back, but he reports that they were well organized and well armed and showed themselves able tacticians, withdrawing in good order despite heavy losses. The French government says its troops will not cross the Spanish border in pursuit of Abdel-Krim's followers unless specifically permitted to do so by Spain and England. Italy wants a finger in this pie and has notified France that it desires to share in the operations and in probable spoils, but France and Spain declare no outsider is wanted.

CHARGES of recent manipulation of wheat in the Chicago market for speculative purposes are being investigated by the Department of Agriculture and Senator Capper of Kansas says a report is to be expected soon. The Chicago Board of Trade also received charges that there was a corner in May corn and rye and it requested all having complaints regarding market manipulation to present them to the directors May 12. A complaint has been made that the Grain Marketing company, a farmer's concern, should not be allowed to trade in provision futures, as it is supposed to be doing business for the farmers and they are not supposed to be interested in provision trading. This was to be taken up with other matters.

DIRECTOR of the Budget Lord has just completed a tour of the country lasting one month, in which he has told many thousands of tax payers about the President's economy program. He has now begun work on the next budget, in which there will be a substantial reduction. Mr. Coolidge hopes this cut will be as great as $300,000,000, making the total estimates to be submitted to the next congress about $3,000,000,000. The treasury, it is predicted, will show a surplus of about $100,000,000 for the current year. The total volume of tax receipts may be cut by 12 per cent, the method of doing this to be decided by congress. Secretary Mellon wants surtaxes reduced and rates on estate taxes lowered or eliminated.

IN RECOGNITION of the growing importance of aviation in warfare and, possibly, in the belief that it will check the movement for a separate air force, Secretary of the Navy Wilbur has announced that hereafter aviation is to be a major course of study in the Naval academy at Annapolis and that every graduate must qualify as a flyer within two years after graduation.

ALL communists in Bulgaria have been outlawed by the government and their organizations are being exterminated. The Macedonian revolutionary organization, whose chief, Alexandroff, was assassinated last September on orders from Moscow because he would not bolshevize it, is giving the government great assistance, providing large bands of fighting men where they are most needed. This secret force numbers, it is said, about 100,000. The communists, who are being hunted like rats, are fighting back desperately. Several witnesses in the trial of those accused of the Sofia cathedral bomb outrage have testified that the Third Internationale at Moscow was responsible for the affair, but Zinovieff has reiterated his denial of this.

THE dirigible Los Angeles made a speedy and altogether successful flight from Lakehurst to Mayaguez, Porto Rico, where she found the mooring ship Patoka. From there the big airship flew to the Virgin Islands.

PROMINENT women from many lands met last week in Washington for the quinquennial session of the International Council of Women. Lady Aberdeen, the president, was in the chair and Secretary of Commerce Hoover delivered the welcoming address on behalf of the government. The disarmament resolution presented to the convention called for "general disarmament as the ideal to be aimed at, preceded by a gradual and general reduction of armaments under effective control to be agreed upon by the respective governments and the League of Nations."

SOCIALISTS of Germany made charges of irregularity and fraud in the election of Von Hindenberg as president and formally asked that the election be declared void. Nevertheless the arrangements for the inauguration of the field marshal on May 12 went right ahead. There was speculation as to the attitude the allied governments would adopt. Von Hindenburg is still listed as a war culprit, so those governments would have to "forget" that fact or else decline to congratulate him, which would be considered an insult by Germany.

LEON TROTZKY, who used to be the soviet war minister and was deposed and sent to Transcaucasia, has been recalled to Moscow on his promise to obey the dictates of the Bolshevist party, and probably will be given the post of commissar of foreign trade, vacated by Krassin on his appointment as ambassador to France. His arrival in Moscow was virtually ignored by the people and he will have hard work to recover his influence and popularity. Zinovieff, it was announced, would take a long vacation in the Caucasus—probably because of his failure to produce the promised revolutions in other lands.

W. T. VAN ORMAN, piloting the Goodyear III, won the national elimination balloon race and will represent the United States in the International contest. Starting from St. Joseph, Mo., his balloon traveled about 600 miles, coming down at Reform, Ala.

CHARGING criminal conspiracy to violate the state antitrust laws, the state of Mississippi has filed suit against the Ford Motor company for $12,000,000 penalties. All Ford dealers in the state and the banking institutions with which they do business are made co-defendants. The suit is based on contracts between the Ford company and the dealers.

Tariff Vital Issue in German Politics

Dusseldorf, Germany.—A gigantic economic struggle is going on behind the scenes in Germany of which the general public at present knows or suspects little. The issue is, shall Germany have high protective tariffs or shall it enter into a customs union with as many nations as possible?

Those who favor a high protective tariff argue that, so long as Germany is fettered with reparations payments, its production costs will continue to be so high that there is danger of dumping by foreign countries. Therefore, the only way to help German industry is to protect the home industries by high tariffs.

The other argument in favor of customs unions runs as follows: Germany has become so crippled by the loss of Alsace-Lorraine and her colonies, the slicing off of Upper Silesia, and the placing under foreign administration of the Saar and Memel regions, that the only salvation of her industry lies in branching out into foreign countries. But as other nations would be unwilling to receive German goods unless similar favorable treatment be accorded their goods in Germany, the customs union advocates argue that Germany should abolish tariff barriers as far as possible. This may mean the ruination of some few German industries, they admit, but, on the whole, Germany will be benefited.

This issue will come to the fore more than ever after the turmoil of the Presidential election has subsided.

NEARLY INSANE AT TIMES

Mrs. Saunders Tells how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieved Troubles of Change of Life

Knoxville, Tenn.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound while going through the Change of Life. I was very nervous, could not sleep and had melancholy spells. In fact, I was nearly insane at times and my memory was almost a blank. I was so weak I could not do my housework half of the time and suffered dreadfully with my back. My doctor said I would have to worry it out and I went through this for three years before I began taking the Vegetable Compound which I saw advertised. I think it was eight bottles that I took. It has been two years since I took any and I haven't had a doctor since for that trouble, I do all my washing and ironing and I have gained from 116 to 138 pounds. I feel so well I think I do not need any medicine now, but I advise all women who suffer physically and mentally as I did to give the Vegetable Compound a fair trial. I hope it will do as much for them as it did for me."—Mrs. T. A. SAUNDERS, 711 E. Depot Street, Knoxville, Tenn.

Serious operation avoided
Resinol healed stubborn sore

Elyria, Ohio, March 1:—"I feel it my duty and pleasure to thank you for the wonderful cure your Resinol salve has wrought for my husband, who suffered from an open sore on the back of his neck for four years. Several doctors said that it was a cancer and advised its removal, but it was so near the base of the brain that we feared an operation. I had found Resinol Ointment so effective for cuts, burns and similar things that I induced my husband to try that. After using only two jars of Resinol, the sore entirely healed—every trace of it has disappeared. Resinol certainly was a God-send to us!" (Signed) Mrs. E. E. Kennedy, 243 E. 8th St.

Breed Snails Which Find Ready Market

Many people remember with moist lips the succulent winkles which are procurable throughout the old land. These, as we all know, come from the sea; the smell of the salty deep is still upon them. Few know, however, that the edible land snails which are consumed in great quantities in European countries are cultivated on snail farms. These are patches of moist, clayey ground, fenced and separated by little water canals and provided with bushes and shrubbery for protection against the sun. The snails are fed principally on lettuce and other green stuff. Fruits and aromatic herbs are sometimes fed them to impart a special flavor to the flesh. Paris is the best customer for the snail breeder and fancier, for that metropolis consumes an average of 80,000,000 snails a year. In Switzerland and Bavaria these little animals are still a considerable article of commerce.—Family Herald.

No Compliment

"My dear sir, I am flattered by your staying to hear the remainder of my story when all the other passengers ran away at the sound of the dinner bell," said the ocean-going pest to his sole remaining listener.

"What, has the dinner bell rung?" asked the slightly deaf listener, as he hurried off to the dining room.

Columbia's Perfume Guild

A research fellowship in the chemistry of perfumes and essential oils has been endowed at Columbia university.—Science Service.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Ionia—Jess Tompkins, 29, father of three children, was sent to the county jail for beating and ill treating his 5-year-old daughter. School authorities made the complaint when the little girl came to school crying. He flogged her with a strap with a butt at one end.

Marquette—Leo Sauerman has left the Marquette branch prison a free man, on a pardon granted by Governor Alex J. Groesbeck. Sauerman served two years and 7 months of a life sentence imposed on him for the murder of Alex Dombrowski, Gibraltar township farmer, for which crime Harry Hill was recently convicted.

Sault Ste. Marie—Traffic through the canals at Sault Ste. Marie for the month of April was more than double that of April, 1924, L. C. Sabin, general superintendent, reported. The total freight movement for the month was 3,604,023 tons, compared with 1,610,535 tons for April, 1924. The canal opened April 10, nine days earlier than it opened in 1924.

Mt. Pleasant—Mrs. Thomas Smith, living 10 miles northeast of here, is in the Bronstetter hospital, fatally burned and two children were burned to death, when their house was destroyed by fire. The son built a fire, called his mother and then went out to do the chores. Mrs. Smith fell asleep and when awakened by smoke, found the house on fire and their bed ablaze.

Marquette—Two Northern Normal co-eds whose names have not been ascertained were heroines in the rescue of John La Bonte, 8, from drowning in Lake Superior near here. They held his head above water until Sylvester Trythall of Ironwood and Clarence Aslitt of Gladstone, also Normal students hauled him out. The men students worked over the boy 30 minutes before artificial respiration revived him.

Grand Rapids—Arthur K. Falk, 23 years old, returned here from Detroit on a charge of embezzlement preferred by Hopkins, Ghysels & Co., with which he formerly was employed as cashier, was fined $400 and costs of $100 by Superior Judge Leonard D. Verdier. The respondent was ordered to repay the stolen money, estimated at from $2,855.88 to $3,500, and was placed on probation for two years.

Three Rivers—General H. Bandholtz, United States army, retired, died suddenly at his home at Constantine, near here. He had not been well for some weeks. Mrs. Bandholtz had returned from the hospital where she underwent an operation, and the two were sitting talking when General Bandholtz suddenly stiffened and nearly fell from his chair. He expired almost at once. Heart trouble was the cause.

Marshall—The will of United States Representative Arthur B. Williams, of Battle Creek has been filed with Probate Judge Blaine W. Hatch here and petition was made to admit it to probate. It was made December 9, 1924, at Battle Creek. Mrs. Sue M. Williams and the Old National bank of Battle Creek are named executrix and trustee respectively. The estate is valued at $75,000 real and $500,000 personal. There are nine heirs and legatees.

Pontiac—Establishment of a clinic for crippled children has been brought about by the Rotary club of Pontiac which has been engaged on the project for a year. The first clinic will be held on May 14 in a local church, with Dr. F. C. Kidner, of Detroit in charge, assisted by Miss Alberta Case, executive secretary of the Michigan Crippled Children's association. Co-operating with the Pontiac club are the Ferndale, Birmingham and Royal Oak clubs.

Detroit—Appointment of the A. L. Drum company, nationally known consulting engineers, to assume the management of the Detroit United railways is contemplated by the receivers, it is learned. Official announcement of the appointment awaits court authorization. The Drum company was employed recently by the receivers to make a complete survey of the D. U. R. system. The firm has engaged extensively in managerial problems in the railway field.

Manistee—William Hansen, chief of the Manistee fire department, holds the distinction of being the most modest man in this district. Recently the city commission was presented with an urgent request to send the chief to the annual convention of the National Firemen's Association at Chicago, May 19 to 21, because as vice-president for the last year, he is in line to become president of the national organization. The request came from the headquarters of the association.

Grand Rapids—Although he spent the last two years lying in bed in a plaster cast to correct a spinal trouble, Maurice B. Pekarsky has been voted the Union High School student achievement award by the faculty. Able to attend classes only during periods in which his cast is being changed, which comprised not more than a month during the last year, Pekarsky hobbles to the school house when he can recite for the six weeks he has been in bed, and receives assignments for his next period in the cast.

Ypsilanti—A party of Ypsilanti business men, headed by Olin C. Eckley, secretary of the Board of Commerce was in Lansing to urge the State Highway Commission to complete the paving of the road between here and Saline, a distance of 10 miles, during the present summer. Present plans call for paving only four miles east of Saline, and despite the opposition of farmers living along the road, a petition was recently circulated among business men of Ypsilanti and Saline and was finally presented to the state highway dept.

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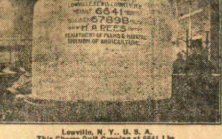
Chile, South America
A South American Milkman
This picture was taken in Ancud, Chiloe Island, Chile. A can of milk slung on either side of a mule or some other native beast of burden and a quart measure are all this milkman needs to serve his trade. The quart measure has seen hard service. The lady customer wears an intent look—on the lookout for short measure.



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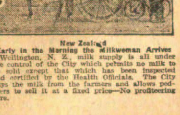

New Zealand
Early in the Morning the Milkwoman Arrives
Wellington, N. Z., milk supply is all under the control of the City which permits no milk to be sold except that which has been inspected and certified by the Health Officials. The City buys the milk from the farmers and allows peddlers to sell it at a fixed price—No profiteering here.

Dairying at Home and Abroad
The production of more milk, richer milk, purer milk starts months ahead where dairying is done on real business standards. Extreme care is given in rationing, housing and sanitation of the dairy farms.

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Antwerp, Belgium
The Lady Milkman Makes Her Daily Trip in Her Dog Chaise
In Belgium, you know, as well as in Holland, it is a very common thing to see a team of dogs hitched to a milk wagon, but usually the owner of the team gives them a helping push. This lady must have been tired or she would surely have helped out her little team.

Livestock Feeders At M. A. C. May 23

Livestock Feeders' Day, an annual event at M. A. C., will be held on May 23 this year, according to announcement just made by the animal husbandry department at the college. A general invitation has been issued for everyone interested in livestock feeding to gather at East Lansing for the meeting.

Results of extensive feeding experiments conducted during the past year by the college livestock specialists will be announced at the Feeders' Day. Different lots have been on feed and under careful observation in a number of classes, including calves, swine and horses.

The program calls for inspection of the experimental pens in the morning with discussion of the rations fed; and a general meeting in the afternoon, presided over by R. S. Shaw, dean of the college agricultural division.

M. A. C. Radio Station Closed May 8

Michigan's first agricultural radio school, broadcast this spring from the M. A. C. station, WKAR closed on Friday May 8, for a summer "recess". It is understood that the school will be re-opened next fall with a considerably expanded curriculum.

A check of registration for the five courses included in the school this spring shows that more than 2,500 formal enrollments were received at the college Short Course office. As a great many enrolled in more than one course, however, the number of individuals does not run as high as the enrollment figure. In addition, it is estimated by those in charge of the course that many thousands who did not bother to send in registration blanks listened to the lectures.

While plans have not been completed for next year's school, announcement has been made from the college extension office that the success of this year's broadcasting guarantees another series of courses with more variety in the subject matter. It is probable the air school will be started about the first of November, running for five months

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 23rd, day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel A Wisner Deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate,

It is Further ordered, That the 27th day of August 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recordsd in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the south west corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich,
July 24, 1925. 48t13

Sunday School Conference

The third annual county Young People's Inter-Sunday School Conference will be held in the Presbyterian Church in Hillsdale May 18 and 19. Outside workers will be Mrs. H. C. Northcott of Chicago, specialist in young people's work, Mr. Clarence N. Wright, Young People's Division Superintendent of the Michigan Inter-Sunday School Council of Religious Education.

Who may attend:—Each school may send two young men and two young women between 16 and 24 with one adult leader. No one under 16 is eligible and all over 24 are considered as adult leaders.

The expense:—The registration fee of $1.00 will include the banquet on Monday night. Lodging and breakfast will be furnished free to all who desire it. Weather permitting there will be a campfire supper Tuesday evening for which the expense will be about 25c. Transportation and dinner Tuesday will be the only other expense.

Mrs. Viola Moore, County Superintendent of Schools, recommends that all high school superintendents excuse delegates and give credit for attendance at Conference sessions the same as if pupil were in school.

It is very desirable although not compulsory that schools register in advance so that committees may know what arrangements to make for entertainment. A banner will be given to the District having the largest registration. Send registration cards to Mr. Forest Brown, 114 Hillsdale St., Hillsdale, Michigan.

Most of the mashers up around Flint are a little more careful than formerly as to how they approach damsels on the streets. Howard Freeman aged 30 made an attempt to get fresh while a "hello" girl from the local telephone office who was at that moment looking into the window of a jewelry store on the streets of Flint. He stepped briskly up to her and said: "How would you like to have one of those rings and just for that he is doing time in the city Bastile a much sadder but wiser man. The young lady who by the way is only 20 years old, and quite pretty, complained to a city dad who happened to be passing and the confounded old rascal called the cops. Now how's that for high? Why, its only a matter of a few years until it will not be safe to pass a fair damsel on the streets lest she might catch a flirt out of the corner of your eye. Of course Howard was too fresh, but he could have done worse.

—I am situated to do your carpenter work of all kinds. Phone North Adams. H. W. Beach. 48t4

The copper roof on the dome of the old Massachusetts State House at Boston was put on way back in 1831 and has never required one cent of outlay for repairs since that time. Think of it. 93 years since this copper sheating was put on. During this time it has been re-painted and re-guilded six times.

It is reported that the neighboring village of Addison has decided to pave its main street with concrete for a distance of one mile. If fhe tax payers down there are not familiar with paving costs they will be in due season, and we'll guarantee they will never again be caught with any such dodge. By the time they have finished paying for their concrete pavement a number of highly respected but financially poor people will have been driven to the county farms or to other fields, tax paying widows without any visible means of support will have been starved to death and the whole village impoverished by paying taxes on something which likely was not needed and which will serve to pilot traffic right on through to some larger trading point. There is no question but that the small burgs of this country are plunging into luxuries which they will never be able to surmount, but then of course as the old woman said when she kissed her cow "it depends upon your taste." In the opinion of considerable number of people the trend of the times, through trunk lines and automobiles are bringing about the ruin and decay of the small villages at a fair rate of speed, and the Lord only knows what 20 years will bring about.

The Baby Farm Activities

Recent investigations of the baby farm mystery in New York City whereby it was found the notorious widow of a German army officer had for some time been conducting a ranch where babies were taken to board and sooner or later disposed of, have led officials to believe there are a lot more of these same institutions being conducted in different parts of the country. No doubt such is the case and all the large cities probaby are more or less infected with the same conditions. It would be worse than useless to attempt to prove that large numbers of innocent babes are killed every month in the year because they are not wanted in the home and for other reasons. Most of these cases probably arise from illegitimate births among the younger class of women and girls. The instigators of such crimes should be punished quite severely and not only the murderers but the mother should be made to understand the terribleness of her crimes.

Arbor Day Fittingly Observed

A unique and rather pretty observance of Arbor Day is reported to us from the John L. Buck district west of North Adams and we hope our readers will forgive us for some delay in publishing this item. But as a matter of fact last week we had so much on the stringwe simply could not get it into type.

The affair was sponsored by the West Adams Womans Circle when a company of mothers and club members met at the John L. Buck school and a nice program was given by the pupils. Following the program Mrs. Raymond Barker talked on the subject of shrubbery and recommended that they care for the trees and shrubs which were about to be planted. O. W. Haskell was appointed as supervisor for the care of the maples, spirea and lilac. The committee in charge were Mesdames Raymond Barker, Reid Shepard, Marian Adams and Lewis Meeks. The teacher is Pauline Wells and she has given good enough satisfaction that she is engaged for another year. They tell us that team work is the slogan in this district, and patrons and teacher enjoy to the fullest extent each other's confidence in all movements for the public good. How many of our rural school districts can say the same?

Just Chester Handed Out Some Bouquets

Charlie West who was picked up by the Sheriff last March with an auto load of "bug juice" was expected to appear for trial on Tuesday, but changed his mind quite suddenly and on second thought decided to take his dose. Charlie might better have gone west, but now he can't. The Judge told Charlie that for some unbeknowst reason there are still people who think the law should not be observed. That kind of example encourages other people to suppose they can do the same. The Judge said he felt the only way was to send such men as Charlie to the Hoosegow and thereat he handed Mr. West a lemon in the shape of six months in the Ionia crook laundry also a fine of $200, and if the fine is not forthcoming, it means another six.

Another Charlie named Marriott unfortunately accused of taking a nip then driving his gas buggy was remanded to jail for 30 days and a fine of $75. In lieu of the fine he is to do 90 days, after which there is more to follow, as he is accused of burglarizing the Lewis filling station.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Council Rooms May 12, 1925

Meeting called to order by President Wolcott. Trustees present L. B. Eggleston, H. L. Fry, F. N. Baker, D. H. Carney, Glenn Mercer and Bert Taylor. Absent none. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following bills were presented, approved by the finance committee and orders drawn for same:

Wm. Wolff trucking	10.00
Southern Michigan Light and Power Co.,	189.75
W. E. Frederick telephone fees	3.75
H. L. Fry Cleaning streets	10.20
Graves and Ford Lumber Co., coal	2.13
Will Peterson Labor on repairing roof	3.50
Jim Winchell	3.50
J. W. Losey	3.50
also feeding tramps and drawing rubbish	7.25
F. J. Williams and Son roofing	56.32
L. V. Harvey postal cards and printing	2.25

President Wolcott selected May 20th for meeting of Board of Review, appointed Glenn Mercer and D. H. Carney as members of that board. The finance committee decided on ¾ of one percent for the rate of taxation.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the council stand adjourned.

H. A. Williams, Clerk.

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Methodist Brotherhood In Communion

The annual Konklave of the M. E. Brotherhood of Hillsdale county was held last week Friday evening at the Reading church with a bunch of delegates from surrounding districts present.

Knowing that "as a man eateth so he doeth" a banquet was served at 7 o'clock. Music was furnished by the county chorus and the male quartet composed of Arthur Wells Cleve Crater, Leslie Young and Charles Lee. Officers were elected for the following year: President Cleve Crater; vice president, Harry Stiefel, Reading; secretary and treasurer, Carlton Snyder, Frontier

Dr. Whitehouse of Albion College, gave an interesting address on crime and its relationship to the American home. Rev. H. Henry and a bunch from Hillsdale went over and attended the meeting.

American Forest week should annually become one of the most important events in each of our states. This nation's future depends upon an everlasting supply of timber. For four years the United States Forest service has directed observance of Forest Protection week. This year it felt that the best interests of forestry would be served by transferring observance of the week to non governmental agencies As a result various organizations all over the United States are taking an interest in the matter. Lumber manufacturers associations have rendered particular assistance The American public is one of the greatest offenders in forest destruction because of its carelessness with fire. If it can be awakened to its responsibility as the best guardian of its own forest resources, the first big step will have been taken in reforestation, as the young trees will have a chance tc grow without being blighted by thousands of forest fires which this nation now has annually.

The Slackers Are With Us

It is the misfortune of the newspaper publisher as well as men in other lines of business to accasionally get in touch with a man who does not pay his honest debts, in fact the newspaper going as it does into 500 homes of the community, when it is issued each week, finds the slackers and it is not at all uncommon to find one or two plebeians who have been overlooked until their subscription has been some time overdne. We are happty to state that in most cases the subscribers is willing to come across and settle his bill without any excuses whatever. But in a few cases it is necessary to put on the pressure to get what is honestly due the publisher. Such people are found in every walk of life and in all communities. In our short experience of publishing a paper we have uncovered a few of these nuisances and in one or two cases had serious trouble in getting what they owed us.

In the delinquent class of subscribers are found two kinds—the chap who never has any money to pay any of his bills, and the fellow who calculates to beat the publisher if he can. The latter puts up a hard luck story, tells you he never received only half the issues or he supposed he was paid up, or the fault is not his or he will hand you the arrearage right away. This fellow usually gets by without paying up unless the editor goes after him with an officer. The financially mbarassed gent goes unscathed out of real sympathy on the part of the printer. The skunk who subscribes for a term of three or six months and then allows his paper to come right along for six months after it expires, with the intention of refusing to pay for it, ought to be hung—and he usually has a hard time getting through the world. After he has lived all his life in a community, most of the citizens know him too well and they usually head him off—but the publisher can't always do this—results as stated.

The law in regard to newspaper accounts should be slightly amended. In the first place any person who subscribes for a paper should state at the time if he desires it stopped at the expiration, or if he does not at that time he should so state when it runs out. Otherwise the act should be classed as larceny, and the penalty fixed accordingly. As the law stands its makes liars of the subscribers and a world of trouble for the publisher.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 5th day of May A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward E. Carter, deceased,

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, That the 8th day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased,

And it is further ordered : That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate
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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Elliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

BETTER ROADS

The KITCHEN CABINET

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A single conversation across the table with a wise man is worth a month's study of books.—Chinese Proverb.

FOOD FOR THE HOUSEHOLD

When something extra nice is wanted for the family, try the following:

Broiled Porterhouse Steak.—Lay a thick slice of porterhouse between thin slices of round steak. On these thin slices rub a cut clove of garlic freely until both are well seasoned. Lay the beef sandwich into a broiler and cook as usual. As the meat cooks, the juices from the round steak will saturate the porterhouse, carrying the delicious garlic flavor into the middle piece. When the porterhouse is nearly cooked, remove the round steak and brown quickly. The round steak will be dry and unpalatable but can be ground and used in stock. Sprinkle the hot steak with chopped parsley, a bit of lemon juice and plenty of butter and serve at once. The aroma from the garlic will add greatly to the flavor.

Herford Salad.—Take a tablespoonful each of chopped celery, green peppers, chives and anchovies. Mix well and sprinkle over head lettuce. Serve with a French dressing made of olive oil, tarragon vinegar with paprika and salt.

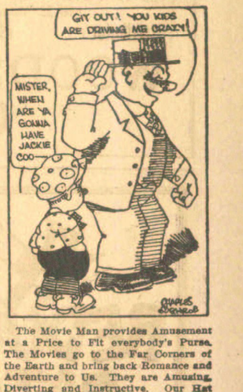
Eggs a la Buckingham.—Make five slices of milk toast and arrange on a platter. Scramble four or five eggs and when done pour over the toast. Sprinkle with four tablespoonfuls of grated cheese. Put into the oven to melt the cheese.

Meat Pie.—Put through the meat grinder any leftover roast, with a little ham. Place in a buttered baking dish with a little stock or boiling water. Cover with baking powder biscuit and bake until the biscuits are brown. A bit of onion may be added for flavor, if desired.

Cream Slaw.—Slice cabbage very fine and pour over the following dressing: Take one and one-half tablespoonfuls of vinegar, one tablespoonful of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, a dash of pepper, one-half teaspoonful of mustard, two tablespoonfuls of flour, one and one-half cupfuls of milk or milk and cream; pour over the boiling vinegar, stir in the flour and cook six minutes. Pour hot over the cabbage.

Nellie Maxwell

OUR HALL OF FAME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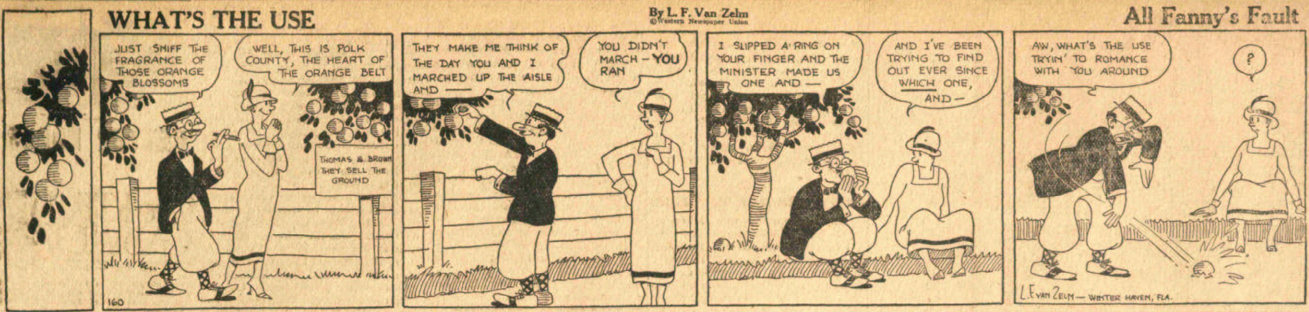
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By L. F. Van Zelm
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THOMAS & BROWN THEY SELL THE GROUND
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THEY MAKE ME THINK OF THE DAY YOU AND I MARCHED UP THE AISLE AND ——
YOU DIDN'T MARCH — YOU RAN
I SLIPPED A RING ON YOUR FINGER AND THE MINISTER MADE US ONE AND —
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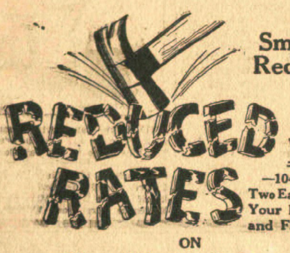

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Winning The Children

While the slogans of the closing years of the first half century of organized effort are ringing in our ears, we are becoming accustomed to, and familiar with, those of the present: "Children First," "Win a Million Children," "Youth's Year."

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union very early in its history recognized the value of educating the child in the principles of total abstinence and purity. As a result, there are in public life today, men and women who, believing in those principles, have made possible the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution.

We are beginning a new era of achievements. Having reached the goal of national prohibition, we face with confidence the "Greater Task ahead," the defending and holding of that which we have gained, and we believe that in this too, we shall be victorious.

We believe that the children, youth and young womanhood of our land, responding to the call of the new Crusade, will enlist in the campaign for total abstinence and loyalty to the Constitution of our country, the United States of America.

The value of the total abstinence pledge in the life of a child cannot be estimated; its influence remains through all the years that follow, building into the character that which shall be a safeguard as long as life itself shall last.

The department of Child Welfare, through its mothers' meetings is emphasizing the importance of training the children in total abstinence. We ask each local union to pledge one hundred children as our share of the million we are to win to sing our songs, shout our slogans, and obey the laws of our land.

To the mother in the home this training comes as a personal duty.

First, is the teaching by example then by precept. If the child has before him continually the example of total abstinence and obedience to the Constitution he will unconsciously follow. And as soon as the child is able to understand, the reason no alcohol is used in the home, should be given. If the Eighteenth Amendment is explained and the child is pledged, it usually means that total abstinence for life is assured.

If "every young mother belonged to the W. C. T. U." every child would have inculcated in its very being the principles of total abstinence and obedience to law, with the result that there would be growing up a generation that would uphold the Eighteenth Amendment

Because we have national constitutional prohibition, many children who have had neither example nor precept are now being taught, and through them, many mothers are being won to total abstinence.

In the heart of the child may be planted the seeds of truth and much fruit will result when he is fully grown.

Frances Willard has given us these words: "Silver workers say that when you can see your face in the molten metal, that is the time to work. So it is with the heart of childhood in that impressionable stage when it reflects your character and teaching; then stamp with a firm, true hand the white cross upon the soul, the habits of personal cleanliness of life, with total abstinence from strong drink as their basis."

Many great men have given testimony to the value of the total abstinence pledge: Abraham Lincoln upon seeing a mother's sorrow and distress because of her son's dissipation, after repeating the words of Shakespeare, "O, God, that men should put an enemy in their mouths to steal away their brains," said to his son, "Taddie, lad, promise me that you will never drink liquor or wine or anything of that sort." Tad nodded and as he placed his hand in that of his father gave his word. A few mements later, the President remarked, "Son, keep that pledge and it will be the best act of your life." Tad kept the pledge.

Another true incident, which occurred in the life of a judge, is related: While quite young, he wanted to go to the city to study law but his father objected. One day the lad decided to run away. He confided his plans to his sistar who told them to her mother. The mother called the son to her room "Oh! how we loved mother's room" said the judge in telling the story. "She talked to me and wanted me to sign the total abstinence pledge and to promise her I would not go without letting her know. I was ready to agree to anything my mother wanted me to."

Soon afterward, he overheard a conversation between his father and mother. The father was saying, "If he goes to the city he will drink and be overcome by temptation." "But John, he has signed the pledge and promised he would not drink. Have you ever broken your promises to me?" "No", was the reply, "I don't think I ever have." "Have I ever broken any I have made to you?" "No." "Well said the mother, "isn't he our son and haven't we a right to expect he will keep his promise?" The boy went away to the city with his father's blessing. He kept the pledge and it was a safeguard through all the years. His life was a success and many young men have gone from his office with the influence of his example of total abstinence abiding with them.

Let us continue to pledge the children and youth to total abstinence, thus winning them for our cause.

See Beets As Safe Crop For Michigan

That sugar beets look like a pretty safe crop for many Michigan farmers to tie to, after consideration of production and market factors which are already known, is the opinion of Prof. J. F. Cox, head of the farm crops department at the M. A. C.

"In spite of the fact that this has been an unusual year for the preparation of seed beds for sugar beets", says Professor Cox, it is apparent that the acreage will not quite equal that of last year, unless more farmers in the next week or so conclude that beets are a safe crop.

"Apparently some have been deterred from planting due to announcements of large reserves of sugar abroad and comparatively low priccs prevailing at the present time. It should be kept in mind the per capita consumption of sugar has increased in the past five years in the United States from 85 to 125 pounds per person, and also that the sugar beet acreage of the great western sugar producing states is much less this year, due to serious inroads of nematodes and beet diseases in western states last year. The European acreage is also reported to be lower. Present reserves will rapidly melt away.

"Contracts are being offered Michigan farmers for sugar beets this year similar to those of the past year, with a minimum of $7 a ton assured growers, and increase above that based on sugar prices. Great elements of risk that occur to other field crops do not exist in the case of beets. Labor conditions have improved, and there will be plenty of labor available to sugar companies to fulfill their part of the contract in growing the beet crop, as well as more labor for farmers. Should we have another cold wet summer and fall, the beet crop would thrive under such conditions, while corn and beans would be injured.

"Beans, beets, and potatoes have been a great three horse team for Michigan farmers. Best results will be secured if they are kept pulling evenly in the harness; in other words it is not advisable to plant too large an acreage of beans and potatoes at the expense of the beet crop where these crops compete. Just at present the sugar beet crop is lagging a little.

"Considering the facts that a guarantee is offered, and that Michigan soil and climate are ideal for this tariff protected crop, are not beets, under the present conditions a most dependable crop to tie to."

Steel road signs are now being placed on the state road built last year between here and Hillsdale also east of here toward Wheatland Center which means the road has been accepted. Last week a steel corner sign was placed in this village at the corner of Main and Hillsdale streets, giving the distances to Jackson, Moscow, Jonesville, Coldwater, Hillsdale, Hudson, Reading.

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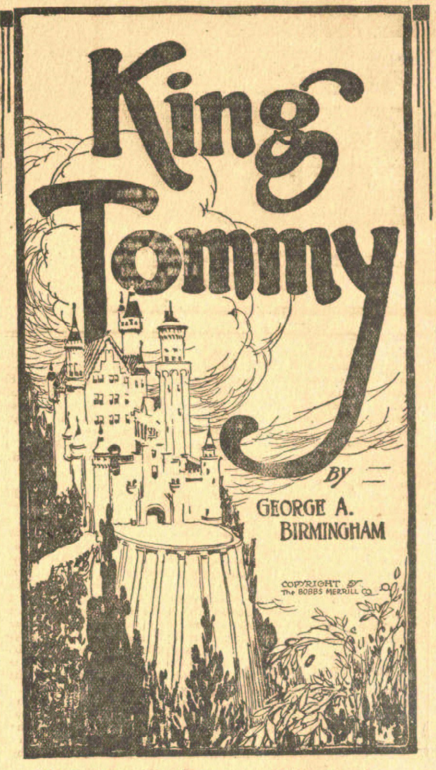

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Sat., May 16, '25

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Cattle: Jersey Cow 6 yrs. old, to freshen Sept, 2nd; Jersey Heifer 3 years old to freshen Sept. 6th. Jersey Cow 8 yrs. old to freshen Oct. 13th. Jersey and Guernsey Cow 4 yrs. old, to freshen August 21st. All these cows are giving good flow of milk at present. Also a 4-year-old Jersey Cow due the 15th of present month. These are all A-1 cows.

Poultry: 21 Pure-bred Golden Wyandotte Hens one year old; 2 Golden Wyandotte Cockerels. 13 Brown Leghorn Hens about 2 yrs. old. About 85 Pure Bred White Leghorn baby chicks 5 weeks old.

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The Truant Soul

By Victor Rousseau

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CHAPTER XII—Continued

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She lit her lamp, but her fingers slipped over the glass, and it fell to the floor with a crash that startled all the echoes in the old building. The smoky wick flared up. Joan turned it down with difficulty until the blaze was extinguished, and staggered to the bed, amazed at her weakness.

She could not keep her eyelids open, and she let them close wearily. But sleep was far from her, and still she listened. And after while an unmistakable sound reached her. Somewhere within the institute she heard a key turn in a lock.

It was the slightest distant sound, but it cut the darkness like a knife. And to her mind, the sound, which might mean nothing, might be, indeed, the key of Lancaster's door, seemed like the snap of a trap.

She slept and could not waken. Or, rather, she did not sleep, could not have slept; yet sleep had paralyzed her limbs and left her brain untouched; and her mind seemed preternaturally acute, so that she felt and saw everything that was happening in the building.

Someone was coming along the passage, as on that night before. The hand was upon the door. Through her closed and paralyzed eyelids Joan yet seemed to see the figure of a madwoman. Something was in her hand. It was the revolver which Joan had left upon the little table beside her.

Mrs. Dana stood over her, the weapon aimed at her, while her eyes sought her face.

Was she dreaming? Joan had waited through agony of centuries, and the woman was gone. Once more there was silence everywhere. And still she lay there, helpless, feeling all and knowing all, and that it had been no dream, but the prelude of worse to come.

It was strange, but she did not once picture Lancaster as in danger. It was as if the unchained spirit of evil, impotent to harm him, sought another victim. She waited, it seemed for aeons. And the the blow fell.

She heard a man's scream of fear, dinned through her ears distantly, with the accompanying pistol shot. Yet she was unable to stir, and it passed into her memory, as of something infinitely long ago. Presently there came the hum of voices, chattering cries, bare feet that ran wildly along the corridor without, hands at her door.

It was Mrs. Fraser's voice. Now, with a mighty effort, Joan shook herself free from the spell. She staggered from the bed and groped her way across the room.

Nobody was at the door now, but when she unlocked it a whirl of smoke burst in. Smoke filled the passage. Upon the floor beneath a woman was screaming. There were voices outside, and the sound of men running along the passages, but Joan could not locate them.

She staggered through the smoke, feeling for the stairs. It blinded her. She fell into a wall, felt a rigid body before her, and perceived dimly Mrs. Dana's face, wearing a look of exaltation.

She had come too far; she had reached the door of Mrs. Dana's room. Through a break in the smoke cloud Joan saw that the door was closed. Behind it someone was hammering. Then Myers' screams broke through the din and confusion. He was battering against the door, and the strong door, built to resist such pressure, refused to yield. His cries were terrifying. Under the door came little creeping tongues of flame.

Joan caught at Mrs. Dana. "Come with me!" she mumbled. "Come!"

The woman stood rigid as a statue. She felt like marble to the touch, but there was the same exaltation upon her face.

"Open the door!" whispered Joan with her last strength, and pointed. "Open it! Somebody is locked inside."

Myers was yelling as Joan had once heard a horse yell, trapped in a burning stable. The wood of the door was smoldering. Joan tried to reach the key. But the rigid body barred her way.

Then she heard her name called through the smoke. At the cry Mrs. Dana snatched the key from the lock and began to run along the corridor. Joan saw her dimly through the enwrapping smoke. She staggered, and fell into Lancaster's arms.

That was her last effort. Incapable of speech, she felt him bear her along the passage, where the smoke clouds were now shot through with streaks of flame. They thickened about her. Lancaster was carrying her down the stairs now, while hungry flames sprang at them from the walls and floor. He was staggering drunkenly when they reached the hall below.

He placed her on the grass, and plunged back into the flames. The institute was ablaze, fire streamed from the roof and windows. A group of villagers, clustered upon the lawn, looked on helplessly. Joan saw Jenkins, leading the matron, approaching her. She tried to tell him that Lancaster had gone back; she could not speak, but he understood her.

"The doctor's safe," he said, and as he spoke Joan saw Lancaster among a group of men who had gathered about something wrapped in a blanket.

He rose and came to her. That was all Joan remembered.

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And for days and nights her memories of the past were cut short with Lancaster's return that night, borne back by the power of her love flung across the miles between them. She knew that he lived, and as the nightmare of the end filtered into her mind there came with it the sense of an abiding peace, as if the past was dead, with all its terrors.

Sometimes she felt that Lancaster was beside her; but when at last complete consciousness returned Joan found herself in bed in a strange house. Through the windows she could see the outlines of the familiar mountains, gilded in the red sunset glow against the blue of the sky. Beside her sat a figure which seemed to be so remotely of the past that it was difficult to refrain from laughing at the incongruity of the sight.

It was Jenkins, with his black head. As Joan stirred he turned toward her.

"That's right, Miss Wentworth," he said heartily. "Now you've rounded the corner, and I reckon the lane lies straight before you."

"The doctor did not steal that money," murmured Joan weakly.

Jenkins laughed as if her words amused him immensely. "Why, Miss Wentworth, you've been saying that to me every time you woke these five days past," he said, "but I couldn't ever get you to tell me how you knew it."

"I don't remember saying it before," said Joan.

"I reckon you've been pretty weak, Miss Wentworth. But tell me now how you know it."

"I don't know. Why, yes, of course I do. Doctor Lancaster couldn't steal anything. Where is he?"

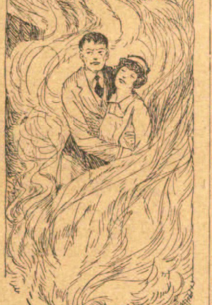
"I'll fetch him, Miss Wentworth. He wants to see you; he's been sitting beside you for days waiting till you really woke up."

"I'm not burned, Doctor Jenkins?" asked Joan in alarm.

"Not the least little bit, Miss Wentworth. I'll bring you a mirror."

"No, I take you on trust. What made me so ill, Doctor Jenkins?"

The doctor hesitated. The old obstinate look began to close down on his features. But Joan caught him by the arm ingratiatingly.


She Staggered and Fell Into Lancaster's Arms.

"Come, now, tell me," she said. "Did he—did he inject morphine into me?"

"No, Miss Wentworth," said Jenkins, unable to hold out. "It wasn't morphine. It was curare—the stuff that paralyzes the motor nerves without destroying consciousness." His face grew somber. "It doesn't leave traces, as morphine does, and that devil had put it into morphine bottles and made the doctor think he was a morphine fiend. They hoped to kill him more quickly, but somehow he got used to it, and I guess they were at their wits' ends when you came along. But I'll call the doctor, Miss Wentworth."

When he was gone Joan lay back on her pillows, looking out into the mountains. She knew what had occurred that night; in her drugged state she had seen the whole dreadful picture: Myers unlocking Mrs. Dana's door and leading her to her own room, where she had obtained the revolver; her journey to Lancaster's room, bent on her dreadful mission; the murder of Lawson, in the room opposite, instead, for reasons which would never be known, but were certainly providential.

She saw further, by the same intuition which told her that it had been Mrs. Dana's body wrapped in the blanket upon the lawn. Myers, knowing her to be drugged, and believing Lancaster dead, had waited in Mrs. Dana's room and given her the matches, on her return, with which to start the fire, hoping thus to make sure of his victims and cover up his tracks. And he had fallen into the trap he had baited. Strong as he was, there must have been a stronger Power fighting him with Mrs. Dana's arms that night, when she turned the key in the lock and left him to die as he had willed Joan should die.

But Joan knew that no word of this would ever pass between Lancaster and her. And indeed, as she lay back and looked across the fields toward the mountains, she felt that something had turned that page, so that it had become not only of the dead past, but unreal in a way, and only the present peace existed.

She heard a quick step without. Lancaster stood in the doorway, came toward her, kneeled at her side and took her hands in his. And with that even the memories of the past became tenuous, half forgotten.

"Dear, it has come true," he said tenderly.

She lay happily in his arms, looking out all the time toward the sunset on the hills. There was so little to say, because their lives were only beginning.

"I don't want to go back to Avonmouth," she said at length.

"Nor I, Joan. This is our country."

"It must always be our country. But—but the fight, John?"

"I have stolen a march on you, my dear," he answered gayly. "I have fought out my fight while you were ill. I have resigned from the hospital; nobody guesses anything there; and I have convinced the trustees here, by my appearance, and by the presentation of certain papers happily discovered after the fire, that I am a responsible, moral person, honest enough to head the new institute which we are going to build—guess where!"

She looked at him. Then—

"That village in the mountains," she cried happily. "Where our lives really began. I could not wish for anything better."

"And the patient is going to be our porter. And Doctor Jenkins will be house surgeon, resident, with his wife—Joan, he didn't tell you about Mrs. Fraser? Jenkins! Jenkins!" His voice rang through the little house. "Come in at once and face the fire like a man, instead of slinking away into your consulting-room, you ruffianly young benedict!"

[THE END]

The Marriage Problem

You can no more make yourself keep on loving some one to order than you can make yourself fall in or out of love with some one to order. It's like asking a small boy to light a street lamp with only a match. He can't reach—the whole thing's beyond him. That's the tragedy—the whole relationship is dependent on something that sails as airily remote above your head as a drifting cloud. To base on that an irrevocable agreement? It's simply asking for trouble. It's like jumping into ten feet of water without knowing whether you can swim or not, and then complaining because you're drowned.—From "The Marriage-Craft," by D. H. S. Nicholson.

Throw Out the Life Line

Just before the conclusion of the weekly prayer meeting in a country town one evening the parson arose, and glanced over the congregation.

"Is there anybody present," said he, "who wishes the prayers of the congregation for a relative or a friend?"

"Yes, parson," answered a tall, angular woman, rising to her feet. "I want the congregation to pray for my husband."

"Why, Sister Martha," exclaimed the parson, with a surprised expression, "you have no husband."

"I know I haven't," was the calm rejoinder of Sister Martha. "I want all hands to pitch in and help pray for one."

One of those dinosaur eggs being served in a restaurant.

Telephone to Teach Better Enunciation

Men who are trying to improve telephone service believe that the telephone will teach its users to speak clearly—not with one conversation, but in the course of time. And, certainly, business would be expedited with perfect enunciation over the telephone. Even a simple name like Dix, say, when passed over the wires may become almost anything—and then it is spelled for verification, thus: "D for Dan, I fo. Ike, X for X-ray"—words as difficult as the one to be understood.

Progress in plain talking does seem to lag, in the opinion of The Nation's Business. Any optimism in that direction is blighted by the hash in our daily speech. Ideas seem to have transmission as much by telepathy as by telephony. "Wassatyugottado t'nightLuh?" But a jumble of letters will make sound and so may give a message to sophisticated ears. The eye is more expert than the ear at registering words. Whoever was fooled by the blanks in the penny dreadfuls of the long ago? The d——s were promptly accepted at their full brimstone content, but a curse by telephone might easily be garbled into a compliment. It's a wise ear that knows its own tongue.

It Happened in Boston

There had been a visitor, and to the lad she said: "And so this is little Walter? My, my! What a big boy you've grown to be! I wouldn't have believed it possible."

"Mother," said Walter when the visitor had gone, "doesn't it pass your comprehension how persons in whom one would naturally expect an ordinary degree of intelligence appear to believe, all history and nature to the contrary notwithstanding, that the children of their acquaintance will always remain infants, and persist in expressing surprise when they observe the perfectly natural increase in one's stature?"—Washington Star.

Not Suited to It

Mrs. Keyhammer—Don't you like my playing? You know, "Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast."

Her Husband—Mebbe it hath. I s'pose I'm not savage enough.

POULTRY

FACTS OF POULTRY WORTH REMEMBERING

The poultry producers who do not give their flocks the run of the farm have a problem of yard management to consider in the handling of their flocks. Where the poultry have the run of the farm this problem is not so important, but, instead, the producer has the problem of keeping the ground immediately adjacent to the houses in a sanitary condition.

It has been demonstrated in all classes of live stock that rotation of pastures is an important means of lessening disease. This has been recognized for many years in the management of sheep and is becoming more recognized in the handling of hogs under the system which is known as the McClean county system.

In the handling of poultry it is well to have double yards so that one might rotate green crops. The yards may be sown to rye, oats, wheat or any quick-growing crop and while the fowls are using one yard the green feed in the other is getting a fresh start.

If the yards are only on one side of the house it is preferable that they be on the south side in order that the birds get the benefit of the dry ground and the warm sun in the early spring.

If the yards are in permanent sod it usually requires from 70 to 80 square feet for each bird. If part of the green feed is supplied in other forms half of this amount will be sufficient.

Shade of some type is needed in the poultry yards. Fruit trees are often used for this purpose. If trees are not available then some type of artificial shade should be supplied.

Select the best eggs for hatching.

Use the mother hen when possible or hatch early chicks with incubators.

Care for early hatched baby chicks well.

Feed early baby chicks properly to give them a good start.

It is always well to clean and disinfect the houses and pens thoroughly where the pullets are to live. This is especially true if the birds formerly occupying the building have been diseased or have had worms.

Artificial lights should not be used on pullets until they have had a chance to respond to normal conditions. If they do not respond quickly enough, or if neck molt starts, then lights can be used with good effect.

Lack of ventilation causes dampness in the houses and this in turn results in colds and roup.

Sunlight a Panacea for All Kansas Hen Flocks

"Why use the ultra-violet ray machine or cod-liver oil to stimulate egg production when Kansas sunlight is so available?" asks Prof. L. F. Payne, head of the department of poultry husbandry at the Kansas State Agricultural college.

Experiments at the college have indicated that a vital element for egg production and for general vigor of poultry is provided by sunlight, by the ultra-violet ray, or by the vitamine contained in cod liver oil, and that if this element is lacking improper development results.

Professor Payne has conducted experiments which indicate that direct sunlight is more beneficial than that which comes through ordinary window glass. In an experiment contrasting egg production of pullets grown in an open house with those grown in a glass-front house the ones grown in the open house were heavier producers and had no trouble with colds or molting, while those in the glass-front house suffered from colds and from molting.

Palatability of Feeds Appreciated by Fowls

A hen does not have a keen sense of taste, but she does dislike certain feeds, and if they make up an appreciable part of the mash she will reduce the quantity eaten. Linseed meal, bean meals and ground hulls must be used only to a limited extent. Blood meals, rye and cottonseed meal should be left out of the ration. Wheat bran and millet are probably the best-liked fibrous feeds. Light colored mashes are usually eaten more readily than dark ones.

Undoubtedly hens or flocks develop individual likes and dislikes. Birds raised on kafir, for instance, may like it, while another flock to which it is newly introduced may practically refuse to eat it. Hens do not enjoy feed or eat as heartily when it must be dug out of a filthy litter.—O. C. Krum, Colorado Agricultural College, in Extension Bulletin 234-A, "Feeding for Commercial Egg Production."

Feed for Young Chicks

The young chicks should not be fed until they are 48 hours old, whether they are with hen or in a brooder. The first feed should consist of baked johnny-cake broken up into small pieces, or hard-boiled eggs mixed with stale bread crumbs or rolled oats, using a sufficient quantity of the latter to make a dry, crumbly mixture or a mash of two quarts of rolled oats, one part bran and one part middlings by weight, mixed with milk or with boiled eggs.

Foster-Mothers Best

Many do not consider the goose an ideal mother. Usually it is best to let chicken hens do the hatching and rearing. In this way more goslings can be raised, as after the goose has laid a clutch she can be broken of the desire to set by confining her a week. At the end of two weeks she will begin to lay. Toward the end of the season she may be allowed to hatch a brood and raise them. It is a hard task to handle a setting goose.

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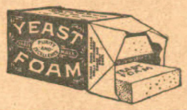

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Everybody Knows That

Excerpt from the diary of Mr. Robert Leroy Ripley, the cartoonist of sport:

"This morning I am in great trouble. Mrs. Whilliger has just called me up to say that I owe her a hat.

" 'You know,' she chirped, 'you lost that bet to me.'

"We had bet upon the nationality of a dark young man. She said that he was an Italian, and I said he was not.

" 'But I asked him,' she said over the phone, 'and he said he is a Rumanian, and every one knows that Rumanians come from Rome.'

"What'll I do?"

Learning Early

Fair lady in distress always arouses the chivalry of man, but not often does a seven-year-old girl realize this. A child of this age was sent by her mother to return some candy she had bought against the parental order. She came home to her mother, the money in her hand, and crying. "I knew if I cried I'd get the man to take the candy quicker," she explained to her mother.—Detroit News.

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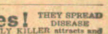

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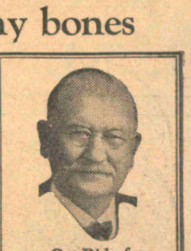
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E. W. Werner In The Theatre Game

Intelligence received from our old townsman, E. W. Werner, at Kansas City, states that he is to erect a new $150,000 theatre and moving picture house on the site of the present one of which he has been proprietor for the past few years. The lot has been leased for a term of 95 years by Mr. Werner who will at once begin work with a night and day shift of workmen· It is estimated that four months will be required to put the new building in shape for use. Dimensions will be, depth 235 feet, width 60 feet. This will comprise one of the most up-to-date houses in the middle west. Orchestra pit will accommodate 40 players, the main auditorium 1,500 and the entire house 2,200 spectators.

The most unique feature of the house will be a baby room or "cry room" as Mr. Werner designates it, in the rear, where mothers with crying babes may retire and witness the show through two sound-proof plate-glass walls. Other features are an air circulating and cooling system, a grand lighting system of multi-colors (3 colors.) Mr. Werner will pay an annual rental of $8,000 for ten years, and after that $8,500 per year.

Conference Week For M. A. C. Anniversary

Commemorating significant dates in the history of the M. A. C., a special series of conferences has been called by the state board of agriculture for the week of May 13. The college was first opened for students 68 years ago on May 13, the date being known as "Founder's Day".

A number of important anniversary dates are included in the list to be recognized during the week. They will include: the 70th anniversary of the passage of the act establishing the college; the 40th anniversary of the inauguration of a course in engineering; the 30th year of the home economics course the 30th anniversary of the passage of the law establishing a state wide acceptance of the Smith Lever Act by the State Legislature, and the consequent inauguration of the present state wide system of extension work in agriculture and home economics.

The special conferences, called in recognition of the anniversaries and to plan program for the future include: Conference on Engineering Education and the relation of the College to the industries of the state—May 13 and 14. Conference on the education of women and on the civic and social interests of farm women—May 13 and 14. Conference on extension work and continuing education May 14 and 15. Conference on rural community organization May 15 and 16.

A special radio program, planned for alumni and friends of the College, will be broadcast from the college station, WKAR; on Wednesday evening, May 13, at eight o'clock eastern time. An address by Pres. Kenyon L. Butterfield, and music by student organizations will feature the program.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Somerset Centre

Mrs. Wheeler is on the sick list.

Mrs. Wm Hones spent the week end in Jackson.

Glen Rutan spent Sunday with Mark Rutan and wife.

Mrs. Eldred of Mosherville was in town on business Saturday.

Clifford Clark and wife entertained Sunday Howard Fowler and wife

Lawrence Parish and wife called at L. A. Mercer's Monday evening.

A. VanCamp and wife were visitors at the Ben VanCamp home Sunday.

Earl Rutan and family spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Cora VanAllen.

Mrs. Sarah VanCamp was moved to the home of her son Bert Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Wickman and son of Hanover were Sunday guests of Carl Lent and wife.

Clayton Garver and wife spent Sunday with Frank Wilson and wife of Cement City.

Asa and L. D. Hinman of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roberts.

Mrs. Wm Shock, Loren Shock, Alfred Sutfin and Ben Greek were in Hillsdale on business Tuesday.

Mrs. J. P. Churchfield and Mrs. Lottie Wilcox spent the week end with Jesse Giddings and wife.

Mrs. Betty Brown who has been spending the winter in Lansing returned to her home here last week.

Earnest Hudson and wife of Jackson spent Monday evening and Tuesday with T. Tuckerman and wife.

Lawrence, Evelyn and Rosalind Benkin of Adrian are spending two weeks with their grandparents T. Tuckerman and wife.

Jonesville

Mrs. Ralph Powers was in Fort Wayne last week.

Richard Varnum Jr. spent the week end in Hillsdale.

Mrs. L. E. Swan is in Detroit for a two weeks visit.

Mrs. Mary Huchting is visiting with friends in New York.

Mrs. A. J. Marvin of the Ypsilanti Normal spent the week end at her home here.

Mrs. Alice Dingfelder who has been in Cleveland for sometime is visiting at the R. M. Powers home.

Mrs. Percie Wisner entertained the members of the Culture club at her home on West Chicago street last Monday evening.

A. L. Massey who has been ill at his home on West street for several days resumed his work in the D. L. Powers store Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Hawkins of Detroit who has been a guest at the Victor Hawkins home here for several weeks returned to her home the first of the week.

Milo D. Bacon died Monday May 11 at his home on Reading Ave. The funeral was held on Wednesday at the late home and burial in the Jonesville cemetery.

The death of Mrs. A. F. Reynolds occurred early Monday morning after an illness of less than an hour. The husband, A. F. Reynolds survives. Burial at Homer.

Center Adams

Margray Hayhoe of Hoxie visited over Sunday at the Harry Foust home.

Ed McCourtie of Hillsdale was a Sunday afternoon visitor at the Smith home.

Morrel Smith of Coldwater visited his parents C. O. Smith and wife on Saturday.

John Ackley and family of Rollin were Sunday visitors at the Lawrence Binkley home.

Len Dietz and family of Jackson ate Sunday dinner with their parents Clarence Smith and wife.

Mesdames Addie Wyman and Sadie Gray were in Hillsdale Saturday transacting business and calling on friends.

Bert Wisner and his son Everett Wisner and wife of Battle Creek were guests of R. H. Wyman and wife on Sunday.

Mrs. Will Keith and daughter Bernice attended a birthday party at Shadyside on Saturday given in honor of the 83rd anniversary of their aunt Mrs. Elizabeth Carver.

Herbert Rose of Concord, Clifford Rose of Brooklyn and Alfred Rose of Litchfield came Sunday to spend Mother's Day with their mother Mrs. Mary Chase.

Mrs. Charley Reynolds and baby Evelyn returned to their home at Ypsilanti on Saturday after spending the past two weeks with her parents Clarence Skinner and wife.

Town Line

Mrs. D. Hoxie of North Adams visited her brother J. Beecher last Monday.

Mrs. H. Powers who is at the home of Frank Hudnutt has been sick with a hard cold. She will go to visit her people at Bryan Ohio for an indefinite time.

The social at the home of Randall Westcott given by the woman's club was much enjoyed.

Jerome

Harold Sterling of Ypsilanti spent the week end with relavies here.

Prof. F. S. Goodrich of Albion College will lecture on "Mexico" at the church at 11:30 o'clock.

Mildred and Kathryn Carpenter of Jackson spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. M. Carpenter.

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Sunday as follows: Chas Harper and family of Marshall, Wilbur Sawdey Battle Creek, H. A. Voorhees and family Hanover and A. Hart and family of Jackson.

Commencement and promotion exercises were held Tuesday evening, May 12 at the M. E. church. Eslow Richards gave an oration "The History of Aeronautics" The band under the direction of Supt. Wertenberger furnished several selections. Pupils of the grammar, intermediate and primary rooms put on a play under the direction of their teachers, Mrs. Rynex, Mrs. Morehead and Miss Olney. Those taking part in the play were Genevieve Tryon, Lucile Walworth, Bessie and Murl VanAllen, Jane and Robert Randolph, Florence Hammons, Catherine Sherrard, Lawrence Walworth, Norman Burr Herbert Anson, Dorothy Ward, Dorothy Linsday, Minnie and Ruth Kane, Ruby and Kenneth Fouty, Mildred and Margaret Evans, Edna McClanahan, Wilson Frantz, Georgia Kane, Darrell Murrey, Chas McGregor, Maurice Brooks and Ardis Walworth.

Local News

Mrs. Etta Pray spent the weekend at her home in Jonesville.

—Good eighty acre farm for rent. Box 226, North Adams. 50t3

Miss Winona Weldon of Jackson was an over Sunday guest of Ruth Williams.

The Friendship club meets with Mrs. Leon Edinger Friday afternoon May 15th.

Ethel Riggleman of Hillsdale was a Sunday guest of her sister Mrs. Herbert Patton and family.

Frank Foster of Detroit and Ray Soules and family of Hanover were Sunday guests of Mrs. Nellie Foster

Mrs. Dora Fields and son Jack of Hillsdale were Sunday guests of her sister Mrs. R. C. Young and family.

From now on until further notice the Library will open on Saturday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 only.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Leon Edinger Friday afternoon May 22. Program and potluck supper.

Several couples of young people from the village attended the J. Hop at Lakeview pavillon Devils Lake on Friday evening.

Harold Kenrick of Princeton N. J. is visiting his mother Mrs. Nellie Kenrick at the home of his grandmother Mrs. G. D. Wamsley.

The L. A. S. of the Congregational church will hold their regular meeting in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon May 20th.

John Litchhult and Mrs. Della Gillett visited relatives in Marshall and Albion Saturday and Sunday. George Litchhult of Detroit also visited relatives in Marshall.

Dr. and Mrs. O. G. McFarland and daughters Jean and Barbara were at Hamilton Ind. on Sunday to visit at the home of Mrs. McFarland's sister Mrs. Rose Watkins

C. W. Bleech and wife, F. W. Holcomb and wife were in Pittsford on Sunday to call on Mrs. William Wells, who is reported quite ill. Mrs. Wells will be remembered as Fallie Nutten.

Among the young people home from College over Sunday were Geraldine and Pauline Winchell, Ruth Williams and Frances Weeks who are attending the State Normal at Ypsilanti. Sarah Frederick who is teaching at Davidson and Marjorie Young of Hillsdale.

The Mother's Day exercises at the Congregational church were well attended. An interesting theme "Mother O'Mine was delivered by the Pastor with special music by the choir, also a vocal solo by Mrs. Hunt. The church was prettily decorated with flowers. The picture Helen Keller in "Deliverance" was given in the evening with a good attendance and the pastor states the offering was ample to pay for all running expenses. Music by Mrs. Hunt, Clark Pierce and Howard Haskell was enjoyed.

J. W. Lynch of Manchester uncle of Bion Lynch and Mollie Bleech and Lottie Keefus passed away at his home in the above city Monday May 4th. Funeral services were held at the home on Wednesday May 6th and interment was at Manchester. Those from here who attended the funeral were B. I. Lynch and wife, C. W. Bleech and wife, Edgar Purcell and wife and Chas Webb and wife of Moscow township. Mr. Lynch is survived by two children one brother Augustus Lynch in the west and the widow. He was at one time a resident of this place and in fact was reared in this vicinity.

—New hats, arriving daily at the Corey Hat Shop. 47t3

The annual meeting of the O. E. S. County Association will occur at Allen May 21, 1925. All chapters in the county will be represented at this meeting.

The Onsted High School building valued at $12,000, burned to the ground on Tuesday morning. Both Brooklyn and Adrian fire departments were called to the scene but not much could be done to check the blaze. Loss is not covered in full by insurance.

The East Side school building at Hudson was burned severely on Monday morning. The entire top floor of the 2-story building was wrecked, together with all equipment and 300 school kids are more or less happy as it means a vacation. It is thought sparks from the chimney dropped on the dry shingle roof. The loss is estimated at between $7,000 and $10 000 fully covered by insurance Business men came forward with offers of vacant buildings, so it is expected school will be resumed at once.

On Tuesday evening May 5th the following officers for the ensuing year were installed by O. E. S. Chapter No. 288, at Masonic Hall in this village: Mrs. Jessie Haskell, Past Matron acted as installing officer assisted by Mrs. Alice Williams Past Matron, as Grand Marshal and Mrs. Minnie Carrell as Grand Chaplain with Mrs. Genevieve VanWert at the piano. W. M. Alice Holcomb; w. p., Arthur Holcomb; a. m. Etta Corey; sec. Josephine Jones; treas. Myra Beecher; cond. Grace Williams; a. cond. Grace Doolittle; chap. Allie Holkins; marshal, Addie VanAken; pianist, Harriet Shepard; Ada, Lois Holcomb; Ruth, Gladys Shepard; Ester, Ethel Delamater; Martha, Maud Arbogast Electa, Bertha Young; warden, Etta Collins; sen. Albert Collins.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Belle M. Fowle Deceased.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further Ordered: That the 16th day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 50t3

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Glenn Cowell to Replace Arthur Williams

We have been importuned to recommend W. Glenn Cowell, a lawyer of Coldwater, as an able successor to Arthur B. Williams. We never recommend those we don't know, more especially in politics. Some investigation will have to be made. We never heard of Cowell but suppose he is a would-be, and probably qualified more or less. Would suggest that he don his 40-league boots if he expects to cover the footsteps of his illustrious predecessor.

If your receipt says your time on the Advocate has expired, cal in and renew.

Alpha Chapter, No. 288, O. E. S. reports a splendid meeting on Tuesday evening last with a fine program and pot-luck supper. Members of other Chapters were present from Jonesville, Addison, Moscow, Litchfield and Allen. Degrees were conferred upon Mrs. Frances Cox, Miss Geraldine Cox and Dr. O. G. McFarland.

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Local News

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Ruel VanWert of Sturgis, spent Sunday at his home here.

Seymour Combs and wife of Jackson visited here last week.

—Seed Corn for sale. Phone B. I. Lynch, North Adams, 49t3

Dr. G. L. Barber of Chicago visited at the J. A. Barber home over Sunday.

A fifth fire occurred at Pittsford May 18th and is believed to be of incendiary origin.

Rev. and Mrs. Hutton and Mrs. Carrie Scoville were in Kalamazoo laft week Thursday.

Mrs. Harriet Weeks and daughter, Frances, of Ypsilanti spent the week end in this village.

Mrs. John Fitton and children, Dorothy and Everett, have returned from a visit to Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Giles Stevens is convalescing nicely from an operation performed May 11th at her home.

Miss Lucille VanWert returned home from Addison Hospital on Wednesday. She is recovering.

— Who wants to rent a Good lot for garden 4 x 8 rods? Inquire at this office? Will rent it on shares. 51t3

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Concrete work on M-23 is going forward rapidly between Somerset Centre and Clinton, with prospects of completion August 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pendell, Mrs. E. C. Williams and Mrs. Alice Burley were business visitors in Jackson on Thursday last week.

For Sale—Genuine Petoskey Russet potatoes (certified seed) for planting. Phone Henry J. Taylor, 1604 North Adams. Address Moscow R. F. D. 49t3

The 8th Grade will present a little play entitled "No Girl's Admitted" on Saturday night along with the picture show. A good program. Everyone come. Admission 10c and 20c.

Carl Spaulding was arrested by Detectives Phelps and Raymond on Tuesday at Jackson on a charge of grand larceny at the request of Hillsdale officers. Spaulding has been in trouble before at Hillsdale and is wanted there.

Word received from Albert Randolph of Aberdeen, Washington, states hat more hard luck has come to him. This time it is a broken hip, recently sustained in some accident. This is the same side of the broken leg some years ago.

The Belle Barchus players finished a very successful run of three nights here on Wednesday evening with "Bringing Up Father" and all comments we have heard were flattering. Mr. Todd and Belle Barchus as leading characters, were voted the most successful face shorteners and indeed the whole company are topliners. Come again, Mr. Todd!

In this issue of the Advocate appears the first ad. of the Merry Land Theatre at Addison, Michigan, which is opened under the auspices of Estes & Estes, Brooklyn, Mich. They are featuring Al Wilson, the world's most famous stunt flyer in the "Air Hawk" a very highly recommended film which is to be shown Friday and Saturday nights May 22 and 23, 1925.

The man who exists and owns property of any nature these days and does not insure it for both fire and cyclone is certainly a man without a country. He is a back number. while we trust and believe and pray there will never come a cyclone to North Adams, it is more than likely that such a calamity must sooner or later raze the town. Each year symptons and nearby storms point to a tornado or cyclone right over our village, and we want to be prepared. The rich insurance companies are far better able to stand this awful shock than you, even if you count yourself financialy well off The recent developments in this township ought to be a severe lesson to every uninsured property owner. The Old Reliable Hartford furnishes you a policy if you live on less than three acres of land for 16c per hundred dollars for one year or 40c per hundred dollars for a term of three years, 64c per hundred for five years.

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Decoration Day Program

As previously stated in this paper preparations are being made to observe Saturday, May 30, in a manner entirely fitting. At 8:00 a. m. the procession will start for the cemetery to decorate the soldiers' graves. Flowers will be very thankfully received by Mr. and Mrs Bert Taylor who are in charge of decorations, and should be brought to Community Hall not later than Friday afternoon, May 29th. If you wish to donate call Mrs. Taylor by phone and she will gladly call for the flowers

Returning from the cemetery the following program will be given at Community Hall at 10:30 a. m.: Song, "America" high school leading; invocation, (sudiience standing) Rev. Hunt; quartette, "Sleep On, Brave Heart" reading, selected. Mrs. Holkins; vocal solo, selected, Mrs. Hunt; roster of the dead and roll call of Adams township soldiers; introduction of speaker; address, Professor Wood of Hillsdale College; song "Star Spangled Banner" high school leading.

Adams Township Wind-Swept

The first serious storm of the season struck Adams township on Saturday afternoon last, about 4 o'clock when the barn of Mark Caskey on the angling road was seriously damaged and one side blown out. The storm swept forward to Wid Pool's farm and a large new barn was moved two feet off its base. thence to the residence of Charles Williams where it ripped off shingles. Roaring on it leveled shade and fruit trees and plunged into the silo of John Gordon leaving it and the hen house a wreck. Parts of the silo flew over the house and the chimneys were toppled over.

The course of the storm was almost due east, and in places it plunged through timber, making sad havoc. The next place struck was the farm of Mrs. Elta Schilling where a barn was torn to pieces and parts of the roof carried 80 rods. Here three horses were buried in the debris, two instantly killed. Tools housed in the barn were smashed and front porch and chimneys damaged on the residence. The renter, Mr. Haynes, was in the path of the storm which picked him up and deposited him in a maple tree. A natural inclination to "grab a root" left him clinging to a limb without much recollection of how it came about. The barn of Will Bloemker was partially unroofed and a number of young chicks were killed. The barn of Henry Porter was also partially unroofed and shade trees leveled. The nearly new barn of Andrew Lindenschmitt stood squarely in the path of the storm and was reduced to debris. Shade trees and everything movable suffered severely wherever the tornado touched.

The paint shop of Mr. Rick in Hillsdale was demolished and the big steel tank unroofed and shade trees damaged in Stock's Park.

So far as we learn nearly all the property was insured. Mr. Haynes had his team insured. Mrs Schilling carried $400 on the barn Mr. Lindenschmitt $1,200, John Gordon had insurance. Telephone connections are so badly mixed that not much can be learned.

In Jonesville hail fell in large quantities.

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Evangelist H. G. Hamilton of Warsaw, Indiana, began his second Union Evangelistic campaign here in North Adams last Sunday Fine crowds were present at the opening session which seemed to indicate that the people of North Adams were strongly back of the movement. Mr. Hamilton is known as "the evangelist with a message from God", and to hear him is to be impressed with that fact; he is a bible teacher of merit, and is much used throughout the country in that respect. His evangelistic addresses scintillate with pungent truths from the scripture; he is spiritual, sympathetic and sincere.

Mr. L. A. Wegner of Winona Lake, Indiana, who is associated with him as song director, and whose photo is shown above, is a man of God who is master of the art of getting others to sing. He has on a number of occasions been associated with the great English evangelist, Gypsy Smith. He is a member of the faculty of the Rodeheaver summer school of music of Winona Lake, Indiana. He has a rich deep solo voice with which he endeavors to sing the gospel into the hearts of men and women. He has studied under Dr. D. B. Towner of Chicago and Dr. Williamson of Dayton, Ohio, who is the director of the famous American Westminster choir. If you enjoy good speaking and singing, hear Hamilton & Wegner. They are courteous, contistent, christian gentlemen who are endeavoring to help the people discover their bigger and better self through an acquaintance with God.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock to which you are all invited to attend.

Note the following announcements:

This Friday night there will be a party for the young people's class at the home of Lawrence Wilcox. A pot luck supper will be served and all the young people are urged to be present.

This Sunday there will be a canvass made of all those belonging to or interested in the Congregational church for the financial situation of the church. Help us in making out our budget for this year. The canvassers will leave the church at 2:00 p. m. Sunday. Please be at home to meet them when they come.

There will be choir practice at the home of Frances Young Saturday evening at 7:30 Please be there to help us in our music for Memorial Sunday, which will be held with special services in our church next Sunday.

Sunday June 7th. will be devoted to the College Baccalaureate service on the Hillsdale College Campus. Our church will go in a body to this service and any who can furnish a car please notify the pastor at once. Sunday evening of the same day will be devoted to the High school baccalaureate exercises to be held in our church. A fine program is being prepared and Rev. Hunt will speak on the theme "I Am Debtor."

Keep these notices on your calendar. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

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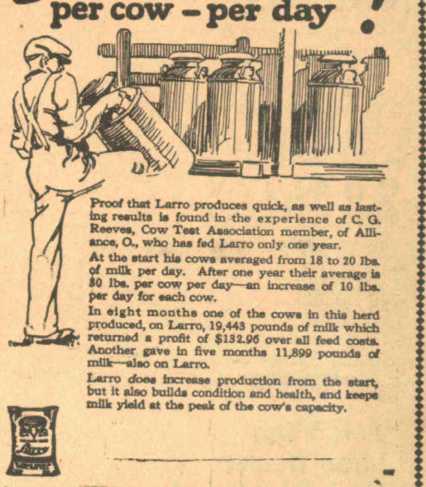

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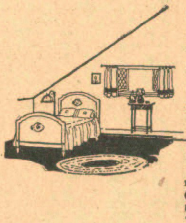

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Port Huron—A revolver cartridge, which had been thrown into the road, was accidentally exploded here by the wheel of a truck. The bullet crashed through a window of the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Ashpole. No on was injured.

Lansing—Arbor Day was observed more generally in Michigan this year than ever before, thanks to the gospel spread by the conservationists. Thousands of trees were planted on the premises of school and along highways, in all parts of the state.

Reed City—Reed City definitely has entered the race for the northwestern normal school. Committees have been appointed, options on desirable locations have been secured and every means will be taken to gain the attention of the authorities to get the location here.

Ypsilanti—One thousand more teachers are being graduated from the various normals and colleges of Michigan than can be placed in positions in the state, said Dimon H. Roberts, superintendent of the training school at the Michigan State Normal College here, in an address to the students of the college.

Saginaw—Michigan Council of the Parent-Teacher Association, in annual convention here, is on record for the high school fraternity bill passed by the last legislature and which awaits the governor's signature. The bill provides students may be barred from classes if they join fraternities. About 1,500 persons are attending the convention.

Grand Rapids—The Michigan Retail Jewelers Association, which at the closing session of its annual convention here, became affiliated with the Michigan Retailers Council, elect- J. H. Garlick, Detroit, as president. Detroit pressed an invitation for the 1926 convention, but the city will not be selected by the boad of directors until early next year.

Kalamazoo—Armed with picks, axes and shovels, 70 of Kalamazoo's leading clubmen, invaded the Bow District along the river front to help clear away rubbish and undergrowth. The "bee" was the first step toward conversion of the unsightly "jungles district" into a city park, the 100-acre tract having been purchased a year ago by the city commission for $50,000.

Detroit—Harry S. Cole, clerk of the Wayne Circuit Court, who was suspended by the judges of the court for insubordination in refusing to carry out orders for assignment of cases, was asked to hand in his resignation, Judge Adolph F. Marschner, presiding judge, said. If he fails to resign, Cole's dismissal will be asked of Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck, Judge Marschner said.

Owosso—Owosso policemen, before long, expect to win the reputation for having the neatest appearance of any guardians of the law in Michigan. Police Chief Earl Whiteherse, who took over that office a few days ago, issued his first written order to members of the force. It reads: "Hereafter every police officer in Owosso will at all times have his uniform pressed, his shoes shined, and bo cleanly shaved."

Lansing—Marie Theresa Corby, child heir-apparent to the estate of Thomas W. Corby, won the first round of her fight to keep Corby's nephews and nieces from appropriating the estate when the Supreme Court ruled that she was entitled to name her own administrator. The case was brought here when Corby's nephews and nieces appealed from a Wayne Circuit Court decision whereby the Security Trust Co. was named administrator.

Mt. Clemens—William Watkins, inspector of State Police in Macomb and St. Clair counties, and one of the State's principal witnesses in the grand jury investigation of charges of graft in Mt. Clemens police court circles, was waylaid and shot at by six unidentified men. He was driving to his home, in New Baltimore, when he was attacked. Three shots were fired. One went wild and the others penetrated his automobile. One lodged in the car's frame on a level with his head.

Benton Harbor—Berrien County splashed color all over the map of Michigan when it staged its Blossom Festival. More than 50 floats, many of them buried in blossoms, symbolized the fertility of the Michigan county which is beaten in output only by three states in the Union. The trio which must marshal a whole commonwealth's resources to pass Berrien are Florida and California, with their enormous yield of citrus fruits, and New York, famous for apples and grapes. Benton Harber and St. Joseph, twin cities, joined hands in staging the spectacle.

Cadillac—The village of Sherman, the first county seat of Wexford county, may soon lose its postoffice unless some one is willing to take the job of postmaster. The present incumbent is a woman, Mrs. S. B. Nisewander, who has resigned, as there is not enough money in the office. Sherman, at one time, was a thriving lumber village, but with the passing of that industry the town began to retrograde, this being hastened by the removal of the county seat to Manton and later to Cadillac.

Bay City—Robert V. Mundy, Kasimir Niedzielski and Adam Schepper, former members of the City Commission, who were charge with violating the city charter by the sale, through employes or third parties of quantities of goods to the city appeared in the Circuit Court and pleaded guilty. Investigations carried on by a one-man grand jury, prior to making complaints against the men, brought out, according to the prosecutor, that there was no evidence that the city had been overcharged and Circuit Judge Houghton suspended sentence.

Holland—At the request of the Holland Game and Fish Protective Association, two State chemists have arrived here to examine the water of Black Lake. The association charges that certain factories dump chemical waste and other refuse into the lake making it an uninhabitable place for fish.

Wyandotte—The new charter which will be presented to the city of Wyandotte by its charter commission will provide for government by a mayor and six commissioners and mayor as at present. A proposal to return to the old aldemanic form of government and another to inaugurate a form of the city manager plan of government have been defeated.

Port Huron—Those Detroiters who have been making merry in past seasons during the week end at Fair Haven and other county resorts, will miss their Sunday dancing this year. Sheriff D. Turbin announced that Sunday dancing in St. Clair county is under the ban. Proprietors of dance halls who attempt to operate on Sunday will be arrested, the official stated.

Paw Paw—Charles Langdon, 15-year-old schoolboy, who, according to Sheriff Glenn Weaver, admits shootin Mat Edgotich, a farmer near Decatur, with the object of robbery, was bound over to Circuit Court by Justice W. A. Prafer, following his arraignment on a charge of intent to commit homicide. Edgotich is suffering from the effects of a 22-caliber bullet n his skull.

Pontiac—Plans have been started to condemn property on Willow avenue, from Huron street to Pike street, and also on Garland avenue, as the first steps to opening a through route to divert traffic from the present Detroit-Pontiac highway. At a meeting of the city commission it was decided to open Willow avenue and widen Garland avenue to Orchard Lake avenue.

Ypsilanti—Ypsilanti high school won the debate with Croswell high school and will now debate with Ann Arbor for the state championship. Miss Ruth Latham, Miss Lorinda McAndrew and Charles Hill took the negative side of the question. The judges, heads of the public speaking political science and educational departments of the U. of M., cast a unanimous vote for Ypsilanti.

Flint—Falling nearly 1,000 feet when his airplane nose dived and crashed into an apple tree, Ward E. Fitch, 23 years old, 728 Pierson street, commercial aviator and automobile salesman, was injured fatally while approximately 800 persons who came to witness the exhibition flight lookd on. Fitch died with out regaining consciousness an hour after he was taken to Hurley hospital.

Harrison—This city is trying to get possession of a small island in Budd Lake for development as a park. It consists of 1.4 acres. One of the last acts of President Harding was to sign an executive order withdrawing the island from public entry. It is as yet in that status. Representative Woodruff will introduce a bill next Congress to provide that it may be sold to Harrison or the state of Michigan.

Alpena—"An attempt at piracy," was the expression used by Captain E.G. Rattray, of the package freighter Raleigh, when he docked in Alpena to describe a brush which took place off Harbor Beach when the crew of the big lake tug Favorite attempted to take away from the Raleigh a salvage prize, the scow Niagara, which the Raleigh found adrift and unmanned, menacing navigation off Port Huron.

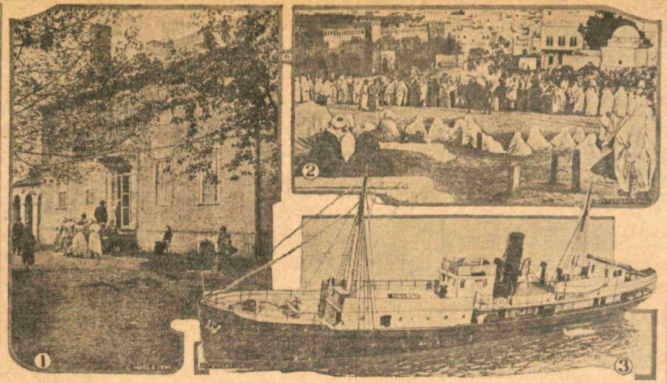
Ypsilanti—Three prisoners employed on the road building gang stationed here, were returned to the Michigan State Prison at Jackson for creating a disturbance in their quarters. The officers were called to the camp when the disturbance began as it was feared that regular guards would be insufficient to cope with the outbreak. An investigation disclosed that the men had smuggled liquor into the camp.

Battle Creek—Battle Creek's first air circus will be held at the city's new airport Aug. 28, 29 and 30, it was announced. The circus, acording to members of the Chamber of Commerce airport committee, will bring to Battle Creek approximately 50 planes and pilots, including 10 or more from Selfridge Field. Arrangements are being made to bring Capt "Eddie" Rickenbacker, of Detroit American ace, to the circus.

Lansing—Automobile owners who purchased 1925 license plates under the old weight and horsepower system, and who have not remitted if the cost was more under the new weight law, will be deprived of their plates, Charles J. DeLand, secretary of state, said. He ordered the Detroit branch of the Department of State to take the plates from one driver, unless he pays the difference and is checking up others who have failed to pay.

Iron Mountain—Aldermen who play hookey from council meetings will have to report armed with a good excuse for their absence or else suffer the loss of their seats, according to the terms of an ordinance passed by the council. Under the terms of the new measure, aldermen who miss two meetings in succession must account for their absence or be removed from office. The ordinance requires that the city clerk notify any conucilman who has been absent two consecutive meetings by registered mail.

Lansing—New telephone rates for Michigan and particularly the city of Detroit, probably will not be fixed by the public utilities commission until the coming fall, it has developed. The commission's inspectors have completed their appraisal and audit but it is not likely to be ready for the commission's use until June 1. Several weeks of hearings are expected after the new value of Michigan Bell telephone holdings is determined and this is expected to bring the completion of the case sometime late in the summer.



1—"Kenmore," home of Betty Washington at Fredericksburg, Va., which has been dedicated as a patriotic shrine. 2—Moroccan troops gathering at Rabat for their offensive against the French. 3—Steam yacht Rowena, purchased by Donald MacMillan for his arctic expedition and which he wishes to rename the Peary.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Government's Grand Assault on Demon Rum Hits Land Traffic.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

UNCLE SAM, as represented by the Treasury department, feels that he has rather effectually checked the smuggling of illicit liquor from the rum fleet on the Atlantic coast, and now is going after the land traffic in booze with every agency at his command. President Coolidge is taking an active interest in the crusade for enforcement of the prohibition law and has asked Secretary of the Treasury Mellon to forward it by every available means.

Every dry agent will be employed in the campaign, and the support of the general public is to be sought through posters and bulletins that will be posted throughout the country. This billboard propaganda, setting forth the "curse of intoxicating liquor," is the pet idea of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes and has been approved by his superiors only after long argument. The combination of "bullets and bulletins," it is hoped, will prove doubly effective. Under the supreme command of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews in directing the campaign are Rear Admiral Billard, commandant of the coast guard; Commissioner Haynes, and E. C. Yellowley, head of the field forces. David H. Blair, commissioner of internal revenue, will give whatever aid is required from his bureau.

Admiral Billard is not letting the public know just now what the dry navy is doing, but it is known that the blockade of the rum-running fleet has proved quite effective. Many of the vessels have departed, and though a few new ones have appeared in the line, so close a watch is kept that very little liquor has reached the shore. The blockaders are aided by batteries of searchlights so powerful that their beams pierce the fogs on which the smugglers had counted. There are current many stories of attacks on the coast guard men and threats against them, as well as of attempts to corrupt them. But the booze runners are not getting far on those lines. Naturally their activities were diverted to a considerable extent to the Great Lakes, but there, too, the dry forces are preparing to combat them. Many more patrol boats will be in commission there and it is not likely that Canada will object to the arming of such vessels.

On the coast of southern California conditions are reported to be bad, from the prohibition point of view. There are only two coast guard cutters there and the smugglers, it is said, are landing between $10,000 and $20,000 worth of whisky every day in the vicinity of San Pedro. The dry officials admit they cannot cope with the traffic except on land.

Secretary of Commerce Hoover in a trade report includes in the invisible foreign trade of the United States for 1924 an item of $40,000,000 of smuggled liquor. This sum is vastly more than is admitted by the prohibition officials but far less than the estimates of the bootleg syndicates.

MAKING public a preliminary report of the Department of Agriculture's investigation into the extraordinary fluctuations in future grain quotations between January 2 and April 8, Secretary Jardine warned all grain exchanges designated as contract markets that they must either put into effect stricter rules looking toward the prevention of price manipulation or else face the probability of further and more stringent legislation governing the trading in futures. By all those concerned the warning was construed as a threat to revoke the charter of the Chicago board of trade as a contract market unless it promptly provided remedies for existing conditions. Indeed, Mr. Jardine already had issued a similar warning to representatives of the Chicago board. The secretary made it plain and emphatic that if that organization wishes to continue to enjoy the benefits derived from its designation as a contract market, it must draft more definite and stringent rules facilitating the operation and maintenance of federal supervision, preventing the development and dissemination of rumors in the nature of false, misleading and inaccurate reports and statements, preventing actual or attempted manipulation or cornering of the markets and discouraging any tendency toward extensive over-speculation.

Mr. Jardine admits that so far the inquiry has not uncovered sufficient proof of manipulation for the obtaining of a conviction, but says the investigation will be continued, with the aid of the Department of Justice, and that if enough proof of guilt is obtained it will prosecute to the limit of the law. He says, however, that he is even more concerned with the larger phase of the question, namely, the development of some method by which repetition of the erratic price changes may be obviated.

President Carey of the Chicago board of trade said action would be taken at once to meet the "constructive suggestions" of Secretary Jardine. Charges of speculative interference with prices already are under investigation by the exchange.

THE International Council of Women brought its quinquennial convention to a close last week after ten days of discussions and resolutions that aroused the ire of many women outside the council. The critics made charges of pacifism and internationalism against the council, and one of the most bitter, Mrs. O. D. Oliphant, national president of the American Legion Auxiliary, asserted that the American delegates had passively permitted the foreign women to run the convention, which she characterized as a "propaganda party." Mrs. Philip N. Moore, president of the National Council of Women, denied this.

"I am at a loss to guess at the reasons for or the purposes of these unfortunate tirades which have been directed against us," she said. "It may be a desire for personal notoriety on the part of the individual critics. It may be a misdirected overflow of patriotism. At all events, the insinuations against our patriotism or loyalty have been unwarranted, unjust and unfair."

In the matter of international peace the chief action of the convention was the adoption of the resolution favoring gradual simultaneous disarmament under the control of the League of Nations. As worded it implied the right of France to arm for security, and for this reason the German delegates refrained from voting.

WELL, Von Hindenburg is president of Germany, and the republic still lives. What's more, the erstwhile leader of the kaiser's armies took the prescribed oath to preserve the constitution and laws of the commonwealth, led the formal cheers for the republic and with three "hochs," and in his brief, well-worded address gave no least intimation that he would like to see the monarchy restored. The ceremony of inauguration was rather simple. The Communists gave it the only exciting touch. As Hindenburg entered they chanted: "Down with monarchism, long live the soviet republic," and marched from the room.

Next day the president received representatives of all the departments of state, and his bearing and talks made an excellent impression. In his conference with Dr. Steiler, secretary of state, the new president came face to face with the difficulties the Germans are facing in fulfilling the Dawes plan. Dr. Steiler defended the directors of the railways from the attacks made in the reichstag and he told how 30,000 more employees will have to go before the railways can come within the budget figures.

"A great part of the payments which Germany will have to make, according to the plans of her war adversaries, will be put on the railways," Dr. Steiler said. "It will call for our whole strength if we are to fulfill the obligations imposed on us. Only if we succeed will the great treasure of the German railways be kept free of foreign influence for Germany. It is not an economic problem, but a national one, that we must solve."

FRENCH operations against the Riffians in the French zone of Morocco are proceeding successfully, though the tribesmen are putting up a stout resistance. Wednesday of last week there was a series of lively battles along a wide front. The French used all branches of the service and drove back the Riffians with heavy loss, relieving all but two of the beleaguered outposts. General de Chambrun, who used to be military attache in Washington and married Nicholas Longworth's sister, is in command of the French forces. With the assurance from the government of large reinforcements, he is preparing to oust the invading tribesmen entirely from the French zone.

FOREIGN MINISTER BRIAND and Finance Minister Caillaux have let it be known that they are in favor of reaching an agreement with the United States on the debt question within fifteen days, and there is great satisfaction felt thereat in Washington. It is understood that Ambassador Daeschner will conduct the negotiations for France. Jean Parmentier, a skilled French financier, has just arrived in this country and it may be he will help. M. Briand thinks the security question can be settled on the five-power treaty basis proposed by Germany, together with another treaty making safe the eastern frontier.

LEON TROTZKY'S return to Moscow is having some interesting results. He has been elected a member of the soviet cabinet and is being figuratively patted on the back by his late foes, who seem to have modified their ideas of relations with the outer world. But a confidential agent of the British government gives out a warning. He says soviet operatives all over the world, and especially in London, Paris and America, have been making use of "Trotzky's return" for purposes of political propaganda. This, and this only, was the actual motive of the triumvirate ruling Russia in bringing back Trotzky to power. By masking Trotzky as an "economic expert"—similar to Joseph Caillaux of France—the Moscow rulers hope to use him to regain absolute control of the army. In the meantime they are spreading the false news that the former army leader has become less radical, hoping it will help them to obtain loans, especially in London and Paris.

GLENN FRANK, editor of the Century Magazine and only thirty-eight years old, has been invited by the board of the University of Wisconsin to become the president of that institution. Mr. Frank is a native of Missouri and received his education in Northwestern and Lincoln Memorial universities. For several years he was assistant to the president of Northwestern.

IN TENNESSEE they are about to try a test case in which an instructor is accused of violating the state law forbidding the teaching of the theory of evolution in state schools. A preliminary hearing of the charges resulted in the instructor's being held to the grand jury. The fundamentalists of the country are intensely interested in seeing that the statute is upheld, and William Jennings Bryan their high priest among the laity, has offered his legal services to the prosecution. He says the scientists of America are "dishonest scoundrels" who are afraid to tell their beliefs and "burrow in the ground and steal away the faith of our children."

DEATH removed last week several notable persons. Among them were Miss Amy Lowell, an eminent American poet and critic and sister of President Lowell of Harvard; Sir Henry Rider Haggard, celebrated English writer of tales of romance and adventure; Herbert Quick, American author and editor; General Mangin, who gained undying fame by his defense of Verdun in the World war; Rt. Rev. Mgr. Charles A. O'Hern, rector of the North American college at Rome, and William F. Massey, premier of New Zealand.

AS HAD been expected, the sentences passed on the two soldiers at Honolulu, convicted of trying to organize a communist league among their comrades, have been greatly reduced. Maj. Gen. W. R. Smith, after reviewing the court-martial proceedings, cut the sentences from 40 and 26 years to three years and one year.

Wild Horse Roundups Planned in Montana

Helena, Mont.—Wild horse roundups, planned under much the same system as is used by some western states for jackrabbit drives, are being organized in several sections of Montana under a law passed by the last legislature.

The law, which was hard fought on sentimental grounds by old-time stockmen and ranchers in the legislature, is designed to rid sections of the state of the small, wild range horses, commonly designated as cayuses, which are considered by stockmen as utterly worthless.

Farmers complain that bands of these horses, when range feed gets poor, sweep down upon the unfenced pasture lands in the agricultural districts, break down fences and damage growing crops.

The live stock department estimates that there are 400,000 head of these wild horses on the Montana ranges.

Under the law county commissioners, upon sufficient petition, may designate a roundup foreman, who organizes the drive, impounds the horses gathered, records their brands, if any, and causes the publication of a notice under which owners may redeem such stock as they wish by payment of a small fee. The remainder are destroyed.

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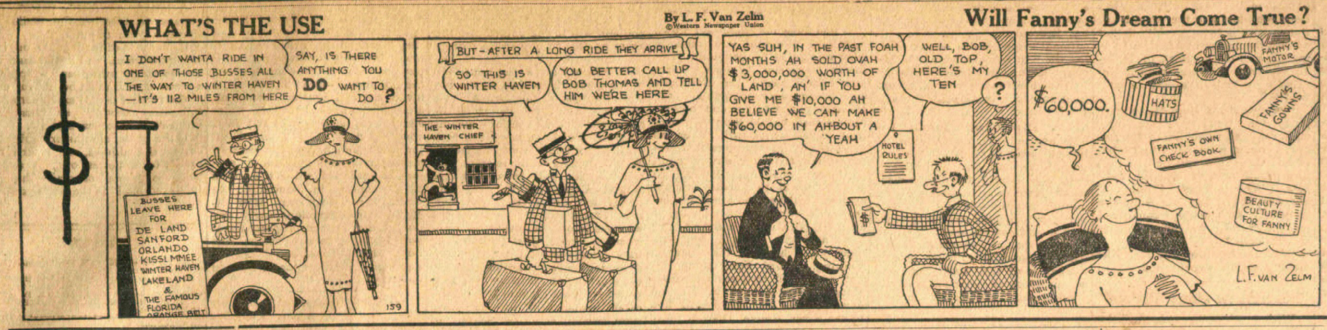
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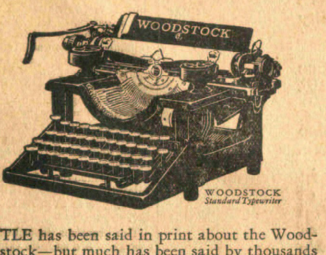

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

The Purpose And Scope Of The W.C.T.U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union reaches out into every line of service in the home, social or civic line, and touches every spring of action that can be correlated for humanity's good. Its scope is as wide as the universe and limited only by humanity's need. Its motto, "For God and Home and Every Land," holds within its compass all that makes life worth living. True to its God given mission the Woman's Christian Temperance Union has consistently pursued its "Do Everything" policy whose effectiveness the present status of public sentiment and action amply justifies. The story of its achievements thrills like a bugle blast urging to further conquest.

We have at last reached the goal of National Constitutional Prohibition. Forty six states, ten more than the required number ratified the Federal amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors and the law is now operative. Is the full purpose of the W. C. T. U. thereby accomplished? A survey of present conditions affords sufficient answer to that question.

The brazen attempts made by the enemies of prohibition to nullify the law, to hinder its enforcement and to minimize its good effects serve to emphasize the fact that the organized work of the W. C. T U. must not be abandoned. Prohibition, now a part of Federal law, must be written in the law of individual life, receive the support of the people, and become a fixed principle of action. Years of educational labor stretch before us ere total abstinence is accepted by the masses of the people as the only safe rule of life. Law enforcement must long be stressed ere prohibition will be safe from the assaults of its enemies.

WOMAN LEADER ANSWERS FREE PRESS EDITORIAL

Mrs. William Tilton, Chairman Women's Allied Organizations of Massachusetts, and Nationol Chairman Legislation of the Congress of Parents and Teachers, has sent the following reply to the editor of the Detroit Free Press, who has called for the modification of the Eighteenth Amendment.

"Dear Sir:

"In calling for the modification of the Eighteenth Amendment after a five years' trial, we would like to ask you frankly where the reforms of the world would have been if your spirit had animated the reformers,—your speed spirit.

"The United States abolished the slave trade, 1807. In 1810, Madison was calling on the nation to put down the illicit traffic. In 1817, Monroe was calling for more enforcement laws. In the thirties, the illicit traffic blazes into 200,000 slaves smuggled across annually.

"But in 1871, we find in our Congressional Record the last act against the slave trade. You see it took more than five short years after the prohibition slave law was passed to enforce it. It took two generations!

"Take again our Constitution, 1787. It made us a nation, on paper. Then came the struggle to enforce the law. Washington died in 1799, in despair that the Constitution would ever become a working reality. John Marshall took up the fight against de-centralization and for federalism. He died in 1835, in despair that we should ever become a nation. But we came through despite the Doubting Thomases and the men who saw more money in local option than in nationalism.

"But it took more than five years to come through. You and I like to think we should have had the staying power to see these glorious reforms through, that fifty years rather than five years would have been the length of our vision.

"Detroit Free Press,—May I ask you would any great reform have come to pass had five years been the limit given in which to bring the unconvinced minority up to the new ideal and work out all the intricacies of enforcement?

"I ask you,—would your attitude have lost or gained for us the abolition of the slave trade or the establishment of our republic?

"Detroit Free Press—read a little history, think a little longer, probe a little deeper, and comback to the ranks of those who enlist, not for five years, but for the duration of the war."

"Sincerely,
(Signed) "Elizabeth Tilton."

State College Looks Ahead at Conference

The M. A. C. reviewed the past and the Michigan State College of Agriculture and Applied Science took a long look into the future during a series of special anniversary conferences held at East Lansing last week.

May 13 was Founders Day at the college, and this year it marked a number of "even number" anniversaries: the 70th of the act establishing the college: the 40th of the start of engineering; the 30th of the establishment of the home economics division and of the start of a system of Farmers Institutes; and the 10th anniversary of the inauguration of the present extension system, supported by the state college and the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

May 13, 1925, also marked the official change in the name of the college from "Michigan Agricultural College" to the "Michigan State College of Agriculture and Applied Science." The conference commemorated the various anniversary dates and recognized the name change officially.

Of greater significance to the state as a whole (particularly the rural sections) than the review of past, was the long look into the future taken by the delegates to the various conference meetings. Led by President Kenyon L. Butterfield and the deans of the various divisions, the college took stock of its entire field of work and planned programs for future development.

Particularly in the fields of rural life betterment and continuing education (for those out in the state who are not attending schools and colleges), the conferences brought out notes of interest and hope for the future.

Many leaders in the various fields of education by the different conferences were gathered from all over the country to take part in the discussion and help plan the general program upon which the M. S. C. will build its educational facilities for the future.

County normal schools of the state will gather at the M. S. C. on May 21 and 22 for the ninth annual county normal conference at East Lansing. Picnics, a singing contest, addresses by leading educators, and various meetings and demonstrations will feature the conference. The Boys and Girls Club Department of the college will serve as hosts during the meetings.

Disease Hits Clover From Imported Seed

Further evidence of the superiority of home grown clover seed over stocks imported from southern European counties is shown this spring in the extensive experimental plats of the farm crops department at the M. S. C.

Disease is causing heavy loss in the plats sown to seed from Italy and other southern European counties, while the native seed stocks have produced crops which are coming through relatively clean. These plats were sown during the spring of 1924, during which season more than 24 million pounds of clover seed were imported into the United States, approximately three fourths of which came from Italy and France, according to Prof. C. R. Megee, associate professor of farm crops at M. S. C.

The cold, dry weather experienced so far this spring is not particularly favorable to the spread of such diseases as anthracnose, says Professor Megee. Nevertheless, the seed imported from Italy and other southern European countries due to its very high susceptibility has been greatly injured by this disease of our trial plats.

In order to insure healthy, vigorous stand of red clover, only home grown seed should be sown.

Early Laying Pullets Pay Best Institute Finds

The earlier she lays the quicker and longer she pays, says the Blue Valley Creamery Institute in urging Michigan poultry raisers to push pullets to early maturity. Experiments show the more rapidly a pullet comes into egg production the greater the number of eggs she will lay the first year.

The widespread belief that early laying stunts the body growth of the pullet is not borne out by tests except in the case of a few individuals, according to the Institute. Data compiled recently shows that White Leghorn pullets which matured in less than six months laid 168 eggs during their first laying year, while pullets requiring seven or eight months to mature only laid 146 eggs. Pullets taking 10 months to mature were even slower in egg production, the eggs laid totalling only 93.

Early maturity of pullets may be hastened by the feeding of mineral elements including the little known and less used iron, the Institute states. The use of a mixture of one pound of sulphate of iron with one ounce of sulphuric acid in two gallons of water will generally result in unusual development in the growing stock. These should be mixed in earthenware jar, thoroughly shaken and allowed to stand for a day or two. Before using it should be stirred and a half pint of the mixture used in three gallons of water put in to fill the drinking vessels.

The "Backbone" of The Senior Class

The Advocate feels justified in reporting the Senior Class theatrical as a big success. From start to finish; from Kate the servant girl so well portrayed by Charlotte Lane, to the dry and Jiggs-like Mr. Easton, father of the family and a sacrifice to the spendthrift tendencies and high brow stuff of his wife, the play was certainly very well executed.

"Pa" Easton with his corns and rather adverse ideas of society was portrayed by Everett Westcott in his usual manner; Mrs. Easton his wife (by the way a regular Mrs Bowser for curtain lectures) and handy with her tongue always got her arguments to the fore and usually triumphed, as most of them do. Frances Young took this character. The incompetent and terribly shy "Willie Scott" who was so soft he believed he was a cipher, was very vividly impersonated in a creditable manner by Theron Randolph.

Willie never would have known what he was good for if it had not been for the timely advice of the charming Miss Woodward whose visits to the fortune teller found her future and she insisted it could find Willie's. Willie being somewhat skeptical hardly dared read his horoscope, but at last when he found he was "buncoed" he did so. Willie is a type of which this world has by far too many.

Naomi Crapser, as the attractive daughter of "Pa" and "Ma" Easton could not have been more demurely attractive and "Willie" was not so different from other young men in admiring her even if she did repudiate his poor spineless behavior.

Paul Wells as Fred Barton, son of the wealthy store keeper, was a typical product of the life he led. Proud, insolent and fancying himself loved by Miss Easton, but really the butt of her ridicule.

Collectors usually lead a hard and stony life, and J. W. Lynch as an installment man was no exception. Besides being impudent and thoroughly scorned, he managed to obtain a very black optic after "Willie" got his second nerve

Ralph Wolcott as Old Man Barton, whose principal aim in life was to "go get 'em"—the dollars we mean—and who wanted not only his clerk's services for half price but also the entire trade of the "Emporium" beside, has many prototypes.

Bernard Shaw, the efficient office boy was very prompt in answering calls.

Miss Thelma Brooks as the charming Miss Woodward who so thoroughly monoplized "Willie's" cupidity deserves more than passing mention.

The daughter of the Easton family just like others, seemed to have a number of friends who usually attended her parties and patronized the punch bowl heavily. These consisted of Clarence Hoffman, Genevieve Roberts, J. W. Lynch, Myrtle Rogers and Ethel Bohn.

Receipts of the entertainment are highly satisfactory and the Seniors are to be congratulated.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Harmon Fowle, deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

And It is Further Ordered, That the 16, day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof begiven by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 23rd, day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel A Wisner Deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further ordered, That the 27th day of August 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
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Candidate For Congress

George Burr Smith of Somerset Township, Hillsdale county has announced his candidacy for Congress on the Democratic ticket at the special election to be held in the third district. His statement is as follows:

"I have been urged by Republican Dissenters to become a candidate for Congress on the Democratic ticket and promised support if nominated."

"I went into the campaign in 1923 without a dollar except what was contributed by others, who like myself, had been caught with the repudiation of the Federal Reserve Board promises to assist the farmers who had given "until it hurt" to help win the war. It was necessary for me to rent my farm and sell my registered stock and equipment, while the Senate betrayed our boys who gave their lives to end all war. Industry has been exploited and the wealth of the country is being rapidly gathered into the hands of a few, depriving labor of the comforts of life resulting from improved methods of production and toil saving machinery."

"I reduced the Republican majority for Congress from forty eight hundred to six hundred seventy three in Hillsdale county between two regular elections. I am now proud to be recognized here as a "Wheel horse Democrat" but, first of all, I am an American genuinely and deeply concerned for the future of representative Government."

"Any contribution you feel like making will be appreciated.

Beware! How You Address Your Mail

With a view to reducing the large and needless waste occasioned by careless addressing of mail matter, Postmaster General New has directed that an intensive educational campaign be waged during the first week in June to assure better mailing practices and to divert to constructive channels millions now lost, principally through carelessness.

The Department already has been assured the cooperation in this endeavor of many of the nation's large mail users and of business, civic, and fraternal organizations. Twelve thousand moving picture theatres will run the Department's slogans urging greater care in addressing, and it is hoped that newspapers generally will take part by disclosing to their readers the extent of the waste and the way in which it may be eliminated.

Additional articles of interest on the same subject will follow later. Postmasters have been asked to cooperate with editors.

Have You Got your Ear to the Ground?

If you have not then get down right now. We told you recently what was going to be done with the St Lawrence Waterway project. Now it seems the Railroads and Steamship companies are about to put in $4,500,000 to complete a terminal dock on the Detroit River which will cover 12 acres of ground and up to the minute. When the waterway is completed we shall see Detroit go some. None of the great Atlantic seaports will become more important than our own metropolis, I am sure. Now if you will give this a few moments thought you will quickly see the way the wind is blowing. Henry Ford alone has not spent his millions on River Rouge for the fun of it. Not on your tin type! Mr. Ford will live to see River Rouge District fully as great as the Battery of New York City. Ocean traffic will come driving into the port of Detroit and you will in the course of a few years be able to buy spices from a Chinese Junk at the docks of Detroit, you will see a vast multitude of foreigners dressed in all the typical costumes of the Orient; you will hear the hoarse bellowing of the sirens of ocean tramp steamers from the Islands of southern seas, and whalers from the frozen North. Banana steamers from Central America will leave immense cargoes. Copra from the dark continent and dates from the Barbary States can be seen on the wharves in original packages right from the jungle. Just watch and wait. Meanwhile if you have a few stray dollars lying around in the old stocking or drawing four percent better soak it into Detroit real estate somewhere in the down river district. Don't be scared of the rum-runners. They will be taken care of in due season if it requires the whole United States navy to do it. Not so long ago they bewailed the awful flow of liquor into this country from ships but you aren't hearing much about the liquor now—are you? Nope! A few of our real fighting men took a few of the unused torpedo boats which were lying around and in a couple of days they rounded up the whole bunch. You can see how much the boasted millions of gallons of liquid hell which they claimed was coming in, amounted to when the real boys went after it. Make your reservations early and don't forget Detroit property never goes back but always steps one notch ahead. Taxes could not be any higher up there than here and —well you know.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hilsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 5th day of May A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward E. Carter, deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, That the 8th day of Septembef 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is further ordered: That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY

4913 Judge of Probate

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths (\$1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned. will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the south west corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich,

July 24, 1925. 48t13

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is \$2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of \$35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

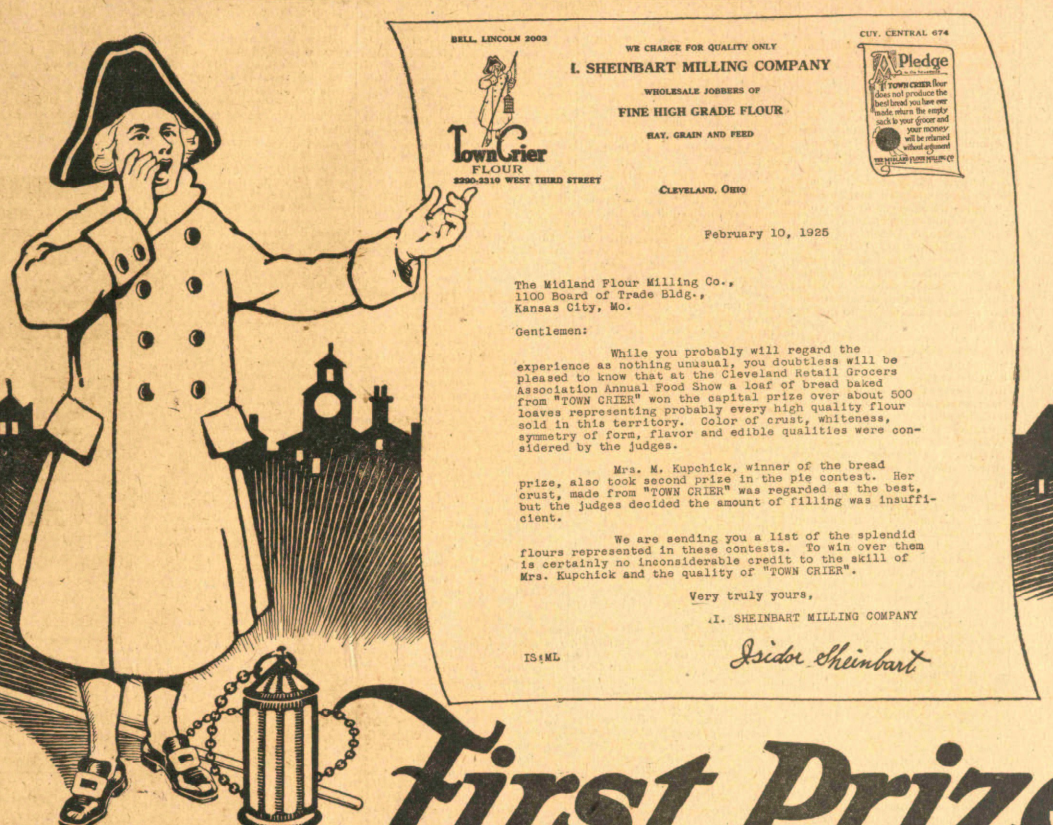
All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
Frances E. Cox.
43t13 Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan



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Mrs. M. Kupchick, winner of the bread prize, also took second prize in the pie contest. Her crust, made from "TOWN CRIER" was regarded as the best, but the judges decided the amount of filling was insufficient.

We are sending you a list of the splendid flours represented in these contests. To win over them is certainly no inconsiderable credit to the skill of Mrs. Kupchick and the quality of "TOWN CRIER".

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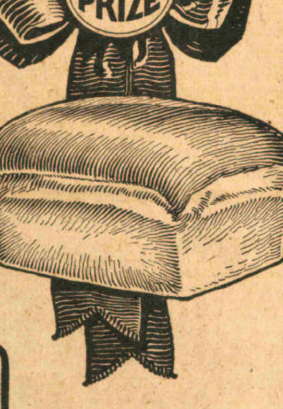
The proof, of course, is the test in your own oven. Order a sack of TOWN CRIER Flour today. You and your family be the judges of TOWN CRIER'S goodness. We guarantee it to bake ***better*** bread.



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King Tommy

By GEORGE A. BIRMINGHAM

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DEEP-LAID SCHEMES

Tommy Norreys, an Irish curate, invested in German marks and when they went down and kept on going Tommy ran over to Berlin to spend his fast-fading investment. Tommy was a modest soul, so when a gentleman with an English accent approached him in his hotel and called him "Your Lordship," Tommy blinked his bright Irish eyes. But when the head waiter repeated the accusation, as he bowed Tommy to a table, Tommy nearly collapsed.

"Who am I?" Tommy asked himself. "Is it a German jest; am I dreaming, or have I a double?" But before he had time to answer his own questions, he was deep in such a mesh of intrigue as even his Irish imagination never dreamed of.

A little later a very pretty dancer threw him a note which said: "Go back to London and marry Viola Temple." Tommy was intrigued to know who Viola Temple was, but the lovely little dancer held first claim on his attention. So he stayed, thereby greatly complicating the already complicated complications.

"George A. Birmingham" is really an Irish preacher—Very Reverend James Owen Hannay, canon of St. Patrick's cathedral, Dublin—so you may be sure he's portrayed "King Tommy" to the life and made him the lovable hero of a delightful romance in a setting of light comedy.

Part I.—London

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CHAPTER I

I had finished breakfast and was reading the Irish news in the Morning Post. It gave me some pleasure to read the Irish news in the Morning Post in the early part of 1922. The Republicans or the Free Staters had burned my house in County Clare, and I liked being told that such people come to a bad end. The Morning Post told me that every day with emphasis.

Lord Norheys walked in and greeted me.

"Good morning," Uncle Bill. Had a good night? Sleep sound and all that? Chewed up a satisfactory breakfast? What I always say is if a fellow sleeps and eats he's fit for anything."

I am not Norheys' uncle, and my name is not Bill, or even William; but I have known him ever since he was born, and I suppose he has a right to stick to the nickname which he first gave me when he was a child in the nursery. His father, the eighth marquis, was my best friend. He and I and Edmond Troyte, the younger brother, were at Winchester together, and afterward at Oxford. I was godfather to the present marquis.

"Thanks," I said. "I got through the night fairly well and the coffee was quite hot at breakfast."

"I thought I'd inquire," said Norheys, "because what I've got to tell you may give you a bit of a shock. And what I always say is this: unless a fellow is pretty well braced up it's better to let a shock stand over for a day or two."

"I feel as fit this morning," I said, "as I'm ever likely to; so unless your news is really desperate—It's about Miss Temple, I suppose."

Miss Temple—Viola Temple of the advertisement hordings and the picture papers—is a very beautiful lady with a spotless reputation. At that time all London was enthusiastic about her dancing. Norheys was more enthusiastic than any one else. I hoped he did not mean to marry her, but was very much afraid he did.

"Viola doesn't come in at all so far," said Norheys. "Though of course she may later on. No fellow can possibly tell who'll come into what, can he? You might be in it yourself, Uncle Bill, before we're actually through it."

"That," I said, "is extra reason for telling me what it is."

"It's a new stunt of Uncle Ned's."

His uncle Ned—this time a real uncle—is Lord Edmond Troyte, son of the seventh marquis, uncle of the ninth marquis of Norheys, one of our ablest, quite our most sincerely patriotic statesman, at present minister for Balkan affairs. Whatever the "stunt" was, it must surely be safe and decorous if Lord Edmund invented it. So I thought; but I was wrong. I might have remembered that there is a queer vein of adventurousness and daring in the Troyte family. There was a Lord Alfred who made himself a sort of Arab sheik early in the Eighteenth century. Before him there was an Elizabethan Lord Edmund who came back from the Spanish Main with a shipful of gold plate. There was a Lady Elizabeth Troyte who married Prince Boris of Lystria in 1762, and, after a brilliant military career, had her head cut off by the Turks, who were playing about in Lystar at that time. There were others. And that kind of thing, if it is in the blood, is very hard to eradicate.

"Uncle Ned," said Norheys, "wants me to be a king."

Norheys was perfectly right to inquire about my health before he made an announcement like that. A man who had slept badly or who had had no breakfast might have fainted through sheer astonishment.

"A king," I said. "Good gracious! But—he can't possibly have suggested your being a king. King of what? Where?"

"Does seem a bit of a facer just at first, doesn't it, Uncle Bill? But the way to look at all these things is this: Why not? Before you turn it down you ought to say to yourself, Why not? That's what I've been saying to myself ever since Uncle Ned sprang it on me."

"Well," I said, "when you put it that way I can see—I dare say you'd make a fairly good king of some very small country. But I still find it very difficult to believe that your Uncle Ned really proposed it. Did he mention the name of the country?"

"He did; but it's slipped out of my head for the minute. It was the same place where my greataunt Elizabeth went with that mucker of hers one hundred and fifty years ago."

"Lystria," I said. "But—well, of course your Uncle Edmund knows better than I do, but I have an impression that Lystria isn't an independent state any more."

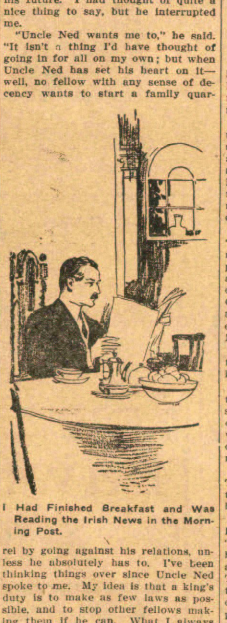
I was right about that. I looked the matter up after Norheys left me. Lystria, once an independent kingdom, was incorporated into the Republic of Megalia by the Treaty of Trianon. Megalia is one of those new republics which make the map of Europe very confusing to people like me who knew it before the war. No doubt the Lystrians deserved to lose their independence. The late king, Wladislaws VI, backed the wrong side in the war and like all who did that, lost his throne.

"Lystria is the spot Uncle Ned mentioned," said Norheys. "Potty little one-horse place; but of course a fellow can't expect to step into a first-rate job when he first goes into the king line of life."

"But," I said, "if you really are to be a king—"

As his godfather I felt it my duty to speak seriously to Norheys about his future. I had thought of quite a nice thing to say, but he interrupted me.

"Uncle Ned wants me to," he said. "It isn't a thing I'd have thought of going in for all on my own; but when Uncle Ned has set his heart on it—well, no fellow with any sense of decency wants to start a family quarrel by going against his relations, unless he absolutely has to. I've been thinking things over since Uncle Ned spoke to me. My idea is that a king's duty is to make as few laws as possible, and to stop other fellows making them if he can. What I always say is this: Most fellows are all right if you leave them alone and don't go trying to make them do things they don't want to. Of course if they take to batting each other on the head, then you've got to send a policeman to stop them. But otherwise—Well, my idea of kings and presidents and people like that is that they've far too good an opinion of themselves. They always think they know what's best and want the other fellow to do it. Whereas the other fellow knows really just as well as they do. And my idea is: Let him. So long as it doesn't annoy anybody else much, let him."



I Had Finished Breakfast and Was Reading the Irish News in the Morning Post.

Norheys' political principles struck me as sound. I felt that, if ever he became king of Lystria, I should like to go and live there. Taxes ought to be light; for the greater part of our national income seems to go in paying officials to compel people to do things they don't want to. There would be no expenditure of that sort in Lystria under Norheys.

"There's another fellow in this stunt," he said, "besides Uncle Ned. Ever hear of any one called Cable?"

"I've heard of Procopius Cable," I said. "Everybody has."

"I haven't," said Norheys. "At least I hadn't until yesterday. What sort of a bird is he?"

I found it a little difficult to give a clear account of Procopius Cable. Nobody knows where he came from. His Christian name sounds Greek, and I have heard it said that he was originally a Levantine Jew. I could not call him a captain of industry, for he does not manufacture, nor drive other people to manufacture, anything. I suppose he might be described as a financier. I said so to Norheys.

"Anything to do with oil?" he asked.

"Not that I know of," I said, "but he may. It wouldn't surprise me to hear that Cable had something to do with anything in the world if there's money to be made out of it."

"I mentioned it," said Norheys, "because Uncle Ned said something about oil in Lystria. I can't say I much like the idea of living in a place that stinks of paraffin, nasty stuff, always getting into your food and dripping about. However, Uncle Ned says the good old British empire wants oil, and if it does I'm all for its having as much as it can get. That's what I always say to a fellow who starts talking about the empire: The proper thing is to let the British empire get what it wants with the least possible fuss, whether it's oil, or rubber, or whatever the thing may be. Uncle Ned seemed to think that in this case it was oil."

"Is there oil in Lystria? I never heard of it."

"That fellow Cable seems to have said so," said Norheys, "and I rather gather—mind you, I'm not saying this as a certain, sure thing. My general impression is that if I was king of Lystria, Uncle Ned and the jolly old empire would collar the oil? See?"

I began to see.

CHAPTER II

I took the first chance I got of having a chat with Edmond Troyte. He was perfectly frank with me and told me all about the scheme for making his nephew king of Lystria.

He began with the political part of the plan. The Lystrians are, so he said, an intensely patriotic people and they very much dislike being merged in the Republic of Megalia. In fact, Edmund admitted this to me, the framers of the Treaty of Trianon made a mistake, a bad mistake, in depriving Lystria of its independence.

"They are a people," said Troyte, "with a strong feeling in favor of monarchy. They don't like the republican form of government. The aristocracy doesn't like it. The Church doesn't like it, and in Lystria the Church counts for a lot. Whatever the patriarch says the people say after him. The patriarch's name is Menelaus."

He went on to tell me that the Lystrians would like to have their old king back.

"But that's impossible. The Entente powers wouldn't stand it. Besides, that fellow Wladislaws is a bad one. He treated his wife badly, she was an Englishwoman. As a matter of fact, she was a distant cousin of my own."

Any king who treats a relative of Troyte's badly deserves to lose his throne. I saw at once that Wladislaws had irretrievably lost his.

"The Patriarch Menelaus and the Lystrian aristocracy," said Troyte, "know perfectly well that they can't have Wladislaws back. So, some time ago, they asked for an Englishman. The only condition they made was that he should marry the ex-king's daughter. Of course we turned the proposal down at once and no more was heard of it."

"You seem to have turned it up again," I said. "Now, why?"

That, it appeared, is where Procopius Cable came in. He had found out that the Lystrian mountains were full of oil. He tried to get a concession for the development of the oil fields. The Megalian government hesitated and wrangled and procrastinated until Cable got tired of trying to deal with them. They had not money enough to develop the place themselves. They had not the knowledge or enterprise or energy to do it even if they had the money. And they would not let Cable do it. So he started working up patriotic feeling in Lystria, or rather financing it, for it did not need working up. He got into touch with the patriarch and he got into touch with the aristocracy through a certain Count Istvan Casimir. He gave them all the money they wanted. According to Cable's account everything was ready for a revolution. All that was wanted was a king whom the Entente powers would recognize. The Megalian republic would be quite helpless if England or any other great power recognized the new king of Lystria.

> **My word! What next? With such clever and influential schemers at work, anything is possible.**

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Sleep-Walking Traced to Disordered Brain

The researches of a group of scientists recently have thrown some light on the dark subject of sleep-walking.

They have found that sleep is a more or less willful turning away of the senses from the demands of life—because at the moment these demands cannot be satisfied.

When we are weary all our senses—all our nerves—are so played out that they "turn away from life" at the same moment. The brain, so to speak, goes to sleep in a lump.

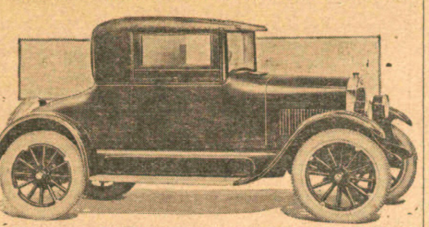
It happens occasionally that a part of the brain is poisoned by disease, whereas the rest of the organ remains healthy. When the healthy parts fall asleep the excited, or poisoned parts, remain wakeful.

In the case of the sleep-walker, that part of the brain which controls the movements of the legs is awake, while the eyes and ears are sound asleep.

In other words, the sleep-walker is suffering from partial brain poisoning.

The idea that sleep-walkers should not be wakened is a mistaken one. Experience shows that if they are roused to an immediate sense of their situation they are more likely, on future occasions, to waken themselves.

STRIKING FEATURES OF NEW STAR COUPSTER



Flexible door windows that may be lowered or raised like pullman car curtains and that disappear within the top of the body when raised are a striking feature of the new Star coupster.

In reality the coupster is a convertible car, affording all the comforts of closed car transportation, yet convertible into an open car by the simple expedient of raising two disappearing windows—a five-second operation. For all practical purposes it is two cars in one.

EFFICIENCY AND SAFETY OF CARS

Numerous Devices Add to Comfort and Satisfaction of Owner.

It is difficult to believe that the oil pressure gauges and the ampere-meters which now appear on the instrument boards of virtually all makes of cars were once regarded by many as unnecessary frills. Today there are a number of accessories being offered which are similarly regarded, which is the same as saying that they would be appreciated if only their advantages were better known.

By equipping a car with some of these fitments, greater satisfaction, efficiency and safety will result. Add front and rear bumpers to the car, attach one of the many rear signaling devices, keep a set of anti-skid chains handy and the car will be enormously benefited in proportion to the cost of the protection. Frequently such safety devices add to the car's appearance and thus not only help protect the owner's original investment, but add to it. A spotlight attached to the windshield and played upon the road may prevent wrecking the car in a ditch.

Take efficiency as another instance. A car that is operated without proper regulation of the cooling system is at all times running inefficiently. This is especially true in winter when the engine is constantly operated at the wrong temperature, either boiling over because the radiator is covered with the lap-robe or running cold because there is no covering at all. The market now offers several radiator covers with openings which can be operated from the dash.

Along the efficiency line are other devices which are destined to filter the gasoline before it is admitted to the carburetor, thus preventing the entrance of dirty or watered gasoline to the carburetor or engine. A device of this character may pay for itself within a month after it is installed.

Then there are shock absorbers, which in addition to giving greater riding comfort, save the springs from breakage on the rebound and thus increase the usefulness of the car by preventing breakdowns. Even cutouts which were at one time regarded as toys for the speed maniacs are now shown to have a very important use.

Regardless of the selling points of each accessory or all of them as a group, it is a fact that any one of them adds to the second-hand value of a car. So the motorist not only has the use of the accessories with which he equips his car and the savings on insurance, inconvenience, repair bills, etc., but he gets a return premium when he goes to sell the car.

Good Advice Is to Give Machine the Once-Over

There's economy, also satisfaction in giving your car the once-over in the spring, then if it needs replacements or anything else to bring it back to perfect form, have it done as quickly as possible.

Naturally the toll of a year's driving is most severe, and generally there is a reminder or two. Right here the old stitch in time principle works out. When the car is restored to its best shape, almost as good as the day it was bought, riding in it is far more enjoyable, also it will bring a much better price if you care to sell or expect to trade it in on a new car.

Letting your motor car run down is false economy. Eventually it costs you more and in the interim you are not happiest when riding along the highways.

Even little things which you may think are of no special consequence develop into big items in repair bills if allowed to run on without interruption.

Windshield Rattle

When the windshield glass becomes loose in its frame, it causes an annoying rattle. It is very difficult to close the frame so that it will grip the glass more securely without the possibility of breaking the latter. If the glass is not too loose the rattle can be eliminated by filling the space in the frame with shellac. This can be applied with a sharp pointed stick or a brush and should be applied slowly so that it will pack tightly in the opening.

WATER INJURY TO TIRES IS SMALL

Running Through Stream Is Not Injurious.

Now and then in the course of an automobile trip a car has to pass through a stream, and the question is sometimes discussed whether the action of the water is harmful to the tires. The same question arises when the car is out in a heavy rain.

Such a wetting is practically nothing at all, either for damage or improvement. At any rate, the effect on the tire is not harmful. Two chief constituents of a tire are rubber and cotton, both vegetable substances, and as a rule water does not injure vegetable matter. As illustrative of this point, there is the old but true story of the farmer who, when one of his rubber boots fell into a well, placed the other on a shelf in a closet. Twelve years later when the well was cleaned the lost boot was found to be in excellent condition, but the boot on the shelf had fallen into ruin.

If running through a brook resulted in cooling a tire the effect would be decidedly beneficial, but a quick dash through the water has little effect on the heated air within the tire and consequently the temperature change in the tire after its bath is negligible.

Water itself apparently does no harm to tires, but the combination of air and moisture commonly known as humidity is very destructive, especially on the cotton in ordinary fabric tires. The moist air works in between the layers of the fabric and rots them out, sometimes even before the tires leave the dealer's storeroom. Cord tires stand humidity better.

The harmful effect of moist air is the chief reason why, when tires are stored, they should be kept in a dry atmosphere. As sunlight is also harmful, the storage place should be darkened.

Shabby Tires Are Not Favored for Any Car

Shabby tires on a good-looking car! Yet stand on any street corner today and count the number of patched-up, dilapidated tires which are being used to the last mile. The cost of keeping these tires running for a few thousand miles would nearly pay for new ones. Mileage such as this comes high.

Tire conservation does not mean picking up a decrepit tire and putting it back into service at a big repair cost just to save a little rubber left in the tread. It means taking care of the tire from the first so that it will be able to deliver all the mileage built into it by the maker. When tires are so far worn that they are soon to blow, it is poor economy to repair them. Such a course means sacrifice of the inner tube as well.

Cheap, makeshift patches, boots and temporary repairs of all kinds are now being called into use as never before, but patching up an old casing in which separation of fabric plies has already begun, cannot give the freedom from tire trouble on which the pleasure in motoring so largely depends.

Tying in Spring Leaves Will Prevent Spreading

Since the leaves in a spring have a tendency to spread apart, it is often hard to replace the spring tie-bolt in autos or trucks.

The easy way is to grip the head of the tie-bolt in a vise, and put all but the last four leaves one on top of the other. The last four leaves are put on crosswise, or spread around like the ribs of an umbrella, which allows the nut to be easily started on the bolt.

With the nut on the bolt, swing the bottom cross leaf into place. Then each succeeding leaf will slide easily into position. Then tighten the tie-bolt nut. Of course, the clamps on each end will have to be removed until the spring is assembled.

Anything These Days

Running downhill recently a driver found to his utter surprise that a motor truck, supposedly at rest in the downhill position on the right side of the road, was actually going uphill backwards. The driver could not get it through his head for a moment and nearly lost control of his machine trying to dope it out, which showed that he was not prepared to expect most anything nowadays. The truck driver was utilizing the lower gear ratio of reverse in order to enable the engine to pull up an extra heavy load.

Automobile Suggestions

License tags must not be obscured by bumpers extra tires, etc., and must be kept free from grease, oil and dirt so that they are legible at all times.

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English authorities keep automobile thefts at a minimum by a system of records which show the original and all subsequent owners of any one car. A finger-print record is also kept.

One editor has ascertained that there are three automobiles to every bathtub in the United States. Why not? There are seven days a week for the use of automobiles.

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A lock should be provided for the gasoline tank. It is very easy for a thief to help himself to the fuel with the use of a small rubber tube inserted through the filler opening.

Robin Made Good Job of Plastering Nest

A family of bird lovers watched a robin building its nest, the News of Indianapolis reports. After it was practically completed the robin flew over to the bird bath and got himself thoroughly wet.

"Probably taking a bath after his arduous labors are over," said the family. Once out of the bird bath the robin flew to the flower garden, where the top soil was dusty and made himself thoroughly muddy. Then it plumped its mud-covered self down into the nest and turned round several times, evidently finishing the shaping of the nest and cementing the inner surface with the mud. The nest was as smooth as though it had been done by hand.

Now the bird lovers are wondering whether the robins figured out the process or after a bath went about the process of shaping the nest by getting inside and turning round and round.

U. S. Tobacco Consumption

The United States government made a third of a billion dollars out of the tobacco trade last year. Revenue from tobacco taxes, notably from cigarettes, has been steadily increasing for many years. The total for 1924 was $334,661,405, compared with $317,541,826 in 1923. Taxes on cigarettes made up most of this, amounting to $213,143,138 in 1924 and $193,489,876 in 1923. Popularity of cigars is declining slightly, it was indicated, the revenue declining from $47,659,353 in 1923 to $44,920,643 in 1924. Manufactured tobacco, including preparations for pipes and for chewing, increased slightly from $67,084,434 to $67,323,997. Snuff taxes decreased from $7,093,792 to $7,015,191.

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Turn Him Loose

Judge—The lady says you insulted her. What have you to say for yourself?

The Culprit—Well, y'ronner, as you perhaps have noted, the lady is fat; in fact, very fat.

Judge (sternly)—Yes, yes—but come to the point.

Culprit—That's what I'm doing, y'ronner. It was this way: The lady was walking along singing "Waddle I Do," and I merely said, "Yes, I know you do."—Nashville Banner.

In Good Standing

"How do you stand in college?"

"Fine. I am engaged to the most beautiful of the co-eds!"

"I mean how do you stand in your studies?"

"Oh—er—I hadn't thought about that recently."

Forgiveness as an Art

If you forgive a friend be sure you do it with a manner which permits him to forgive himself.—Don Marquis in New York Herald-Tribune.

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Airplane Operation Cost

It costs $400 to $3,000 a year to operate an airplane, depending on the type of plane used, United States army estimates show.—Science Service.

Recognized

He—Wagner? Who is Wagner?

She—Why, don't you know? He's the bird who wrote the tune they played at our wedding.—Life.

Outcasts Combine

Social outcasts of Tokyo have formed an organization which will work for laws abolishing class distinction in Japan.

His Complaint

"Eric, dear! Why these heart-breaking tears?" "N-Nanny says I've a skeleton inside me—an' I can't see it!"

Modernized

"Are you a physician?"

"No, just a fizzician."—Michigan Gargoyle.

No human being is entitled to any "right," any privilege that is not correlated with the obligation to perform duty.—Roosevelt.

Trust him little who praises all, him less who censures all, and him least who is indifferent about all.

A few days after a man weds an angel she sheds her wings.

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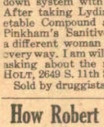

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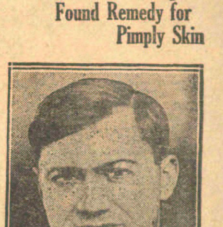

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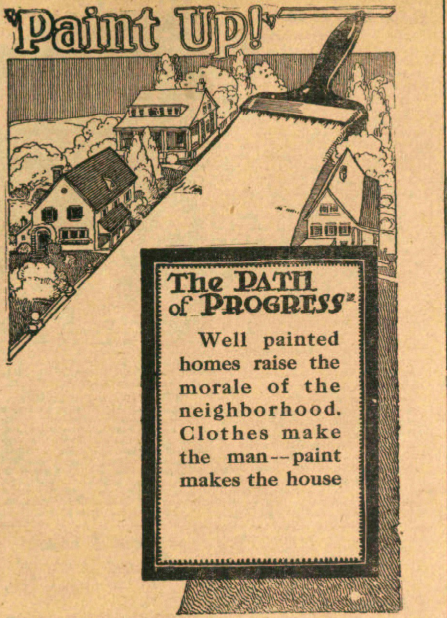

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West Hoxie

The corn is nearly all planted in his neighborhood.

Iris Sutton spent the week end with friends in Jackson.

Jay Hayhoe is spending a few days at the home of George Hayhoe.

Will Bloemker and wife will spend Friday in Hillsdale on business.

Ellsworth Sprague and family called at the Bloemker home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Goble of Wheatland Center spent Sunday at the Bloemker home.

A former neighbor of Ray Haines from Montpeliar Ohio came Sunday to see the wreck of the storm.

Mrs. Will Bloemker entertained the Larkin club Thursday afternoon the next club will be at the home of Mrs. Belle Sweezey.

Somerset Centre

A party of ladies surprised Mrs. J. P. Churchfield Monday evening.

J. P. Churchfield and son Douglas of Midland are spending the week here.

Wayne Cornwell and wife spent Monday evening with Earl Rutan and wife.

Mr. Guy and L. D. Hinman of Jackson spent Sunday at Seymour Roberts.

Esther and Ruth VanCamp spent the week end with their mother in North Adams.

Vern Carleton and wife and Mrs. Betty Brown were in Hillsdale on business Saturday.

Don Rutan and wife, Mrs. Leonard Foltz and Bonnie Roberts were in Jackson Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Loyal and Viola Benkin of Adrian spent Sunday at the T. Tuckerman home.

Frank Wilson and Mrs. Louisa Wheeler of Cement City spent Sunday at the home of Clayton Garver and wife.

Harlow Ballard and wife of Auburn Ind. were callers at the home of Gene McGregor and wife Monday evening.

Town Line

School Board meeting at Cleve Westcott's Tuesday night.

Arthur Westcott and wife were in Ann Arbor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Westcott and mother were in Jackson Wednesday.

Mrs. Ella Fast and Mrs. Belle Jennings attended Wheatland Aid Society Thursday.

Mr. Marsh of Hillsdale has been building some line fence between his farm and the Joe Beecher home

School closes in Vielie district next week. Miss Cox will attend the Ypsilanti Normal the coming year.

Mrs. Belle Jennings who has been helping care for Mr. Beecher for three weeks returned home Sunday.

The family of O. Simmonds was called to Indiana Sunday of last week to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Mattison is helping at the Beecher home. Mr. Beecher is not improving as much as we would wish he might.

Mrs. Howard Wells recently visited her people at Haviland Ohio and her neice accompanied her home for a few weeks visit.

Jonesville

Frank Howland and wife were in Detroit a few days last week.

Fred Husted of Fort Wayne spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. Wm Manning entertained the Mother's club Wednesday of this week.

Helen McKercher was at home for the week end from the Ypsilanti Normal.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome spent Sunday at the R. B. Howard home.

D. Rock and wife of Waukesha Wis. were guests last week at the Carl Rock home.

Mrs. L. E. Swan returned to her home Sunday, after a two weeks visit in Detroit.

The Freshmen class of the High school was entertained by Thelma Baker last Friday evening.

The Helen Childs Missionary Society met with Mrs. Mary McKercher Wednesday afternoon.

John Clark of Toledo came from Toledo Saturday for a visit with his mother Mrs. Rose Clark.

Mrs. Swaes of South Haven and Fannie Bailey of Leslie were guests last week of Miss Jennie Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Densmore who have occupied the Sibbald house on West street for some time have bought a farm near Allen and moved the first of the week.

The Piano pupils of Marguerite Smith and Violin pupils of Florence Welden, gave a recital Monday evening in the Presbyterian church. The house was filled and the program much enjoyed.

The death of Mrs. A. H. Dudley occurred at the home on Thursday evening May 14. She is survived by the husband and one daughter Mrs. Fay Flummerfelt of Detroit beside other relatives. The funeral was held at the home on Sunday. Rev. M. N. Wood officiating.

Jerome

J. E. Lane and family also Wilbur Duryea and family of Hillsdale were callers at the T. J. Lane home Sunday.

The four members of the local class of eighth graders passed the recent examination, members of the class are Norman Burr, Jane Randolph, Lawrence Walworth and Florence Hammons.

Lewis McGee has a perfect attendance record for the last two years he has attended high school. Bessie VanAllen of the grammar room has a perfect record for the past year, Nettie Sawdey, high school sophomore, has not been absent for five years.

Gerald Fisk and family of Addison, A. O. Hart and family of Jackson, Lavelle VanCamp Aldrich, Lena Sawdey of Jackson, H. A. Voorhees and family of Hanover, Dan Sawdey and family of North Adams were visitors at the home of R. O. Sawdey and wife, Sunday.

Floyd Starr of the Starr commonwealth near Albion will lecture at the church next Sunday. Mr. Starr has attained international prominence during the past few years because of his ability to make good boys out of bad ones. The local Boy Scout troop will also be installed Sunday.

Prof. F. S. Goodrich lectured interestingly on 'Mexico" at the church Sunday. Among other things, the Professor said that President Obregon had done more for the Mexican laboring man than all former rulers combined. Probably Obregon's interest in the working man is one reason why the Associated Press dailies rarely hand out bouquets to the Mexican leader because the A. P. usually displays an unfriendly attitude towards labor at critical times. Dr. Goodrich also declared that American profiteers in Mexico were a greater hindrance to progress than were the Mexicans themselves, which is exactly what the Socialists have been saying for several years. John K. Turner in "Barbarous Mexico" has explained how American capitalists were to blame for much of the trouble in the southern republic. For instance, there was Hearst who agitated for 15 years in an attempt to stir up trouble between this country and Mexico and the reason for the agitation lay in the fact that Hearst owned several hundred thousands acres of land in Mexico which would have been more valuable had the U. S. intervened, Hearst owns 22 of the largest papers in this country, such dailies as the Chicago Examiner and the Chicago American being in the list. Upton Sinclair in "The Brass check" tells how General Otis of the Los Angeles Times owned 650,000 acres in Mexico and how Otis clamored for war along with Hearst so it appears that Professor Goodrich is correct in his ideas concerning the land of Revolution.

Center Adams

Rev. H. G. Hamilton of Warsaw Indiana visited at the J. H. Gordon home Monday.

Alfred Hawkins and wife of Hillsdale spent Wednesday with R. H. Wyman and wife.

Earl Gordon and family of Hillsdale were guests at the John Gordon home on Sunday.

Mrs. Will Keith was taken very seriously ill Friday night but is much better at this time.

Robert Bates and wife of Hillsdale spent Sunday evening with Charlie Williams and wife.

Master Clifford Miller visited in Wheatland with Dean Foster from Wednesday until Saturday night.

Mr, and Mrs. E. C. Williams and mother Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams visited Sunday afternoon with C. N. Williams and wife.

Will Post's wife and little son Theron of Wheatland visited Saturday with Mrs. Addie Wyman while Mr. Post was in Hillsdale on business.

Clarence Smith received a message this week saying his brother Morice Smith of Centraline Illinois was killed in an accident. No particulars have been heard as yet.

A. L. Foster and family of Wheatland ate Sunday dinner with J. R. Dewey and wife. Alberta Foster who had been visiting the Dewey's over the week end returned home with her people.

John Haskell and wife, Marion Haskell and family of West Adams and David Arnold and Mrs. Nelia Smith of Moscow were Sunday afternoon guests of C. O. Smith and wife.

Mud Lake school closed on Saturday May 16 with appropriate exercises and a picnic dinner, held at the school house. Margray Hayhoe who has so efficiently filled the place as teacher for the past three years will not return next year as she expects to attend school during the coming year.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Belle M. Fowle Deceased.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further Ordered: That the 16th day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate. 50t3

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Memorial Day Proclamation

By the Governor

The march of the Grand Army of the Republic is nearly over. The vast and sturdy ranks of a generation ago have dwindled to a hazy line of aged but exalted veterans. Time was when men from their own ranks decorated the graves of their fallen comrades and glorified the deeds of living warriors. This duty has now fallen upon the citizens of a grateful republic. Once each year as long as this, the happiest, mightiest, and most righteous of all nations endures, we will be called upon to honor not only the valor of veterans of the Civil War, but to pay homage to soldiers of all other conflicts of the nation. In peace with all the world, our tribute to the honored dead and the surviving veterans who made our happiness possible, should this year be more impressive than ever before.

Therefore, I, Alexander J. Groesbeck, as Governor of Michigan, proclaim and urge a proper observance of Saturday, May 30, 1925, as Memorial Day.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State this thirteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five.

ALEXANDER J. GROESBECK, Governor

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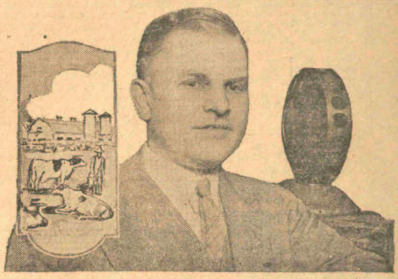

Prof. O. E. Reed, head of the dairy division of the Michigan Agricultural College, whose dairy lectures will feature the Radio Farm School of the Blue Valley Creamery Institute, broadcast at one o'clock each week day except Saturday from the Detroit News Station WWJ. The first of the Radio Farm School programs will be given on Monday of next week.

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Inez Elliott of Plymouth was a dinner guest on Sunday of Elda Rock.

Born to Andrew Richards and wife of Moscow township Wednesday May 20th, a girl.

Will Cook and wife attended church services at Osseo on Sunday and remained to visit relatives.

Henry Stewart and wife of Kalamazoo came Friday to visit their daughters, Mesdames Bemis and Church.

William Goodacre and wife entertained for Sunday H. W. Helmick and wife and J. R. Elliott and family of Plymouth.

Mrs. Ardath Quarton Schwab returned home Monday from a ten days' stay with her husband at River Rouge.

Joel Stiverson and family of Bross district were Sunday guests of his brother, Fred Stiverson, at Churchs Corners.

Clarence Petrie son of John Petrie of Somerset township, underwent an operation for removal of adenoids on Wednesday.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Jennie Othoudt Wednesday June 3rd.

Those from away who attended the funeral of Levi Barse were George Barse and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Reackerd of Pontiac.

C. E. Gilcrist and wife of Battle Creek were pleasant callers at the homes of H. W. Helmick and wife and William Goodacre and family on Sunday.

School in the Bross District will close on Friday, May 29, with a potluck dinner followed by a program of races and sports on the school grounds.

The George Walworth barn 66 x 50 feet is now up and has roof boards on as we go to press. It will have a gambrel roof and stands some what back of the present barn.

Mrs. Luella Helmick attended the Ohio Rebekah Assembly as guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Heiss. Mrs. Heiss (May Mayo) was a former resident of North Adams.

Mrs. Lena Stoner of Adrian came to North Adams on Wednesday to spend Decoration day with her parents C. J. Knapp and wife. The doctor will come Saturday. Mrs. Stoner has completely recovered from her operation.

—Michigan Mutual Windstorm Insurance Co. of Hastings, is represented by William P. Green & Son, 46 E. Bacon St., Hillsdale. Drop us a line or telephone 509. We also write old line Fire and Automobile Insurance, 52t2

At the County Federation of Womans Clubs held at Waldron Friday, May 22, we note that Mrs Lew Meeks of the West Adams Womans Club, was on the program with a paper, "Public Welfare" and Mrs. J. M. Williams of this place was elected a delegate to the State Federation to be held at Benton Harbor.

Another fire one quarter of a mile north of Allen took place Sunday evening at 10 o'clock when the barn on the Brown farm was burned to the ground with valuable tools hay and grain etc. The farm was untenanted and it is thought the fire was purposely set. The barn alone is fully covered by insurance but nothing on contents.

Earl Gray who lives south of this village met with a rather serious accident on Saturday evening on Main street here. He was about to leave and started to crank his coupe Suddenly it started and being in gear shot up against the curbing pinning Mr. Gray between the curb and the machine with the result that he sustained a broken leg below ,the knee both bones having been snapped off, besides many minor bruises. The injured man was at once taken to Dr. McFarland's office and made as comfortable as possible, thence to his home.

Tomorrow is Decoration Day and a fine program has been arranged as stated last week. Prof. Wood of Hillsdale College will be the speaker of the day and the exercises take place at Community Hall at 10:30 a. m. Anyone having soldier relatives of any war buried will confer a favor by notifying Mrs. Merton Wolcott so that a complete roster of the dead may be obtained for future use. This matter was to have been arranged some time ago but has been neglected. It is hoped a list of every soldier buried in our cemetery can be obtained and kept. This should include particulars of his death and the place and date. We mean soldiers of all wars.

North Adams Womans Club met at the home of Mrs. Fern Scrivens Monday afternoon for the last work meeting of the year There was a good attendance of members and one guest, Mrs. Carrie Corbett, of Cleveland, Ohio who was a member before she removed. Roll call was responded to with suggestions to help beautify our town. The following program was given : Piano solo Mrs. Fern Scrivens; paper, "The Modern Drama" Mrs. Harriet Sheppard; the following readings were given: "Hymn to the Trees" Miss Ethel Clement; "That Bad Boy" by Mrs. Fannie Fowler who appeared dressed as a small boy; "The Whistling Regiment" Mrs. Allie Holkins; vocal solo, Mrs. Harriet Shepard, accompanied by Mrs. Frieda Calhoun on the piano; An excellent report of the Federation meeting at Waldron was given by the delegate Mrs. Grace Williams. After the program, arrangements were made for a summer meeting in the form of a picnic to be held at Durga's Landing, at Farewell Lake, Thursday, July 16th.

Closing On Decoration Day

Believing that May 30th should be a day of respect to the soldier dead, and that it should be fittingly observed, we the undersigned agree to close our places of business until after the exercises.

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Lee Barse Hit By Automobile Truck

The following item is copied from a Pontiac paper:

"Levi Barse, 89 years of age an employe at the county farm, died of injuries received at 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon when he was struck by a truck driven by William Dineen at White Lake road and west boulevard. He sustained a broken left arm, broken pelvic bone and badly injured back. Although he was hurried to the Pontiac city hospital after the accident, he lived only about one hour.

Dineen, accompanied by Chas. Cascadden, was hauling cement to the county farm. The truck was owned by the Benson Coal Co by whom Dineen was employed. He claims to have sounded his horn when he saw Mr. Barse walking on the pavement. Mr. Barse according to Dineen, turned round saw the truck, and stepped to the side of the road. As the machine arrived opposite where he was standing, Mr. Barse stepped on the pavement in front of the machine and was struck before it could be stopped by Dineen.

Howard F. J. Leonard of Pontiac saw the accident and took Mr. Barse in his automobile to the city hospital. Efforts of doctors to save his life were futile, and he died an hour later.

Mr. Barse had been employed at the county farm for nearly two years. Prior to that time he had been living with his son, George Barse, at 146 LaSalle St. One day Levi Barse expressed a desire to find a place where he could do some work to pass away the time He left his son's home and secured a position at the county home where he has been since that time. He was formerly a resident of North Adams, Mich."

Short services for Mr. Barse were held in the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilcox on Thursday Rev. Hunt officiating, and interment took place at 1:00 p. m.

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Mr. Hamilton goes to Pittsburg Pennsylvania. for his next engagement, and Mr. Wegner will be associated with Dr. James of Columbus, Ohio, during the month of June. We are glad to have them with us and hope they will come again.

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

The Ladies Aid Society meets at the home of Mrs. Glenn Mercer Wednesday June 3rd. Potluck dinner.

The S. P. I. class meets with Mrs. F. E. Caswell Friday afternoon May 29. Potluck supper and election of officers.

Sunday evening May 31 will be the close of the Evangelistic services.

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

The theme for our morning worship will be "The Christian Soldier" Make yourself feel the need of some of Christ's goodness. You can not get this away from church and a church cannot run on a good scale without people. We are looking for you this Sunday! Sunday school immediately following to which you are all urged to be present.

There will be no choir practice this week. We welcome strangers at all of our services.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Mrs. Salter of Virginia is visiting her brother, Alfred Haight and wife in this village.

Clyde VanPatten, Mrs. Kenrick and son, Harold Kenrick, spent Saturday at the home of Charles Bohn.

The Senior class of the High school announce that they will repeat their play "Backbone" at the Community Hall next Tuesday evening June 2nd. This is for the benefit of the class and it is hoped that a good crowd will be in attendance. Admission same as before 25c and 35c. Reserved seats 10c extra. High school students 25c.

Ray Haines Auction

Ray Haines who lives on the Schilling farm one and one half miles east and one mile south of North Adams, will sell at public auction on the premises on Wednesday June 3rd, 1925 beginning at 1:00 p. m. a team of horses, 13 head of cows, a brood sow, farm tools, etc. James Post is auctioneer.

Serious Auto Accident

On the state road east of North Adams about ¼ mile occurred an accident on Wednesday evening about 10 o'clock and the people concerned in it feel very fortunate indeed that nobody was hurt. Herbert G. Wells and family were going east in a Ford touring car when they came up behind Burl Shambaugh driving a buggy, also going east. Not noticing Mr. Shambaugh's rig until close to it, Paul Wells who was driving turned out to pass him when he collided with the Overland car of Paul Couts driving at a rapid rate from the east. The Wells car crowded the Shambaugh buggy against the guard rail on the south side of the highway breaking two hind wheels and twisting the axle. The force of the impact turned the Wells car completely around and it headed west. The left front wheel was smashed, the steering wheel demolished and windshield broken. Mr. and Mrs. Wells who were riding in the rear seat were thrown ahead with considerable force and bruised. Paul Wells fortunately was not hurt. The Overland was crowded into the gutter on the north side and the front end badly twisted. It will hardly be worth repairing. Mr. Couts was not hurt other than bumped. Neither car carried any insurance.

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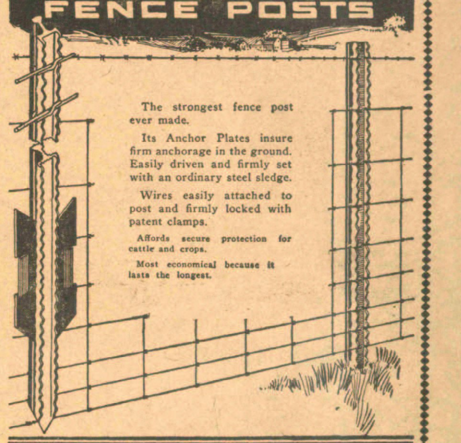

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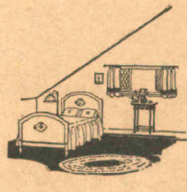

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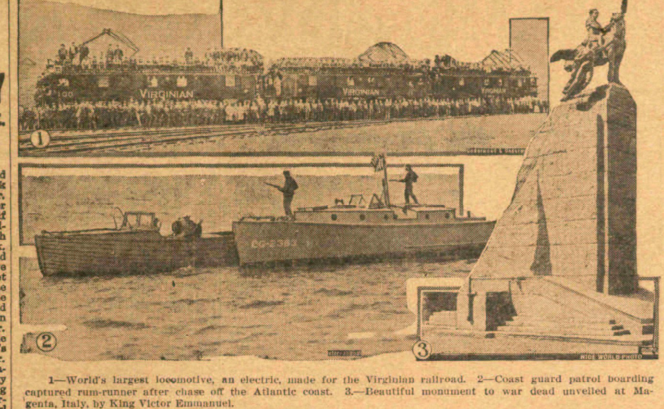

1—World's largest locomotive, an electric, made for the Virginian railroad. 2—Coast guard patrol boarding captured rum-runner after chase off the Atlantic coast. 3.—Beautiful monument to war dead unveiled at Magenta, Italy, by King Victor Emmanuel.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Business Wearies of Interference by the Various Federal Commissions.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

BUSINESS is growing very tired of what it considers unnecessary interference by governmental agencies, and in the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, in Washington, it gave voice to that feeling.

"Government inquisition of the private citizen and his business, from the publishing of his income tax to innumerable investigations by specially constituted commissions is becoming unpopular," declared the president of the organization, Richard F. Grant, of Cleveland.

In the opinion of Robert W. Bingham of Louisville, leader in the co-operative marketing movement, the legislation proposed by "cheap demagogue politicians" is dangerous to the country; and he said any further legislation for the relief of agriculturists would be superfluous.

A. C. Dodson of Bethlehem, Pa., a coal operator, said that in nine years of experience with federal and state supervision of coal production he could "recall no step which has been ultimately of value to the consumer, employee or operator." He expressed the fear that unless natural conditions bring about some cure for the present serious plight of the coal industry, artificial stimulants will be applied by legislative action, and then no one will escape and one and all we will be thrown to the lions."

That the administration sympathizes with the views of the business men to a considerable extent was indicated by the address of William E. Humphrey, a Republican member of the federal trade commission, when he explained the recent changes in its rules made with the approval of President Coolidge. He said these changes were designed to make the activities of the commission less obnoxious to business, and that the opposition to them came only from those who sought to use the commission for political purposes. He declared the body would no longer be used as a publicity bureau for socialistic propaganda.

In line with this attitude of the government was the decision last week of the special federal court of equity in the case of the International Harvester company. This court, sitting in St. Paul, Minn., decided that a 1918 decision divesting the company of three of its manufacturing lines has proved effective in removing any trace of monopoly. Therefore, the court denied the petition for supplemental provisions to the original decree. The petition contended the International Harvester company is still a combination in restraint of trade in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act. But the special court held that the evidence not only failed to support the charge that since the reorganization decree the company has been "unduly or unreasonably monopolizing interstate commerce, but conclusively proves it has not done and is not doing so."

Senators Borah of Idaho and Norris of Nebraska gave out statements favoring the abolition of the federal trade commission on the ground that it has come under the influence of factional politics and outside political pressure and no longer serves the purpose for which it was created.

Senator Fess of Ohio, addressing the International Association of Garment Manufacturers in Chicago, said what the country needed was fewer new laws and a closer study of economics and economic laws. "We are now nearly a government by commissions," said Mr. Fess, "and this bureaucratic movement of the last 25 years is the product of the demand for increased legislation."

JONATHAN M. DAVIS, former governor of Kansas, is not guilty of conspiracy to solicit bribes in payment for pardons, according to the verdict of the jury that heard the case against him in Topeka. The judge's charge to the jury was considered favorable to the defendant and Davis was acquitted on the fourth ballot. Another criminal action against Davis and his son, Russell, is still pending. The charge against Carl J. Peterson, bank examiner under Davis and named jointly with him in the case just ended, will be dismissed.

FOR some time a senatorial committee with Couzens of Michigan as chairman has been investigating conditions in the internal revenue bureau with especial reference to enforcement of the prohibition laws, and it appears that several members of the committee are not at all pleased with the way this work has been carried on. Some of them went so far as to declare that prohibition enforcement was a farce and that when it was made comparatively effective in one region the conditions grew correspondingly worse in other regions.

Senator Watson of Indiana told the committee that the administration, from President Coolidge down, was determined to enforce prohibition to the limit. He continued: "For the first time since the dry law was enacted the people are going to find out what it means to have the law enforced to the limit and the country actually dry. Then, if they are not satisfied it will be up to them to have the law modified.

"Tremendous efforts are going to be made to make the law effective. The drive against rum runners along the Atlantic seaboard is just the beginning and before the administration is through every agency at the command of the government will be enlisted in the drive."

Administration leaders say that though the President wishes the dry law enforced to the limit, he insists all the bureaus concerned must keep within the appropriations voted by congress. Secretary Mellon says no huge expenditure of money will be needed to enable the coast guard to put the Atlantic coast rum-running ring out of business. Many of the vessels from "rum row" there have taken their liquor cargoes to Halifax.

There were two wet developments last week. Ontario province, dry for nine years, returned to the restricted sale of ale, beer and porter limited to 4.4 per cent of alcoholic content, and the city of Windsor, just across from Detroit, accommodated hordes of thirsty visitors from the United States. The Wisconsin assembly approved a state-wide referendum in 1926 on the issue of asking congress to modify the Volstead act to permit 2.75 per cent beer, with the old-time saloon barred. The same assembly adopted a resolution calling upon congress to convene a constitutional convention to rescind the prohibition amendment.

GOVERNORS, ex-governors, congressmen and other notables representing 19 states and Ontario, Canada, gathered in Michigan City for the meeting of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater association and discussed plans for furthering the project of deepening and canalizing the St. Lawrence river for ocean-going traffic. An interesting coincidence was the arrival, the same day, at the Michigan City docks of a steamer from Cornwall, England, with a cargo of clay for Kalamazoo, this vessel being the first of a fleet of three ships chartered by the Michigan City and Michigan state chambers of commerce.

PRESIDENT VON HINDENBURG'S government is standing up well against the attacks of the Socialists. In the first round a vote of no confidence in the Luther cabinet was defeated, 125 to 214. Now the labor unions have joined the Socialists in fighting the new tariff policy which proposes to tax grains and meats, increasing the cost of living. The new tariff schedules provide also for large increases all through the import list. Higher duties on automobiles and artificial silk are frankly attributed to American competition. The German monarchists are growing bold with success, and Herr Schiele, who represents them on the cabinet, already has announced two proposals for changing the Weimar constitution. One would substitute the old flag for the republican emblem, and the other would define and extend paragraph 48 of the constitution, giving the president dictatorial powers in certain emergencies. Schiele and the other Nationalists want a permanent committee on constitutional revision, and the Socialists object. The former also seek to repeal the law "for the protection of the republic" under which offenders against the Weimar constitution are arrested and tried.

Foreign Minister Stresemann told the reichstag—and the world—that President von Hindenburg intends faithfully to carry out the Dawes plan; that Germany will not join the League of Nations until the more serious difficulties with the allies are settled or until the Cologne bridgehead has been evacuated; that Germany believes France has designs on the Rhineland and that the security pact proposed by Berlin was primarily to secure the western German frontiers; that Germany cannot and will not recognize as eternally binding the eastern frontier as outlined by the treaty of Versailles; and that Germany considers that the disarmament problem cannot be a one-sided affair and believes the only solution of the question is universal disarmament. Germany is in much greater danger of an attack in its helpless state than are its neighbors, who are armed to the teeth.

IT IS finally admitted by Washington that informal suggestions have been made to our debtor nations that they take some definite steps toward the funding of the debts. Their attention is called to the fact that this question already is in American politics to an undesirable degree and that the situation will be worse if something is not done before congress meets in December.

PRIMO DE RIVERA, head of the Spanish military directorate, and his colleagues must feel satisfied that the danger of labor revolts has passed and that normal conditions have been restored, for King Alfonso has signed a decree abolishing military law throughout the country. It is presumed that the end of the dictatorship is not far distant. It has served its purpose in crushing out industrial disorders mercilessly and in driving from the country about all the more liberal leaders who were able to escape imprisonment.

ANNOUNCEMENT is made by the French foreign office that Fez has been saved from the Riffians by gallant bayonet attacks by the French troops, aided by the good work of the air service and the artillery. The battle was fought northwest of the big Moroccan city at which Abd-el-Krim has been aiming his movement, and it is believed General Colombat's victory will force the Riffians to retire from French Morocco entirely. Such an outcome will give great satisfaction in Paris, where the severe campaign was causing considerable anxiety.

CHANG TSO-LIN, who must always be identified as "the Manchurian war lord," has occupied Peking with his troops and Feng Yu-Hsiang, "the Christian general," has withdrawn to the northwestern frontier. Chang's soldiers are policing the Chinese Eastern railway across Manchuria and are said to have mulcted the railway of $6,000,000 by the sale of military passes. The soviet Russian ambassador at Peking has protested vigorously against this, and observers believe Moscow is preparing to back Feng if he breaks definitely with Chang. So another civil war in China is in prospect, with Russia possibly taking an active part.

LIEUT. GEN. NELSON A. MILES, who fell dead while attending a circus in Washington, was laid to rest in Arlington after simple services which were attended by President Coolidge, General Pershing and many other notable persons. Three thousand troops, of all services, made up the escort of the gun carriage that bore the casket to the cemetery, and French 75's fired a salute of 15 guns. At the tomb the regular troops fired three volleys, a bugler played taps, and the remains of one of America's most distinguished military commanders were consigned to the grave. Among the mourners were men who fought under General Miles in the Civil war, the Indian wars and the Spanish-American war, and delegations from the many societies to which he belonged.

Condemn Attack Made on Wife of Jackson

Nashville, Tenn.—An offer to stand corrected from Meade Minnigerode, New York writer, on any historical inaccuracies in his informal biography of Rachel Jackson, wife of the seventh President of the United States, was not considered at a meeting of a committee appointed by a mass meeting of citizens here condemning him for the story which appeared in the Saturday Evening Post.

The committee headed by Mrs. Walter Stokes, regent of the Ladies' Hermitage association, and Mrs. Betty M. Donelson, president of the Andrew Jackson society, both of Nashville, revised resolutions adopted at the meeting.

The Minnigerode biography referred to "Old Hickory's" wife as "dowdy" and implied that she was an illiterate person, while General Jackson was held up in the light of "a swash-buckling roisterer, wine-bibbing gamester, a street bully."

This is an "indefensible slander which all Tennessee resents and which the American sense of justice strongly condemns," the resolutions declared.

"The interesting thing about Rachel Jackson," the resolutions continued, "is not perchance that she could not spell perfectly or meet the requirements of classical English, but that she could capture the heart and fire the imagination of a man like Jackson, and hold his chivalrous devotion until the last day of her life."

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Jackson—The city commission has denied chiropractors the right to practice their vocation at the W. A. Foote Memorial Hospital, which is operated by the city. The opinion was given at the request of C. M. Guyselman, a local chiropractor.

Ypsilanti—According to word received here, the state highway department ordered two miles of the Ecorse road, east of this city, paved at once, using prison labor for the construction work. Action on the other one and one-half miles to the Wayne County line is expected in a few days.

Lansing—Three new trunkline road construction jobs have been authorized by the State Administrative Board. A two-mile stretch on M-23 near Ypsilanti will be built on State account. Contracts were let for gravel surfacing on M-69 from the south line of Baraga County to Covington and for 4.1 miles on M-27 near Owosso.

Lansing—"Convention junkets" for State employes and officials are permanently barred by the State Administrative Board. The board adopted a resolution declaring it would not honor expense accounts submitted for attendance at conventions either inside or outside the state, unless the trip involved specific State business.

Escanaba—The discovery of another positive case of rabies here occasioned a renewal of shotgun warfare aaginst unmuzzled dogs. The police "shoot on sight" squad has again opened hostilities against the canines. A half dozen persons have been bitten by mad dogs in two months and more than 300 dogs have been killed.

Muskegon—Smoke which filled the clubhouse of the Muskegon Country Club overcame four persons who were removed from the building when passersby saw the flames. Fire started in a garage, destroyed a truck and passenger automobile stored there and spread to the dining room. Cause of the fire has not been determined. The loss was estimated at $2,000.

Kalamazoo—Several thousand veterans of the 126th Infantry will hold their annual reunion here July 3, 4 and 5. This unit, which was a part of the 32d Division, was reorganized in July, 1917, from the old 31st and 32d Infantry regiments of the Michigan National Guard. The colors of the regiment were decorated with the Croix de Guerre and four American battle bands.

Greenville—The West Michigan Potato Show Association, with S. D. R. Smith as president, has been organized here to sponsor a potato exhibit each year. The organization is composed of growers, specialists and members of the Chamber of Commerce. Plans are to hold a show Oct. 29 to 31, when competition in most classes will be open to growers throughout the state.

Warren—Hostilities between two factions in School District No. 5, of Warren Township, broke out anew when petitions were filed with the township clerk, asking the recall of three members of the school board, who are charged with causing a school building to be erected upon a site not owned by the school district and with refusing to take counsel from taxpayers in the district.

Ypsilanti—A meeting of Saline business men and the directors of the Detroit United Railway will be held to reach some decision regarding the removal of the interurban tracks between here and Saline. The franchise on that line expires in about 18 months, and the State Highway Department declines to pave the six miles of road west of this city until the railway tracks are removed.

Ecorse—George A. Moore, who has been holding the offices of justice of the peace and trustee of Ecorse, resigned from the latter office at the regular meeting of the village council after Attorney-General Andrew B. Dougherty advised him that the offices were incompatible and that he could not legally try ordinance cases while a member of the council. The question was first raised by Alfred C. Bouchard, president of the village and political opponent of Moore.

Ypsilanti—Full-rate fines for pastors who violate the traffice law is the slogan of the Rev. Henry Lewis, rector of the Episcopal church at Ann Arbor, brought into the municipal court of Judge D. Z. Curtis after he had been arrested on a charge of speeding. Judge Curtis was ready to levy a cut-rate fine because of mitigating circumstances, but Mr. Lewis waived any preference, and insisted on paying just like any other offenders. Thereupon, the judge assessed him $5.

Detroit—A Mid-Western Conference of the National Woman's Party will be held in Bloomfield Hills and Detroit the first week in June. The conference will open June 4, with an annual meeting of the Michigan Branch of the National Woman's Party. The morning of June 5, will be given over to the National Council, and the afternoon to an organization conference. This will be followed by a banquet in the evening for the members and friends of the organization at one of the delightful clubs in Bloomfield Hills.

Grand Rapids—In recognition of his services overseas during the World War, the French government has awarded to Bishop John McCormick, the Medaille Commemorative de la Grande Guerre with red and white clasps and voluntary clasp. The citation bears the signature of General Dumont, military attache of the French embassy in Washington. Bishop McCormick entered the service as an army chaplain, and while in France became major and was in general charge of all the Episcopal chaplains in the expeditionary forces.

Battle Creek—The peach crop in this vicinity has been badly blighted by a frost while strawberries and early corn suffered, it was said by fruit and farmers.

Jackson—Officials of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson are seaching for Vito Mangaipane, who made his escape from the State cement plant at Chelsea. The prisoner, serving a life term for homicide, was a trusty at the plant.

Kalamazoo—J. D. Long, Frank King, Edward W. Murray, Ed Summers and John Marshall, the five Milburg bank robbers convicted in circuit court here and sentenced to life terms in Marquette prison, have begun their sentences.

Grand Rapids—Sidney L. Vaughan, former vice-president and general manager of he Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Muskegon Railway Company, and several associates have purchased the railway property from the United Light and Power Company.

Lansing—Three hundred and eighteen automobiles were stolen in Michigan in April, according to a report completed by Charles J. DeLand, secretary of state. In the same period 254 were recovered. A large majority of the thefts and recoveries were in Detroit.

Adrian—The school building of the Michigan Training School for Girls, formerly the Industrial School for Girls, was totally destroyed by fire here. No injuries were reported. It is believed the blaze originated on the roof of the building. The loss is estimated at $30,000.

Port Huron—The Nicholson Universal Transit Co. of Detroit has bought the steamer Thomas Davidson from the Crosby Transit Co. The Davidson will be taken to the Great Lakes Engineering Works, Detroit, where she will be put into the automobile carrying trade.

Reed City—Reed City definitely has entered the race for the northwestern normal school. Committees have been appointed, options on desirable locations have been secured and every means will be taken to gain the attention of the authorities to get the location here.

East Lansing—The Michigan State College of Agriculture and Applied Science, formerly Michigan Agricultural College, will graduate about 310 next month, an increase of about 15 over 1924. There are 83 prospective engineering graduates and 80 prospective graduates in agriculture.

Lansing—William Turner, 57 years old, a farmer residing a few miles east of Lansing, was instantly killed when the automobile which he was driving was struck by an interurban on the Michigan Electric Railway lines near Okemos. The machine was struck in the center and drawn under the interurban.

Port Huron—The sale of Woodticket Island, in St. Clair River and nearly opposite Sombra, Ont., to the Detroit Council of the Knights of Columbus, was reported here. James Gleasan, Detroit, is owner of the island. The sale price is said to be $20,000. The island, which is in Canadian water, will be converted into a summer resort, it is said.

Lansing—The Howarth and Wood reapportionment bills, which will give Wayne county 21 seats in the house and 7 in the senate in the 1927 legislature, are on the statute books of Michigan Governor Alex. J. Groesbeck wrote the concluding chapter of Wayne's fight for just representation when he scrawled the executive signature on the Wood bill.

Kalamazoo—Western State Normal School's new $300,000 gymnasium will be dedicated June 19. The structure stands at the eastern edge of the athletic field, just off Oakland drive. Knute Rockne, football coach at Notre Dame University, will be the principal speaker. William H. Spaulding, for 14 years coach of the institution and now coach at the University of Minnesota, will be the guest of honor.

Ann Arbor—Advocating a separation of any world court from international politics and scoring the League of Nations on the basis that its foundation is upon force rather than justice, Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, spoke on "Peace and the Peace Problem" before the student body of the University of Michigan, here. He not only attacked the League of Nations and the World Court, but also explained his stand on the recognition of Russia.

Flint—J. Dallas Dort, internationally known automobile magnate, dropped dead on the golf links of the Flint Country Club during a game. Apparently glowing with health Mr. Dort was completing a foursome with three friends. He had just driven 220 yards from the eighteenth tee. Walking on the eighteenth fairway, an undulating greenhill within sight of the clubhouse and a host of friends, Mr. Dort suddenly sank to the ground. Before a physician could arrive Mr. Dort had died.

Lansing—Henry Ford's power development operations at Ypsilanti will be continued under an order issued by the Michigan Public Utilities commission. The order classifies the Fordson Power company as a public utility. Under special legislation passed authority to prosecute condemnation proceedings, on authority of the utilities commission, is given to public utilities. Ford is seeking to invoke that authority to frustrate attempts of Washtenaw county land owners to keep him away from the Huron river development field.

Bay City—Robert V. Mundy, Kasimir Niedzielski and Adam Schepper, former members of the City Commission, who were charge with violating the city charter by the sale, through employes or third parties of quantities of goods to the city, appeared in the Circuit Court and pleaded guilty. Investigations carried on by a one-man grand jury, prior to making complaints against the men, brought out, according to the prosecutor, that there was no evidence that the city had been overcharged and Circuit Judge Houghton suspended sentence.

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PREPARING FOR SUMMER MILK

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This big truck hauls the milk of several farms. Right—Milk must arrive at the plant in good condition.

It is now the time when the dairy cow, the foster mother of mankind, is to be given a chance under natural conditions. New information which has recently been discovered at some of the state agricultural colleges indicates that green feed and sunlight combined make it possible for a cow to build up her system by storing minerals and other body reserves, provided she receives a sufficient supply of good feed.

A heavy milking cow, however, will need feed in addition to pasture if the milk flow is to be maintained. Milking heavily with pasture as the sole source of feed causes the cow to lose weight. This loss of weight should be watched and extra feed given to prevent the cow from becoming thin, which will result in reduced milk production later.

With the coming of the summer season, new and interesting problems present themselves which concern the care of milk. The first warm nights are apt to cause milk to sour unless summer care is practiced. It is important to take precautions which will keep down the number of bacteria and prevent their growth. To do this milk must be produced under clean conditions, be kept in thoroughly cleaned utensils, and be cooled as soon as possible after it comes from the cow.

Summer is one of the easiest seasons in which to produce clean milk. There will be times, however, when a considerable amount of mud and dirt will collect on the udder and flanks of cows, and if a portion of this material drops into the milk it will injure its keeping quality. The dirt which collects on the flanks and udder should be removed before milking time by wiping with a damp cloth. If the hair on the udder and underline is clipped short the cleaning can be done effectively and quickly. Incidentally, the practice of clipping the cow all over before turning to pasture not only makes it easier to keep her clean, but it relieves the itchy condition that develops during the stabling months.

Much of the milk produced in the country is hauled long distances in large trucks. In summer if the cans of milk are not protected from the sun before leaving the farm, and again enroute, it will be difficult to keep the milk sweet until it is used. Every time a day's milk is returned to the farm, for whatever reason, there is a distinct financial loss. Only by producing a sanitary milk and then taking care of it can satisfactory results be obtained to all concerned.

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"A big turtle nearly two feet in length and weighing some 25 lbs was picked up near Horseshoe Pond Monday morning by Russel Gillette whose farm is near there. The big turtle was brought to Hudson in his Ford car and attracted quite a lot of .attention from bystanders. Dr. J. M. Timms, after a close examination stated that the turtle was around one thousand years old. When Columbus discovered America says "Doc" he was just in middle age. He was going strong when William the Conqueror crossed the English Channel. Just think, this turtle has waited 1000 years to take a ride with Russell Gillette in a Ford car."

It is claimed that this fellow's joints were so stiff that he squeaked as he ambled along and "Doc" Timms is thinking of using an Alemite syringe to inject a little hard oil into his hinges. No doubt the turtle would enjoy the process and probably "Doc" would thereby gain much necessary information as to the modus operandi of oiling his bus. Well, we're glad Hudson can at times enjoy a few relics of the time of "William the Conqueror." We often wonder where this turtle was hanging out when they built the old Comstock House and why he hasn't ate all the beans out of Bean Creek.

Government Has Troubles

The Government is constantly working to untangle the problem of misdirected pieces of mail and expects the newspapers to assist in the work by publicity. It will supply them with available information to localize the stories.

If, after an exhaustive effort the postal "detective" must give up the puzzle, and there is no return address, the piece of mail is consigned to the Dead Letter Office, where it again changes its name to dead letter or dead parcel, as the case may be.

Its period of existence as a Nixie is the most expensive one. It demands special attention from the very best clerks. Valuable time is spent in its behalf, time which also may prove more costly to the mailer or intended recipient through the attendant delay.

But in the long run, the postal loses most. In Chicago 400 workers do nothing but handle nixies. In New York the service costs $500 daily. In all the nixie costs the government about $1,740,000 a year.

Developing Oat Varieties Immune From Smut Diseases

An effort to supply farmers of the oat-producing areas with varities of oats immune from or highly resistant to the smut diseases, which are very widespread and cause annual heavy losses to the crop, has been given encouraging impetus by the discovery recently of a variety immune from covered smut. The immune variety, known as Markton, is a selection from an unnamed variety of oats with yellowish kernels, obtained from Turkey about 20 years ago. It has been tested at the Oregon and Washington stations, where it has not only proved to be immune from covered smut but has also shown the highest yielding ability of any variety tested at these stations. The discovery of immunity from covered smut in a variety with desirable kernel characteristics in combination with high yielding power is a decided step toward a solution of the smut problem in oats.

In 1923 the smut diseases caused an annual reduction in the total oat crop of the United States estimated at 35,278,000 bushels, or 2.55 per cent. This percentage of reduction varies in different sections, amounting to as much as 10 per cent in Kentucky, 8 percent in Massachusetts and Arkansas, between 5 and 6 percent in Virginia, South Carolina, Georgia, Illinois, and Minnesota. Iowa, the greatest oat producing State in point of total bushels produced, suffered a loss of 1 percent, which means a loss of more than 2,000,000 bushels Oregon, where the immune variety Markton has been grown commercially, showed no less in 1923:

Hybrids of the Markton variety have been developed by the United States Department of Agriculture by crossing with it a number of the best standard varieties. These have been sent this spring to four agricultural experiment stations in the oat producing areas, where they will be tested for their resistance to the disease. Marked and satisfactory progress has been made by plant breeders in developing varieties of cereals which are resistant to various diseases, and it is hoped that the annual loss to the oat crop from the smut diseases will be greatly reduced by subsequent development of resistant varieties.

A Dutchman addressing his dog said: "You vos only a dog, but I vish I vos you. Ven you go mitder bed in, you shust durn round dree dimes und lay down. Ven I go mit der bed in, I haf to lock up de blace und vind de clock und put de cat out and undress myself, uud my vife vakse up and scolds me, den de baby cries und I haf to valk him up und down, den maype ven I shust go to sleep, its time to get up again. Ven you gets up, you shust stretch yourself und scratch a couple of times und you vos up. I haf to light der fire, put on der kettle, scrap mit mine vife already, und maybe got some breakfast. You blay round all tay und have blenty of fun. I haf to work all tay und haf blenty of drouble. Ven you die you's dead; ven I die I haf to go to hel yet."

Watch Your Step

For God's Sake Mr. if you happen to be a tourist traveling the highways and by-ways of Michigan or if you are a camper in the great piny woods of the north, be careful with that fire! Do you know what it costs this great state to fight forest fires every year? Do you know what it means when the fire demon lets loose in a thousand acre tract of pine timber where pitch and rosin are the principal ingredients? Do you know that yearly there are millions of feet of the finest lumber both pine and hardwood lost through the scorching influence of the fire demon? Michigan (grand old commonwealth) is today way down the ladder of states in timber production? Simply because the carelessness of the woodsman in skinning out the finest and the criminal negligence of the camper and huntsman have reduced our forests to poor scrub patches. Time was, not so long ago—when Michigan had the largest and the finest straightest cork pines in this country, The cadaverous maw of the saw mill opened and swallowed some of it, but in all probability more by far was destroyed by periodical conflagerations started by just such lawless campers or hunters.

Michigan Farm Co-Ops Make Big Stride

Fully 40 percent of the farmers in Michigan do business through cooperative organizations, according to the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation which reports more than 270 percent increase in membership of farmers' business organizations in the state since 1915.

Ten years ago the membership of the 127 farmer cooperative organizations then in existence in the state was 21,100. Today, the Foundation states, the figure has reached the 79,000 mark, while the number of organizations has jumped to 423.

Dairy cooperatives head the list of farmers' cooperative efforts in the state with 89 distinct organizations, according to the Foundation. Grain and livestock come next with 83 and 82 respectively, and there are some fifty five fruit and vegetable groups. In addition there were more than 100 miscellaneous groups embracing poultry products and other lines.

More than nine tenths of the farmers' organizations in the state are incorporated, but only one third report paying stock dividends the Foundation finds. Seventy one per cent of the organizations limit membership to members producers

Cooperatives have become an important factor in American agriculture, according to the Foundation. Two and one half million farmers out of 6,500,000. in the United States now belong to more than 10,000 cooperatives bodies which do an annual business in excess of $2,500,000,000. This is an increase of nearly 200 percent in the number of organizations since 1915 and an increase in membership in the same period of nearly 300 percent.

Re-Burial of Pottawattomies

Southern Michigan the home of the ancient Pottawattomie Indians has produced some very interesting relics of their day but by far the best collection that has come to light of late is the nine skeletons which were unearthed on the Pike near Clinton last fall by the road gang with a steam shovel. A number of trinkets dear to the heart of the Indian were also found there and the state of Michigan has been harassed considerably of late as to the proper preservation of the remains. There was considerable dispute at the time as to who really owned the skeletons, but it was finally settled by the state taking custody of them. Later a sort of sentimental idea got possession of the officers and instead of placing them in a museum it was decided to again re-inter which was carried out at Cambridge Junction last Sunday, with suitable ceremony. The coffin was of unique design, little children threw flowers, game etc., into the grave and a stone cairn was raised over the grave. L Whitney Watkins made a speech.

It is estimated these First Americans were laid in the bosom of mother earth about one hundred years ago, but not so long ago that they did not know about the white man's fire water, since a whiskey flask was found with the bones. As we understand it there are several Indian burial grounds located along this Pike, one being in the extreme north east corner of this county in the Township of Somerset opposite Bunday Hill on the farm of Jabin Strong. Whether any attempt has ever been made to locate relics here we do not know. But there certainly is a rich field for the curator in this section. It is possible the State will sooner or later pass laws making these fields municipal property, and forbid any private tinkering with it. Sentiment sometimes cuts a large figure with even the Government.

Michigan Auto Drivers Harassed

The leading officials at Lansing are now talking of more rigid laws for the motorist who applies for a license to drive. He must pass an examination as to his fitness to handle a machine on the public streets, and from all appearances the new regulation would make it necessary to prove a number of things which heretofore have been unthought of. A good many defective drivers are at present owning and driving automobiles, and if it is the desire of officials to put them all off the map there is a "hot time" on the way. Scores of persons now licensed to drive are troubled with defective nerves and who at the crucial moment do precisely the wrong thing to avoid an accident.

Hundreds of drivers are partially blind, a lot more are incapacitated for some other reasons not mentioned. All these people will have to change to conform to certain tests, and if they can't do it, will be eventually eliminated. This is the most exacting law that has ever been put before Lansing solons, It is the general opinion that big cities like Detroit and Grand Rapids are in need of such drastic measures, and to put restrictions on the cities and leave the country alone, would seem unfair, so it is likely that if this law is passed, it will be universal.

Inebriety is without doubt the worst evil of them all, and to get by, and do justice to all, is going to be a hard problem. Every day we read of large numbers of drivers throughout the state who have had their licenses revoked. We sometimes wonder what becomes of all these people, Do they give up the ownership for all time or do they get by through some other loophole? If the entire crew of black sheep were lined up they would constitute quite an army.

Over at River Rouge and other suburban points, the officials have tried the expedient of taking "speeders" over to the hospitals and showing them the suffering victims, hoping to instill into their thick beans the germ of compassion, but it has gone aft a'gley. It is deplorable but true, a vast majority have no conscience— they are practically fiends as far as the tender bodies of children, cats, dogs or old and infirm people are concerned.

Arthur Ellenwood, convicted by a jury in circuit court of assault on a nine-year-old girl, was sentenced by Judge Chester Monday to the crook laundry at Ionia for eighteen months.

Do You Know?

That 21,000.000 letters went to the Dead Letter office last year?

That 803,000 parcels did likewise?

That 100,000 letters go into the mail yearly in blank envelopes.

That $55,000 in cash is removed yearly from misdirected envelopes.

That $12,000 in postage stamps is found in similar fashion.

That $3,000,000 in checks, drafts and money orders never reaches intended owners?

That Uncle Sam collects $92000 a year in postage for the return of mail sent to the dead letter office?

That it costs Uncle Sam $1,740-000 yearly to look up addresses on misdirected mail?

That 200,000,000 letters have to be looked after to establish addresses?

That it costs $500 a day to look after misdirected mail in Chicago alone?

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Transatlantic cable telegraphy is now some sixty-six years old; transatlantic radio communication, commercially speaking, is less than five years old. There are now seventeen cables on the bottom of the Atlantic Ocean, connecting Great Britain and France with the United States, and there are seven radio transmitters on the Atlantic coast, with one central receiving station, connecting the United States not only with Great Britain and France, but also radio direct to Germany, Norway, Sweden, Italy, Poland, Argentina, Havana and Japan. These seven transmitters and one receiver, all joined together and controlled from a single office at 64 Broad street, New York City, are now handling between 25 and 30 per cent of the total number of messages exchanged daily between the United States and Europe. The remaining 70 to 75 per cent of the traffic flowing between the old world and the new is carried by the seventeen cables on the Atlantic's bed.

On the Pacific coast there is but one cable connecting the Orient with the United States. The single radio circuit that serves this same span across the Pacific is now handling nearly 50 per cent of the total traffic between these two continents.

As a result of the foregoing, the center of the world's communication has been transplanted from Great Britain to the United States. A glance at a cable map shows that the great majority of the world's cables terminate in London, whereas the greater majority of the world's radio circuits terminate in New York.

It is the feature of direct communication, free from censorship, and from interruption, that gives to radio its greatest opportunity for future development along commercial, political and social lines.

The Monroe Doctrine in radio is being strictly observed. A station now erected in Buenos Aires gives direct radio service between the United States and Argentina. Turning to the Orient, a great radio program has been undertaken for China.

The new transoceanic service, by means of which letters may be transferred by radio at a cost little greater than that of postage, is now in practice. The mission of radio is to make communication more prompt, more reliable, and more economical. The symbol "Radio Letter" has back of it the thought that the greatest relays in the forwarding of a letter abroad are the mail boat across the ocean and the mail train from the far shore to the place of delivery, the letter oftentimes embracing several countries. Radio eliminates these delays.

An important aspect of radio communication, from a technical standpoint, is its great possibilities for high-speed transmission. Already it has been found practicable to send and receive some 100 words per minute, and operate duplex, which means sending and receiving at the same time; in other words, a speed of 200 words per minute for each of these circuits.

ADVERSITY A STIMULANT TO GOOD FARMING

An interesting experience is told by Dean Dodson of a Louisiana farmer who was just about breaking even in growing cotton. One day his wife fell seriously ill and was obliged to go to the hospital. A little later his daughter was also taken to the hospital. Before he was through with this experience he was confronted with a bill for $2,200. What was he to do?

Like a good business man he began to figure how he might increase his income and cut down his expenses. He had a few cows that he kept for raising calves. He started to milk these and sell the product. He had some cull potatoes that were unsalable. He fed these to his cows and some pigs which he was able to buy right. Other waste products were utilized in the same manner. In the garden he had more turnips than he needed for his own use. These he sorted, selling the best and feeding the poor ones. He consulted with his merchants as to what garden crops he might profitably grow for the local market.

He figured that he had some idle land that he might use in growing grain and hay. He enlarged his flock of poultry and took better care of it. He was more careful in the use of his auto and saved a considerable sum that ordinarily went for gasoline. By taking advantage of the increased sources of income and by cutting out unnecessary expenses he was able by the end of the year to pay off his hospital bill, and in the meantime had discovered the secret of sound and successful farming.—*Banker-Farmer.*

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths (\$1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
usiness Address; Hudson, Mich.
July 24, 1925. 48t13

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.
J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.
Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan

WHAT'S THE USE

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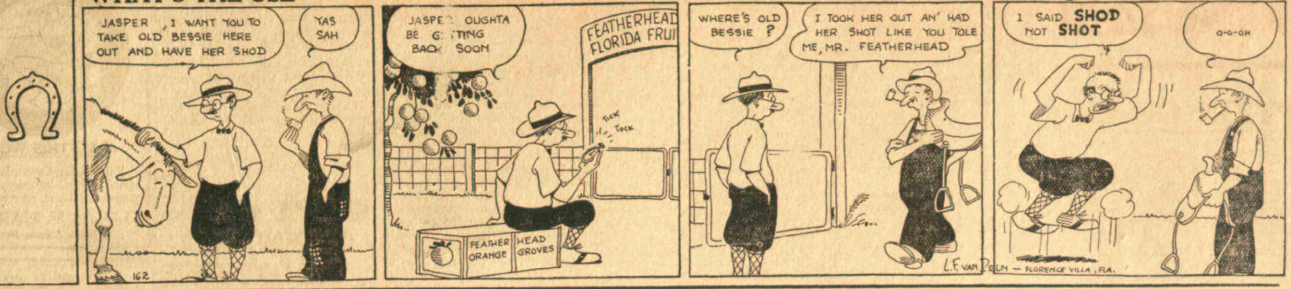
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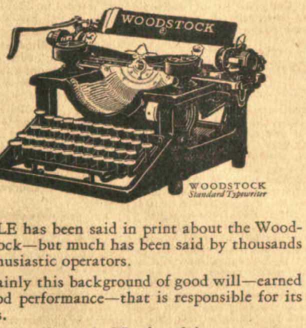

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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

A New Decalogue of Patriotism

The flags will be waving and the bands playing and the people singing together on Memorial Day. The Voice from Sinai is not stilled The old decalogue takes new forms to meet the complex needs of our day.

Thou shalt make no graven images of the Lord thy God, nor have other gods before him. Thou shalt not make a god of thy flag, nor fall down and worship it. Thou shalt not worship words written by the hand of man, nor shalt thou make a god of any Constiution, and give it the reverence due only to Him. The Lord thy God is a jealous God, and yields His sovereignty to no work of man. Thou shalt not take His name in vain and boast, "Lo, the Lord is on our side, and with His help we will prevail." After this fashion do the heathen boast and claim the God of all the earth for themselves alone. They beguile themselves with phrases, and they shout together, "Deutchland uber alles," Brittania rules the waves, America right or wrong.

Thou shalt not vaunt thyself, nor be puffed up. Thou shalt not prate of this superior people, prepared by God for the mastery of the world, destined through all eternity for the ruling of mankind Thou shalt not boast of the greatness of thy lands, the number of thy oxen and asses, of thy wive and sons and daughters, of th maid servants, and thy man servants, of thy railroads and bank clearings, and the cunning inventions of thy hands. Thou shalt not parade thy battleships, making hard the heart of thy neighbors across the seas. Thou shalt not march thy mighty men, and flaunt them in the face of the world, and cry out, "Behold our strength." Thou shalt not withdraw in the insolence of contempt and draw the seas about thee in thy security, and trumpet forth, "What concern are these nations to us?" After this fashion have the empires of the earth boasted, and their names pass from the earth.

Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbors. Thou shalt not say, "All Japanese are servants of Belial, and all Germans are priests of Moloch"; nor shalt thou make crooked thy finger against the people of Mexico. Thou shalt not believe the idle-minded when they speak contempt for those who live under other flags, for thou dost remember that in time of war and in times of peace, there be many who in the name of patriotism bring false witness against other peoples. Thou shalt remember that in the days when war covered the earth, and the light of the sun was dimmed with the smoke of many battles, that thou thyself and thy wife, and thy man servant and thy maid servant, swallowed great tales about Germany, and that under the strains of war thou didst repeat lies without end, and didst teach thy little children to hate.

Thou shalt not believe that all about America is good and that all about other peoples is bad. Thou shalt not teach thy son and thy daughter that America has a record unspotted by guilt, and unstained by selfish aggression. Thou shalt not sign petitions against the teacher who tells thy son and thy daughter that America has been guilty of grievious wrongs against Mexico and the Indian. But thou shalt teach their children to love truth and pursue it, that through love they may learn the patriotism which shall never be content until America rises to the heights of which our fathers dreamt.

Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's oil wells; thou shalt not covet his fertile acres, his iron mines his harbors and his rivers, nor any thing that is thy neighbor's. Thou shalt not give ear to the pleader for American rights, when American rights mean the denial of the human rights of Mexico or Cuban or Filipino.

Thou shalt not kill. Thou shalt seek a better way for the settlement of world disputes, and shalt not accept the creed of those who would argue that war must ever be. Thou shalt not bless war, nor invoke the blessing of the Lord thy God upon it. Thou shalt neither slumber nor sleep until war be banished from the face of the earth.

Thou shalt not keep silence. Thy fathers gave the full measure of devotion that America might be free. Thou shalt not be faithless to their trust. Thou shalt cry out against oppression and raise thy voice in strength when congress permits wanton injustice toward weaker peoples, and when the war makers stir up strife to the East or to the West. Thou shalt not keep silence, nor contain thyself but thou shalt let thy voice be heard in the streets. Thou shalt give honor where honor is due; but thou shalt not be silent when the honor of America is attacked in the name of patriotism.

Thou shalt not hold in contempt the purity of thy neighbor's national hope of self respect. Thou shalt rejoice in the struggle for liberty in Mexico, the passion for the republic in Germany, the surging up of democracy in Japan.

Honor thy fathers and thy mothers, that thy days may be long in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee. Thou shalt not cry, "All this is ours, the work of our hands." Thou shalt not forget the days of thy fathers, nor prove faithless to their trust. Thou shalt accord them the honor which carries on the work by them begun.

Thou shalt build a new and a better patriotism. In it thou wilt find more room, not less, for the love of America. More, not less, room for the appreciation of America's contribution to world greatness. More, not less, room for the appreciation of the men

"Whose stern, impassioned stress
A thoroughfare for freedom beat
Across the wilderness."

Thou shalt make room for new appreciation of other patriots of other lands. Thou shalt give skill its meed of praises, whether the skillful be yellow or white or black Thou shalt confer the accolade upon knightliness under every flag. Thou shalt see beyond the old horizons, and pierce old barriers. Thou shalt find heart and voice to sing—

"America, America!
God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood,
From sea to shining sea!"

National Dairy Meet To Be Held in State

Prominent dairy men from all parts of the country will gather at Grand Rapids on June 2 and 3 for the fortieth annual convention of the Holstein Friesian Association of America, the largest cattle breed association in the world.

The last time the "black and white" cattle gathering was held in Michigan was in 1916. Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, is president of the national association, a position held for seven years by D. D. Aitken, of Flint, prominent state dairy man.

There will be 163 delegates from 44 states and Canadian provinces at the convention, according to J. G. Hayes, dairy extension man at the M. S. C. and also secretary of the state Holstein Friesian association. Michigan, the fifth largest Holstein state, will have ten official delegates at the convention table. Prominent among the speakers on the programs for the meeting are Prof. O. E. Reed, head of the dairy department at the M. S. C.; and Dr. John Harvey Kellog, of Battle Creek.

Blasting Charges Vary With Stumps

That no set rule for the amount of explosive to use in blasting out stumps can be given, the charge varying with the soil and moisture conditions and with the stump itself, is the opinion of L. F. Livingston, extension specialist in agricultural engineering at the M. S. C.

"The amount of moisture in the soil", says Livingston may vary the charge two or three cartridges either way. A light soil will require more pyrotol to blast a stump than a heavy soil. The age of the stump the kind of stump and its condition tend to vary the amount of explosive.

After making a thorough investigation of soil and moisture conditions and the stumps to be blasted a few blasts will soon determine the right amount of explosive to use. If pyrotol, the war salvage explosive is being used, it can be loaded stick for stick with twenty per cent dynamite.

Announce New U. P. Forestry Station

Plans for the development of a forestry experiment station and demonstration tract in Chippewa Co. have just been announced at the M. S. C. The Dunbar School, sixteen miles south of Sault Ste. Marie, was recently deeded to the college, and it has been turned over to the forestry deparrment for development.

An extensive forest nursery is being established on the lands of the Dunbar School, according to Prof. A. K. Chittenden, head of the forestry division. The plan is to produce forest stock for future planting.

The lands of the new station include about 500 acres of second growth timber, making an ideal place for experimental work in thinning and different methods of forest management.

The Chippewa County station will also be used for the summer forestry school camp of the college It is said to be well equipped with buildings, and it will provide excellent opportunities for study of actual forest conditions.

Ministers and social workers of Michigan, especially those interested in problems of rural community, will gather at the M. S. C. from July 20 to 31 for a special conference, according to announcement made here this week by E. H. Ryder, director of the M. S. C. summer school, under whose auspices the conference is to be held. More than a score of prominent speakers and leaders in rural community work, many of them drawn from outside the state, and already listed on the conference program.

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Chicago Round-up Causes Tongue Battle

It's on again—the battle of tongues. At the grocer's, in meeting at church supper, in hotel lobby, everywhere there is evidence of it. Preachers base their Sunday morning sermons on it. Teachers discuss it among themselves and in their classes. Lodges pass resolutions concerning it. And like the cross word puzzle it will not down—this Rodeo. This Rodeo is nothing more or less than a "regular western round-up" which is to be staged in Chicago probably in August, but this is not yet settled. Humane societies in Chicago and other places took it up, and there is a considerable kick over the alleged cruelty of roping steers and mustangs. Only experts take part in this "roping" process and in it the Chicago Association of Commerce will provide a real clean thrill for thousands from every part of the United States. It would be serving no good purpose to stop the spectacle. But there are other ideas, and the battle of tongues keeps right on.

Howard B. Lige, formerly of the village of Somerset Centre, who joined the U. S. Marines before the World War, and at last reports was stationed in Santo Domingo, is claimed to be one of the most expert riflemen, his hits on bullseyes being at 200 to 600 yards. And his record was published in the Marine Corps target bulletin. Howard's parents live in Somerset now.

A truck belonging to O. D. Dellinger, driven by Glenn Fogel, was slightly mussed early last week Tuesday by colliding with a Detroit street car. The driver was hurt, considerable sugar sprinkled on the street, but we presume the insurance covered the loss.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Harmon Fowle, deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

And It is Further Ordered, That the 16, day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said county

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 23rd. day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel A Wisner Deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further ordered, That the 27th day of August 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate
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> "I'M ENGAGED
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> SYNOPSIS. — In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy," and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wiadislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged.

CHAPTER II—Continued

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Having got all that settled, Cable approached Lord Edmund Troyte with a proposal that the marquis of Norheys, my godson, should be king of Lystria. He would have to marry the princess, of course. The Lystrians, being strong legitimists, insisted on that. But the princess, so Cable said, was a beautiful girl, with charming manners and far more respectable than her father had ever been.

"As a matter of fact," said Troyte, "she's a dancer in Berlin. Wiadislaws did not succeed in carrying off a penny from Lystria, so both he and the girl have to work for their living. But that is not an insuperable objection to her."

"Have you," I said, "laid that part of the schene before Norheys, asked him whether he was willing to marry the princess?"

"Not yet."

"I would," I said. "If I were you I'd mention that to Norheys before going any further. Indeed, it might be as well to find out what the princess thinks about it, too."

"She'll be all right," said Troyte. "Her name is Calypso."

Calypso is a pretty name, but I did not see that it gave us any guarantee that the girl would marry Norheys.

"Girls are dreadfully independent nowadays," I said "You can't be sure."

"She's dancing in a cabaret in Berlin. So Cable says."

"She ought to prefer being married, to that," I said. "Still if I were you I'd consult her. I should certainly consult Norheys."

Troyte took my advice about consulting Norheys; but he did not give me the satisfaction of telling me he meant to. He went on to discuss another side of the affair.

"The main thing," he said, "is that England should obtain control of the Lystrian oil. The civilization of the Twentieth century rests on oil precisely as that of the Nineteenth century rested on coal."

"Is that fellow Cable an Englishman?"

"He's a British subject," said Troyte, "naturalized before the war."

After that I had to listen to an account of the uses of oil in peace and war which bored me; to a description of the distribution of the present oil supply of the world and the small quantity of it controlled by England.

There, I think, lay the real motive of Troyte's action, the explanation of his consent to the plan of setting Norheys on the throne of Lystria. No doubt it pleased him—Troyte has a great deal of family pride—to think of his nephew being a king. And the Troytes had some slight connection with the Lystrian royal family. No doubt he thought that marriage to the Princess Calypso would save Norheys from an undesirable entanglement with Viola Temple. Troyte hated the idea of having to welcome that young lady as the next marchioness of Norheys. No doubt also Cable's remarkable personality had some influence with him. Procopius Cable is accustomed to getting his own way with all sorts of people, and has persuaded several clever men to do foolish things. Troyte likes and admires men of the Cable kind. He has a theory that the British empire has been built up by buccaneers; in the Elizabethan days by buccaneers who went forth in ships and looted, flying the British flag for their own protection, leaving it still fluttering in the places which they sacked after they sailed away. In the Eighteenth century the empire-building buccaneers called themselves merchants, or merchant adventurers, but they acted exactly as their predecessors did, looting, and then leaving the care of the conquered provinces to embarrassed statesmen at home. At the end of the Nineteenth century the buccaneers became financiers. But their methods and the results of them were the same as before. Procopius Cable was the latest and ablest of these filibustering empire-builders. That was Troyte's theory about him. And it influenced him in favor of any scheme suggested by Cable.

But the main thing was England's need of oil, and the possibility of obtaining an enormous supply of it in Lystria. For the sake of England's greatness he was ready to sacrifice Norheys, if sacrifice had been necessary.

There was also another consideration which weighed with Troyte. He came to it when he had finished with the oil.

"The Germans," he said, "are scheming to put up a king of their own in Lystria. The man they have in mind is the Prinz von Steinveldt."

"I used to know him," I said. "He was in the foreign office in Berlin. He must be a bit too old for the princess. Do you think she'd marry him?"

"The princess," said Troyte, "will marry the man she's told to."

I was not so sure about that. The spirit of revolt against that doctrine of a girl's duty laid firm hold upon the middle classes years ago. Since then it has been spreading upward, and, I dare say, downward. It would not surprise me to hear that rebellion is now openly advocated in the schoolrooms of palaces. Besides, Calypso appeared to be an emancipated woman. If she dances in a cabaret in Berlin she must have shed most of the garments of conventionality in which most princesses are wrapped.

"By the way," I said, "where's King Wiadislaws now? As the girl's father he may want to have a say about her marriage."

"Wiadislaws has gone under utterly," said Troyte. "I don't know where he is or what he's doing. We need not consider him."

CHAPTER III

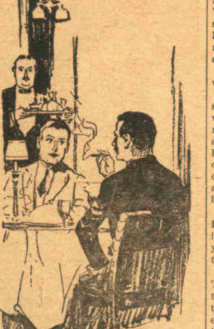
Two or three days later Norheys came to me in the club where I was lunching.

"Look here, Uncle Bill," he said, "you remember my telling you the other day about my going in for being a king and that sort of thing."

"Yes."

"Well, Uncle Ned's been at me again and he's rather surprised me. Now, I'm a fellow who isn't at all easy to surprise; for what I always say is: Whatever happens—even if the jolly old sun doesn't turn up in the morning at the proper hour—take it calmly. And that's what I do, make a regular rule of it; but I'm bound to say Uncle Ned made me jump this time."

"If there's anything more surprising than being asked suddenly to be a king," I said, "it must be something which would make an ancient Roman stoic jump."



"My Dear Norheys," I Said, "She's a Princess, the Daughter of a Man Who Was a European Sovereign Until a Few Years Ago."

"You'd never think," said Norheys, "that Uncle Ned would turn out to be a giddy matchmaker."

I knew what he was at then. Troyte must have taken my advice and mentioned the proposed marriage.

"He wants me to marry a black princess," said Norheys. "Now I'm not a prejudiced sort of fellow at all. Any girl may be a lady, don't you know? and a fellow ought to marry her, supposing he wants to, like the king that the poem's about who went round pretending to be a landscape painter and then married a beggar. I always say he was quite right—there, if he really fancied the girl. But—well, hang it all, Uncle Bill, however unprejudiced a fellow is, he must draw the line somewhere, and I do think it's a bit thick asking me to marry a black princess."

"But," I said, "the Princess Calypso isn't black. What makes you think she is?"

"Sure to be. All those desert islandy places are governed by black princesses. I dare say she's good looking enough in her way. Uncle Ned seemed to think so. But I don't like them black. And—well, hang it all, no fellow can possibly be expected to be pleased when he finds his wife is tattooed all over; and they all are. Quite right of her, of course, if it's the thing to do in her own country. I'm not blaming her in the least. Only just I don't like it."

"My dear boy," I said, "I'm not advising you to be a king, or to marry the lady. But I think I ought to tell you that Lystria isn't an island. It's miles, perhaps hundreds of miles, from the sea, and I don't think that the Princess Calypso can possibly be black. I met her father once. He's certainly white. The daughter wasn't born at that time, but her mother was an Englishwoman and a cousin of your own. It's most unlikely that the girl is black."

"Even so," said Norheys, "she'll be more or less savage, and I don't care for savages. It's not that I'm particularly keen on civilization. What I always say about that is that a lot of it is rather rot. Still, that's a different thing from marrying a savage. A girl ought to wear corsets, you know, and go to a decent dressmaker."

"You're wrong about that," I said. "The Central European aristocracy—and that's the class she belongs to—are quite civilized. She probably speaks half a dozen languages and gets her frocks from Paris—or used to. She can't now, poor thing, for her father is stony broke. That's the reason she's had to take to dancing. And I'm told that she's quite a good looking girl."

"She may be," said Norheys, "but my point is—that is to say, what I really feel is—"

There he stopped.

"If she isn't black," I said, "and isn't tattooed, and has ordinary manners, and wears corsets, which I'm perfectly certain she does, I don't see what your objection is."

"The fact is," said Norheys, "that I'm engaged to be married to Miss Temple."

"Did you tell your uncle that?" I asked.

"No, I didn't. I didn't want to ruffle the old boy, and that would have ruffled him. My idea is that you might break it to him, gently, don't you know, so as not to give him a shock. What I always say is this—if there's a jarring kind of thing which has to be said, it's better for a fellow to get some one else to say it."

"You realize of course," I said, "that if you refuse to marry Princess Calypso you can't be king of Lystria."

"I'd be sorry for that. I don't mind saying that I'd rather like to be king of that country. If Viola and I could go there together—"

"Viola?"

"That's Miss Temple. If she and I could set up there as king and queen, we could have a high old time and really make things hum. Viola would make a splendid queen, absolutely top hole."

"You may put that idea out of your head at once," I said.

"Uncle Ned and that stockbroker friend of his could have all the oil. We shouldn't want a drop for ourselves, and I'd make the good old Lystrians dig like the devil. You might try to get Uncle Ned to look at it from that point of view."

"It won't do," I said. "It really won't."

"I don't see why not. I mean to say I think it might be worked if we went the right way about it. I'm not much of a whale on court etiquette and ecclesiastical law but I've always had a notion that there's some sort of recognized dodge by which you can be married on the double if you're a king, both marriages being perfectly O. K."

"There are morganatic marriages," I said. "It's a left-handed and unsatisfactory arrangement. I don't think you ought to ask Miss Temple to agree to it."

"I wasn't thinking of asking her. The very last thing I want to do is to put Viola into an awkward position. In fact, I wouldn't do it, not even to please Uncle Ned. My idea is to marry her in St. George's, Hanover square, with a bishop and bridesmaids and all complete. The other one, this Calypso girl, that Uncle Ned is so keen on, could be the morgan—what-do-you-call-it? I don't suppose she'd mind."

"My dear Norheys," I said, "she's a princess, the daughter of a man who was a European sovereign until a few years ago."

"I don't believe a black princess would be as particular as all that. Look here, Uncle Bill, you've always been jolly good to me and all that. Just you put the morganatic scheme up to Uncle Ned. Be as persuasive as you can. I expect he'll see his way to work it somehow. But you must make it quite clear that there's to be no hanky-panky about Viola's position. She may or may not be queen of Lystria, but she's jolly well going to be marchioness of Norheys."

"I'll speak to your uncle about it," I said, "but it won't be the slightest use. The thing's impossible."

"I don't see why. Lots of these sultans and pashas and people have whole harems full of wives. I don't want to go as far as that. At the same time, if they can do it, why can't I?"

"Nobody's proposing to set you up on the throne of a Moslem state," I said. "Lystria is a Christian country."

"Oh, come now. Christian. You can't call those countries Christian. Hang it all, Uncle Bill, it was only last week I gave a fellow a subscription to a missionary society especially to convert the heathen. He wouldn't want to convert them if they were Christians already, would he?"

"There's an archbishop there," I said. "A patriarch, which is a superior kind of archbishop. His name is Menelaus."

"Sounds to me like Greek grammar," said Norheys, "for the matter of that, so does Calypso, and I've always barred learning Greek grammar."

> Norheys evidently is not strong on geography but his heart seems to be all right. What's the next development?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Mother Had to Wait for "Engagement" Ring

I married a young man not greatly blessed with worldly goods, says a writer in the Washington Star. It taxed his financial resources to the uttermost to start even our modest housekeeping, so our engagement was not sealed with the customary ring, although I did have a small wedding ring.

During our early married life we had to work and plan to make just a poor living for our three little girls, for although John's salary increased, so did living expenses, and luxuries were unknown.

Soon after our eldest daughter became engaged, John made quite a sum of money on a business deal. One evening he came home with an expensive looking ring box, and, opening it, showed us a beautiful diamond ring. We all supposed it to be an engagement present for daughter. She looked complacent, while the younger girls were frankly envious.

My heart fluttered when John interrupted with: "Here, wait a minute. That's mother's engagement ring. Goodness knows she's waited long enough for it, but now's the first time I've been able to afford the kind she deserves."

POULTRY ◆ FACTS ◆

RHODE ISLAND REDS NEW POPULAR BREED

The Rhode Island Reds are the newest of the popular breeds of general-purpose fowls. The breed originated in Rhode Island, where it was developed by farmers engaged in poultry raising. The Malay, Buff Cochin, Buff Leghorn and Wyandotte are said to have been used in its development. In type the Rhode Island Red has a rather long, rectangular body, and is somewhat rangier in appearance than the Plymouth Rock or Wyandotte. The hens are good layers and the breed makes a good table fowl. There are two varieties, the rose and single combed. The Rhode Island Whites are a more recent breed developed with similar type.

The Wyandotte is a rose-combed breed and is characterized as a breed of curves. The body is somewhat round and is set lower on the legs than the Plymouth Rock. The feathers are less compact than the Rhode Island Red and its general shape and feathering gives it the appearance of being short backed and short bodied. The Wyandotte was developed in the United States and the blood of the Dark Brahma, the Silver-Spangled Hamburg and the Buff Cochin played a part in its origin. The varieties are white, buff, silver, golden, partridge, silver penciled, Columbian and black.

The Plymouth Rock has for many years been the most popular breed of general-purpose fowls. It is a breed which originated in the United States, and it is probable that the blood of the Dominique, Black Cochin, Black Java, Brahma and Pit Game was used in its development. The breed is good sized, rather long bodied, with fairly prominent breast and good depth, showing a well-rounded carcass when dressed. The varieties of the Plymouth Rock are barred, white, buff, silver penciled, partridge and Columbian.

Way to Raise Chicks

Purdue university gives the following points for the proper raising and brooding of chicks:

Hatching only from mature, selected, brood-tested males and females.

Brooding chicks with a hard coal stove in a portable brooder house on new disease free soil.

Reducing brooder temperature from 100 degrees (at edge of hover) after the first week as rapidly as the comfort of chicks permits.

Getting chicks out on the ground when a week old even though weather is chilly.

Giving nothing to drink but skim milk, buttermilk or semi-solid for at least the first month.

Giving no feed or drink till chicks are 48 hours old. For the first few days it is safest to feed only the finely cracked chick grains giving only what is cleaned up in about twenty minutes.

Giving no mash the first five days. After this start gradually on mash, always preceding the mash with a grain feed to prevent overfeeding on the mash.

Placing chicks on full mash feed after the second week and reducing at same time grain feeds to only two or three times per day.

Sand Supplies Grit

Cover the brooder floor with sand and then several inches of chaff from the clover mow. Do not have dust in the chaff, but the fine particles of the clover heads and straws. This gives the chicks something to scratch in to hunt for their grain feed. Do not use sawdust on the brooder floor, as the chicks are apt to eat this and cause trouble. The sand is good for them, as it supplies grit so necessary in digesting their feed.

Poultry Notes

When chicks are penned keep grits, oyster shell and sand before them all the time. Pulverized charcoal, too, should be in easy access, as it aids digestion.

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A runway covered with fencing wire is a lot cheaper for chicks than to lose them to attacks of cats and other enemies of chicks.

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Many breeders will not undertake to raise chicks without sour milk as the first feed and continued right along with the grain feeds.

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Geese should not be used for breeding purposes until they are two years old. A gander may be used the first season. Geese eggs may be hatched in an incubator, but better results are obtained by setting the eggs under geese or hens. The eggs hatch in from 27 to 33 days.

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The best hen is the one that eats the most and turns the food into eggs.

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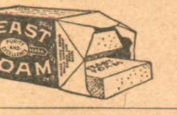
The average poultry man hates to kill the weak and crippled chicks. The usual method is to let them live on in the hope that they will recover, a desire that is seldom realized. Many have simply been deformed at hatching time. If such could be placed by themselves, and given special treatment, many of them would live and eventually make good market birds. A twisted foot or wing would not hinder growth.



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Eugene Higgins at a luncheon on his yacht Thalassa, anchored in the Nice harbor, said of the Riviera winter climate:

"I like the winter climate here; it resembles a brilliant October day at home; but I hate that cold, fierce wind, the mistral. It's the Riviera's one fault.

"One day on the Promenade des Anglais I met a Nicois in a raging mistral.

"'Glorious day,' he said, holding his hat on with one hand and wiping the dust out of his eyes with the other. 'Grand weather.'

"In the cold blasts of the mistral the palms swished wildly. The sea was white with foam. Dust clouds raced past us, carrying hats and parasols and newspapers.

"'Grand weather?' said I. 'With a wind like this?'

"'Wind?' laughed the Nicois. 'This isn't a wind. This is our mistral, our splendid mistral, which makes us southern French so healthy and intelligent and successful.'"

Cut Out Sheek Test

The teacher, prompted by superior authority had asked permission, by letter, of a girl's parents to have her take the Shick test. The permission was refused by the child's mother in a letter which ran as follows:

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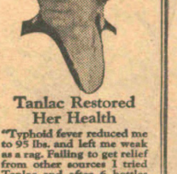
A raft floated on water pumped into a standpipe 144 feet high, at Beaumont, Texas, served as a platform for workmen while they cut the structure to pieces with acetylene torches.



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IF your body is all fagged-out and run-down, if you are losing weight steadily, lack appetite, have no strength or energy—why not let Tanlac help you back to health and strength?

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Don't put off taking Tanlac another precious day. Step into the nearest drug store and get a bottle of this world-famed tonic. That's the first important step back to health and vigor.

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There goes the Fire Gong! It may be your buildings that are going up in smoke!

How consoling it is to fall back on the good old Hartford Policy to reimburse your miserable exchequer. You're in luck!

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CORRESPONDENCE

Somerset Centre

E. A. McGregor and wife are driving a new Chevrolet coupe.

Florence Parker is spending a week with relatives in Albion.

Mrs. Sarah VanCamp is spending sometime with her son Burt.

J. P. Churchfield and wife will make their home in Midland Co.

LaCerne Pond and wife of Jackson were visiting relatives the week end.

L. A. Mercer and wife were callers Wednesday afternoon at Sarah Bilby's.

Florence Parker and Elaine Mercer were in Jackson Friday afternoon.

There will be Memorial services at the church next Sunday May 31 at ten o'clock.

Ambrose Churchfield and cousin are visiting at the home of J. P. Churchfield and wife.

L. A. Mercer and family took supper with E. A. McGregor and wife Saturday evening.

Floyd Starr of Starr commonwealth h me and six boys conducted services at the church Sunday.

R. Rutan and wife had a surprise for J. P. Churchfield and wife at the Rutan home. Ice cream and cake were served.

After a successful year under the supervision of Mrs. J. P. Churchfield school closed with a picnic at the school grounds. A very enjoyable time was had.

E. A. McGregor and wife and L. A. Mercer and wife attended the baccalaureate at Addison Sunday evening. Wendell is one of the nineteen pupils that graduate from Addison High school. He receives the honor of salutatory.

Central Moscow

(Too late for last week)

Douglass Shepard and wife were in Hillsdale Friday.

Zella Richards was in Hillsdale Monday and Tuesday.

George Brayton was in Jonesville Monday on business.

L. L. Sloan of Hillsdale is at his farm doing some farm work.

Rena Crapser was home Friday night to attend the play at North Adams.

Mrs. Lee Kies visited her sister Florence Talmadge in Hillsdale the past week.

Oris Fowle and wife visited Charley Kies Sunday evening also his brother Zin Kies.

Mrs. V. H. Adams of Pontiac visited his parents John Adams and wife Friday night.

Andrew Richards and family were over east of North Adams Sunday to see the wreck of the cyclone.

Clyde Beagle and family visited John Adams and family Sunday also their son Howard and family of Allen.

Jonesville

Mrs. George Smith is ill at her home in this village.

W. H. Blauvelt was in Chicago a few days last week.

Lois Pope is visiting her aunt Mrs. Simmonds in Chicago.

Henry Varnum of Detroit spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. R. S. Varnum is spending the week in Detroit and Ann Arbor.

John T. Reed and wife are visiting their son Fred and family in Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick of Detroit were visitors last week at the Schell home here.

Mrs. Ida Hawkins of Detroit is a visitor at the Victor Hawkins home on West street.

Frederick Wetmore of Schenectady New York was here for a visit with his parents over the week end.

Mrs. Ernest Howard of Chicago is spending some time at the home of her mother Mrs. C. V. Burnett.

Mrs. A. J. Marvin and Helen McKercher of the Ypsilanti Normal were at their homes here for the week end.

The Commencement exercises of the Jonesville school will be held June 11th in the Auditorium of the new school building.

B. W. Morehouse and family who have been in Florida for the winter returned to Jonesville last week and will occupy the C. N. Jackson home on Wright street.

Jerome

Glenn Cain of Jackson visited his mother Mrs. Mary Cain Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Lane and daughter Irene attended the funeral of Mrs. Ida Green in Pittsford Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Anson passed away Sunday morning at the home of her son W. E Anson. She is survived by two sons Frank and Wallace of this place and by several grandchildren. Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday with burial in Hillsdale.

Floyd Starr founder of a home for boys located near Albion addressed the congregation at the M. E. Church Sunday. Mr. Starr assisted in the establishing of a boy's school in England sometime ago while the government of the Netherlands paid his expenses there to lecture at a conference of social workers. Several of the boys from the school gave readings and installation of the Boy Scouts took place.

Moscow

Paul Shepard is home for an indefinite time.

Rena Kies was a caller at John Adams Friday.

Mrs. John Adams was in Hillsdale Saturday.

Charley Kies was in North Adams Tuesday on business.

Fred Fowler and son of Wheatland visited at Charley Kies Sunday.

Andrew Richards and wife are the happy parents of a baby girl born May 20 to be known as Ruth Alene.

Local News

Dean Williams returned Saturday from a business trip in Missouri.

Miss Rosene Baker closes her school in the Jackson district Friday May 29 with a picnic dinner.

Clyde VanPatten of Detroit is here for a few days visit with his aunt Mrs. Nellie Kenrick and other relatives.

Mrs. Cecil Waite and daughter Marian of Hanover were week end guests of Mrs. Waite's father R. C. Young and family.

Lucius Corbett arrived in town on Thursday. He has been spending the winter with relatives at Cleveland and Lansing.

The streets of North Adams were this week treated to a coat of Calcium for laying the dust. The county road gang did the work.

John Owen was in Detroit last week to visit his son William and to go on a motor trip to Kincardin and London, Ontario, Canada.

Oscar Hinkle and wife of Hillsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and daughter Rosene and Clark Pierce spent Sunday in Lansing.

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet at the church Wednesday June 3rd for an afternoon meeting and supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and daughters, Margaret and Helen, of Detroit, visited at the home of Samuel Anderson and wife over the week end.

The S. E. Class of the Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Tuesday evening, June 2nd. Program "Fishing" and refreshments.

Evangelist Harry G. Hamilton and Mr. Wegner, evangelistic singer, will conclude their meetings next Sunday evening. They report good interest and a fair attendance.

The editor of the Camden Advance has this to say concerning Decoration day in Camden: "Decoration day is Saturday. But very little patriotic spirit will be shown here for some reason. Its a shame that this memorial day is fast retrograding in small communities. One of the main reasons is that the public schools do not take an active part as they did a few years ago when school closed after Decoration day. This world is advancing on high speed now days and it don't seem to have time for observing this most sacred day in the year."

Right here we want to say to our subscribers we will never again publish the advertising of Piano Houses in Detroit or elsewhere who claim they have a piano in the vicinity of North Adams, which has been bought on a contract but the buyer lapsed in the payment. After some investigation we have found that both Cable and Grinnell's Piano Houses in Detroit have published such ads when they had no such pianos in this vicinity but would sell customers instruments out of stock in their warehouses either at Hillsdale, Jackson or Coldwater. Complaints have been made to us of misrepresentation, and we do not care to advertise any crooks, hence we shall refuse their ads in the future.

Mud Lake School Closes

The Mud Lake school closed Saturday May 16th, with potluck dinner served to over sixty people. Ice cream and cake were also served. In the afternoon a baseball game was indulged in by the men and boys of the neighborhood. Miss Margray Hayhoe the teacher, presented the pupils with souvenirs. Four prize certificates for spelling, arithmetic and perfect attendance were given to the following: Merle Derby, Mildred and Merle Coryell and Eudora Binkley. The teacher was presented with gifts of glass and pyrex ware. The school closed after three successful years by this teacher and her place will be filled next year by Grace Smith of North Adams.

Notice

I will be in North Adams at the the home of the late Mrs. Ann Pearson on Wednesday June 3rd 1925 for the purpose of selling the balance of her household goods.
52t1 D. L. Pierce, Administrator.

Card of Thanks

We deeply appreciate the kindness, work and sympathy given us by our friends and neighbors and what they did for us following the windstorm that shattered our barn and out-buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Haines

Pierce's Hatchery

Baby Chicks each Monday and Wednesday. Barred Rocks, R. I. Reds, White Wyandottes, White and Brown Leghorns and Anconas, all from blood tested flocks. Bargains in Brooder Stoves and Oat Sprouters. H. H. PIERCE
41tf North Adams

Jonesville Resident Enjoys Birthday Party

A very pleasure feature occurred at the home of Orville Haskell on Sunday May 24, in honor of Mr. Haskell's 64th birthday. Visiting and a social time were enjoyed by all. At noon a potluck dinner was served. There were about fifty relatives present. Alton Sillivan and family, Fred Kennedy and family, Sam Kennedy and family and many other relatives. After dinner a copy of names was taken of the guests and sent to two sisters in California.

What Are You Worth?

According to a scientific investigation, the ingredients of a man are as follows:

Fat enough for 7 bars of soap.

Iron enough for a medium sized nail.

Sugar enough to fill a shaker.

Lime enough to whitewash a chicken coop.

Phosphorous enough for 2,200 match tips.

Magnesium enough for a dose of magnesia.

Potassium enough to explode a toy cannon.

Sulphur enough to rid a dog of fleas. Water enough for one Saturday night bath.

The whole collection is worth 98 cents and that, in a day when things were much higher than they used to be. The only additional ingredient is Gumption. According to the amount that is mixed in with other things you are worth 20c an hour. It pays to add plenty of gumption.

SAVE with SAFETY at your Rexall DRUG STORE

You need not wait for a special Sale to save money on Toilet Requisites at the Rexall Store. If you have a fondness for the rather expensive imported perfumes and powders you will find that same chicness of package and unmistakable touch of the master perfumer in our own Cara Nome which we sell every day at really reasonable prices. The face powder, for instance

is only $2.00 a Box

The Rexall Store

C. S. WERTZ
The Rexall Store

Memorial Day Proclamation

By the Governor

The march of the Grand Army of the Republic is nearly over. The vast and sturdy ranks of a generation ago have dwindled to a hazy line of aged but exalted veterans. Time was when men from their own ranks decorated the graves of their fallen comrades and glorified the deeds of living warriors. This duty has now fallen upon the citizens of a grateful republic. Once each year as long as this, the happiest, mightiest, and most righteous of all nations endures, we will be called upon to honor not only the valor of veterans of the Civil War, but to pay homage to soldiers of all other conflicts of the nation. In peace with all the world, our tribute to the honored dead and the surviving veterans who made our happiness possible, should this year be more impressive than ever before.

Therefore, I, Alexander J. Groesbeck, as Governor of Michigan, proclaim and urge a proper observance of Saturday, May 30, 1925, as Memorial Day.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State this thirteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five.

ALEXANDER J. GROESBECK, Governor

—McCall's Magazine beats anything out for the money. Only 50c extra per year with the Advocate

For Sale

Auto Tent, 7 x 9 new will exchange for Wall Tent; Writing Desk; Pump Jack; used Furnace; heating Stove; Ford delivery to exchange for Roadster.

Fred Keefer, North Adams
51t3

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Belle M. Fowle deceased.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further Ordered: That the 16th day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate 50t3

CATARRH

Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.

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"I keep six honest, serving men;
(They taught me All I Knew);
Their names are WHAT and WHY and WHEN,
and HOW and WHERE and WHO"
KIPLING

WHAT was the Declaration of London?
WHY does the date for Easter vary?
WHEN was the great pyramid of Cheops built?
HOW can you distinguish a malarial mosquito?
WHERE is Canberra? Zeebrugge?
WHO was the Millboy of the Slashes?

Are these "six men" serving you too? Give them an opportunity by placing

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Write for a sample page of the *New Words*, specimen of Regular and India Papers, also booklet "You are the Jury," prices, etc. To those naming this publication we will send *free* a set of Pocket Maps.

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Will Pay Cash for Good Cream

North Adams, :: Michigan

Benge's Shoe Store

It is getting to the time of year when you can throw off those old Arctics and enjoy life once more. Half your happiness depends on your footwear. We have everything you could wish for in spring Footwear, Shoes for Dad Mother, Brother and sister at very low Cut Rate Prices. We can save anyone money on their purchase of Footwear-

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Why He Advertised

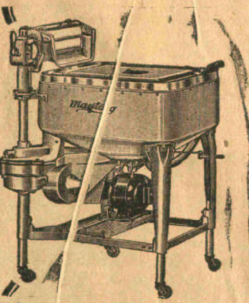
William P. Rigley, the famous millionaire chewing gum magnate, started his propaganda in a small way—fully as small as the goods he put out. He had no expansive bill boards with fiaring posters; he couldn't buy a page in Collier's or Saturday Evening Post. But did use a few lines in the news column. He sold a good many millions sticks of gum. He kept advertising and selling, until to-day behold the result! In New York City alone Mr. Wrigley owns valuable properties, yet the business keeps increasing. Just think of it! He must depend on sales of 1 cent each for his profits.

If you knew what it costs Rigley to finance one advertising campaign, you would marvel that so many jaw wags could be sold in America. When you see the little green devils and the spears you know what it means before yeu have read a word. That little trade mark reaches around the world. It sells the goods.

One day a man asked Mr. Wrigley why he wanted to keep advertising when his business was so good. Pointing to a line of stationary freight cars on the side track he said: "There is a train of cars absolutely useless—nothing to pull it; nothing to push it. It may stand there till doomsday, because it has no engine. My business is like the train. Its power to move is advertising. Take away the engine and it stops and stagnates." There are a few stagnant places of business in North Adams, and if they don't wake up soon, the cobwebs will be stretched across the door.

In Your Own Home -In Your Own Way

—try the Maytag



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- 1—Washes faster.
- 2—Washes cleaner.
- 3—Largest hourly capacity in the world.
- 4—Most compact washer made—takes floor space only 25 inches square.
- 5—Cast aluminum tub —can't warp, rust, rot, swell, split or corrode.
- 6—Easily adjusted to your height.
- 7—Clothes can be put in or taken out with the washer running.
- 8—Tub cleans itself.
- 9—Automatic drainboard. Instant tension release. All parts enclosed.

9 Reasons for World Leadership

Wash with it. It's the determining test of this super-modern short Mondays and long clothes wear. No washing principle is so careful of your clothes—even safer with dainty things than hand methods. No other is so thorough in its job—spotlessly clean wristbands, neck-bands and collars! So fast that you"ve got to hurry to keep pace with it. In every way that woman wishes, it excels. Try it—next wash-day—free. No obligations at all. Phone for further particulars.

Maytag Gyrafoam Washer

H. E. YOUNG & SON

Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

George Combs drives a new Dodge Sedan.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

A. J. Calhoun will attend the U C. T. convention at Coldwater on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrell visited relatives in Quincy on Thursday.

Mrs. Sidney Denning spent Decoration day visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm Reed.

Miss Rosene Baker went to Ypsilanti Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week.

—Potatoes for sale—Russets and Petoskey Golden Russets. Percy Wells. Phone 802 North Adams 1t3

Mrs. A. J. Calhoun and L. C. Locklin visited the family of Rev Ralph Wooton in Lansing on Thursday.

Frank Foster and son, Cleo of Detroit and Leland Foster of Lansing, spent the week end with Nellie Foster in this village

Charles Hudnutt and wife of Fort Wayne, Indiana, son of Harry Hudnutt, were in town a few hours on Decoration day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sullivan of Garrett, Indiana, spent Decoration with Mr. and Mrs. H, W. Helmick and other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Binns and daughter, Betty, of Detroit, were week-end visitors at the home of Fred Westcott and wife, in this village.

Miss Donna Lynch spent the week end at her home here. Little Miss Evelyn MacRoberts of Detroit one of her pupils, accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bisbee motored over from Sturgis Memorial day and visited old-time friends She will be remembered as Maude Aileen Hutchins.

Miss Florence Manley, Ellsworth Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Losey of Toledo spent the week end with the families of B. I. Lynch and J. W. Losey.

Annis Long, of Ann Arbor, Dorothy Godfrey of Ypsilanti, and Ruth Haskins of South Adams were Sunday evening guests of Rosene Baker.

The following were Decoration day guests of Rex Northrup and family; D. E. Jones and wife of Detroit, William Gregg and wife and son Billie of Hillsdale.

Ella Elliott, of Plymouth, Luella Helmick, Mable Goodacre, Ida Relyea and Ettie Stranger attended the Maccabee convention at Frontier Thursday, June 4th,

Lewis C. Locklin of Appleton, Wisconsin, came here on Wednesday where he will visit for a few days and attend the reunion of his class at Hillsdale College. This is his first visit here in ten years.

Mrs. J. W. Lynch and daughter of Manchester, Mich., spent Decoration day visiting at the home of C. W. Bleech and wife. They also entertained Lew Shupt and children of Toledo, Ohio.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Ethel Clement at 2:00 p. m. Friday June 12th. Mrs. Winchell will speak on "The Story of Our Flower Mission and Relief Work" and Mrs. Robins on "Motion Pictures and the Child"

—Memorial services will be held at Mt. Pleasant or Kirby cemetery in Adams township the second Sunday in June, the 14th at 2;30 p. m. with a program and Rev. H. D. Henry of Hillsdale Methodist church will be the speaker of the day. 1t2

—Michigan Mutual Windstorm Insurance Co. of Hastings, is represented by William P. Green & Son, 46 E. Bacon St., Hillsdale. Drop us a line or telephone 509. We also write old line Fire and Automobile Insurance, 52t2

Miss Florence Benson entertained the following at dinner on Decoration day: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kerman of Sturgis; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Haight; Mrs. Edith Salter of Virginia; and son, Earl, George Lauder and wife of Pittsford: Geo Moody, wife and three children, and Mr. Moody's son and family.

The annual Alumni Banquet of the North Adams high school will be held at the Congregational church in this village Friday evening, June 12th at 7:30. Rev. H. D. Henry of the Hillsdale Methodist church will give the address of the evening and a nice program principally of music, has been arranged. No formal invitations have been issued but each Alumnis will consider him or herself invited. The Alumni Association has been re-organized and Mrs. Grace Williams has been appointed secretary.

Cyrus Johnson who has been ill for some time, is improving.

The law suit of John M. Williams vs. W. W. Clingerman, garnisheement, has been settled.

Joseph Beecher who has been very low for some time, remains about the same as we go to press.

Miss Ethel Brewer closed her school in the Grubby Knoll district on Wednesday with exercises and ice cream served.

The moving pictures displayed by Rev. F. F. DeLong of Fremont, Indiana, on Wednesday night were much appreciated. A large crowd greeted him.

Alger Corbett, wife and daughter of Ionia and Roscoe Mosher, wife, daughter and son of Lansing, were guests of friends in North Adams over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M Rogers, Mrs. Mary Hucle of Union City, Clark Holton and wife of East Leroy, visited at the home of E. M, Rogers Sunday.

Miss Vera Crapser closed her school in the Knowles district last Friday, the occasion being celebrated with a picnic at Durga's Landing, Farewell Lake, which was well attended and was a most enjoyable affair.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter, O. E. S., No. 288, on Tuesday evening June 9th. Moscow Chapter, No. 166, will be visitors at this time, and confer the degrees on a class of candidates. A good attendance is hoped for.

Mrs. Charles H. Throne died at her home in Wheatland Monday, June 1st. She was born in Williams county, Ohio, August 6, 1879, and was 45 years, 9 months and 25 days old at the time of her death. Funeral services were conducted at Pioneer, Ohio, Methodist church at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, and interment was at Pioneer. She is survived by the husband and 4 children, besides scores of more distant relatives and friends. Undertaker Young was called to Pioneer to the burial.

The annual picnic of the teacher and pupils of the Viele school was held last week Friday, May 29 at the school house. There were about 80 present and a fine picnic dinner was enjoyed. The pupils presented the teacher with a silver sugar shell. There were six children receiving perfect attendance certificates as follows: Clarence and Eunice Fast, Roland Jennings, Gernie Westcott, Lazalia and Elwood Horton. Visitors this month were Fern Jennings, Jane Randolph, Margray Hayhoe, Mariot Hudnutt. Mr. Castle of Hillsdale College will teach at the Viele the coming season. Miss Cox will attend school at the Ypsilanti Normal the coming year.

A Real Proper Decoration Day

The Decoration day exercises at North Adams certainly were very well planned and carried out in excellent shape. Following was the order of the parade: Girls on horse back; fife and drum corps by Mr. Edinger; Everett Williams and Esrom Benson; High school teachers and students with flowers: civil war veterans; president of village and council: citizens-

Program at cemetery—Decoration of graves of veterans by pupils of the school and teachers.

Memorial song led by Mrs. Hunt

Prayer—Rev. Hunt.

Program at hall—"America" high school leading; invocation, Rev. Hunt; song, "Sleep On, Brave Hearts" quartet, Mesdames Shepard, Calhoun. Meeks, Wolcott. reading, "Still Marching On" Mrs. Holkins; memorial song, school; select reading, Miss Donna Lynch; vocal solo, "America, I Love You" Mrs. Hunt; reading names of Civil and World war soldiers from Adams township, Mrs. Wolcott; address, Prof. Wood, Hillsdale College; dismissal, Rev. Hunt.

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Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Oddfellows Memorial Sunday morning. Subject "The cost of Liberty."

Congregational Church Calendar

Virgil A. Hunt, Pastor

Those planning to go to Hillsdale College Baccalaureate Services Sunday morning will please meet at the church promptly at 8:00 because the services at the College will start at 10:00 o'clock fast time.

If you have no way to come, see or phone Mrs. Alice Williams.

Sunday evening at the church will be the High school baccalaureate services. Everyone welcome. Time 7:30.

There will be no choir practice this week.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. Reiser, Pastor

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45

Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Village Taxes

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F. W. Payne.
Village Treasurer.
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Fred Rock is on the sick list.

Merle Ackley and Mable Roberts of Battle Creek were in town Decoration day.

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Clyde Wertz has installed a refrigerator counter in his store. It is a fact that a store without a refrigerator counter these days, is a back number.

Will Carter and family of South Lyon, came here to spend Decoration day and returned home on Sunday. Mr. Carter will be remembered as principal of our High school a short time ago.

Y. W. C. A. To Meet

The spring membership meeting of the First Southern Michigan district, Y. W. C. A. will be held on Saturday, June 13th, at Grange Hall in Cambria, at 10:30 o'clock. Potluck dinner will be served at noon and the program continued to the afternoon.

Picked Up Carrier Pigeon

Herman Abrogast's people picked up a carrier pigeon which flew into their woodshed Tuesday morning. Attached to its leg was a tag which had the following: "Detroit No. 1337 Whether this pigeon was sent out for some special purpose, is not known.

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Annual Meeting S. P. I. Class

The annual meeting of the S. P. I. class of the Methodist Sunday school was held Friday, May 29th, at the home of Mrs. Margaret Caswell in this village, There was a good attendance; Mr. Hamilton gave a very interesting and helpful talk and Mr. Wegner gave a beautiful solo "Face to Face" which was much appreciated; The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lois Holcomb vice pres., Mayme Pendell; sec., Pauline Gray: treas., Eva Overley: entertainment and program committee, Jennie Othoudt; membership committee, Rose Marks: devotionals, Bertha Wells: reception committee, Mae Gordon: visitation committee, Margaret Caswell; press work, Pauline Gray.

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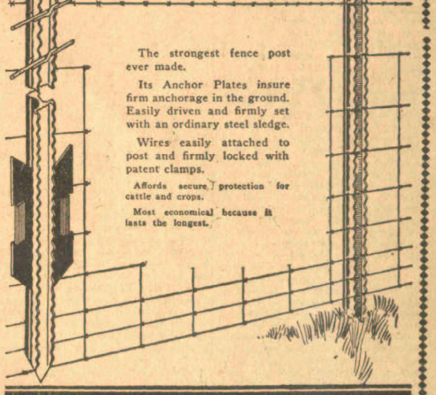

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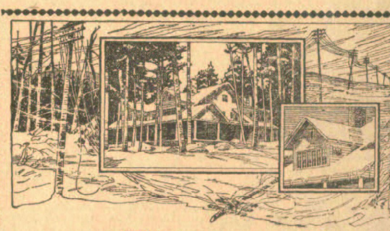

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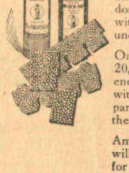

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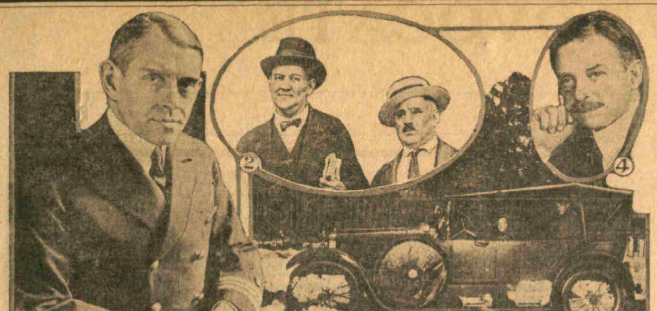

1.—Rear Admiral F. C. Billard of the coast guard, leading figure in the blockade of the rum fleet. 2.—Gaston Means (left), convicted "fixer," arriving at the Atlanta penitentiary with a federal marshal. 3.—Picture showing how traffic in Baltimore was paralyzed by a May hailstorm. 4.—Maj. Gen. Sir John Lawrence Baird, new governor general of Australia.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

World Awaiting Word From the Amundsen-Ellsworth North Pole Flight.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

THE success or failure of the Amundsen-Ellsworth attempt to fly to the North pole may be made known to the world at any moment. On the other hand, the fate of the daring explorers may remain shrouded in the mists and snowstorms of the Arctic regions for several weeks or even for months. At this writing, one week after the departure of the two planes from Spitzbergen, no sign has been received from Captain Amundsen and his companions. This does not necessarily mean that they have met with disaster, for it is announced by Bernon S. Prentice of New York, brother-in-law of Lincoln Ellsworth, that Amundsen planned to go on to Alaska if he was successful in locating the North pole, and if conditions were favorable. Though it may have been necessary to make landings and though this may have wrecked the planes, the party was fully equipped for the attempt to return to civilization on foot and had food supplies for one month.

Polar experts said it was too soon to send out relief expeditions, but already movements are on foot to that end, both in America and in Norway. Amundsen and Ellsworth, before they started, appointed an advisory committee on relief, of which Mr. Prentice, mentioned above, is the chairman. The Norwegian government says it is ready, at a moment's notice, to send out a relief expedition. President Coolidge and all other American government officials are intensely interested and will see that this country gives whatever aid is necessary and practicable. Suggestions that either the Los Angeles or the Shenandoah, dirigibles, be sent to the Arctic, do not meet with official approval.

Capt. Donald MacMillan, who is himself to lead an Arctic expedition soon, said to officers of the National Geographic society: "If Amundsen is to return to civilization in the flesh, he must make a quick get-away. The ice area is rapidly expanding in the Arctic circle and every day of delay adds to the hazards of the situation that confronts him."

ALBERT B. FALL, former secretary of the interior, and Harry F. Sinclair and Edward L. Doheny, oil magnates, have been indicted again by a grand jury in Washington in connection with the Teapot Dome affair. These indictments are substitutes for those recently quashed on the ground that a government legal representative was illegally present in the jury room when they were voted. In general the former charges are repeated, but the Sinclair indictment charges new overt acts in addition to those set forth in the indictment of last year. Chief among these is the alleged passage of $230,500 in Liberty bonds from Sinclair to Fall through the Continental Trading company, Ltd., a Canadian corporation.

Out in Los Angeles, Federal Judge P. J. McCormick rendered a decision in the Doheny lease case, ordering the Doheny interests to surrender for cancellation their leases in the Elk Hills naval reserve No. 1 and their contracts for construction of oil-storage facilities at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. The leases were declared void both because of "fraud upon the United States" and because the transfer of leasing authority to the Interior department was irregular. A financial settlement for oil taken out and for construction work done in Hawaii was ordered.

ALL this country, at least, is becoming deeply interested in the coming trial of John T. Scopes, biology instructor in a school of Dayton, Tenn., for violating the state law which forbids the teaching of the theory of evolution in public schools. It is a test case, deliberately arranged by Mr. Scopes and his friends, and he is assured of the support of scientists and others who welcome the issue between liberalism and fundamentalism. The fundamentalists will be commanded, presumably, by the perennial William J. Bryan, though it is not certain the local prosecuting attorneys will be willing to surrender chief place to him. The indictment of Mr. Scopes by the grand jury at Dayton was a foregone conclusion, for there is no attempt to claim that he did not violate the statute. The fight, of course, centers on the constitutionality of the law. The little Tennessee town is preparing for a great influx of visitors and it may be that a huge temporary arena will be constructed for the trial, which is to open July 10.

Clarence Darrow, noted Chicago lawyer, and Dudley Field Malone, leading attorney for the American divorce colony in Paris, have been suggested as counsel to aid the defense of Scopes. But Mr. Darrow is known to be a skeptic and Mr. Malone has been somewhat tinged with political pink, and as the Tennesseeans who will make up the jury are certain to be both of a religious turn of mind and conservative, it is unlikely those lawyers will be considered available. The American Civil Liberties union is really back of the case, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science is taking a deep interest in it, though so far not officially.

VICE PRESIDENT DAWES HAS carried his fight for revision of senate rules into the Southland. Last week he addressed the Associated Industries of Alabama in Birmingham, and told his hearers that "the South is too intelligent to be deluded into the idea that to protect it against another Force bill the right at times should be given to a minority, or even one senator, to throw a monkey wrench into the legislative machinery of the common government.

Answering critics of the reform campaign, he said that unlimited debate "had not checked multiplicity of laws but had resulted in their passage without proper consideration." He referred to the Force bill, beaten by a filibuster, as "a wrong measure" which would have been repealed if passed. This isolated argument of proponents of present rules, he declared, was an effort intended "to affect the great intelligent South and to revive those unhappy issues which have died alike in the North and South."

He said he was asking only that the minority, "protected as it is by the checks and balances of the Constitution, shall not exercise veto rights over the will of a majority when that majority desires only to exercise its constitutional rights of legislation."

Senator Underwood, who preceded General Dawes on the platform, praised his efforts to procure rules that would limit debate in the senate. Opposition to the proposal, he said, comes from two sources: From some of the senators themselves, "because they enjoy debate and like unlimited discussion," and from "those persons outside the senate who are interested in special legislation or, more particularly, in preventing legislation to which they are opposed."

PUBLICATION by newspapers of income tax lists is declared lawful by the Supreme Court of the United States. The court affirmed decisions of lower courts in the cases brought against the Kansas City Journal-Post and the Baltimore Post. The opinion, written by Justice Sutherland, held that the information, as made available to public inspection and the terms of the revenue act of 1924 "cannot be regarded otherwise than as public property, to be passed on to others as freely as the possessor of it may choose."

It was added that "the contrary view requires a very dry and literal reading of the statute, quite inconsistent with its legislative history and the known and declared objects of its framers."

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE did not approve of the plans of the War department to have a second national defense test on Armistice day, and suggested that July 4 would be a better date. His preference will be complied with, although the time remaining to prepare for the demonstration is exceedingly short.

OFFICIAL reports from Tokyo give the number of dead in the recent earthquake in Japan as 278. Many thousands of others were rendered homeless and the property damage was enormous. The district most affected was that around Osaka, Kobe and Kyoto, on the west coast. Several villages were destroyed, but there was little damage in the larger cities. The most tragic scenes were at Kimosaki, a spa where hundreds of visitors were taking the hot baths. The pavilions all collapsed and many persons were scalded to death.

NOTWITHSTANDING their reported victories over the Riffians, the French are having a strenuous time in Morocco. Abd-el-Krim hangs on like a leach and is said to be preparing his forces for a great offensive, and meanwhile the French troops have been drawn back behind a defensive line and are constructing powerful fortifications. There were stories, unconfirmed, that France and Spain were ready to negotiate a peace with the Riff chieftain. The truth, as it came out in a heated debate in the French parliament, seems to be that Abd-el-Krim sent an emissary to Marshal Lyautey to endeavor to reach an agreement as to the frontier. The Riffians are short of food supplies because the French have established an effective blockade. But they are planning to raid the Ouergha region. It is said a large body of trained German officers is on its way to serve under Krim. The French Communists insist that peace must be made with the Riffians, and when the chamber of deputies was called on to vote a credit of 30,000,000 francs for the campaign they made such a riotous demonstration that M. Herriot, president of the chamber, suspended the session. There was, however, no doubt that the government would be sustained.

ANOTHER deplorable coal mine disaster, this time in North Carolina. Near Coal Glen at least sixty miners were entombed by three explosions that wrecked the shaft, and at this writing there is little or no hope that any of them have survived. Six bodies had been recovered, but the rescue crews had penetrated to the 1,800-foot level without finding any more.

FUNDAMENTALISTS and moderates in the Presbyterian church crossed swords in the general assembly in Columbus, Ohio, and such great differences of policy developed that there are predictions of a long-continued controversy in the church and of possible litigation. The New York presbytery, which is liberal, is fighting to stay in the church and to assure for all presbyteries the rights which it says are given by the constitution of the denomination. If the New Yorkers should be forced out, a legal battle might result to determine the ownership of church property. A conservative element, led by Moderator Charles R. Erdman, pins its hopes for church unity on a special commission which was named to study ways of "assuring the peace, purity, unity and progress of the church" and to report to the next assembly.

DR. ERNEST DE WITT BURTON, president of the University of Chicago, was one of the most notable of death's victims during the week. He had been ill for a long time and succumbed after surgical operations. Others who passed away were: Field Marshal French, earl of Ypres, who commanded the "Old Contemptibles," England's first army in the World war, and who won fame in previous campaigns; Col. C. A. Repington, noted British war correspondent and writer on military topics, and Louis Falk, long one of America's foremost organists.

FRANK M. SURFACE, an economist of the United States grain administration, has made a report, approved by Secretary Hoover, designed to disprove the theory of American farmers that wheat would have gone to $3 or more in war time if the government had not fixed the price at $2.20. The report declares that world conditions probably would have forced the price of 1917 wheat down to $1.50 per bushel and that the action of the government in establishing a minimum of $2.20 saved many millions of dollars for American farmers.

Secretary of Agriculture Jardine visited Chicago last week to hold secret conferences with board of trade officials for the purpose of bringing about the "house cleaning" which he had demanded.

Would Gather Data to Aid Future Historian

Washington.—Erection here of a modern archives building as an aid to future historians is urged by Capt. Dudley Knox, head of the navy's historical section, and by other officials supervising government records.

Captain Knox cited the existence of 990 separate collections as tending to make the preparation of accurate histories difficult and unnecessarily expensive.

Information relating to early American naval activity is contained in the files of the Departments of State and Treasury, as well as the pension office, but much data also is cared for by the states, by private societies and individuals.

It was the custom for captains of vessels and commanders of squadrons to consider records of their administration as something personal, Captain Knox said, and there was justification in this, inasmuch as those officers were held to a degree of financial accountability. The result was to scatter official documents in various families throughout the land, and the department frequently hears of the papers of old-time naval officers being sold at auction.

In 1911 congress authorized $30,000 for a commission to make photostatic copies from the existing archives, but only the states of Massachusetts, Virginia and North Carolina had been reached when the World war eclipsed this activity and the funds became exhausted.

King Tommy

BY GEORGE A. BIRMINGHAM

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"SIMPLY ROTTEN"

SYNOPSIS.—In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy," and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strongminded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace.

CHAPTER IV

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I found a letter from my sister Emily waiting for me when I got home.

"I want you," she wrote "to use your influence with Edmund Troyte to get a passport to Megalia for Janet Church. You remember Janet, I'm sure."

I remembered Janet Church perfectly well. She is a bony lowland Scot, and when I met her at Emily's house she was touring Ireland on behalf of a temperance society. I remember her saying at dinner that she would rather put a red-hot poker into her mouth than a glass of wine. That, I am sure, was not true. However much she might dislike wine she could always spit it out again. She could not spit out a red-hot poker.

"Janet Church," Emily went on, "is going to Megalia as the representative of the Society for the Establishment of World Peace through the influence of the Union Christian churches. There seems to be a wonderful opening in Lystria, which is now part of the Republic of Megalia. The present patriarch—"

According to Emily, the present patriarch is a man of singularly plastic mind, willing to unite his church with any other in the interests of world peace.

I put Emily's letter into a nice, flat varnished basket which stands on my writing table and is meant to contain unanswered letters. Emily gave me that basket last year as a Christmas present. I was glad to be able to use it for a letter of hers. I had of course no intention whatever of asking Troyte to get a passport for Janet Church.

But I did not get rid of the business so easily as that. Next day Janet Church called on me. In appearance she was just as I remembered her, in determination rather worse. The passport to Megalia had been refused. She attributed that to the hatred which the Foreign office felt to the idea of a world peace and to Lord Edmund Troyte's dread of the influence of a union of the Christian churches.

I dare say she was right in blaming Troyte. Knowing what he did about the condition of Lystria, he cannot possibly have wanted to add to the confusion of the coming revolution by letting loose an earnest Scotchwoman in the country. Also he probably thought that the Patriarch Menelaus would be too much occupied preparing for a royal marriage and coronation to have any time to spare for planning a world union of Christian churches.

"With the peace of Europe hanging in the balance," Janet said, "and the prospect of another war within ten years, it is of vital importance that the influence of the Christian churches, of all of them—"

"All," I murmured sympathetically, "all, all."

"Should be brought to bear on our statesmen. And how is that to be done?"

"Only," I said, "by means of a union of Christian churches."

"Especially the Church of Lystria," said Janet.

I could not see why the Lystrian church, which must be quite a small body, should be so very important. But Janet Church evidently thought it was. So, dare say, did Emily.

"Couldn't you," I said, "write to the patriarch instead of going to see him?" His name is Menelaus. A letter addressed to His Beatitude the Patriarch Menelaus, Lystria, would be sure to find him."

"A personal interview is indispensable."

If the patriarch is the least like Troyte in character, or like me, Janet Church may have one personal interview with him but will certainly not have another. I suppose she realized that she was not likely to get into my flat again, for she refused to leave until I had promised to do what I could with Troyte about the passport.

I kept the promise and made an appeal to Troyte.

"I know all about that woman," he said. "She makes trouble wherever she goes. I can't have letters coming to me by every courier from all the legations in Europe asking me to keep that woman at home."

"If you set any value on your own peace and mine," I said, "you'll give her a passport to Lystria and then keep her there."

"I wish," said Troyte, "that all religious women were in Heaven."

"If you let her go to Lystria," I said, "she probably will be in Heaven soon. I don't know the patriarch personally, but he'll execute her before she's been a week there if he's half as savage as Norheys says."

Troyte asked what Norheys had been saying about the patriarch. I could only reply that I was mistaken in saying that he thought about the patriarch at all. The person he called savage was the princess.

"He seems quite sure," I said, "that she's black."

"He knows perfectly well that she's nothing of the sort," said Troyte. That's merely an excuse to get out of marrying her."

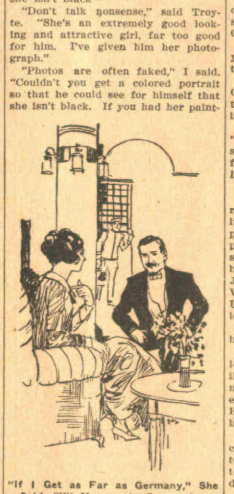
"I suppose you know," I said, "that he's formally engaged to Miss Temple and means to marry her."

"We must get him out of the entanglement," said Troyte. "And the best way of doing it is to push on the marriage with the Princess Calypso."

"Until you've convinced him that she isn't black—"

"Don't talk nonsense," said Troyte. "She's an extremely good looking and attractive girl, far too good for him. I've given him her photograph."

"Photos are often faked," I said. "Couldn't you get a colored portrait so that he could see for himself that she isn't black. If you had her painted in an evening dress it would go some way to relieve his mind about the tattooing. He'd know that her arms and neck were clear, anyhow."



"If I Get as Far as Germany," She Said, "I'll Manage to Go on Somehow."

"I wish you wouldn't be flippant," said Troyte. "This is rather a serious business. There's the question of oil—a matter of imperial interest, and Cable says he's pushed things on so far that Lystria is on the verge of a revolution. I really don't know what would happen if the patriarch and Count Casimir were to bring off their coup d'etat and there was no king to put on the throne."

"I wonder," I said, "if anything in the way of a morganatic marriage could be arranged?"

"Certainly not."

"It's sometimes done," I said. "I'm sure I've heard of cases."

"Certainly not. The last king, Wladislaws, was far too fond of that sort of thing. His life was a scandal, and the patriarch was on the verge of excommunicating him several times. The patriarch holds very strong views on the sanctity of marriage and—and—all cognate subjects."

"If the patriarch is the sort of a man who would tackle a king," I said, "he'll probably be able to deal with Janet Church. Why not give her a passport? Look here, Troyte, let's compromise. I'll say no more about Miss Temple and the morganatic marriage if you'll let Janet Church go to Lystria. She'll worry the life out of me if you don't."

"I'll tell you what I'll do," said Troyte. "I'll let her have a passport to Germany, but not an inch farther. She can go to Berlin if she likes and stay there."

"That's something," I replied. "She'll be out of London anyhow."

"I'm sorry for the Germans," said Troyte.

"Oh, they deserve it. After all, what's the use of our having won the war if we can't do anything afterward to make them feel uncomfortable?"

I called on Janet Church in her hotel and told her my news. I was afraid she would be furious with Troyte for limiting her wanderings. To my surprise she took it very well.

"If I get as far as Germany," she said, "I'll manage to go on somehow."

"Well," I said, "good-by and good luck. If you find yourself languishing in a Siberian dungeon, send a line to the nearest British consul."

"I'm not going anywhere near Siberia," said Janet.

"You may not mean to," I said, "but you never know where you'll fetch up when you start traveling in the Near East."

CHAPTER V

Janet Church left London next day and I congratulated myself that I had escaped one worry. I actually enjoyed several peaceful days. Then Norheys came to me again.

"Did you tell Uncle Ned," he said, "that I'm going to marry Viola and no one else?"

"No, I didn't," I said. "I told him exactly what you said I was to tell him; that you were determined to marry Miss Temple, but were quite ready to marry anybody else as well."

Norheys grinned.

"How did he take that?" he asked.

"He said just what I expected him to say, that he'd never agree to your committing bigamy."

"If that's so," said Norheys, "it puts the lid on the whole black princess scheme. What I always say is this: a fellow ought to knuckle under his family—uncles and aunts and all that lot—so long as they're asking him to do the things which don't annoy him much; but as soon as they begin chipping in in really offensive ways then he oughtn't to. That's my idea of a fellow's duty, anyhow. I don't know if it's yours."

I said that a great deal depended on his definition of the word offensive, and that so far as I could see, Calypso was anything but that.

"Anyhow," said Norheys, "whether you agree with me or not, you can tell Uncle Ned what I say."

I did; and Troyte told Procopius Cable. Norheys was back with me two days later and this time he was in a really bad temper.

"Look here, Uncle Bill," he said, "I'm getting a bit fed up with this sort of thing. I don't say it's your fault, but there it is, and I'm d—d if I stand any more of it."

"What's happened to you now?"

"This way of going on is simply rotten," said Norheys. "As long as it was merely a matter of Uncle Ned persecuting me day and night and pelting me with oil paintings of Indian squaws, I didn't mind. But it's a bit too thick when he sets on a slimy Jewish money-lender to try bribing Viola to give me up. I didn't think Uncle Ned would have played it as low as that."

"I'm perfectly certain," I said, "that he never did any such thing."

Lord Edmund was extremely anxious to rescue the head of his family from an undesirable entanglement and he wanted to see Norheys established as a European sovereign. But he would not hire a Jew to offer bribes to Miss Temple.

"Anyhow," said Norheys, "the brute came, a fat flabby animal, and tried to persuade Viola to take a check for ten thousand pounds. If Uncle Ned didn't send him, who did?"

"Did you hear his name?"

"Yes, I did. He sent in his card to Viola and she kept it. Here it is."

He handed me a visiting card. I half expected the name I saw on it—Procopius Cable.

"That's the same swine," said Norheys, "who's doing the deal with Uncle Ned about the oil."

"Exactly. But I'm sure your uncle didn't send him to bribe Miss Temple."

Procopius Cable, eager to get at the Lystrian oil, had tired of Troyte's cautious diplomacy and begun to act for himself. He had made a mess of it, a far worse mess than I knew or guessed then.

It does look as if Procopius Cable had made a mess of things. And the result?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Queen Lover of Cherries

The rich and ruddy cherries for which England is famous, were introduced into that country from Flanders in the year 1540. The establishment of their popularity was due in no small measure to Queen Elizabeth who had a great liking for cherries ripe. Whereby hangs the tale of Sir Francis Carew, who delayed the ripening of his cherry tree until a month after the end of the season in order that the cherries might attain maturity when her majesty stayed with him. This he accomplished by erecting a tent over the tree, and on the queen's arrival the fruit was at perfection.

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Large and Small Sums Swell Conscience Fund

At the United States Treasury department in Washington there is a conscience fund and it is growing rapidly. Conscience-stung individuals from all sections of the country, and even in foreign lands, frequently send in sums of money to make good frauds that they have perpetrated on Uncle Sam. Since the first contribution of five dollars more than 100 years ago, the fund has grown to nearly $600,000. Those who contribute to this fund hardly ever give their authentic names, and few go to the trouble to explain how they came to unjustly get into possession of government property or money.

These contributions have varied from a one-cent postage stamp to $30,000. At the present time, the annual receipts are said to amount to over $5,000. The largest contribution, that of $30,000, was accompanied by a brief note stating that it was the final installment on an $80,000 payment, which was four times the amount the sender had stolen. The most frequent contributors to this fund are little children who send in a few cents to make good canceled postage stamps which they have used illegally. These small remittances, it is said, are often accompanied by the most pathetic notes showing the mental tribulations suffered by the writers.—Pathfinder Magazine.

NOW DOES ALL HER WORK

Has No Backache, No Bad Feelings Because Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Drove Her Illness Away

Milwaukee, Wisconsin.—"I was in a badly run-down condition and I would get weak spells and terrible headaches. I felt so badly last year that I could not do any housecleaning. The minute I would lift or stoop it seemed as if I was going to fall to pieces. I told a neighbor how I felt and she said that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was surely the right thing for me. I took four bottles then and in the fall of the year I took three. I had been treated by a doctor but he gave me an iron tonic and that did not help me. It seemed that the tonic did not have in it what the Vegetable Compound did. That gave me the strength and ambition I needed and I have gained in weight. This year before I started to clean house I got four bottles of the Vegetable Compound and am taking it right along. I tell all my friends about it and how much good it does me. They can notice it because I have gained in weight. I weigh 118 now and do all my work myself again."—Mrs. EMIL O. BRANDENBURG, 651 37th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Radio Plumber

There was something wrong with the radio, and Tompkins had called in a friend, an amateur wireless expert, to advise him. It did not take the latter long to discover the seat of the trouble.

"It's quite an ordinary fault," he informed Tompkins. "Your aerial is leaking."

"Leaking," repeated Mrs. Tompkins, who was taking an intelligent interest in the proceedings, "What a pity we didn't know yesterday, when the plumber was here!"—Tit-Bits.

Nonbathing Bolshevik

The late August Belmont hated the Bolsheviks. Talking one day to a reporter about a Bolshevik agitator who was fleeing from state to state to escape arrest for arson, Mr. Belmont said.

"The fellow boasts that he never takes a bath; but he's been showing the world of late a remarkably clean pair of heels."

Freshen a Heavy Skin

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$25,000,000 Motor Road

A proposed $25,000,000 motor road from London to Brighton would take five lines of traffic without a speed limit and there would be no crossings, as the road would pass above or below existing thoroughfares.

A woman's idea of economy is buying things she doesn't need because they are cheap.

ALL WORN OUT?

Are you lame and stiff; tired, nervous and depressed; miserable with backache? Have you suspected your kidneys? Good health depends upon good elimination. But sluggish kidneys allow impurities to accumulate and upset the whole system. Backache is apt to follow; stabbing pains, depressing headaches, dizziness, and other annoying kidney irregularities. Why experiment? If your kidneys are sluggish, why not use *Doan's Pills*. *Doan's* is a harmless stimulant diuretic. Used the world over. *Ask your neighbor!*

A Michigan Case

George P. Washburn, retired farmer, 903 South Michigan, Avenue, Howell, Mich., says: "My back ached and when I did any bending, sharp, severe twinges took me across my kidneys and made it difficult to straighten. My kidneys were disordered and I had to get up during the night to pass the secretions. I started using Doan's Pills and a couple boxes cured me."

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Wife's Old Love Affair

Nothing will ever convince me that husbands do not hate old love affairs in the history of their wives. Husbands have been trained by wives to say they do not care, but they do. If a woman has been engaged to two or three men before she finally lands one, and submitted to their endearments, it is a bad start.

In Sacramento a man quarreled with his stepson because he ate so much butter on his hot cakes, and the row ended in a divorce.

The man didn't object to the butter; he disliked his wife's former history; her former husband, the boy's father.—Designer Magazine.

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MODEL FARM SHOWS WHAT ELECTRIC POWER CAN DO

Hardly a Man-Size Task or a Farm House Chore That Electric Motor Could Not Tackle With Success.

Just what electricity really can do on the farm, if it is given the chance, was disclosed at the recent State Farm Products Show held at Harrisburg, Pa. More than one hundred farm implements and farmhouse utensils operated by electricity were displayed.

Most of the several thousand visitors were surprised to notice how many things can be done on the farm and in the farm home by electricity once the electricity is available. Any farm that could afford to put electricity to work to such an extent as indicated on this model electric farm would find the day's work something to chuckle over instead of something to scowl at.

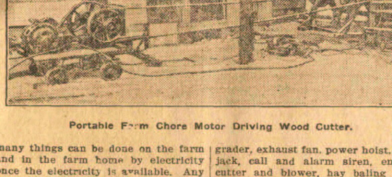
Those who managed this exhibit, however—the Giant Power Survey, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, Pennsylvania State College, Pennsylvania State Grange and Pennsylvania Electric Association—did not pretend for a moment that the average farmer could approach such an ideal condition as the model farm presented.

No farmer could stand the expense, nor have the power companies felt justified, in offering current at rates economically satisfactory.

The Harrisburg exhibit, however, showed that when the time comes on each farm, electricity can do almost anything that may be asked of it. Big tasks and little tasks, in field, barn and home, it was busy showing its strength and its adaptability. Each device was marked by a placard which gave the name of the appliance and the name of the manufacturer or agent.

There were electrical operations in progress in the barn, shed, yard, dairy, poultry house, workshop, garage and in practically every room of the farm house.

Typical of them all were the operations in the barn, shed and yard which included these electrically-driven appliances: Wood splitter, threshing machine and cleaner, concrete mixer, saw frame, floor machine for dairy work, grooming machine clipping machine, feed grinder, potato grader, exhaust fan, power hoist, pump jack, call and alarm siren, ensilage cutter and blower, hay baling press, fodder shredder, combination mill, bagger and carrier, thermocouple detector indicator, corn sheller and six ten-inch oscillating desk fans.



Portable Farm Chore Motor Driving Wood Cutter.

BEAT A BLIZZARD

Electric Light on Pole in Yard Guided Cattle to Shelter.

Kansas blizzards have long been a dread of the farmer in the prairie country. Livestock and even human beings have been cut off from shelter and frozen to death. Hence the feelings of a farmer in Ellis County, Kansas, can be appreciated when he says:

"My electric installation paid for itself in one night during a sudden blizzard last winter. The big light on a high pole near the barn helped us to drive all the cows and calves to shelter. Without it many would have been frozen to death."

Nearly all the high wattage electric lights so far placed on poles in farm yards are Mazda lamps of 500 or even 1,000 watts. They were developed by General Electric engineers and scientists, who first brought Mazda lamps into existence. These same specialists are giving attention at present to the peculiar lighting problems which are met with on the farm.

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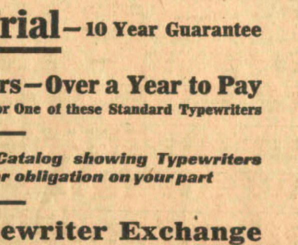

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He Cracks The Pope's Head Occasionally

On Monday morning Rev. F. F. DeLong of Fremont Indiana, arrived in North Adams accompanied by Miss Dunn a young lady whose former life has been mostly spent behind the bars of the parochial school and Nunnery. Miss Dunn is a very entertaining speaker and a singer, and she tells her experiences with the Roman Institutions with frankness and unreserve. If you are a 100 percent American or even just a common well-wisher of our country you should hear Rev. DeLong speak in the Catholic situation. He was in this town some fifteen years or so ago and it will be remembered he startled the country round about with his expounding of the terrible truths of Catholicism. We have often wondered and feared for his safety, but likely he is preserved by some overruling power.

On Monday evening he spoke to a good sized audience at the Baptist church but on account of so much open air work his voice is quite seriously impaired. Miss Dunn however, furnished most of the diversion telling her experiences and the results of her quitting the Roman faith in her own family.

On Wednesday afternoon she addressed a large concourse of women at the church on the "Inside of the Confessional" that much talked-of institution of the Roman church. Miss Dunn states that there is no Priest whose everday life is what it should be and among other matters said the Priest usually kept a young lady housekeeper and was alone with her most of the time. They tell us that at the Confessional the young ladies of the Catholic church are supposed to tell the Priest every act good, bad or indifferent, which has been committed since their last meeting with him, and that such is the faith, that very seldom is the conversation of the confessional ever exposed to the world. Results can well be imagined with the class of men these fellows are sometimes found to be. When we stop to consider that from their earliest infancy these girls are taught to obey and reverence the Priest's every command, we get slightly roiled at what might take place if the "Howly Father" was not a man of high moral standards, Rev. Frank DeLong has for many years been cracking the pates of the followers of Rome in this country, and we note that some of the knocks produce results. He tells of twenty one girls in all rescued from Papal prisons where they were practically slaves to the whims of more or less morally rotten red necked Priests of the faith. Rev. DeLong and Miss Dunn are both very entertaining speakers and the fact that they speak from the "Know Thyself" standpoint is a winner. They represent the Public School Defense League.

The Vandercook Lake Scandal

Jackson Daily News articles would lead one to believe that owners of buildings in and about Hague Park were all crooks. That paper has recently taken up the cudgel against the police force of Jackson county and of the State of Michigan with the result some startling disclosures are in order. At the time of the burning of Hague Park buildings much sympathy as expressed for the owner Charles O'Dell in his unfortunate losses, especially as it was impossible to get the Jackson Fire Department to come out of the city. Some time later the large barn of Mr. Lee burned to the ground in the daytime. The Jackson News is now trying to wake up citizens of the county by connecting Mr. O'Dell and Mr. Lee with the burnings. If this be true there is reason to believe also that other fires in the vicinity were cooked-up jobs. If the officials of the State of Michigan are conversant with affairs at Vandercook's and fully cognizant then it is up to the Department of Justice to take a hand in the matter

The State of Michigan is about to spend $90,000 on barracks for the state police at East Lansing. Well, guess *it* costs something to support *this* branch of the government you *bet*. And what does it get the *people* of this commonwealth? *We'll say* it means something to be *well* guarded. We'll say it means something to be able to say that crime usually gets a crimp in its back when the troopers get after it! We'll say that bootleggers and h och peddlers get cold chills when the state police go on the war path. We'll say that speeders quit speeding and drunks quit jay riding also. Guess it pays!

New Gun Law

Every person owning a revolver or a gun under 30 inches in length is required by law to register it with the proper authorities by July 1, according to a new set of laws received by Sheriff Stoddard Tuesday. Everyone living in the country has to register their firearms with the sheriff, and everyone living in the city has to register them with the chief of police.

People are not allowed to carry a gun in their automobiles, without a license, under the new law. This law does not hold it necessary to carry a revolver in an automobile, as in the home for protection of property. A person may have a gun in the home without having a license, but it must be registered according to the new law.

Licenses to carry concealed weapons are issued to city residents by a board comprised of the chief of police and the prosecutor. A board comprised of the sheriff and the prosecutor issues the licenses to residents in the country. Applications are made to the chief of police and the sheriff, and these officers refer them over to the prosecutor, who grants or refuses the request.

Application blanks for registration have been sent for, and will be here within 10 days.

Any person selling a gun is required to give the name, address and other data of the purchaser. and sign three copies. Within 30 days the vendor has to send one copy to the secretary of state by registered mail, one copy to the sheriff or chief of police, and retain the other copy for himself.

Death of An Old Wheatland Resident

Dwight Curtis, aged 90 years, died Saturday night last at about eight o'clock at his home east of this village. He had been in poor health for some time having met with two accidents at different times which left him in very poor physical condition. Some years ago he was riding to the Hillsdale Fair in an auto when the machine was struck by another machine. and Mr. Curtis injured.

He was born in the state of New York near Rochester October 25th 1834, came to Michigan with his parents in 1851, settling in Hillsdale county. After the death of his father and brother, he conducted the business started by his father—viz, that of breeding high grade Shorthorn cettle for the market, and for which the Curtis homestead has been famous for 40 years

The farm is known as one of the best and most highly improved in the community, being equipped with large and commodious barns and splendid brick residence. Notwithstanding the years have made some changes in the buildings, it is yet a beautiful farm home.

Mr. Curtis was at one time an officer of the Hillsdale Fair and it is said he placed the Society on a prosperous basis. He was also an official of the Addison Benk which he established.

Funeral services were held at the late home Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 Rev. McLouth officiating and interment was in the Pease cemetery.

Gassed Soldier and Wife Receive Aid

A young man who has been gassed in France arrived in Jackson a few days ago accompanied by his wife. The couple were without money and the story is that they stopped at the home of Judge Boardman and asked if they might sleep in his Garage. Now, a garage even to a healthy person, is not a joyous place to spend the night, and these two were sick. The judge thought it over and knowing something of the work of the Volunteers of America, decided to take the couple to the Volunteer home.

Captain Ross said Tuesday that the ex-service man and his wife were given a comfortable room, good meals and much needed clothing. Their confidence was restored and they started out to find work. The brief rest was a real help, an oasis, like a friendly hand in the dark, and it meant a great deal to two tired and discouraged young people.

The Judge and the Volunteers of America in a way re-enacted the story of the Good Samaritan, and the help given the couple were made possible by the gifts of the people to this institution.—Jackson Daily News.

URGES FARMERS TO CO-OPERATE

Owen D. Young Also Thinks Power Companies Must Study Problems of the Farms.

MANUFACTURERS MUST HELP

Farmers who will open-mindedly co-operate are necessary to bring to pass electricity on the farm, according to the conviction of Owen D. Young, chairman of the board of directors of the General Electric Company.

So are power companies which will study the farmer's problems in an honest attempt to solve those problems electrically. And so are manufacturing concerns which will develop electrical farm machinery, without which the farmer cannot hope to use electric power to advantage.

Mr. Young discussed the obligations of all three of these groups in an address before a joint conference of farmers and power company representatives of New York state. His remarks, summarized, were as follows, speaking first of the farmer:

OWEN D. YOUNG
Chairman Board of Directors, General Electric Co.

"The farmer, above all else, must be interested in his business. He must be open-minded, and hungry to find new methods by which he may make his undertaking both more pleasant and more profitable. Pride in the advancement of his business, and the initiative to advance, are essential.

Farm Owners to Be Leaders

"Leadership must come from the men who own and live on their farms and take pride in their business. I am happy to say that this class yet remains as the great backbone of America. Whether one speaks economically, socially, or politically, they are the anchorage of this country.

"The farmers should insist upon the study of electrification by their agricultural schools and colleges, by their farm organizations, and require a constant and unending publicity of the results of such studies through their farm journals. They should welcome study by the power companies and manufacturing companies and should co-operate with them to work out practical plans to get effective results.

Co-operation Among Farmers Needed

"The farmer is too much of an individualist to be a good co-operator. He must learn to co-operate if he is to get electric service.

"To sum up, I ask the farmer to show the same initiative in the development of his business that the manufacturer does. I ask him to be open-minded as to new methods and to show a readiness to abandon the old.

"I ask him to learn to co-operate with his neighbors for their mutual benefit, as well as to act individually on his own account. I ask him to exert both economic effort and his political influence to create such favorable conditions for the supply of electric service as to insure proper results."

Taking up next what the power companies' attitude and policy should be toward farm electrification, Mr. Young said that the time has come when these utilities should now give special attention and study to agricultural problems and to ways and means of furnishing agricultural service. They should create agricultural departments with men who not only know the electrical business, but who also know the farming business.

"It will not do," said Mr. Young, "for the electric power companies to send men to the farms who do not know on which side of the stanchions, to install a milking machine. One reason why the farmer has not been open-minded is because the people who have been trying to sell him electric service have really known nothing about his needs."

Manufacturers' Job Too

Regarding the electrical manufacturer, Mr. Young had the following to say:

"The manufacturer has not yet met, by sufficient expenditure of energy or money, the problem of the farmer. Without electrical machinery adapted to farm use, the farmer can not extend the use of electricity to his profit."

Mary L. Barnes, daughter of Mr and Mrs. George Barnes of Hanover was united in marriage Saturday, May 30, to Russell Sterling, son of Dr. Sterling of Jerome. The bride and groom left on Sunday for Findlay, Ohio, where they will spend two weeks at the Dr. Sterling farm. The bride was a graduate of the Hanover High school, and has for the past year taught near Hanover. The groom was born at Jerome and attended the Jerome school. Later he went to Jackson.

CALIFORNIA TO GIVE OTHER STATES DATA

Will Supply National Committee With Facts About Its Thirty Thousand Electrified Farms.

Definite activity is in progress in California, the one state where actual farm electrification is further advanced than in any other, to collect data which will be of benefit to other states interested in this subject.

The national Committee on the Relation of Electricity to Agriculture will be the clearing house for the information secured. The arrangement resulted from visits to California by Dr. E. A. White, director of the committee. He informed a gathering of California agricultural and electrical men of the national committee's purpose and assisted in the organization of a California state committee.

In California, thirty thousand farms use electricity. Their consumption of energy in a typical year amounted to 554,000,000 horsepower hours.

Eighty per cent of this energy was employed to operate irrigation pumps. Nearly half of all the electrical energy expended on California farms is derived from electric motors.

At the same time, much use is made of electricity on California farms for typical farming operations. There are also many California farm homes which are completely electrified.

Several sub-committees are gathering general information on the California farms which use electricity. One committee will gather data on costs and kinds of uses of electricity. Another will investigate the question of rates for farms.

The third committee will find out how electricity is used in California farm houses and how it makes life more livable on the farm. The fourth committee will study the economic utilization of electricity on the farm.

Poultry farms and dairy farms will be given special study, as will the farm shop. Refrigeration and the spraying of plants will also be looked into by one of the committees.

It is to be expected that the investigations under way in thirteen other states will find much to aid them in the information obtained from California.

Outdoor Play at Night

Play-time is getting to be synonymous with night time. Great electric floodlights are now used in many sports—tennis, golf, croquet, trap shooting and motorcycle racing, as well as baseball and football. The moonlight, however, is still reported to be the favorite with lovers.

X-RAY FILM BY WIRE SENT IN 7 MINUTES

New Feat of Science Suggests Great Boon to Surgical Patients in Small Communities.

Surgical and medical men see wonderful possibilities in the successful transmission by wire of an X-ray negative, which has just been accomplished between New York and Chicago. The X-ray film, showing in detail the bone structure of a human hand, was sent by wire in just seven minutes, and when developed at the Chicago offices of the Victor X-ray Corporation it was a perfect reproduction of the original.

The great benefit to medical practice which this achievement foreshadows is the possibility of bringing the services of an X-ray specialist to a patient in a far-distant small town or village where such a specialist could not usually be found.

By means of the Coolidge portable X-ray, brought out a few years ago by Dr. W. D. Coolidge, of the General Electric Company's research laboratory, an X-ray picture could be taken at the bedside of the patient. This could then be sent by wire from the nearest sending station to a receiving station in a large city and then shown to an X-ray specialist who could make a diagnosis and wire back instructions for treatment.

Such a great saving of time as this in securing expert advice would undoubtedly prevent many patients from becoming permanent cripples.

Sending stations at convenient points all over the country will be necessary. These, it is predicted, will be established within a few years.

Lights and Pumps Are Greatest Farm Desires

So far as the woman on the farm is concerned, there has always been a glowing possibility of giving life a happier aspect through the coming of electricity. It has been asserted that ninety-six out of every one hundred women on the farms of the nation handle a big wash on Monday. Seventy-nine out of the hundred trim and fill kerosene lamps and thirty-six help with the milking.

That points unmistakably to the duties which the average farm woman would like to see electricity take over first of all. Those duties would be included in an electric lighting system and a small electric pumping outfit. To be rid of the kerosene lamp chore, and never again to "tote water" for dish washing, laundry work or bathing would make anybody's days seem more sunny.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof,

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.
July 24, 1925. 49t13

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

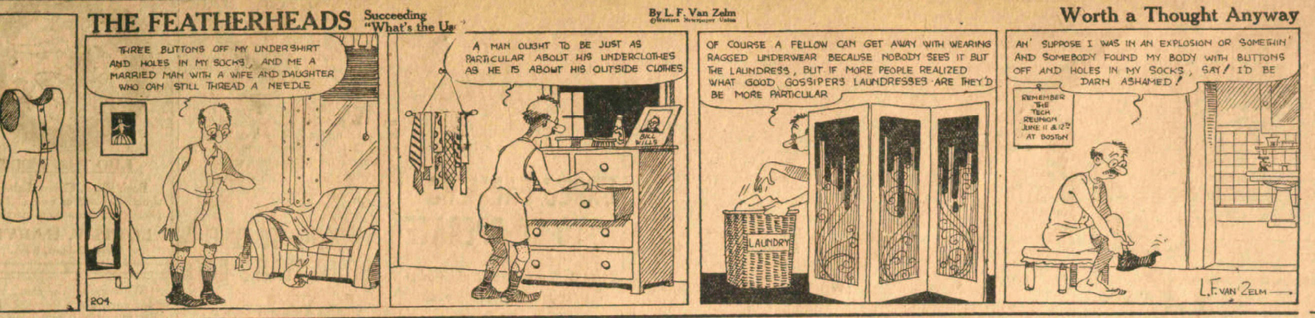
The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.
J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan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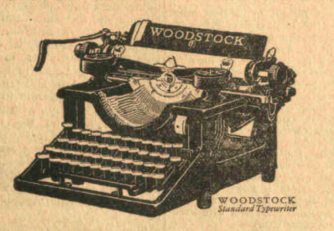

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The Necessity Of Obedience To Law

Stratton D. Brooks, the author of the following article, is an educator and citizen of wide experience He is author of a number of valuable school books. As a practical schoolman he has followed the calling from the high school to the presidency of several institutions of learning, including the University of Oklahoma. President Brooks has gained nation wide attention by his clear and convincing reply to a spirited address by Nicholas Murray Butler before the Missouri Society of New York in advocacy of modification of the Volstead Act in the interest of wine and beer.

Liberty is our most precious heritage, and our greatest hope is that we, in our time, may pass on to our children a greater liberty than we ourselves have enjoyed. It may seem strange, therefore, to say that one of the troubles of our country is too much liberty. Yet such, I fear, is the case.

The basic principle of a democracy is equality of rights. No man is entitled to a greater privilege than his neighbor. Whatever freedom of thought or possible action that you and I exercise, must be accorded to all others. Whenever one man demands a right, he must in consistency concede that same right to every other citizen. If he fails to do this, he is attempting to establish an autocracy for himself entirely forgetful of the rights of others. In these times, however, many of us are so loudly insistent on our own personl liberty that we are forgetful of the personal liberty of our neighbors and insist upon things for ourselves that are possible only by curtailing the privileges of other citizens whose claim for personal liberty is equal to our own.

Liberty has limits and those limits are determined by the rights of others. In some cases, these limits are defined by law, but in most cases they may be determined by the general principle that we are never privileged to do that which, if done by everybody, would be detrimental to the general welfare or subversive of the rights of others

I will cite you the case of the tulip bed on the University campus. A pretty girl comes along and picks a tulip. The loss of one makes so little difference that it would not be missed. But if this girl has the privilege of picking a tulip, every other student has equal liberty and it will no longer be possible to maintain the tulip beds or beautify the campus.

It would seem at first thought that any man should be at liberty to keep his own pig in his own back yard. But in crowded districts where the squealing may waken his neighbor's sick baby, or the stench make his home uncomfortable, or the flies bred in the dung heap spread filth and disease to his family, the right of the neighbor for quiet, comfort and health becomes as much of a question of personal liberty as is the right of the other man to live in a pig sty.

The very basis of civilization is the specialization of individuals for particular service. We have farmers, mechanics, teachers, lawyers, merchants, and thousands of other special groups. It is the tendency of this specialization to make us overemphasize our own importance and that of our group and to fail to remember that it is possible to exist only in systematic and harmonious co-operation with thousands of other individuals or groups.

We have seven or eight professors in one department in the University. All of them are specialists no one of whom can do what the others can do. But their department functions through co-operation and harmony between these men. It is so with the land in which we live. Liberty is possible only through absolute co-operation under legal restraints.

Some forms of co-operation have become conventions, but those most essential to the great problem of living in peace and equality with our neighbors have been enacted into law.

These laws are designed to direct all rightminded citizens into lines of action necessary for peaceful and harmonious co-operation. For those who refuse to accept this direction, penalties are prescribed.

Our greatest difficulty today is that under the spurious plea of personal liberty many people who in all other things are good citizens, insist upon substituting their personal ideas for the law. Each of us most certainly has a right to believe what he pleases about the desirability of any laws, but if you or I refuse to obey a law because we believe it interferes with our personal liberty, then every other citizen has an equal right to exercise his judgment as to obeying other laws that he believes to be encroachments upon his liberty of action. The thief may with equal justice say that the law against stealing interferes with his liberty of action and demand freedom from penalty. If such a theory is accepted, the very basis of government and of civilization is destroyed and nothing can save mankind from rapid descent into primitive or barbaric, conditions.

The point of the whole matter is that liberty has it limitations. That we have not the right under the plea of personal liberty to do that which is harmful to others, and that a law designed to curb our harmful actions must be obeyed by those who will obey, and enforced upon those who will not obey. Otherwise, our government is destined to destruction. Nor can there be any other desirable one erected upon its ruins except by the re-establishment in the hearts of men of the necessity of obedience to law.

"America, America,
God mend thine every flaw,
Confirm thy soul in self control
Thy liberty in law."

The will of United States Representative Arthur B. Williams, of Battle Creek, has been filed with Probate Judge Blaine W. Hatch at Marshall, and petition was made to admit it to probate. It was made December 9, 1924, at Battle Creek. Mrs. Sue M. Williams and the Old National Bank of Battle Creek are named executrix and trustee respectively. The estate is valued at $75,000 real and $500,000 personal. There are nine heirs and legatees. It has been often remarked that Mr. Williams' political campaigns were always well financed and now it is very easy to see how it was done. In our opinion Arthur B. Williams was the most liberal candidate with newspaper advertising who ever ran in Michigan.

Dogs Are Becoming 'Landmarks' On Campus

We have heard of people "putting on the dog," but we never understood what they put "it" on. Now it is clear, for "it" in the plural, is on our campus. These visitors were so royally welcomed by the student body, so freely entertained, and, above all, were taught so many tricks that they threaten to become a permanent fixture of the college. Many conveniences have been provided for them, all of which they use. One of the fraternity houses is practically a Dog's Dormitory, the College church provides spiritual enlightment, the dogs have access to all of the buildings should they desire to learn, and the whole campus on which to frolic. Look out anytime and you will be able to see three or four dogs chasing each other or some tease, the latter usually the masculine sex.

Rumor has it that the sheriff has been called into council with the officers of administration. The playful visitors are to be quietly but firmly removed, but how? Is a high wall, like that of a prison to be built for each forbidden guest on sight? Whatever the solution it will become expedient to pledge that he will banished from the grounds. Or is each a student? The dogs are here, and prove distressing to the people who have taken the measures aforementioned. It is sad. But is the campus to be a dog pound? During Quinquennial some of the alumni might be led to believe that a new course had been added to the curriculum—that of the art of dog-catching.—Collegian, Hillsdale.

June A Month Of Pleasure

Lovely June; this month is the most favorite of all the year and seems altogether too short to most of us. It is the time of weddings and high school commencement, of outings and picnics and finds its greatest significance in the two momentous days of July 4th and May 30th (Decoration Day) being halfway between. Nobody this season seems to find as much enjoyment as usual because of the queer weather which we have been having. The conditions have been so different—inasmuch as we generally get a large amount of rain and all kinds of vegetation and grass will spring into being under its vitalizing influence at this time. This season it is fully as dry and dusty in May and June in this section as it ordinarily would be in August and September. Merchants in our berg have been exceedingly annoyed by dust settling in clouds on interior furniture and woodwork and as we read the weather man he don't promise much better conditions for the whole summer, so it is a rather gloomy outlook. It is noticeable also that most kinds of wild flowers are conspicuous by their absence and flower beds not watered artificially were a failure.

In spite of these drawbacks the month of June will be a Godsend to thousands of cooped up city dwellers who stay indoors through the cold period and scarcely get down to the Mother Earth except as they visit public parks. Like the spring birds they come out of their hibernation and take a long look about while breathing the balmy airs.

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The Train Control Bogey

A few years ago we heard much about the automatic train control to be efficient when sickness or death paralyzed the hand of the engineer. Inventors at once got busy and soon several devices were on the market for this purpose, some of which got to the trial board. At present only 3500 miles of track in this country is equipped with this system at the enormous cost of $23,000,000 and there is a question among railroad officials as to whether it really is worth what it cost. The results obtained do not warrant any such expenditure of money. Automatic train control was supposed to be a wonderful saver of human life and limb but actual tests show that only 134 lives were saved by it which is so small a percentage of the loss that the devices are almost obsolete. 21,000 lives in one year were lost in grade crossing accidents.

Warren Stone, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, says that control devices might cause serious accidents and possibly the worst ever known by a heavy freight train being suddenly stopped and buckling onto a fast train track and wrecking the later. Other opinions are that no automatic apparatus can take the place of the human arm. The Railroad Commission has ordered some 83,000 miles equipped with this device and some railroads have postively refused to consider the installation at all. They will resort to lawsuits rather than under go the terriffic expense. The great New York Central system has seriously considered the installation of such train control.

But not all of its officials will admit the new control is a success. If it is such success has not yet been fully proved. The automatic stoker came out some time ago and was hailed as an innovation, but its use is not likely to be universal as it does not always operate. Engines equipped with the stoker quite often go bunk on the road and have to be stoked by hand.

Mrs. Ernest Clark of Jonesville received word Saturday of the death at South Bend, Indiana, of an aunt, Mrs. Louize Salzmann. The deceased lived for many years at North Adams. Mrs. Salzmann (formerly Louise Beiter) died at her home in South Bend Saturday May 30th and was buried in the North Adams cemetery Tuesday, June 2nd. Relatives from away to attend services at the grave were Mrs. Nettie Kotz of South Bend; Henry Beiger of Mishawaka, Indiana, Mrs. Mina Gempel, Mrs. Anna Crone, Mrs. Nora Sprauel and Lewis Beiter of Toledo.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Harmon Fowle, deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

And It is Further Ordered, That the 16, day of September 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
5013 Judge of Probate

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 23rd. day of April A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel A Wisner Deceased.

It is Ordered, That Four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further ordered, That the 27th day of August 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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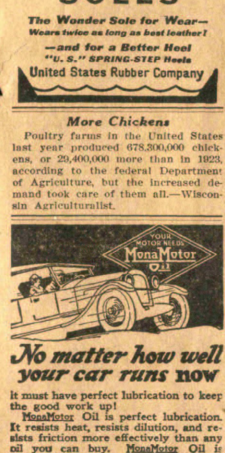
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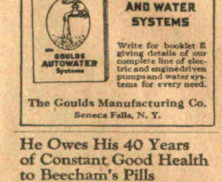
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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Marshall—The graduating class this year is the largest in the history of the Marshall public schools, numbering 37 girls and 31 boys. Rev. R. F. Keicher will give the baccalaureate address June 7.

Holland—Following the destruction by various methods, mainly poisoning, of dozens of dogs in and near Holland, the Holland Game and Fish Protective Association has posted a reward of $50 for information leading to the conviction of those responsible.

Ionia—There will be no fishing in Ionia county lakes until June 16, according to an order issued from the conservation department in Lansing. No fish shall be taken from the lakes or streams between March 11 and June 15. This order is effective for the next five years.

Dearborn—Dearborn village has increased its corporate limits by 10 and one-half square miles, extending north, west and south, from the present boundaries. The people, at a special election, voted five to one to annex this territory, thus terminating a six week's campaign.

Ypsilanti—More than $10,000 has been pledged by the students of the Michigan State Normal College here toward the $150,000 fund now being raised for the erection of the first unit of a $300,000 alumni building on the campus. Fifteen thousand has been pledged by members of the faculty.

Port Huron—The Port Huron and Sarnia Ferry company's new terminal was opened Memorial Day for auto traffic. The company will be able to transport 6,000 automobiles across the St. Clair river every 24 hours, doing away with the tedious wait of past seasons, during week ends and holiday periods.

Lansing—Governor Alex J. Groesbeck handed the work of keeping the general property tax for the next two years down around the $16,000,000 mark to the state administrative board. With practically all of the appropriation bills signed, only vetoes of comparatively small sums have been recorded.

Grand Rapids—Col. James A. Drain, of Washington, national commander of the American Legion, will be a guest Monday, June 1, of the combined luncheon and civic clubs of the city. On the previous day he will attend the dedication services for the new children's billet recently completed at Otter Lake.

Monroe—Wilfred Homer, 21, is in the hospital here suffering from injuries received when a northbound Blue Goose passenger bus went into the ditch four miles south of here on the Dixie highway. To avoid striking an approaching automobile, the driver of the bus steered into the ditch. Other passengers were unhurt.

Olivet—Dr. Paul F. Voelker, president of Olivet college for the last five years, has announced his resignation, to take effect September 1. No announcement has been made by the board of trustees as to his successor. While retiring from the presidency, Dr. Voelker still will maintain an active interest in Olivet and will serve on the board of college trustees.

Ann Arbor—Initiation ceremonies of University of Michigan honor societies were denounced by Acting President Alfred H. Lloyd and Joseph Bursley, dean of students. Agreeing with the charges made by Dr. F. R. Waldron, prominent local physician, President Lloyd said: "The present method of initiation is very much to be regretted. It certainly looks brutal and is in very bad taste."

Ironwood—Saginaw was named as the 1926 convention city of the Knights of Columbus of the state, when the organization concluded its twenty-fifth annual convention here. All state officials were re-elected. The state council pledged itself to raise $300,000 in 10 years for the University of Detroit to erect a dormitory for students. The organization also pledged $10,000 a year to the Ann Arbor council to erect a community building for the use of students at the University of Michigan.

East Lansing—D. A. Seeley, meteorologist at the Michigan State College, said that the recent cold weather had damaged Michigan fruit and truck crops to the extent of several million dollars. The most serious damage, he said, was caused in the Southwestern Michigan fruit belt, where from 50 to 75 per cent of the strawberries, grapes, pears, cherries and plums are reported to have been killed. Peaches and apples were not so severely damaged, according to official reports. Berrien and Van Buren counties were the greatest sufferers.

Detroit—Judge Charles L. Bartlett ruled the new Bahorski Anti-Gambling Law unconstitutional when he refused gaming warrants against the publishers of three Detroit papers. Immediately after this ruling, Prosecutor Robert M. Toms announced he would petition the State Supreme Court for a mandamus compelling Judge Bartlett to issue the three warrants. Warrants were asked charging all three Detroit papers with publishing information concerning betting odds on horse races and boxing matches.

Lansing—John Baird, director of conservation, will lay before the state administrative board a plan for fire lines in Michigan forest and cut-over lands in the Upper Peninsula. The plan which has the approval of the Michigan Conservation Commission calls for the making of fire lines four rods wide and eventually interline every township in the state. Tractors would be employed and where there is danger of future fires, prison labor would make fire lines by building road beds which can be used as township roads.

Lansing—The state administrative board has sold $1,493,000 worth of highway refunding bonds to the A. M. Lamport company, of New York. The average interest cost to the state was 3.982.

Owosso—Owosso's assessed valuation for 1925, is $12,129,533 an increase of nearly $1,000,000 over last year, according to a report made to the board of review by M. F. Growe, city assessor.

Ann Arbor—Irwin Prieskorn Post No. 46, of the American Legion, will present a bronze marker on Memorial Day in memory of Dr. Marion LeRoy Burton, president of the University of Michigan, who died some time ago.

Saginaw—Justice Louis Winiecko, of Zilwaukee township, is trying out a new wrinkle on the speeders who appear in his court. He is sentencing them to attend church. He also has them read the speed laws aloud so they will better know it.

Jackson—The city commission has denied chiropractors the right to practice their vocation at the W. A. Foote Memorial Hospital, which is operated by the city. The opinion was given at the request of C. M. Guyselman, a local chiropractor.

Grand Rapids—Sidney L. Vaughan, former vice-president and general manager of he Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Muskegon Railway Company, and several associates have purchased the railway property from the United Light and Power Company.

Lansing—Reports to the State Conservation Department stated that all danger of further damage from forest fires is passed. Rains and snows throughout the state where the flames were raging extinguished the fires. No estimate of the damage done was available here.

Saut Ste Marie—The steamer Huron, of the Wyandotte Steamship company, narrowly escaped sinking in St. Mary's river when she collided with the steamer Ispheming of the Cleveland Cliffs line, during a snow storm on the river. Both ships have docked at Brady pier, below the locks, where possibly the Huron will be temporarily repaired.

Ionia—"Don't point that gun at me. My mother says never to point a gun at anybody," said Emery Wilkins, 11 years old, to his playmate, Milton Morgan, 12 years old. "Aw, it isn't loaded," Milton replied, as he pulled the trigger. There was a sharp report from the rifle Milton was holding in his hands. The bullet entered Emery's head and he died instantly.

Sault Ste. Marie—The storm that whipped Lake Superior recently cost two lives, caused heavy damage to vessels and brought much anxiety to marine circles. The first mate and the wheelsman of the steamer Pentecost Mitchell, of the Pittsburgh Steamship Co., were washed overboard and drowned eight miles off Split Rock Light. The names of the victims were withheld by the company.

Mt. Clemens—Four Detroit boys were killed and four others were seriously injured here when their automobile overturned while attempting to avoid another collision with another motor car near Brady's Station, and threw the eight youths onto the right of way of the D. U. R. and directly into the path of a moving construction train. All of the youths were pupils of St. Theresa's high school in Detroit.

Grand Rapids—A 13-year-old son dead and a father rescued in the nick of time was the result of a sand cave-in in Richmond Hill, just north of Grand Rapids, where the boy, James Hoogerhyde, had been playing in a cave. The father went to rescue his son when he was trapped by a cave-in. Scores of officials and workmen worked frantically for two hours before the rescue of Conrad Hoogerhyde, 40, the father, was effected.

Springwells — Springwells high school students were in despair when seven members of their winning baseball team were suspended from athletics for the rest of the school term by "Mac" Whalen, high school coach, who found them playing with an independent aggregation on the Springwells diamond. Whalen said he had no other alternative, since Article 7, Section 6 of the rules of the Michigan State High School Athletic Association forbids high school players from playing on independent teams.

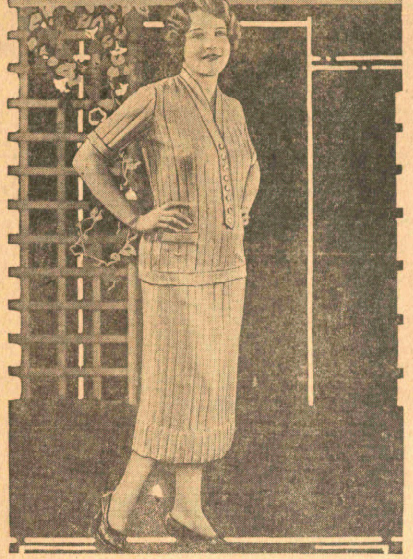
Ann Arbor—Charging brutality, recklessness, and childishness, Dr. F. R. Waldron, a local physician who was graduated from the University of Michigan medical school in 1901, attacked the "honorary societies" of the university in a letter to the editor of the Michigan Daily. The charge was made following the regular initiation of "Sphinx" honorary junior literary society. During the course of the initiation the neophytes were strapped on their backs to a dray, and the initiators paddled the victims' feet, at the same time sprinkling them with a hose.

Monroe—Major Robert Knaggs, 90 years old, permanent resident of the famous old Seventh Michigan Voluntary Infantry, which participated in every battle of any prominence during the Civil War expects to preside at the 40th reunion of the regiment to be held here in June. The regiment was formed in Monroe and was composed of companies from Port Huron, Mason, Jonesville, Tuscola, Farmington, Pontiac, Prairieville, Burr Oak and Detroit. The regiment left here September 1, 1861, and only about 300 returned from the war.

Ann Arbor—Beginning a campaign for the erection of a memorial campanile in honor of the late Dr. Marion L. Burton, president of the University of Michigan, classes of all colleges in the University have pledged themselves to purchase a set of chimes, to be placed in the proposed campanile. Although the bell tower is still a project, the committee in charge of the plan entertains the hope that alumni of the university and friends of the late president will donate the necessary $150,000 for the erection of the 200-foot tower.

Adorning the Knitted Frock; Lovely Gowns for Matrons

CROSS the palm of the itinerant fortune-teller with a piece of silver, and lo! our past, present and future will be revealed. Knitted outerwear fashions are like that this season—responsive to the magic touch of silver. The stylist trims our sweaters and knitted two-piece suits with silver buttons and gilded trappings and behold! a revelation of entrancing modes. To the woman of smart fashion, silver and gold trimmings, as applied to things knitted, present a most interesting innovation.

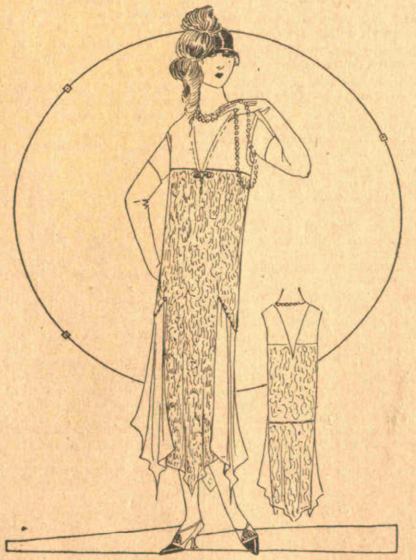


Exquisite Sports Frock.

All sorts of intriguing ideas are expressed with gilded leather as a medium for motifs, bandings, collars, cuffs and belts on the latest knitwear modes. Illustrative of this new style trend is the exquisite sports frock here pictured. It is knitted of mist-blue rayon, its drop-stitch contributing a note of interest. There is a bordering of silver with bright gilded buttons. Surely a sports costume which will make appeal to every queen of fashion!

Added to its comfort-giving qualities, is the beauty of the coloring expressed in knitted rayon or fiber silk as you may choose to call it. The new knitted rayon suits, which are the last word in fashion, abound in lovely flower shades, such as rose, cyclamen, flax.

Then too, the prediction that lacy stitch will feature throughout summer knitted outerwear fashions becomes realization in the latest rayon-knit jumper suits. It also adds to the prestige of the newer knitted frocks, that they are two-piece, for without a doubt the skirt with overblouse leads in point of style importance. The blouse may be long-sleeved and high-necked, or a matching scarf, for all these points of fashion are emphasized in the newer knitted modes.



Fine Example of the French Art.

It is said Paris couturiers have a penchant for designing apparel for matrons, at any rate the numbers of hats, wraps and gowns they present, created to suit matrons (both young and older) seem to indicate a preference that way. But, of course, one must consider that the main demands on them come from matrons and it is most important to please them. Whatever the reasons, the modes of the French reach their climax in apparel for women who have left girlhood behind them. One reason is that nothing is too subtle, too sophisticated or too splendid to help in contributing to the charm of women who have attained poise.

A fine example of French art in matrons' gowns appears in the sketch shown above. It has been created with special reference to June weddings, as suitable for the matron of honor, among the bride's attendants, or to the mother of the bride or groom. It is of lace and georgette and very adaptable—suited to young and to older matrons. It has several marks of the present season to distinguish it and is a beautiful exponent of current modes, notably in the uneven hemline, the combination of lace and georgette, the jabot-panels at each side of the skirt joined to the georgette with a beading of small beads. A deep yoke in the bodice has a "V" shaped neck opening and the sleeves are very short. Laces dyed to match are used with georgette in frocks of this kind, and blond lace is used with contrasting colors. The hat is depended upon to suit these soft and elegant afternoon gowns to the years of the wearer. Younger women wear the wide-brimmed models, often with flower trimming, but the older matrons select smart, small shapes. The hat pictured is of hair braid with handsome monture of ostrich feathers at one side which adds greatly to its beauty.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Jabots Grace Simple Frocks

The simplest frock of black satin or chiffon gains in allure if it is softened by the addition of a frilled or plaited jabot of sheer net or fine laces. These may be bought ready made and are quickly attached with a few stitches.

Red Hat Popular

This is a season of bright-colored millinery, and the red hat is at the height of its popularity. Shades of rose and purple are also liked.

Wide Silks Practical

The new plain and printed silks, which come in a width of 54 inches, are as practical and economical as they are smart. A yard and a half of the material is all that is necessary for a frock, while little more is required for a coat.

White Jabots Used

The jabot of white georgette or crepe de chine is frequently seen on the new black satin dress.

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Correspondence Given Personal Attention.

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Iceland Must Live on Country's Products

Fashionable Icelandic women have had few new dress models from Paris this year, and the modish young men will not be able to import any of the flapping Oxford trousers, so much commented on in England. This is because for two years Iceland is not to bring in any ready-made clothing. Shoes and all sorts of fabrics are also on the prohibited list, says a correspondent of the New York World.

Virtually all luxuries and many necessary articles have been placed on the prohibited list in an effort to stabilize the Icelandic crown. Bread, butter, margarine, cheese, salt meat, pork sausage, eggs, fruit, leather goods, soap, furniture, films, watches, clocks, motor cycles, automobiles and scores of other articles may not be brought into the country.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.

An Illustrator

The late Guernsey Moore, the artist, disliked illustrations that did not accurately follow the text they were supposed to illustrate.

"I was talking to a famous illusthator the other day," Mr. Moore said in Germantown, "and I asked him this question:

"Penn, what is the most interesting story you ever illustrated?"

"'Dunno,' said Penn. 'Never read any of 'em.'"

Such Is Fate!

Thousands of Englishmen and Americans have not forgotten the close of the Napoleonic epic of 110 years ago.

When the Titanic went down in 1912, Oscar Palmquist of New York saved himself by swimming about for hours in icy waters until picked up by a rescue ship.

Recently Palmquist fell into five feet of water in Beardsley park at Bridgeport, Conn., and was drowned.

Will Vaccinate Plants

Experiments to make trees and plants immune from disease by vaccination and so reduce the cost of food production are to be tried soon under the direction of Prof. Robert A. Harper of Columbia university, says Popular Science Monthly. A plant clinic will be established for the experimental control of diseases by serums and vaccines.

Big Jap Blacklist

Police of Tokyo have placed the names of 1,030 boys and 60 girls on a blacklist. Police will be stationed in the parks and the cafes to see that their conduct in the future is more exemplary.

Photographing Coastline

Three hundred miles of the coast line of Cuba and adjacent islands will be mapped photographically from the air by a navy plane this spring.—Science Service.

Modern Camouflage

Alec—"Your new flat is larger, isn't it?" George—"In one way it is. There are three rooms made into six."—London Answers.

Why does pointless conversation always bore the quickest?

First Broadcaster

The first radio broadcasting station in Japan was opened March 1. Sales of radio sets showed an immediate increase. The new station's wave-length is 375 meters.

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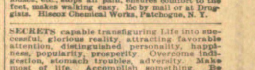
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CORRESPONDENCE

Town Line

Harvey Powers is working for Arthur Westcott.

John Sommers and wife were in Niles Mich. on business last week.

Mrs. H. Powers returned from her visit at Bryan Ohio Monday.

Mrs. Anna Payne of North Adams is nurse for Mr. Beecher this week.

Howard Wells and wife recently entertained her father from Haviland Ohio.

George Bundy and wife of Pittsford were at Eugene Culbert's Sunday afternoon.

Ora Potter of Jerome who worked for Gurn Baker in the spring is now working in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and daughter of Hillsdale were callers Sunday at the home of Arthur Smith.

Mrs. Eva Moore has company from Hillsdale to stay with her while Claude is away at work.

M. Burger and wife of Toledo visited at the home of their daughter Mrs. Frank Anson last week.

Howard Wells and wife took dinner one day last week at the home of Charles Fry near Hudson.

Mrs. Clara Woolston and Mr. and Mrs. E. Helmick have been entertaining company from Detroit

Z. Horton and wife of Blissfield and Marcy Sipe of Woodstock were callers Sunday at the John Horton home.

Glenn Baker and family of Toledo were at Gurn Baker's Saturday and were also guests at Eugene Gamble's.

Asenath Lapham and daughter of Jackson was at the home of her parents John Sommers and wife the first of the week.

A picnic dinner at the Vielie school house last Friday was much enjoyed by neighbors and friends who met to help Miss Cox in closing the school with a gala day. The school gave her a slight token of remembrance wishing her success in all the work she undertakes in the future.

Dell Fuller and wife of Battle Creek were guests at C. H. Jennings the week end, they attended Memorial services at North Adams Saturday

Gaylord Rickerd and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kerns of Detroit and Mrs. Mary Rickerd of Wheatland Walter Way and wife of Clinton called at the home of J. Beecher Sunday.

Frank Crego, wife and daughter of Ionia Mich. came for a visit Saturday at the Joe Beecher home. Mr. Beecher remains about the same as he has been for a month past.

Clarence Jennings noticed last Sunday afternoon a great smoke near the Cornelia Clancy home and at once went there, Some ashes had been emptied out and coals must have been in them it was making quite a headway in the grass leading to the buildings but Mrs. Clancy had not noticed it. Help from cars passing soon smothered it.

Jerome

Ernest Carpenter has been on the sick list.

Glenn Cain of Jackson visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Horton of Allen was a Jerome business caller Monday.

Philip Gochanour and Art Smith of Moscow were in town Sunday.

Murl Parks of Sandstone visited at the home of Lee Parks Sunday.

Bert Hall and Lewis Long of Hillsdale were in town Thursday.

Clarence Cain and Ora Potter were in Brooklyn Saturday evening.

Mrs. M. H. Morris entertained Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson Friday.

Elmer Decker and wife of Round Lake were in town one day last week.

Art Crane, W. W. Ostrom, M. Morehead and wife were in Jackson Thursday.

A. Sutfin, Helen Rollins and Glen Rutan of Somerset Center were in town last week.

Hilda Sawdey is spending the summer in Hanover with Harley Voorhees and family.

Mrs. M. H. Morris was in North Adams Sunday.

Earl Baker and family have returned to their home in Jerome.

Leon Walworth nnd family entertained Clark Baker and family of Jonesville Sunday.

Harry McClanahan, D. C. Turnley and Howard Sawdey are working on the road north of Horton.

Mrs. Julia Potter and son Ora visited Saturday at the homes of Joseph Beecher and Howard Fowler.

Murl Morehead and wife spent the week end in Battle Creek with the former's father Marsh Morehead.

Clair Cheesbro of Jackson and Helen Ward Elder formerly of this place were married in Jackson Satday.

Harry Milan of Cleveland and Mrs. Carrie Westover of Detroit have been recent guests of Mrs. Mary McGregor.

The Oddfellows of the local lodge will attend church in a body next Sunday at which time Rev. Scott will preach on "The Rock of Ages."

Chas Foster and wife, J. E. Lane and family of Hillsdale and Mrs. Edith Browd of Clyde Ohio visited T. J. Lane and family Saturday.

Gerald Fisk and family of Addison, A, O. Hart and family of Jackson, Dan Sawdey and family of North Adams spent Sunday with R. O. Sawdey and wife.

Vinton C. Green of Pittsford and Irene M. Lane of this place were married in Hillsdale Saturday by Rev. H. D. Henry of the M. E. church. Mr. and Mrs. Green will make their home in Pittsford for the present.

H. L. McGregor and family and Mrs. Lanie Walworth entertained Gilbert Curtis and family, Donald VanFossen and wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson, Carl Horthrop and wife of Jackson Saturday.

J. Russell Sterling of this place and Mary L. Barnes of Hanover were married in Jackson Saturday by Rev. Stone of the Greenwood Avenue M. E. Church. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling intend to make their home for the present on the Doctor's farm at Rawson Ohio.

The secretary of the U. S. treasury at the present time is Andy Mellon who is also head of the prohibition officers of the country. It is said that Andy is worth about forty millions a large percentage of the amount being made out of the brewery business. People who voted for Coolidge in order to keep the country dry will do well to remember that Andy and Cal are good friends, such good friends in fact, that one might suspect they were members of the Urning type which is of interest to the medical profession. Be that as it may, Andy Mellon head of the dry forces collected a great deal of his dough from the brewery business.

West Hoxie

Mrs. Burl Shambaugh was a business visitor in Hillsdale Tuesday.

Margaret and Muriel Shambaugh visited Iris Sutton Tuesday evening

Edward Bloemker and Clyde Sprague were in Pioneer Ohio Sunday.

Mrs. E. L. Sprague, Clyde and Mildred Sprague also Mary Wysong called at the Bloemker home Sunday evening.

Roy Householder visited at the home of Wm Bloemker Saturday and Sunday. He and Iris Sutton visited friends in Frontier and Camden.

Clyde Sprague took his nephews Charles and Lawrence Sprague to their home in Tontogany Ohio. The youngsters have been visiting here for some time.

Jack McCurry and family of Toledo Ohio visited at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Sprague over Decoration day, They took Ervin and Don Sprague back to their home in Ohio.

A farewell party was given Ray Haines and wife Monday evening. Cards and visiting were the diversions of the evening. A delicious pot luck dinner was served at twelve o'clock and an appropriate gift was given the host and hostess. They are moving to a farm near the Buck school.

Jonesville

Mrs. Mary Weston spent the week end in Mosherville.

C. C. Rodam of Lansing was at home from Friday until Monday.

Presbyterian Coffee this Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. S Varnum.

Frank Gage and family were guests at the Roy Howard home Memorial day.

Dr. Kenneth Espie and family of Kalamazoo spent the week end with friends here.

Charles Sangster and family of Detroit were visitors this week at the L. E. Swan home.

Mrs. Mary Tucker is in Chicago for two weeks. the guest of her friend Mrs. Mary Rice.

Mrs. Eddeva Davis of Ann Arbor is spending the week at the Richard Varnum home here.

Mrs. Wm French who has been ill for some time passed away Monday at the home of her daughter Mrs. Chester Carr.

Clyde Graves and Arlington Rodlam attended the automobile races in Indianapolis last Saturday.

Jay Wisner and wife of Toledo and Clarence House and wife of Jackson were guests of Mrs. Olive Wisner last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Dupont of Detroit and Earnest Howard and wife of Chicago were here during the week to see their mother Mrs. C. V. Burnett.

Mrs. Ralph Force who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at the home of her parents George Dobson and wife West Chicago street is gaining very slowly.

Ed Gray, wife and two children of Battle Creek were visitors Saturday and Sunday at the home of his brother Lewis Gray and family on Reading avenue.

Center Adams

Mrs. Lee Dewey visited relatives at Locust Corners on Sunday.

R. F. Hamby and wife of Detroit were guests of R. H. Wyman and wife on Sunday.

L. E. Chase and family were Sunday visitors at the George Lapham home near Frontier.

Henry Marlowe and wife of Toledo were over Sunday visitors at the Frank Dewey home.

Mrs. Lewis Miller and son Dale of Dearborn came Friday for a week's visit at the E. S. Gray home

T. H. Tierney and family of Toledo visited over the week end with their parents Eugene McBain and wife.

Wayne Shufelt of North Adams spent Friday and Saturday with Fred and Clifford Miller at the J. R. Dewey home.

Charles Rowse and lady friend of Indianapolis Indiana spent Sunday evening with his cousin Mrs. Nathan Webster and family.

Messrs. Harry Foust and Nathan Webster and their families and Will Keith and daughter Bernice attended Memorial services at the Evergreen cemetery near Ransom last Sunday.

Herchal Turner and wife of Wauseon Ohio, Mrs. Harry Bates and son of Oakshade Ohio, Claude Davis and family of Clayton and Will Driscoll of Toledo were visitors at the home of J. H. Gordon and wife on Saturday.

Central Moscow

Paul Shepard has returned to his work at the Great Lakes.

Lee Kies of Jackson is home for an indefinite time at Chas Kies.

Lucile Carpenter McDonald and family visited her parents the week end.

Homer Sturtevant, Max and Ruth VanCamp visited at John Adams Sunday.

Bernie Brail and wife of Pulaski visited her aunt Mrs. John Adams Monday.

Mrs. Phin Langdon and daughter of Jonesville called on her brother Ellery Friday.

Frank Hackett and wife of Pittsford visited her sister Mrs. Fred Carpenter Sunday.

Esther VanCamp has been staying with her grand mother Mrs. John Adams the past week.

Willard Stone and family and Emmet Richards were callers at the Andrew Richards home Sunday.

John Crapser and daughter Naomi, Charley Leatherman and wife visited the week end at Fort Wayne at Arthur Crapser's.

Mildred Adams and son Don of Fort Wayne and her mother Mrs. Nellie Hardy of Manitou Beach called on Mrs. John Adams decoration.

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Local News

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both one year for the small sum of $2.00 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions from Paris, the best works of Harold Bell Wright, best illustrations, best alhrough.

The Michigan Public Schools

Are now one of our hobbies. For years the legislature of the state has cudgeled its brains to provide funds to erect buildings, buy apparatus and equip our state educational institutions that we may truthfully say "Michigan's school system stands at the head." The late President Burton of the U. of M. durlng his short administration saw to it that Ann Arbor's great seat of learning was enriched by the finest buildings possible to erect. All of these things cost you and I and all of us who pay taxes, a neat sum, but we are not kicking. Let the good work go on and make us the peers of educational work of ths Union.

At present the personnel of Ann Arbor students embraces representatives of Japan, India, China and most of the other Eastern nations. They have come here not because the U. of M. is the largest university, but because in point of clean, moral, lucid instruction, it is de luxe. When these denizens of the Eastern world go home to China, quaint Japan, squalid India and the Isles of the Sea, let it not be said that they shall blush for our morals as a prohibitive nation.

Free Vacation Course in Chicago

The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago each summer offers a free course in methods of Christian work and enrolls enthusiastic students from every section of the country. Pastors, evangelists teachers, missionaries directors of religious education, deaconesses and christian workers of all classes find inspiration in hearing the lectures of the Institute faculty and notable visiting specialists

This year's course is scheduled for July 7th to 31st, and besides the faculty, the following distinguished men will lecture: Rev. William P. White San Francisco; Rev. Leander Keyser, Springfield Ohio; Rev. Thornton Whaling Louisville, Kentucky; Rev. Victor Masters, Louisville, Kentucky; and others.

Our Thirtieth Year

THIS issue of the Advocate begins the Thirtieth Year of our existence as a purveyor of news to the village of North Adams and the surrounding country.

During the twenty-nine years of the Advocate's existence there have been some shadows as well as some high lights. Mr. Frank Boyd, former owner of this plant, used to say that he believed there was just one trade which was more disagreeable than newspaper work, and that was the undertaking business, but it seems to us there are several. We say frankly, we enjoy it, but there are lots of difficulties. During the life of our paper, it has moved twice, burned completely once, and been replaced. So much for its history,

Advertising patronage has been only medium but the printing department has been very busy, and we find as time progresses, it continues to increase. Of course it is well understood, perhaps that in small plants there is a constant interference between the two, yet by hard conscientious work this must be eliminated. We have been obliged, in spite of fatigue, to put in long hours and sleepless nights, for the past two years, and such is expected. We lost considerable money on February 8th, 1923, but we're not complaining. As to criticisms on the management of this paper—we get them, but its little we care about such foolcraft. If we should consent to lay down our temperance principles or our anti-jingo attitude because of dollars, (as some do) then it would be time to criticise. We thank, you one and all.

For Sale

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If your receipt says your time on the Advocate has expired, cal in and renew.

Township Health Committee

The State Department of Health has recently completed the organization of a health committee in the county to assist the department in looking after the health conditions of the county and to disseminate information, particularly such as will be provided under the Shepard-Towner bill. The committee is as follows:

County chair'n, Mrs Viola Moore
Treasurer—Mrs. D W. Ward
Sec'y—Mrs. Violetta Hagaman

TOWNSHIP CHAIRMEN

Adams—Mrs. Eva Overley
Amboy—Mrs. Will Drake
Allen—Mrs. Lula Condra
Cambria—Mrs, Verna Armstrong
Camden—Mrs. Clyde Adams
Fayette—Miss Jane Burnett
Hillsdale—Mrs. Elmer Hagaman
Hillsdale City Agnes Veeder
Jefferson—Gianetta Perrin
Litchfield Mrs. Chas Benedict
Moscow—Mrs. Arlie Rice
Pittsford—Mrs. Clark Eldredge
Ransom—Mrs. Dr. Hanke
Reading—Mrs. Fred McCain
Somerset—Mary Smith
Scipio—Susie Weston
Wheat and—Mrs. E Ellsworth
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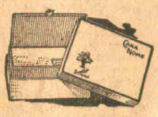

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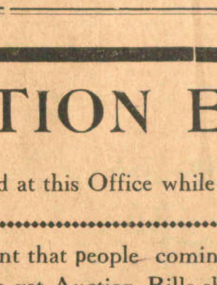
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The principal question now is why does electricity cost so much? The answer is plain; most of it is the product of the steam plant, hence the high cost of manufacture Coal is expensive and its efficiency not fully developed. In sections where water power furnishes the necessary current, the cost is much lighter. We have in mind the electric system of Marshall, Michigan, generated entirely by turbines run by a dam on the Kalamazoo river. Electricity should be considerably cheaper in Marshall than in North Adams. On the best farms in this section of Hillsdale County will be found the private plant, but these have their drawbacks, it is true. One of the worst features of the private plant is probably its short-lived batteries and no expert help on the farm to repair its complicated machinery. The overhead also mounts up on these plants. Southern Michigan is soon going to be honeycombed with these lines and every farm will be in the circuit, so that the individual plant will not be as cheap or as practical.

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Local News

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Mary Freitag was a week end guest at her home in Jackson.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

The Hoxie Aid will meet with Mrs. Will Smith Thursday June 18 pot luck supper.

Miss Murel Owen returned the first of the week from a visit with friends in Chicago.

George Combs was in Jackson visiting Seymour Combs and family over the week end.

A. H. Morseman of Tipton is a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Bert Kempton, and husband.

Dr. McFarland has widened his garage and is now re:painting his house and penciling the brick work.

—Potatoes for sale—Russets and Petoskey Golden Russets. Percy Wells. Phone 802 North Adams 1t3

The Friendship Club will meet with Mrs. Caswell Friday, June 19th, for an afternoon meeting.

Pauline Wells and her grandfather Lamb visited the first of the week with relatives in Columbus Ohio.

At the Methodist Sunday school Snuday morning last several promotion certificates were bestowed upon pupils.

Children's Day which was to have been held June 14th has been postponed until June 21st with exercises at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Minnie Chadwick of Detroit and her two aunts, Mesdames Mallory and Schell, of Jonesville, spent Wednesday at the home of H. W. Helmick and wife.

Mrs. H. G. Hayhoe and daughter Margray are visiting at the home of the formers sister Mrs. Edith Grant of Chicago, they expect to be away two weeks.

The Postoffice Department at Washington, D. C, has called for sealed bids for carrying the United States mails between the post office and New York Central depot in this village.

Carl Tallada, Edgar Purcell, George Hayhoe, Ellsworth Sprague Henry Porter with their families spent Tuesday evening with Ray Haines and family in their new home on the Williams farm. The ladies served ice cream and cake.

The Birthday Club met on Tuesday, June 9th, at the home of Mrs. Thos. Caldwell (nee Majorgia Knowles) at Springport in Jackson county, to the number of about 20. A splendid social time with a picnic dinner at noon is reported.

The school board at Onsted where the school house recently burned, have been trying to agitate a movement to consolidate the outlying districts but as yet the effort is fruitless. School patrons of the districts almost to a man, have turned down the proposition.

Last week Mrs. George Holcomb received from her brother. William Schilling and wife at Glendale California, a box of beautiful everlasting flowers to be used on the dining tables at the Schilling family reunion which will be held at the Hillsdale fair grounds on Saturday, June 13th, 1925.

Dr. Stafsteth and J. A. Hannah from the Michigan Agricultural College will be in North Adams all day on Thursday, June 18th to give talks on the diseases and culling of poultry. Anyone having diseased poultry are welcome to bring it in and have it tested. Meeting on the lawn of Dr. Caswell.

Alpha Chapter, No. 288, O. E. S. entertained Moscow chapter, No. 166, Tuesday evening. The visitors conferred degrees upon Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ford. A fine program was given and a social hour followed. A fine two-course dinner was served to about 150. Visitors were present from several chapters in the county, and a fine time was enjoyed by all present.

Shadukiam Grotto of Detroit will put on a grand spectacle fifteen evenings from June 27 to July 11, at the State Fair grounds in Detroit. This is a grand panorama of "Cleopatra" Queen of Egypt, and will be supplemented by gigantic scenery and the best fireworks money can buy. Geo. Brookins is now in Detroit arranging for the spectacle which is called "The Awakening."

At the recent 7th grade examinations held at Hillsdale the following from this vicinity passed: North Adams; Vivan Bemis, Ivan Draper, Ernestine Gobel, Muriel Shambaugh Robert Simmonds, Phoebe Welker, Ethel Steveson, Ruth Snyder. Moscow, Virginia Carpenter, George Bascom, Margaret Petrie, John Truitt, Vivian Richards. Jerome; Amy Griest. Anna Huyt, Ruth Marvin, Cecile Rutan, Ruby Shock.

Mrs. Etta Pray spent the week end at her home in Jonesville.

J. M. Williams was in Grand Rapids last week on business.

Roy Johnston of Cement City spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. Edna Hewitt has been spending the week with friends in Albion.

Mrs. Carrie Scoville is in Ann Arbor being treated at the U. of M. Hospital.

Mrs. Harriet Weeks and daughter Frances, were home from Ypsilanti over Sunday.

Clyde Haskell and wife of Toledo were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Catharine Tiffany.

Glenn Huff and family of Jackson were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Kittie Huff, at the home of C. J. Knapp.

Art Calhoun and wife and E. C. Williams ahd wife were in Coldwater on Saturday to attend the U. T. C. convention.

A special meeting of Alpha Chapter, No. 288, O. E. S., will be held on Wednesday evening, June 17th. It is expected that Sister Elizabeth Webster, Grand Conductress of Battle Creek will be present and conduct a school of instruction. Light refreshments will be served and a good attendance is hoped for.

Those from away who attended the funeral of Joseph Beecher on Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. Will McGregor and son, Buel, Geo. McGregor and wife all of Mt. Pleasant, Frank Crego and wife of Ionia; Dr. and Mrs. Powers of Lansing; a niece from Owosso; Mrs. Vira Pierson and Samuel and Jas. McGregor and sister, Sadie, of Reading; Arch Branch of Somerset,

A goodly number from this village motored to Hillsdale on Sunday morning to attend the Baccalaureate exercises as follows: Mrs. E. C. Williams, Mrs Edna Robins, Clark Pierce, Rosene Baker, Margray Hayhoe, Earl Williams, Theron Kandolph, Roland Randolph and wife. Arthur Stevens, wife and son. Faye, Howard Williams and family, Fred Rumsey and family, Fred Wisner and mother, C. N. Williams and wife, Fred Randolph and children and Miss Loucetta Randolph of Detroit.

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Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30. At this time the pastor will preach the first of a series of sermons on "Pictures That Preach." The one for Sunday morning "The Angelus" The aim in giving this series of talks is to give people a bigger and better appreciation of some of the best pictures. Sunday school convenes at the close of this service. Everyone welcome at all services. Feel your responsibility at your places on Sunday morning. Remember when you are absent, your pew is vacant.

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Sunday school 11:45
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Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Village Taxes

Village Taxes are now due and may be paid at office of Treasurer.

F. W. Payne.
Village Treasurer.

June 1st 1925. 1t2

The Baccalaureate Address

On Sunday evening at the Congregational church Rev. Virgil Hunt delivered to the large Senior class of fourteen members the baccalaureate sermon. The class marched in and took their places in the front seats and Supt. Young and T. N. Lamb took their places on each side of Rev. Hunt. Mr. Lamb read the Scripture and Supt. Young offered a touching prayer. Howard Haskell rendered a violin solo, Jean Young sang a solo and Mrs. Hunt also rendered a solo.

Rev. Hunt called attention to the fact that he had singled out at least two young men in the class whom he believed were natural leaders of men, and who could not fail to make their mark in the world. He also said there was an exceedingly bright future for every member. He stressed the value of self help in educational matters, and urged the importance of higher ideal and education. He said the raw material was becoming scarcer and scarcer, and he asked the pointed question: "Have you recently seen a totally uneducated man?" The question answers itself. In this part of the country such cases are exceedingly rare and as to knowing your particular bent—"there is no wrong cue" he said. "You'll kuow if you are called for any particular line or profession." He said the Class of 1925 were only four years behind himself on the great ladder of progressive schools. It is seldom that a graduating class is composed of an equal number of boys and girls. The meeting closed by the congregation joining in singing "America."

Annual Commencement

The 1925 Commencement exercises occurred on Thursday evening at Community Hall in North Adams and the 14 young people that constitute the class marched in to music of L'Amoreaux Orchestra of Hillsdale and took their places on the rostrum of the hall which was prettily decorated for the occasion. The remarkable incident of this season is there are an equal number of boys aud girls. Invocation was pronounced by Rev. Virgil Hunt of the Congregational church.

Frances W. Young, salutatorian of the Class gave a well rendered discourse on character; the orchestra played a selection after which the Valedictorian Theron G. Randolph gave his oration, "Climb, Though the Rocks be Rugged" which also was the class motto. Mr. Randolph exhorted his classmates to higher things in life and called their attention to the fact that only by laborious study can the young person hope to attain the goal.

The address of the evening was delivered by President D. B. Waldo of Kalamazoo Normal College one of the most meritorious men in the country in Normal work. The address was listened to with interest by the crowded audience. The class song was rendered and Superintendent R. C. Young feelingly presented the diplomas to the class which he had trained and in whom his best wishes are vested. Rev. Virgil Hunt pronounced the benediction and the finale rendered by the orchestra brought to a close the school year of 1925 with graduates to receive their sheepskins as follows: Naomi E. Crapser, Ralph C. Wolcott Charlotte M. Lane, Clarence Hoffman. Everett A. Westcott, Ethel Louise Bohn, Paul N. Wells, Myrtle O. Rogers, M. Bernard Shaw, Thelma Davis Brooks, J. W. Lynch Frances W Young, Theron G. Randolph, Genevieve J. Roberts.

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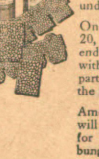

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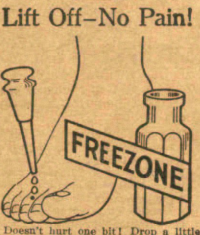

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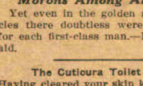

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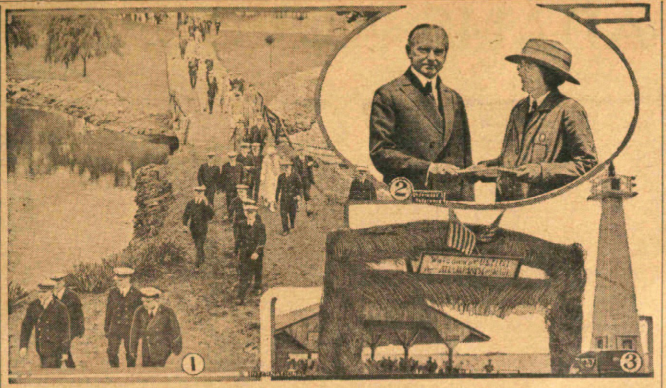

1—Annapolis cadets showing fair visitors over the Naval academy during "June Week." 2—Miss Fordham Webster of Lexington, Mass., inviting President Coolidge to attend the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Lexington. 3—Arch of welcome to the American fleet erected by the Japanese of Lahaina, Hawaiian Islands.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Shanghai Riots Start Anti-Foreign Movement That Spreads Over China.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

CHINA is again the cause of acute worry for the foreign powers that interest themselves particularly in that vast and distracted country. The trouble this time is located at Shanghai, and as is so often the case these days, it is laid at the doors of Bolshevik agitators. Starting with a riotous demonstration by Chinese students, it has brought about the landing of armed forces from the warships of several foreign nations. This has resulted in a great outburst of anti-foreign sentiment in all the large cities and it is not beyond the bounds of possibility that some of the scenes of the Boxer war may be repeated.

The Shanghai students were demonstrating against the sentencing of some of their comrades for their part in a strike in Japanese-owned cotton mills and came into conflict with the British Sikh police, who guard the international settlement. The police arrested the leaders of the parade and the crowd stormed the police station. Thereupon the Sikhs opened fire, killing ten students and wounding many others. This gave the rioting a fine start and there was continual fighting for several days in which the local defense organizations of the international settlement took part. American, British and Italian blue jackets were landed at both Shanghai and Canton, and Consul General Cunningham asked that more war vessels be sent.

Native Red agitators were active in the cities, stirring up the coolies, and they induced thousands of workers to strike. In Shanghai the foreigners looked after the food supplies and the necessary industries, such as telephone, light and power. All banks and shops were closed. While the students there quieted down, those in Peking formed a huge anti-foreign parade and marched to the residence of Tuan Chi-jui, provisional president, where they demanded the resignation of the minister of education. They went next to the foreign office and presented eight demands, including the revocation of treaties, the abolition of extra-territoriality and the punishment of the Sikh police. The government already had protested to the diplomatic corps against the action of the Sikhs and sent two commissioners to Shanghai to investigate the affair. Correspondents thought it was seeking to unite all political factions against the foreigners. They said it was probable Chang Tso-lin, the Manchurian war lord, would now recognize the government, considering the present cabinet incapable of handling the situation. It was believed Liang Shi-yi would be made premier and Dr. C. T. Wang foreign minister.

While the whole affair may blow over, there is the danger that when the news of it reaches the interior there may be a wholesale massacre of foreigners who are beyond the reach of immediate protection.

LIQUOR smugglers of the Atlantic coast are resorting to desperate measures since the rum row off New York was dispersed by the coast guard. They have given out the announcement that they will have a large number of very speedy power boats and that these will be armored and equipped with machine guns. This probably is largely bluff, designed to frighten the coast guardsmen into quitting the service, and it is said a good many of the force is resigning or declining to re-enlist. Meanwhile a new rum row of fully a score of vessels has formed 22 miles off Boston harbor and Cape Ann, and Commander Uberroth, division chief of the coast guard, has called on Washington to send him reinforcements.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews, reading with satisfaction Admiral Billard's report on what has been accomplished to date, said the coast guard had not yet really begun to fight and that as yet there had been only "a preliminary skirmish to uncover the strength and resources of the enemy."

Dry forces in the Illinois legislature scored a double victory over the wets. They defeated a bill to repeal the state prohibition law, with provision for a referendum, and then advanced a bill to create a state prohibition bureau in the attorney general's office.

WITH the expiration of the two weeks specified by Captain Amundsen before he started on his attempt to fly to the North pole, the Norwegian government put into operation its plans for relief expeditions. It was announced that an official party in two hydroairplanes would patrol the districts north and east of Spitzbergen; that a French party headed by M. Charcot, a noted explorer, would search the east Greenland area, and that the Norwegian Aero club also might send out an expedition. The three expeditions were to co-operate.

A tragic incident of the polar adventure is the death in Florence, Italy, of James W. Ellsworth, the wealthy American capitalist and art collector, whose son Lincoln went with Amundsen. The elder Ellsworth financed the North pole expedition. It was thought his death was hastened by anxiety over his son's fate.

AMONG the decisions handed down by the Supreme Court of the United States last week were two of vast importance to business. In reversing decrees of lower courts directed against the Maple Flooring Manufacturing association and the Cement Manufacturers' association, the court held that the gathering and dissemination of information by trade associations on costs, prices, production and stocks do not necessarily constitute a restraint of trade in violation of the anti-trust laws. This, as was pointed out by Justice Stone who wrote the decision, is provided the associations do not reach or attempt to reach any agreement or concerted action with respect to prices or production or restraining competition. Chief Justice Taft and Associate Justices McReynolds and Sanford dissented, believing these specific cases "disclose carefully developed plans to cut down normal competition." Criminal indictments against members of the flooring association, voted two years ago in Grand Rapids, Mich., are still pending. About six hundred trade associations are affected by the Supreme court's ruling.

IN ANOTHER decision the Supreme court declared unconstitutional the Oregon law prescribing that children between the ages of eight and sixteen years must be educated in the public schools. The fight against the law was made by a Catholic educational institution and a military academy. The decision of the court was unanimous and said in part:

"The child is not the mere creature of the state. Those who nurture him and direct his destiny have the right coupled with the high duty to recognize and prepare him for additional obligations. We think it is entirely plain that the Oregon act of 1922 unreasonably interferes with the liberty of parents and guardians to direct the upbringing and education of children under their control.

"As often heretofore pointed out, rights guaranteed by the Constitution may not be abridged by legislation which has no reasonable relation to some purpose within the competency of the state. The fundamental theory of liberty on which all governments in this Union repose excludes any general power of the state to standardize its children by forcing them to accept instruction from public teachers only."

OF GREAT interest to the financial world, and so indirectly to everyone, is the plan announced for the reorganization of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, which has been in the hands of receivers since March 18. The plan, which has been approved by the several protective committees representing the holders of the bonds and stocks of the company, provides for an exchange of more than $464,000,000 in securities, makes possible the liquidation or funding of all the short term debt of the road including government loans and involves an assessment of $28 a share on the preferred stock and $32 a share on the common stock. The reorganization will not disturb the general mortgage bonds of the railway company, the divisional mortgages, the equipment trusts; or the guaranteed issues, namely those of the Chicago, Terre Haute & Southeastern Railway company (operated under lease) and of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Gary Railway company.

According to one expert, the program "will enable prompt reconstruction of the property, relieve the road of pressing obligations and prevent a prolonged receivership, with the consequences of controversies and loss of business because of inadequate resources and constructive policies. But the plan will not greatly alter the capital structure and it does not bring the prospect of dividends any nearer to the stockholders. In this respect, the reorganization managers appear to be willing to let the future decide."

THOSE who have been seeking to use the President for advertising purposes, and they are many, received a setback last week when Mr. Coolidge declined to be starred in a film that is being made with the co-operation of the navy authorities. It was planned that the President should be photographed in the act of handing a diploma of the Naval academy to a movie actor, but as has been said he refused. However, he was present at the graduating exercises at Annapolis and made an address to the class of 1925. He made a strong plea and argument for national defense and preparedness, asking that every citizen be a potential soldier to back up a comparatively small army and navy. At the same time he denounced jingoism and declared there was no justification at this time for assertions that other specified powers are arming against us, thus arousing national suspicion and hatred.

GERMANY has received the note from the allies specifying the instances in which she has failed to comply with the disarmament clauses of the treaty of Versailles, as a result of which the allies declined to evacuate the Cologne bridgehead. She was not pleased with the note, of course, but it was said the government's reply would contain a promise to keep all its pledges. France also answered Germany's proposals for a security pact, her note being conciliatory but firm in the matter of protection for her allies on the eastern German frontier.

PROGRESS toward the funding of the Italian debt to America is reported to be quite satisfactory, though no details of the suggested terms have been made public. It was announced that J. P. Morgan & Co. have extended a loan of $50,000,000 to Italy to stabilize the lire. This is a step of great importance and had its effect on all bourses. Finance Minister de Stefani told the Italian chamber that the national budget was safely balanced, despite heavy appropriations for the army and for public works.

THE crisis in the war against the Riffians has not yet been reached, and both sides seemingly put in the week preparing for more decisive operations. Abd-el-Krim, it was said, was planning to concentrate all his effectives against the French, withdrawing from the Spanish zone. Both the French and Spanish are using bombing planes with telling effect.

SELDOM has there been such general and spontaneous mourning over a man's death as in the case of Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana, vice president of the United States during Mr. Wilson's two administrations. He passed away during a visit in Washington, and was buried at Indianapolis. The President and innumerable other government officials and members of the diplomatic corps attended the services in the national capital. Aside from his admitted ability, Mr. Marshall was notable for the genuine affection in which he was held by all who knew him. His keen sense of humor, his sparkling wit and manner of plain speaking, his kindly philosophy and his fidelity to his friends made him for years one of the most interesting figures in American public life. Always he held to his simple Christian faith.

SECRETARY OF WAR WEEKS underwent an operation in a Boston hospital recently, and since then his condition has caused a great deal of anxiety. The physicians admit it is not satisfactory, though they declare there is no immediate cause for alarm.

Divorces Man Lacking Interest in Psychology

Los Angeles.—Robert M. Flynn was not strong at "psychology and advanced thought," but he enjoyed a good scrap, according to his wife, Martha Flynn, who obtained a divorce from him on cruelty charges after a hearing before Judge Summerfield.

"Judge, I am a woman of intense mental activity, a professor of psychology and a student of advanced thought," Mrs. Flynn enlightened the court. "I can converse intelligently and fluently upon these and a host of other topics, and I enjoy doing so.

"To my remarks he would return only a tolerant smile, listening to me quietly and puffing away at a pipe.

"The only mental animation on his part that I can recall resulted from an episode that I remember with the deepest humiliation. My husband's sister, a woman, I may state, of small enlightenment, lost her temper with me over some trifle and proceeded to attack me.

"Mr. Flynn sat there in his chair and guffawed and applauded, but not raising a hand in my defense."

One Day Only

Two Lancashire women were discussing a visit to their town of Galli-Curci. Said one: "They do tell me as 'ow she 'ad nearly a thousand pounds for singing that one afternoon." Answered the other: "Aye, but you 'ave to remember that she's not in regular work."—London Passing Show.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Detroit—Receivers for the D. U. R., the Security Trust company and Joseph W. Simard, have filed in federal court a petition for permission to issue $1,600,000 of receiver's certificates for needed improvements.

Monroe—At a meeting of the city commission recently, Harold C. Nadeau, tendered his resignation as city attorney, claiming work interferes with his private practice. Nadeau has held the position since the first of the year.

Lansing—Charging that Clinton county officers had failed to keep an agreement to close dance halls in their county on Sundays, Sheriff Hugh Sibley announced that he would lift the ban on Sunday dancing in Ingham county.

Owosso—The Ann Arbor railroad has been sold to the Wabash railroad, according to an official announcement made here by J. E. Tussig, of St. Louis, president of the Wabash The sale, he said, is subject to the approval of the interstate commerce commission.

Battle Creek—A temporary injunction restraining Charles Meade, reported to be a former drain commissioner, and others, under $10,000 penalty, from tampering with or in any way attempting to lower the level of Goguac lake has been issued by Circuit Judge Walter H. North.

Battle Creek—Urbandale, the suburb founded by the late Senator James Henry, has become so large that the erection of a high school building to supplement a fine grade school is contemplated. By fall over 500 children will have to be cared for and the plan now awaiting official approval is to add a tenth, eleventh and twelfth grades to the suburb's school system.

White Cloud—On the eve of a contemplated visit of the jury, in the retrial of Mrs. Alice Dudgeon and her son, Lee, to the alleged scene of the murder of Mrs. Dudgeon's son-in-law, Romie Hodell, the abandoned homestead burned last week. A mass of ashes was all that was left of the dilapidated building in which western Michigan's most sensational crime is alleged to have been committed.

Monroe—With assurances received that the state intends to straighten out trunk line 65 from the village of Ida, and construct an extension from this road in Monroe county, county road commissioners of Monroe adopted a resolution concurring in the determination of the state highway department, deputy commissioner and chief engineer. A copy of the resolution was forwarded to the state highway department.

Detroit—Ross Schram has been ousted as general manager of the Detroit Street Railways by the Street Railway Commission, which immediately appointed H. U. Wallace of Knoxville, Tenn., as Schram's successor. Wallace, who has been assistant general manager and active head of the Knoxville Light & Power company, since January, 1924, has had 30 years' experience in railroading and engineering.

Detroit—Michigan state troopers are to occupy Young's club, on Clinton River Point, Macomb county, as a barracks. The place was padlocked recently for violation of the prohibition law, and this was probably the reason why the owners were willing to rent it to the state police for $30 a month. Allan Straight, commissioner of public safety, petitioned Judge Charles C. Simons to take off the padlock and allow his department to use the place. The judge consented.

Lansing—As part of the projected development in Detroit, on which nearly $10,000,000 additional will be spent from May 1 to October 31, this year, the Detroit Edison company has asked the Michigan public utilities commission for authority to issue $8,000,000 bonds. The program planned for these five months contemplates the expenditure of $1,445,600 on new business in immediate vicinity and practically all of the remainder in improving its present facilities to care for new business.

Lansing—John Baird, director of the State Department of Conservation, has ordered game wardens at Reed City to arrest Frank Collins, a wealthy land owner the next time they find Collins fishing the trout stream that traverses his own property. Collins faces arrest under a statute which prohibits fishing in publicly planted streams unless such streams are open to the public. The law was enacted because property owners after receiving trout fry for planting in public waters were constantly posting those waters and so turning the state-hatched fry to their own exclusive use.

Grand Rapids—The first attempt by Betty Billings, 14-year-old daughter of Robert E. Billings, to drive an automobile, ended tragically when William Davies, 15 years old, son of Owen P. Davies, a real estate dealer, one of her instructors, was killed and her three companions and herself were injured. When she lost control of the car, the rear wheel slid from the road near Cascade, eight miles east of Grand Rapids, and before Miss Billings could bring the automobile back to the highway, it rolled over.

Ypsilanti—Three students were treated in the Meyer Memorial Hospital here as the result of a riot between pupils of the Michigan State Normal College and the University of Michigan. It capped mutual ill will of several weeks' standing between students of the two schools and was the most rousing free-for-all fight ever staged in this town. The fight lasted more than half an hour. More than 300 students engaged in it with fists, clubs, paddles and bricks. The Ypsilanti police were utterly incapable of doing a thing.

Grand Rapids—J. R. Bury of Ann Arbor is the new president of the Michigan State Association of Letter Carriers, which has completed its annual convention here. Winn Powers, Jackson, was named president of the Michigan Federation of Post Office Clerks, whose meeting was held with that of the letter carirers.

Mt. Clemens—Lake St. Clair has yielded up the body of Wilburt Follick, Detroit, who was drowned November 16 last off Huron Ponit. Louis Stier, also of Detroit, was with Follick at the time. They went out in a duck boat for a day's shooting against the advice of experienced hunters, as the day was stormy with a big sea.

Detroit—The Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Co. will open its new tourist and commercial line between Detroit and Chicago, via Mackinac Island and St. Ignace, on June 25, A. A. Schantz, president and general manager announced. The steamers Eastern States and Western States, recently remodelled, have been designated for this run.

Iron Mountain—A beauty queen from every county in the upper peninsula and two counties in northern Wisconsin are to be named at the Dickinson county fair in September. The sum of $400 has been set aside for the feature. From the group the queen of all the counties will be picked. The reward will be a trip to Atlantic City or Miami, Fla.

Lansing—The number of bus lines operating under the jurisdiction of Michigan railway companies is expected to increase greatly during the coming year, in spite of the fact that the Karcher Bill, which would have permitted steam and electric railway companies to institute interurban bus service without recourse to the Public Utilities Commission, has been vetoed.

Sturgis—An old stage coach barn, built over 80 years ago and the oldest relic of pioneer days to be found in Sturgis, is being dismantled and the lumber will be used in erecting a barn on a farm near this city. Back in the early 80s the barn, and a tavern, which joined it on the front were overnight stopping places for the stage line that operated over the Chicago road west from Detroit.

Lansing—The stork made a better record in Michigan during 1924 than in 1923, figures obtained from Washington show. In 25 states which the government selected to investigate, only 16 showed an increase. In Michigan the birthrate per 1,000 population increased from 23.4 in 1923 to 24.1 in 1924. The infant mortality rate decreased from 80.3 deaths in 1,000 births in '23 to 72.2 in '24.

Detroit—Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck, Charles Beecher Warren, former United States ambassador to Japan and Mexico, Frank L. Mulholland, former president of the International Rotary Clubs and scores of other University of Michigan alumni of national and international fame will be among the guests at the three-day convention of the National Association of University of Michigan Clubs, to be opened in Detroit, June 10.

Detroit—Six men in a big touring car crowded Henry Gattner, president of the Michigan Refining Co., driving a smaller car to the curb, and took from him a bag containing $3,000 in cash and the same amount in checks. He was on his way to the bank. With Gattner was Clarence Lehr, an attorney. One of the bandits stepped into the car in which Gattner and Lehr had been, and drove it away after his companions.

Wayland—Clarence Marsh, 18 years old, died in the Allegan hospital after being nearly roasted to death under a pile of hot coal cinders. With a small group of laborers the youth was engaged in the unloading of cinders of a steel gondola car which had just arrived from the Pennsylvania railroad company's roundhouse at Grand Rapids When the dumping apparatus failed to function the boy clambered inside to force the cinders through the opening.

Cadillac—When the fire department was making the run to the home of P. A Wolfe, recently, an amusing delay occurred. A citizen stood on the porch of his home and waved his arm as the fire trucks neared the location of the box that had been pulled. The firemen supposed the man was directing them to the scene of the blaze and stopped, only to have the semaphoric gentleman blandly inquire "Where's the fire?"

Lansing—May is the month for measles, according to reports from the Michigan Department of Health. Of the 5,345 cases reported up to the present time this year, 2,215 have occurred during the first 28 days of May, or nearly 41 per cent of the total. The spring months appear to be most favorable for outbreaks of measles. The close of school for the summer vacation is significant in the decrease of this disease each year, as well as other communicable diseases.

Ann Arbor—Unexplored regions north and west of Greenland will be the goal of Dr Walter N. Koelz, of the bureau of fisheries, who has just received word that he has been chosen as ichthyologist on the National Geographic Society navy expedition this summer which will be led by Capt. Donald MacMillan, Arctic explorer. Dr. Koelz, who received his PhD from the University in 1917, has been scientific investigator for the United States Bureau of Fisheries at the zoological department since that time.

Muskegon—Pigeon Hill, most prominent of sand dunes along the west shore line, is to be chopped into if plans announced by Robert Ferguson, land owner, officials of the Pere Marquette railroad and Nugent Sand company, materialize. According to the announcement, more than a quarter of the hill will be leveled and fitted for a residential district. All dunes between the hill and the government channel connecting Muskegon lake and Lake Michigan will be levelled and prepared for a building program, it was said.

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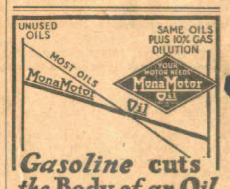

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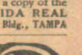

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How Radio Helps American Farmer

How the radio is helping the farmer and his family to farm better, live better and sell better is being impressed every day upon Samuel R. Guard, Director of the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, in letters he receives from farm listeners-in on WLS, the Sears-Roebuck station, Chicago. How WLS, which has become known as the "voice of the farm," is reaching most isolated points is indicated from a message from Kirley, South Dakota, from a farmer 50 miles from the railroad and 15 miles from a telephone. He tells of the aid the market and weather reports have given him in his farm work. Another farmer of Bureau county, Illinois, tells how WLS service enabled him at the last minute to save $75 on a single shipment of hogs.

From far and wide come communications to Mr. Guard of the commercial benefit of the Foundation's station reports and educational talks by agricultural experts. The farm service of WLS starts at 9 o'clock in the morning and is continued throughout the day until 6 p. m. The earliest and very latest information on live stock, crops and weather conditions are broadcast to rural America, and at night, when the farmer is at his fireside, he listens to educational talks on every phase of farming by men who are in a position to give him the information and advice which enable him to help himself.

The practical value of radio to the American farmer cannot be overestimated," said Mr. Guard. "Not only does WLS, the farm station of America, assist the farmer in a practical way, but it helps the farmer's wife and the farmer's children in their Boys' and Girls' club work. The Homemakers' Hour, a daily feature of the station, gives the farm woman just what she wants to know and furnishes entertainment for the entire family."

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A few months ago, we are told, a well dressed man walked into a New York jewelry store and bought a beautiful pearl paying for it $5,000 in real money. A few days later this same man came back. "My wife is in ecstasies over that pearl," he told the merchant. "She wants another just like it."

"How badly does she want it?" asked the jeweler. "Pearls of that grade are very rare, hard to find and, for purposes of matching, very expensive."

After talking over the price and the quality of the pearl the customer finally agreed to pay the jeweler $17,500 if he would match the one he had already bought.

A few days later a stranger with a pearl which, as nearly as the jeweler could remember, matched the one he had first sold, drifted into the store. The stranger was not anxious to sell his pearl but when the jeweler offered him $15,000 for it he could not resist. With visions of his $2,500 profit, the jeweler handed over the money for the pearl, which he locked away in his safe.

He promptly notified his customer of his find, but the latter was strangely unresponsive; indeed he seemed to have removed from the address he had given the jeweler.

Gradually the jeweler began to see a great light; he had bought back the original pearl and given the well dressed customer a $10,000 profit on the transaction—fallen a victim to a swindle several hundred years old. Yes, it happened in New York, where they are supposed to know it all.

School courses by radio are winning many disciples here, but none more enthusiastic than Fay Stevens of North Adams, who has enrolled in the National RadioFarm School which is broadcast from six stations including WWJ, Detroit, throughout the country. Promptly at 1 p. m. each day the school bell calls its widely scattered scholars to their ten-minute lesson. C. M. Long, Chief of Farm Service of the Blue Valley Creamery Institute, is registrar of the school, and the faculty embraces the greatest array of agricultural experts brought together for any purpose. Hogs is the subject on Mondays, poultry on Tuesdays, dairying Wednesdays, legumes Thursdays, and each Friday is converted into a question box period for the students' farm problems.

A summer conference for ministers and social workers, for the discussion of various community problems, will be held at the M. S. C. from July 20 to 31, during the closing days of the annual summer school at M. S. C. A score of prominent lecturers and rural life leaders, including many from outside the state, have already been booked to appear on the conference program. Dr. Kenyon L. Butterfield, president of the M. S. C., and also of the American Country Association; Prof. E. H. Ryder, director of the summer school at M. S. C.; Dr. Eben Mumford, head of the college sociology department and E. E. Gallup, state supervisor of agricultural education, are prominent local men who are planning the conference.

In Memory of Captain Moses Allen

One hundred years ago Hillsdale county was an unknown, uncharted section of wild land somewhere in the territory of Detroit or Monroe where the red deer and the red der Indian wandered aimlessly from lake to lake and from grove to grove in search of his favorite fish or game, but never remaining at any particular spot long enough to establish himself. Both of these villages had already gained a foothold on the edges of the great unexplored wilderness stretching to the Pacific ocean.

Down the old Indian trail from the east one sunshiny summer came Captain Moses Allen and his family. Dimly through the mist of years we can imagine their great lumbering, covered wagon plunging and rocking over stones and stumps as they forced their way across flowing streams and through magnificant hard wood forests out into open prairie lands which the Indians called Mscoota Siac. Here after great hardships they found a fair land free from timber though interspersed with magnificent oak, hickory, whitewood and elm groves and watered by numerous streams many of which have since disappeared under the demoralizing influence of civilization. It looked good to the experienced eye of Captain Allen and he decided to anchor; he at once went about felling trees to erect his sizable log cabin.

Stories were often told by the family of these early days and how the open doors and windows had to be draped with blankets to turn the wolves, wildcats and other less formidable beasts.

Captain Allen was in Canada at the breaking out of the war of 1812 so that with many other loyal Americans he fell a victim to the British recruiting squad, which drafted him into the hated Tory army, but he deserted at first opportunity to enlist with his countrymen at Detroit under Gen. Hull. Some months later Hull lost his nerve and surrendered this valuable post which had cost the Americans a number of lives and much anxiety. It was a disgraceful episode, a blot on the pages of Michigan's history Hull was maligned as a cowardly rascal and his men taken prisoners with cruel treatment by the English. Captain Allen fully expected to be hung or shot, but his Masonry saved him as it has thousaads, justly and unjustly, and he got away from his captors and shortly afterward we find him at Mscoota Siac in 1827, doing his level best to subdue the raw lands and make history for us. He had brought a number of sheep with him so that his little farm soon assumed rural characteristics. Here he met jovial old Chief Baw Beese of the Pottawattomies, and be it said the family of Moses Allen ever held the deepest respect of the Indians. Not many years later the captain decided to name his community "Allen's Prairie" and such it remains one hundred years later.

If you visit the village of Allen in north-west Hillsdale county you will find the little cemetery where this worthy pioneer lies sleeping and a bronze marker adorns the grave, erected by Daughters of the American Revolution. So far as known the Allens were the first whites to settle in Hillsdale county During the first ten years the Pottawattomies had lodges in the vicinity extending eastward to Baw Beese Lake. The Allen family counted their saddest experience the death of the Indian woman "Wenona" daughter of the chief. She proved unfaithful and murdered her husband. According to Indian customs she had to die at the hands of her husband's brother who came up from the South to execute her. Baw Beese sternly condemned his daughter to death and the execution was duly carried out in spite of the pleas of Mr. and Mrs. Allen who were unwilling spectators of the affair. Tradition does not tell us how Wenona was executed.

Poultry Men Plan New Organization

Certification of baby chicks, in order that purchasers may know the stock they are buying, is one of the chief aims of a newly formed state poultrymen's organization, known as the Michigan Poultry Improvement Association.

Final steps of organization are to be taken at a meeting in Grand Rapids on June 4, according to J. A. Hannah, of East Lansing, secretary of the new body, and extension specialist at M. S. C.

The association is designed as a parent organization under which hatcherymen, certified flock owners and poultrymen interested in breeding birds for show purposes can work harmoniously for the benefit of the poultry industry in the state says Hannah.

The certification work with baby chicks is considered one of the most important activities of the new association. The present plans are said to call for culling and eventually blood testing of all flocks under the supervision of the State Department of Agriculture. Neighboring states are said to have been certifying chicks for several years.

Representatives of the poultry department at the college, the State Department of Agriculture, and hatcherymen themselves will attend the Grand Rapids meeting.

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Announce Winners In Stock Judging

High schools scattered over a wide area were returned winners in the annual judging contests held at the M. S. C. recently in connection with the round up of students in the "Smith Hughes" schools of the state. The Smith Hughes schools are those teaching agriculture and home economics, under the provisions of the act from which they take their name.

More than 1,000 boys and girls attended the conference and took part in the various judging events, which formed an important part of the two day meeting. Sixty five different high schools were represented.

Winners, as announced this week after a careful study of the records submitted, show that Mason high school led in grain judging, with Dansville and Grand Ledge in second and third places. Owosso was number one in stock judging, followed by Mt. Pleasant and Blissfield, in the order named.

The poultry classes found Monroe high in first place, Allegan second, and Hillsdale third. Competition in all groups was said to be unusually keen, due both to the large number of entries and to the high quality of work done.

NEW PLAN FOR FINANCING ELECTRIC LINES TO FARMERS

Eastern Power Company Works Out Table of Alternative Methods, Based on Number of Customers Per Mile — Successful Thus Far

Rates for electric service on the farm that give promise of proving satisfactory to both farmer and power company have been established by the Adirondack Power and Light Corporation of Schenectady, N. Y. These rates, which are not any indication of what may or may not be possible in other sections of the country, seem nevertheless to be a real contribution toward the solution of this pressing question.

In the case of the Adirondack company, the density of population, the character of the country, the kind of farms served and the cost of materials and of line construction have been such that these rates could apply. Such considerations enter into every effort to take electric lines to farms.

The farmer's problem is to get electric service at a cost low enough to make it profitable for him to use it. The utility company's problem is to supply the service at a price that will afford a fair return on the capital invested.

No Disappointments So Far

The Adirondack plan is the culmination of two years' intensive study, and, according to officials of the company, no case has yet been brought to their attention which cannot be taken care of under the provisions of its formula. In fact, the company now stands ready to extend service anywhere within its franchise area. The reply, "We will extend service if so many signatures are sercured," etc., so common with utility companies to inquiries for service, is now changed by the Adirondack Company to, "We will gladly extend service for you, and the terms will be so and so, in accordance with our tariff regulations."

The outstanding feature of the plan, as filed with the New York State Public Service Commission, is a table from which it is an easy matter to determine the terms of any rural extension. This gives the minimum monthly bill and deposit necessary, according to the number of customers per mile. The plan provides for two ways of sharing this expense, a flat minimum monthly bill or a lower minimum monthly bill plus a cash deposit by the customer.

Farms operated by tenants where the owner would hesitate to make a cash payment toward the line, and where the tenant would also be reluctant to make a cash deposit to secure electricity for a farm which he might vacate in a year or so, are expected to favor the minimum bill plan. In the case where the owner occupies the farm, the other plan of a deposit and a lower minimum bill will undoubtedly be favored.

How the Plan Works Out

In explaining this table, John L. Haley, commercial manager of the Adirondack Company, pointed out that where there are eight farmers to the mile desiring electric service, his company would build the line, without cost to the farmer, under terms whereby each farmer would use not less than $3 worth of electricity a month, as explained above. Where there are six farmers to the mile, each farmer would be required to pay a minimum bill of $4 per month or deposit $130 with the company, as part cost of the extension, and thereby assure a minimum bill of $3.

Where there are four farmers to the mile, the minimum bill would be $6, provided the customer does not desire to share in the extension expense. In case he does, there are three ways open to him. He can deposit $130 and accept a minimum bill of $5; deposit $265 and accept a minimum bill of $4; or deposit $400 and his minimum bill will be but $3.

Each farmer's case is treated individually—that is, one farmer in the six-to-a-mile extension can agree to a minimum bill of $4, whereas his neighbor can deposit $130 and have a minimum bill of $3.

City Rates for Farmers

Service supplied to customers from these rural lines will be charged for at the regular city rates. This is another point in which the Adirondack plan differs from others, it being the company's belief that with a low price for energy the farmer can economically use it in large quantities. Other companies have felt that they must charge a higher rate per kilowatt hour than obtains in the cities or that they must have a service charge in addition to so much per kilowatt hour for all electricity used. The Adirondack Company believes that with rates on the farm as low as they are in the city the farmer can economically use considerable energy and that this abundant use of service will make it possible for the company to extend its lines to serve farm customers.

One of the greatest obstacles in present day farm electrification is that when an extension is desired not all the residents along the proposed line will agree to share the expense. Then, after a few have assumed the expense and the line is installed, the others will ask for service and there is no way to compel them to assume a proportional share of the installation cost.

Under this new plan, say, four farmers to the mile may desire electric service. They each agree to a minimum monthly bill of $6, or perhaps each deposits $400 in cash and agree to a minimum bill of $3 per month Later two more farmers within the same mile desire service. It then becomes a six-farmers-to-the-mile line and the difference in deposit originally made and that required by the new conditions is refunded to the original four customers.

Minimum Bill or a Deposit, As Preferred

This is the table of minimum monthly rates, with the alternative deposit, according to the number of farms per mile, established by the Adirondack Power and Light Corporation of Schenectady, N. Y., throughout its territory:

Customers per Mile	Minimum Monthly Bill	Customer's Deposit
8	$3.00	$ 0.00
7	3.43	0.00
..	3.00	55.00
6	4.00	0.00
..	3.00	130.00
5.5	4.36	0.00
..	4.00	50.00
..	3.00	180.00
5	4.80	0.00
..	4.00	150.00
..	3.00	240.00
4.5	5.33	0.00
..	5.00	47.00
..	4.00	178.00
..	3.00	310.00
4	6.00	0.00
..	5.00	130.00
..	4.00	265.00
..	3.00	400.00
3.5	6.85	0.00
..	6.00	115.00
..	5.00	247.00
..	4.00	382.00
3	8.00	0.00
..	6.00	165.00
..	5.00	400.00
2	12.00	0.00
..	6.00	800.00

Mixed Lines Allowed For

If a customer discontinues service, the deposit or minimum bill for the remaining customers will be determined on the same basis as for a new extension. Adjustments on deposits or minimum bills will be determined on December 31 of each year.

Consideration is given to street lights or industrial uses of electricity, such as mills, etc. In figuring the number of customers to the mile, each $100 annual revenue received from such uses is considered as equivalent to one customer unless such lights or mills require a special type of line. Thus, there may be but six farms to the mile using electricity and a mill may be using electricity bringing in $200 a year revenue. The six farmers will then be rated on the eight-customers-to-the-mile basis and thereby be allowed a lower minimum bill.

FARM LIGHTING AIDED

Ideas in G-E Farm Book on What Lights to Use and Where to Put Them

In an attractive publication recently issued by the General Electric Company, the G-E Farm Book, a complete plan for lighting the farm and the farm buildings by electricity is sketched out. Not only the farm house, but the barnyard and barn itself, dairy buildings, the stable for horses or cows, the silo and granary, the hay mow, the garage and tool shed, and the poultry house are included in the suggested method of electrical illumination.

A diagram of an electric lighting system for every floor of the farm house is shown. There is also a diagram suggesting how the control of the lights at the barn, poultry house and in the barnyard can be obtained from the farmer's dwelling house.

On Protection of Wires

"In wiring farm buildings," says the G-E Farm Book, "conduit or armored cable should be employed. While there is no likelihood of fire with insulated electric wires, moisture or ammonia fumes may rot the insulation, rubbing against walls may wear it, or rats and mice may gnaw it, causing live wires to be exposed.

"To avoid breakage of lamps in shed, at the silo chute and similar places, wire guards can be used. In dairy cattle exercise barns, or other buildings where stock is allowed to run loose, switches should be placed at least six feet from the floor, so that the stock cannot strike against them. It is best to fasten over them a wooden box-like cover with an open bottom, as cattle will sometimes attempt to investigate an exposed switch with their tongues.

"It is advisable in barns and especially in dairy buildings to install porcelain or moisture-proof switches and wiring devices. They last longer and are generally far more satisfactory than metal devices in outside installations or where there is much moisture."

Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois and president of the American Holstein Friesian association, will deliver the commencement address at the M. S. C. on June 22. It will be the sixty seventh annual graduating exercises at the state college. Three hundred men and women will be granted degrees. The divisions of agriculture, engineering, home economics, veterinary medicine, and applied science and liberal arts will all be represented among the candidates for bachelor of science or bachelor of arts awards.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the south west corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.
July 24, 1925. 48t13

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

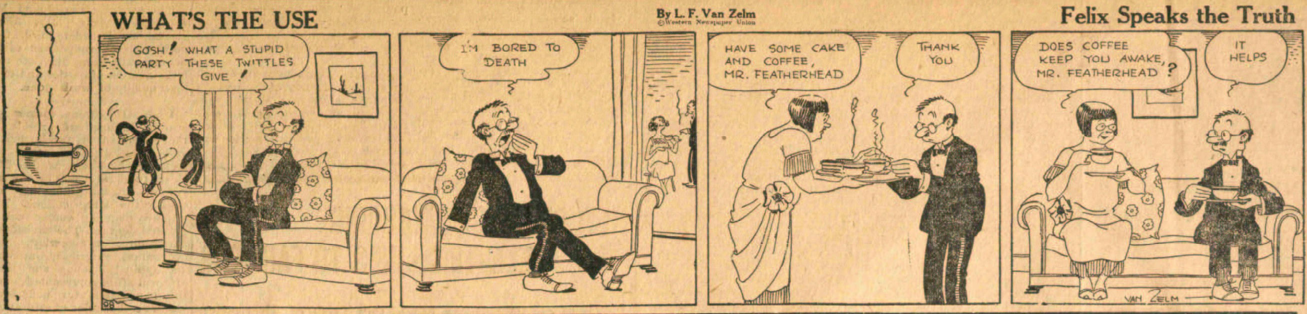
The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3-4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3-4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.
J. LaVerne Cox and
43t13 Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.

Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan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Divorcing Alcohol And Gasoline

A vast amount of indignation has been aroused in Massachusetts over automobile drivers who, under the influence of liquor, cause accident or death. The whole discussion shows how public thought, opinion, and action, perhaps, would be cleared by a wider understanding of the modern scientific facts about alcohol showing that "drunkenness" is not the sole measure of injury by alcohol, that it is only a late stage in the process of alcoholic intoxication, and that at stages earlier than drunkenness, there may be a degree of intoxication that will interfere with the safe operation of a motor vehicle.

E. E. Whiting, a well-known writer of signed daily articles in the Boston Herald, says of this conflict of ideas:

"The man who uses alcohol beverages in what he believes to be moderation, or who used to do so, and who drives an automobile resents being thought of as a 'drunken driver.' "

That man, of course, needs the information of modern scientific experiment. Modern experience has taught the other man thus described by Mr. Whiting.

"The man whose children go to school or to the corner store, or over to grandmother's house resents the presence at the steering wheel of anyone who is even one-half of one percent below efficiency as a driver."

Comments received by Mr. Whiting indicate that a part of the public has learned that no amount of alcohol is safe at the wheel. One writes:

"While perhaps I might hold a pint of pretty stiff stuff without showing any effect, I consider that for the general good I should not take even half an ounce if I am to drive a car, and if I do drive after taking anything intoxicating, I am perfectly willing to take whatever medicine the laws prescribe.

"The matter of killing or maiming a score or more of people every week in the state is of more moment to a person of my disposition than is half an ounce of good whiskey, which the bootlegger has no right to sell me. My neighbor, Smith, holds only about a teaspoonful, but if he takes that amount he has sense enough to stay in the basement until it works off, which I think is a very good plan."

Referring to a hypothetical case previously mentioned, where a driver with liquor on his breath when an accident occurred for which he was in no wise responsible, was charged with drunken driving, another correspondent writes:

"Why not put against this hypothetical case the best kind of a 'safety first' rule: When you drive a car let the stuff severely alone. Why not put the emphasis on that? Such a rule followed by all drivers would save the driver, the state registrar of motor vehicles, and the courts a lot of heart burning trouble in trying to make nice distinctions."

The danger of alcohol even in small quantities. This is the fact that needs now to be driven into the mind of the person who wants to drive a car. The more quickly the modern scientific facts on this point are thoroughly disseminated, the more quickly the menace of the driver under the influence of liquor will be ended. Nobody really wants to maim or kill his fellow man or an innocent child. With these facts widely known and their import grasped, the question of the alcoholized driver will reduce itself to a point where the law will have no difficulty in taking care of the small remnant of willful drinkers who dare to take their place at the wheel.

How frequently do we hear today of a locomotive engineer haled to court because of a railroad accident due to his drinking? So rarely that when such a thing does occur it is a matter of national comment. And how did this come about? Years ago, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers adopted a rule requiring every member, whether on duty or off duty, to be an abstainer from alcoholic drinks. They recognized that drinking in any degree whatever might unfit a man for duty, especially in an emergency. An engineer might not be able to "stay in the basement" until his drink "worked off." Neither can the motor vehicle driver be sure that some emergency will not compel him to take the wheel after his drink that he thought he was going to have time to "get over."

The railroad companies later supplemented the Brotherhood rules by company rules forbidding the use of intoxicating liquors by operatives. But the engineers pointed the way to safety by assuming personal responsibility, agreeing to let drink alone at all times. Would the automobile driver who insists on his "personal liberty" to drink, like to smell liquor on the breath of the railroad engineer to whom he entrusts himself or his children for a railroad journey? Why should he not be as conscientious as the engineer?

Laws will do someting to pull alcohol from behind the wheel. Law in itself is partly educational. But the menace to the public from alcohol at the wheel will be most quickly removed when the driver learns the truth about the danger in small amounts of alcohol. Thousands of new young drivers take the wheel each year. Are home and school doing their best to teach this truth and to harness it to the spirit of considerate regard for the rights and safety of others?

Dry Officials Will Nip The Wets

While the plan once inaugurated to hold as witnesses all persons found in blind pigs by federal raiders was stopped after the first trial a new system is now being worked that is going to make drinking unpopular in this part of Michigan. Hereafter, federal officials will arrest all bar patrons, or persons at tables in cafes, who are found with liquor in front of them or in possession. The men and women caught with the goods will be tried for illegal possession of liquor, not held as witnesses against the blind pig operator as once contemplated. Two customers were arrested when the Sinbad cafe was raided and both are now out on $2,000 bond awaiting action of the grand jury. National Prohibition Director Haynes, while in Detroit this week, stated that this plan was proving very effective in small towns as men and women did not care for the publicity that followed arrest.

The government will send twenty odd new patrol boats to the border before July 1st, same now being completed at Bay City. They are fast and will be stationed at points of vantage along the river front.

Also, a new head has been named for the local prohibition forces and he will first seek the source of local beer, aiming in this way to put the hundreds of Detroit blind pigs out of business.

"It's going to be a long, dry summer, with many people affected with the 'thirst' that can't be quenched,' one of the veteran border runners explained to a friend, while discussing the weather. "Expect that the increased consumption of home made hootch and brew will cause a big increase of business at the new county morgue. This spasm is going to be one that will long be remembered in Michigan, but no one knows how long it will last."

Mr. Haynes, during his visit, said that the people in this part of Michigan should be willing to try prohibition once, just to see whether or not they really did like it and that is the aim of the government in sending such a large crew of officers to this territory.

Camp Namroun

Camp Namroun, the summer camp for girls maintained by the Young Women's Christian Association in this southern Michigan district, will be held this summer at Hemlock Lake. All girls living in Branch, Hillsdale or Lenawee counties may attend this camp. The dates are for High School girls June 22 through July 1st, for grade school girls July 2 through 8. The rates for camp are $1 a day which includes all expenses. Girls living on farms who wish may bring food instead of money by arranging with the District secretary at the City Hall in Hillsdale.

Program for each day is carefully planned and includes a variety of activities which interest all kinds of girls. For the athletic girl there are sports, hikes and swimming, for the woods lover nature lore and camp craft, for the imaginative girl stunts, handicraft etc., for everyone a growing sense of God in his world and the enriching of life through growing friendships.

Mothers will be glad to know something of the equipment and personnel of the camp leadership. This year through the efforts of many friends there will be erected a screened building to be used as kitchen, dining room and assembly room in rainy weather. The girls sleep in tents, seven girls and a leader in each group. The leaders also carry responsibility for the various camp activities—swimming, sports stunts etc. Miss Emma Applegreen the public health nurse of Hillsdale will be the camp nurse. Other program leaders are Mildred Clark of Hillsdale, Misses Helen and Mary Hodgman and Blanche Sheffield of Coldwater, Mildred Stiefal of Reading and Maxine Galloway, of Hudson. Mrs. Marie Harmon and Mrs. Blanche Sowers of Hillsdale will be camp cooks. Miss Inez Ensign, general secretary will be camp director.

Registrations should be made by June 15th. Further information may be obtained at the Y. W. C. A. office in the City Hall.

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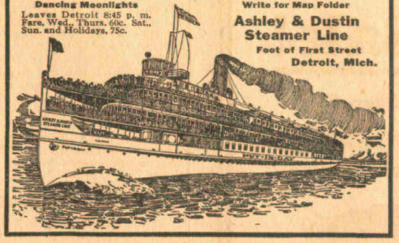

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King Tommy

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WHERE'S NORHEYS?

SYNOPSIS. — In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy," and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strongminded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace. Janet Church leaves for Berlin. "Uncle Bill" is again appealed to by his sister to find a certain curate (name not given) who has left his parish in Ireland for a visit to Berlin, and cannot be found.

CHAPTER V—Continued

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"Viola threw his dirty money in his face," said Norheys, "and you'd have thought that would have been enough for him. But it wasn't. When he saw she wasn't going to be bribed he took a high moral tone with her, talked about ruining the prospects of a bright young life—mine, the beast meant, not hers. There'd have been some sense in talking about getting married ruining her prospects considering the way she dances. But what was the good of talking about ruining me? All the same, that's what he did. He told her all about that Calypso girl and what a scoop it would be for me to marry her. Now, what do you think of that, Uncle Bill?"

"Did she promise to give you up?"

"Of course she didn't. And what the devil good would it have been if she had? I wouldn't have given her up. What I always say is this: If a fellow won't give up a girl, there's no use the girl's trying to give up the fellow, especially if she happens to be fond of him. You see what I mean, don't you, Uncle Bill? Well, after making Viola cry, which is a thing no man would do unless he was an actual devil, that octopus took to threatening her. He said that, being a princess, the Calypso girl could marry me if she chose; only had to say the word and there we were. Viola doesn't know much about princesses, but she didn't believe that. All the same, it made her more than a bit uncomfortable."

It seems, as I heard afterward, to have roused Miss Temple to simple but effective action. I do not know whether she told Norheys what she had done. If she did, he did not confide in me.

"So you can tell Uncle Ned," he said, "to keep that disgusting Semitic toad of his chained up for the future. If I catch him fooling round Viola's flat again there'll be murder done."

"I'm afraid," I said, "that this will be a disappointment to your uncle. He's rather set his heart on seeing you king of Lystria."

"I haven't the slightest objection to being king of Lystria."

"But you can't be if you won't marry the princess."

"I'm not so sure about that," said Norheys. "After all, if a thing can't be done in one way it generally can in another. Just you try and make that clear to Uncle Ned. Tell him I'm an uncommonly dutiful nephew and all that, as keen as nuts on bucking up the family and pouring oil all over the good old empire; but there's one thing I can't and won't do."

"Marry the princess?"

"No. I'll marry her if I have to, but I won't go back on Viola."

I never made all that clear to Troyte. Indeed, I never tried to. But Norheys succeeded in explaining himself, more or less, to his uncle, and I heard no more of the matter for some little time.

Another worry—a small, even a ridiculous one—came to make my life uneasy. My sister Emily wrote to me that she lost a curate. She wanted me to set the whole machinery of the British empire to work to find the creature for her. He was not, it appeared, a particularly valuable curate. Emily admitted that she did not like him. She went so far as to say that he was not the sort of man who ought to have been in Holy Orders. But he was the only curate there was in Emily's parish and they could not get on without him because the rector, Canon Pyke, had fallen suddenly ill.

The curate had gone off on a holiday, which, according to Emily, he did not deserve. Almost immediately after his departure Canon Pyke had broken down.

"All we've heard from him since he left is one postcard which came from Berlin and has a picture of a museum on it. I don't think, considering all that happened during the war, that Berlin is a place a clergyman ought to go to for a holiday, not a good clergyman. It seems to me a callous thing to do, scarcely what I should call Christian. Anyhow, he went there. At least he said he was going there, and I suppose he really did, for that is where the postcard came from. He left his address before he started, in case anything went wrong in the parish and we wanted him back. Directly the poor canon broke down Mrs. Pyke telegraphed to Berlin, but no answer came. Then I telegraphed. When I got no answer I telegraphed again to the manager of the hotel. I got a reply saying that he had left two days after he arrived and not given any address.

"Now I know that with your influence and all your London friends—I am sure Lord Edmund Troyte could do something to help us—"

Apparently I was to set our consular service to work to find a curate who was rampaging about Central Europe. I should look a nice fool if I went to the Foreign office with a request like that. I was inclined to agree with Emily. That curate of hers should never have been a clergyman. I sympathized with her, and with Canon Pyke, and with the parish. I even sympathized slightly with the curate. But I was not going to do anything.

I slipped Emily's letters into the "Unanswered" basket on top of her earlier letter about Janet Church. But I was not allowed to dismiss the matter from my mind. I got another letter the next day.

"I'm afraid I forgot to mention," she wrote, "that the address he gave us was the Adlon hotel. He said that if anything went wrong in the parish he would come back at once."

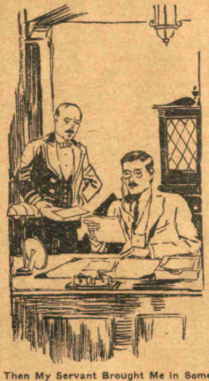
She had not forgotten to give me that address. What Emily had forgotten to tell me was the curate's name. That rather tied my hands, or would have tied them if I had meant to do anything.

Next day I got a fourth letter from Emily. In it she enclosed twelve penny stamps.

"Please get our ambassador in Berlin to telegraph," she wrote, "as soon as he finds out where our curate is. I don't know what it costs to send a telegram to Berlin, but I send twelve stamps which ought to be enough considering the present state of the exchange. Besides, an ambassador probably gets his telegrams sent cheap."

That letter joined the others in the basket.

By the same post came one from Canon Pyke himself written in pencil from his bed. He began apologetically. He would never have dreamed of troubling me with his private affairs had not his friend Mrs. Chambers (my sister Emily) urged him to write to me on a subject very near to his heart at the moment—the lost curate.



Then My Servant Brought Me in Some Letters Which Had Just Arrived by Post.

"The dear fellow," he went on, "is not in all respects exactly what a clergyman ought to be. At the same time, he is a worthy young man, full of heartiness and energy. What makes us fear that he may have involved himself in some serious difficulty is that he is by natural disposition both daring and adventurous, more so perhaps than one of our younger clergy ought to be. If you can—"

He, too, seemed to think that I ought to get the Foreign office to send out a search party to Berlin or perhaps to get the ambassador and the head of the Inter-Allied Mission of Control to take the matter up.

His letter joined Emily's in the basket.

Then Emily took to telegraphing to me. She is a frugal woman whose spare money goes to missionary societies, but she spent a lot on telegrams. They kept getting longer and longer. There was no doubt that she was in earnest about finding that curate.

I disposed of the fourth telegram in the usual way. The pile in the basket on my desk was becoming large.

Then my servant brought me in some letters which had just arrived by post. I glanced at the envelopes anxiously, fearing that either Emily or her dear Canon Pyke had written again. I was relieved to find that the only real letter was addressed in Edmund Troyte's writing. Along with it was a postcard. I began with Edmund Troyte.

He invited me to dine with him that very evening.

"You and I," he wrote, "nobody else. I want to talk to you about Norheys."

I was getting a little tired of being talked to about Norheys. I admit that I am that young man's godfather, but that does not make me responsible for all his actions. Lord Edmund ought to be capable of looking after his own nephew. Then it occurred to me that if Edmund Troyte went on worrying me I might as well have the satisfaction of worrying him. I would tell him the story of Emily's curate and see how he liked being consulted about business which is none of his. I telephoned my acceptance of his invitation and then went back to the postcard.

It came from Janet Church and announced that she had got as far as Berlin and meant to go farther. Janet was staying in the Adlon hotel. The address reminded me of Emily's curate and a really brilliant idea occurred to me. I would give her a little in return.

I wrote her a long letter in which I explained that a really valuable curate had disappeared, having been last heard of at the Adlon hotel in Berlin. I said that foul play was suspected, which I am sure was true. Emily evidently thought that the young man had gone off on a disreputable spree, which would have been foul play on his part. Canon Pyke feared that he had been decoyed into a den of infamy and there robbed—foul play on the part of someone else. I asked Janet to stay a few days longer in Berlin to go into the matter thoroughly. It was just the sort of thing she ought to do.

"The curate's name," I wrote, "has unfortunately not been told me. But that won't be any real obstacle. There cannot be many English curates at large in Berlin. If you find one at all, he'll probably be the one we want. He has a hearty manner, is full of energy and good spirits. In all probability his face is round and plump. My sister Emily is most anxious about him, so I'm sure you'll do your best."

Then I wrote to Emily.

"I'm delighted to help in any way I can in the good work of finding your lost curate. I am dining with Edmund Troyte this evening and intend to put the whole case before him. You can confidently count on everything possible being done. I have also written to Janet Church, who is in Berlin. She is just the kind of woman who will find a curate however carefully he is hidden—or, if your suspicion is justified, however carefully he has hidden himself. It would be a thousand pities if he were permanently lost. But we need not anticipate that. Give my kind regards to the canon."

CHAPTER VI

Troyte and I dined very comfortably and, being wise men, talked about nothing unpleasant until the business of eating was over. When I had finished my second glass of port we went into the library for our coffee. A servant put a small table before us, set coffee, cognac and cigarettes on it and then went away.

I was just about to begin the tale of Emily's lost curate when Troyte asked me an abrupt question.

"Do you know where Norheys is?"

"At this hour," I said, "he's generally in the Belvedere."

The Belvedere is the theater in which Miss Temple dances. Norheys, unless he has some important engagement elsewhere, hangs about her dressing room until her turn is over. Then he drives her home.

"He's not at the Belvedere tonight," said Troyte. "In fact, he's not in town at all."

"He didn't say anything to me about going away," I said, "but then I haven't seen him for the last two days."

"Nobody has seen him for the last two days," said Troyte. "I wanted to speak to him today and I telephoned to his rooms. His man told me that he went away the day before yesterday. He left no address so his letters aren't being forwarded. I made inquiries at his clubs, but he left no address at any of them. All his man could tell me was that he went off with two suitcases and the taxi man was ordered to take him to Charing Cross."

> Well, in the circumstances it does seem a bit important to know where is Norheys. Has he skipped out or eloped?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

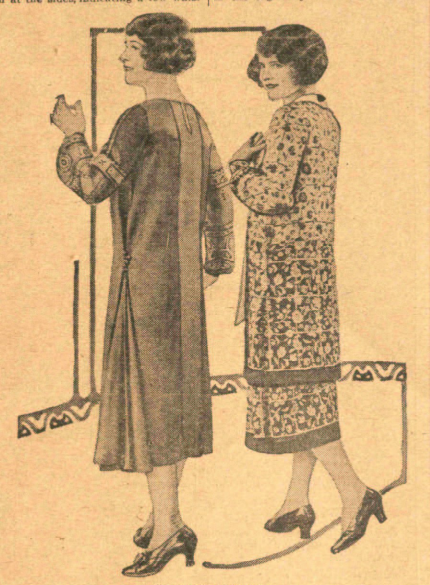
All Men of Unusual Strength Are Samsons

The story of Sampson is found in Judges 13, and the three following chapters. This man takes his place in Scripture as a judge or ruler, an office which he filled for 20 years; as a Nazarite, that is, one bound by a vow of a peculiar kind to be set apart from others for the service of the Almighty. The obligation was really for a definite time, and during that time the Nazarite was bound to abstain from wine and every production of the vine, and from every kind of intoxicating drink. He was forbidden to cut the hair of his head, or to approach any dead body. In the third place Samson appears as a man endowed with supernatural physical strength. It is this latter quality that first comes to one's mind when he is mentioned, and it is because of that wonderful quality that any man of unusual strength is called a Samson. For instance, a London carpenter, named Thomas Topham, has been called "the British Samson." It is related that in Cold Bath fields, London, on May 28, 1741, in the presence of thousands of spectators Topham lifted three hogsheads of water, weighing 1,836 pounds. Topham was born in 1710, and died in 1753. It is related that he was driven to suicide by domestic troubles.

Girl students of the University of Washington are required to wear shoes that have been approved by the department of physical education.

Of Two Minds on Silhouette; Chic in Topcoats and Suits

LADY FASHION is of two minds, in the matter of the silhouette and the two pretty summer dresses pictured here provide her with two very good excuses for her vacillation and indecision. One of them, at the left, is an exponent of newest ideas, with flaring skirt, and bodice following vaguely the contour of the body. Its lines are graceful and flowing—and very ingeniously contrived. It is made of plain crepe-back satin with godets let in at each side of the skirt. By means of satin-covered buttons and cord, the body of the dress is drawn in at the sides, indicating a low waistline; it is something of a compromise between the new, molded-bodice-and-full-skirt models and the long-popular, straight-line dresses. Fashion has her eyes turned in the direction of these new arrivals much of the time and they are here in beautiful colors and many materials.



Two Pretty Models.

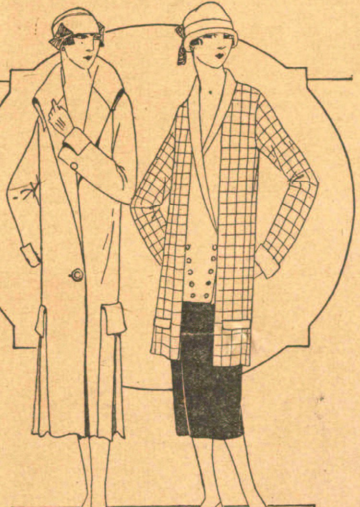
On the other hand there are just as many straight-line dresses, and so long as figured silks continue to fascinate, they are likely to divide honors with the newcomers. Fanciful patterns in fabrics look best when simply made up. In the dress at the right a long tunic of printed silk is bordered with plain crepe and worn over a skirt with the same finish. There are many color combinations in these printed silks and of course, black and white in cool-looking, distinctive patterns. White crepe de chine is used for the collar and tie.

Silk and cotton mixtures, in crepey materials are so like the printed silks that it is difficult to tell them apart. These fabrics are washable and much less expensive than silk.

All these printed fabrics make the way of the home dressmaker a path of flowers—literally and figuratively. They are adapted to the simplest designs and discourage fussiness because the interest of costumes made of them lies in their colors and printed patterns.

The chic topcoat and the spirited suit shown here prove once again that, whatever the trend of the mode may be, the French are to be depended on to make the most of it. Paris leads in her new and untried style ideas, at the beginning of each season, like a company of debutantes ready to be presented at Fashion's court. Those that make a good impression are soon made much of—those that don't quietly disappear. In this light topcoat pictured in the sketch several approved style features have been cleverly developed—"Paris" is written in the ingenuity with which the designer has introduced the flare in the skirt portion, where wide, inverted plaits are set in at each side under simulated pocket flaps. The turned-back half-cuffs reveal another touch of genius for designing and the single button on each sleeve is a consistent finishing touch as the coat fastens with only one button. Smooth faced cloths, as flannel or broadcloth, are used for these summer coats and the demand is for light colors in them—copenhagen and china blue, lanvin and other light greens, tan, cocoa and red are popular.

The suit shown in the sketch is even more unmistakably French than its companion. It is a crisp-looking affair, with a plain, black skirt and checked coat in black and red, that hangs open at the front. This front opening discloses that perennial favorite in the French tailleur—the white pique vest—not in a brief glimpse but in an impressive expanse. The vest has a surplice opening and is finished with two rows of handsome pearl buttons, put on in slanting lines. White pique cuffs emphasize the plainness of the sleeves. There are several color combinations that might be used in this suit quite as effectively as black and red—none of them outclass black and white.



Embodying the Paris Idea.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Black Hats Favor Pink

Fashion shows a tendency toward hats of black straw combined with taffeta and trimmed with ribbon, feathers or flowers in a deep shade of pink. Many of the hats are large.

New Pinkish Gray

A new shade of pinkish gray has made its appearance and is promising a vogue. It is a less practical shade than beige, but it is smarter because it is newer

Jumper Is Smart Sports Outfit

The costume which is worn by the smartest women at their country places is a jumper frock of jersey or hand-knitted wools. It is simple to the point of severity, but extremely smart and practical.

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Alfalfa and sweet clover are said to be coming through nicely, and those who have fields of these crops to cut for hay are congratulating themselves. Many others, however will not even bother to cut their clovor and timothy fields unless relief comes soon in the way of general rains. For these, the emergency "short season" crops are important.

"The present emergency can be met partially by getting busy and seeding some shorter seasoned crop, to tide over the shortage" says L. D. Kurtz, extension specialist in farm crops at the college. These emergency crops produce excellent yields within a single season.

Soy beans, sudan grass, the millets, and fodder corn are among the short season crops which can be recommended. These crops should be seeded as soon as possible—the earlier the better. Well prepared seed beds are important.

More detailed information on handling these short season crops can be obtained from local county agriculture agents, or directly from the farm crops department at the M. S. C.

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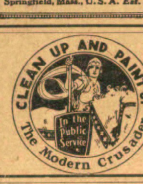

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Iris Sutton was a business caller in Hillsdale Thursday afternoon.

Mable Purcell called on Mrs. Wm Bloemker one evening last week.

Burl Shambaugh and wife were in Hillsdale last Thursday on business.

The Elsworth Sprague family visited Ray Haines and family Tuesday night.

Fern Clark and family of Litchfield spent Sunday at the E. L. Sprague home.

A much needed rain visited this vicinity Monday. Early crops may be harvestable.

Mrs. Burl Shambaugh and daughter Muriel called on Mrs. Grace Sprague Monday evening.

Mrs. Grace Sprague and Mrs. Belle Sweezy called on Mrs. Bloemker one evening last week.

Members of Line thirty nine rebuilt the line which has been out since the cyclone went through.

Jay Hayhoe is spending his summer vacation at the home of his parents George Hayhoe and wife.

The sale held at at Ray Haines' was well attended, everything bringing a good price for this time of the year. Mr. Haines hat moved to the John Williams farm west of North Adams.

Jonesville

John Reincke was at home over Sunday.

Mrs. Rose Clark is visiting her niece Mrs. Milton Ward.

Mrs. L. E. Swan arrived home from a visit in Detroit this week.

C. O. Alverson and wife are moving into the Mrs. Anna Fogg house.

J. T. Reed and wife visited last week in Hastings, Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo.

Dr. Fred Godfrey of Quincy spent the week end with his brother George Godfrey.

The infant daughter born to L. W. Potter and wife June 2nd passed away on June 6 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. Smeltser of Howe, Indiana spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. M. N. Wood.

Mrs. Margaret Griffeth is seriously ill at the home of her sister Mrs. Mary Bourke of Hillsdale.

A shower was given for Gladys Bacon on Tuesday evening at the Gilmer home on Maumee street.

Bert Smith and family of Lansing and Hugh Smith and wife of Jackson spent Sunday at the Oliver Smith home here.

Mrs. Mary McKercher entertained the Wednesday afternoon 500 club this week at her home on West Chicago street.

Mrs. Lewis Gray was in Muncie Ind Sunday. Her mother Mrs. Ochsenrider returned to Jonesville with her for an indefinite stay.

Henry Kilby of Walpole, New Hampshire and Wm Kilby and wife of Jackson spent the week end at the Frank Storms home on West street.

Roy Howard and family of this place and Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome spent the week end in the C. H. Kempton Cottage at Wilson Lake.

Somerset Centre

(Left over from last week)

Hazen Gray and wife have moved in Mrs. Arvilla Becker's house.

Katherine Baker spent Sunday with E. A. McGregor and wife.

Wendell Mercer and his class are spending a week at Devils lake.

Donald Rutan and wife returned from Midland Wednesday evening.

A. Smith and wife of Hillsdale spent Sunday with Wm Shock and wife.

Mrs. R. H. Tearney is spending sometime with friends in Somerset Center.

D. M. Rutan and family attended the commencement exercises at Addison Friday night.

L. A. Mercer and family spent Sunday evening at the home of Ralph Mercer and wife.

Mrs. L. A. Mercer and daughter Elaine spent the afternoon with the former's sister at Jerome Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Didama and baby are spending some time with her parents George Becker and wife before moving to their home in Quincy

A daughter of Clifford Clark and wife had the misfortune to have her thumbs badly cut in a lawn mower while her sister was running it.

Jerome

Jay Pullen is ill with asthma.

Gordon Butcher of Hanover was in town Sunday.

C. Howard of Somerset Center was in town Thursday.

Wyman Godfrey of Somerset Center was in town Friday.

Herold Baker of Wayne visited Eugene Baker and wife Sunday.

Harold Sterling of Ypsilanti spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frantz of Toledo are spending the summer at Goose lake.

The Oddfellows lodge elected officers at their meeting Tuesday evening.

Wayne Miller and family entertained Clair Miller and family of Jackson Sunday.

Edna McClanahan entertained 8 girl friends Tuesday in honor of her 13th birthday.

Byron Fowle and wife of Jackson have been recent visitors at the home of C. W. McGregor and family.

Oscar Hart, Marion Hart, Mrs. Thomas VanAllen and daughters have been visiting relatives at Mt. Pleasant.

I. W. Wertenberger and family spent part of last week at the home of Rev. U. S. Wertenberger in Hudson Indiana.

Wm Rouen and family formerly of Jerome but now of Chicago visited at the home of Mrs. M. H. Morris Monday.

J. H. Lane and family of Jackson and Jack Osey and wife also of Jackson were visitors at the home of T. J. Lane Sunday.

Mrs. Roland Painter and Wendell Wertenberger have been on the sick list while Ray Hammons and Mrs. Rowena Tower are quite ill.

Rev. Scott delivered an address on "The Rock of Ages" to the members of the I. O. O. F. at the church Sunday. Members of the organization then decorated the graves of former Oddfellows after which community dinner was served.

Local News

The annual Commencement has come and gone. What will another year bring forth?

Carlotta Barker of Hillsdale visited Kittie Huff Saturday afternoon at the Knapp home

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church will hold their regular meeting in the church on Wednesday afternoon, June 17th.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance.—James I. Post 2tf

Those from here who attended Commencement at Hillsdale College Monday morning were: Mrs. Wemsley, Mrs. Robins, Mrs. Mary Gray, Mrs. E. C. Williams and Harold Kenrick.

Please remember that next Monday, June 15th, is the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the immortal George Washington taking command of the Continental army at Cambridge Massachusetts.

Rev. Hutton and family left on Monday morning for Flint and Ann Arbor. Mrs. Hutton expects to enter the hospital for an examination, and possibly an operation later. They will also visit relatives in Flint, returning home the latter part of the week.

Prayer meeting of all denominations was held at the home of John Gordon south of this village Tuesday evening, and 24 persons were reported present. Next meeting will be held on June 16th at the home of Joseph North in this village. All invited.

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both one year for the small sum of $2.00 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions from Paris, the best works of Harold Bel Wright, best illustrations, best al through.

At the regular meeting of Abigail Rebekah Lodge at I. O. O. F. hall Monday evening, June 8th, the following officers were elected: n. g. Margaret Painter; v. g., Lillian Fuller; rec. sec., Ida Relyea; treas., Sarah Winchell; rep. to Grand Lodge, Addie VanAken; alternate, Lillian Gary; d. d. p., Murel Owen; The appointive officers will be named later and installation will take place in July.

The movie outfits of Superintendent Young of our High school are busy constantly. On Tuesday evening, June 16th he begins a series of free entertainments at Freeport, Mich., and each Tuesday evening thereafter. June 17 at Vernon, Mich., and each Wednesday evening thereafter, June 18th at Augusta, and every Thursday evening thereafter. He also shows at Pittsford Gaines and Allen.

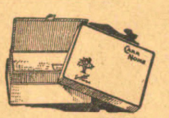
Mrs. Mary Rickerd, a long time resident of Wheatland, died Wednesday morning at the home of her son, Otis Rickerd, near Hudson. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2:00 p. m. at her late home in Wheatland and interment in Pease cemetery. She was ill only a short time and died from double pneumonia. She is survived by one son, Otis Rickerd two sisters, Mrs. Frank Crego of Ionia and Mrs. Joseph Beecher of this place, two brothers, Will and George McGregor, of Mt. Pleasant, besides a host of more distant relatives and friends. She was about 70 years of age.

Arctic Explorations Are Different

Speaking of explorations in Arctic regions naturally causes us to hark back to the days of 1881 when the ill-fated Greeley expedition started out from St. Johns Newfoundland to visit the frozen wastes beyond the Arctic Circle. Twenty five able bodied men were chosen to form the party under command of Lieutenant A. W. Greenley. In telling their experiences Brigadier General Brainard one of the seven survivors, says:

"We reached the place selected for winter quarters in Lady Franklin Bay, Grinnell Land, latitude 81 degress 44 minutes, about the middle of August. The house in which we were to take abode was built in sections, a departure in those days. This structure was 60 feet long by 22 feet wide. It consisted of double walls, doors and windows, and had a lining of tar paper. Jt was considered a comfortable habitation for the winter of 1881 and the succeeding year."

During one whole winter the party starved eating seal skin, shrimps, kelp and sea moss. One by one the men died, as the rations became shorter, and as the rescue party found them only seven were alive and they were in a terribly weakened condition also suffered the awful torture of frigid temperatures. When the men were found they were taken on board the boat bathed, dressed in pajamas and put to bed. The first thing they were given was milk punch and a cracker or two. Of course this only served to make them more ravenous. The next ration was a table spoonful of chopped beef raw, a little oatmeal and condensed milk combined with brandy. The awful circumstance of starvation and the reports which leaked out afterward were scandalous. It was claimed that some of the corpses were eaten by survivors and this report so far as known has never been proven incorrect. Today the manner of reaching the polar regions has vastly changed and the departure of Amundson has awakened new interest in the Arctic. The above authority states that in his opinion the giant dirigible "Shenandoah" could make the trip easily without mishap. But of course he ignores the possibility of death in the landing among unknown ice hummocks and the other dangers. The Government at one time planned to send a dirigible on this trip but public indignation forbade. It is understood that some of the best aerial men of the country volunteered to manipulate the "Shenandoah" Greeley's men only came within 300 miles of the Pole which was considered a good record. Since that time both Peary and Cook claimed the honor of its exact location. Cook, however has been proven a genuine imposter in his business dealing and so no recognizance was taken of his claim, while Peary could not establish a very strong case.



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Obituary

Joseph L. Beecher was born in Hanover, Jackson County Michigan October 19th 1844. He was the second son of Walter and Mary Hopkins Beecher. Died at his home in Wheatland, Hillsdale County the evening of June 7, 1925 of heart trouble and a complication of diseases. He was 81 years of age.

When 4 years old he came with his parents to Wheatland and has since been a resident of Hillsdale County.

He was married to Catherine McGregor of Somerset, Hillsdale County February 19th 1873. To this union no children were born. Mr. Beecher was a highly respected citizen and leaves a host of friends who sincerely mourn with the bereaved companion and relatives.

We leave him in the hand of One Who doeth all things well. And the surviving friends, who are only waiting till the shadows are a little longer grown, can be offered no stronger consolation than the well founded hope of soon being reunited in the glad restitution times, in which he will be resurrected to joyful participation.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Virgil Hunt under Mason auspices Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. at his late Wheatland home and burial was in the Pease cemetery. Three neices Miss Myra Beecher of this place, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson of Hoxie, Mrs. Bernice McBain of Moscow, one sister Mrs. Dan Hoxie and the widow survive him.

"And may this hope in this dark hour sustain thee
And thy bruised hearts tho' crushed with pain,
That thro' thy falling tears, faith sees a shining rainbow.
For thou shalt meet thy loved and ost again.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends for their timely assistance and kindnesses during the sickness and death of our loved one, and especially to those who furnished the hymns and Rev Hunt for his words of comfort.

Mrs. Joseph Beecher
Myra Beecher
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hoxie
Mr. and Mrs. F. Thompson
Mr. and Mrs. Ed McBain

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

North Adams, Mich. June 9, 1925

Meeting called to order by the president. Trustees present, L. Eggleston, Fry, Baker, Car[illegible], Mercer, Taylor. Absent none.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved. The following bills were presented, voted upon by the finance committee and orders drawn for the same:

George Lynch, insurance	$51 63
F. W. Holcomb assessment, board review	17 00
D H Carney, bd review	2 00
Glenn Mercer bd review	2 00
Southern Michigan Light and Power Co, May	196 90
L. B. Eggleston, decoration day expenses	25 00
H, L. Fry, cleaning streets	1 80
J. W Losey, testing fire engine and cleaning streets	5 60
E. C. Williams, decoration day supplies	6 90
A. H. Dudley, calcium chloride and hauling same	31 00

No further business appearing motion was made and seconded and carried that the meeting stand adjourned.

H. A. Williams
Clerk

A Notable Record

Phyllis and L. D. Walworth of Jerome, children of Lucien D. Walworth, we think are entitled to considerable credit for their punctual attendance at school the past year. They have driven to Jonesville, a distance of 14 miles, each day during the school year and have been neither absent or tardy the entire time. They have also made good standings. Phyllis was excused from examination as her reports were A-1. They have also taken instruction in music at Hillsdale College during the year in addition to their regular school curriculum. In music they have done remarkably well. It will be remembered they gave a recital at the Methodist church in this village a while back and were greeted by a crowded house. Their rendering on the saxaphone is extra good.

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Syrup Labels and Stationery, Ballots and township orders

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ROLAND BENGE

WHAT WILL BE THE RESULT

Over 1600 graduates were turned out this season by the University of Michigan, and one naturally conjectures where will all these highly efficient men and women find an outlet for their talents? The country is rapidly filling with trained workers and as the number increases, at the same ratio does highly proficient labor become cheapened. Not long age you heard of a U. of M. grad who found employment as a forest ranger in the great North-west. This man had graduated in Civil Engineering and was supposed to be worth from $15,000 to $20,000 per year at the profession, yet there he was grubbing along in the lonely forest at one-half to one quarter of it because as he expressed it, there did not seem to be a market for his brains in the East. The crux of the situation is, that with so many highly educated persons being turned loose into the wide world each year, the price of ability comes tumbling down to cheaper levels. True, many hundreds are called outside America to foreign nations in embassies and educational institutions. Often times the coveted job is carried away by a lesser qualified but more agreeable man.

It is a stubborn fact that to-day in the manufacturing plants of our cities where expert administration is required, by far more men as managers come from the strata just below University training—men who have spent years in practical work For instance, in a large printing plant at Chicago employing 2500 people, the pereentage of University trained heads of departments falls below 35, including the proprietor himself.

So, after all, the higher university seems to lose its significance, when it seeks te grab every more lucrative position.

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Local News

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—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Mrs. Lathim of Prattville was a guest on Sunday of Andrew Roose and family.

Lillian Pendell came home Saturday from her year's work at the Hillsdale College.

Charles Marks of Rollin was a week-end guest at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Ed Blackmer.

Cavera Roose will arrive Friday night from Ypsilanti where he has been attending school at the State Normal.

Miss Doris Birchfield will assist at the home of Mrs. Hanning of North Adams, during the summer vacation.

Ralph Wolcott and J. W. Lynch are in Detroit where they expect to be employed during the school vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shupp of Hillsdale were pleasant callers at the home of M. Kempton Sunday afternoon.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Nellie Gray Friday, June 26th. Program and potluck supper.

Paul Wells one of the graduates of North Adams High school accompanied the student body to a picnic at Loon Lake on Friday.

Mrs. Anna Fowler accompanied Rev. and Mrs. Reiser of North Adams to Lansing on Monday where they will visit relatives for a few days.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Hutton and wife from the village Rev. Carrell was asked to fill the pulpit at the Methodist church on Sunday morning last.

Della (Collins) Lamb of Warsaw, Indiana, attended Alumni banquet, also visited with Madams Jessie Haskell and Rena Randolph until Sunday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Lamb left on Tuesday afternoon for Goshen Indiana, to visit among relatives. Later, he will attend the summer term of the Indiana State Normal at Terra Haute.

Mrs. Mabel Norris of Cleveland and mother Mrs. Mary Roberts of West Adamsi visited on Friday with Mrs. John Owen and daughter Murel. Mrs. Norris came to attend commencement of the graduates.

W. H. Cook and wife spent last Friday night with their little grand daughter, Beth Elaine Cook of South Adams, while the baby's parents Ward Cook and wife attended the Alumni Banquet of Pittsford High school held at Pittsford.

Wheatland township was visited by a small "twister" at 6:30 p. m. on Monday and a hen house and corn crib demolished on the farm of D. H. Rawson and E. Gibbs. Fruit and shade trees went down in numbers and other barns were damaged.

The newest candidate who will try to fill Arthur B. Williams' shoes is Elmer McArthur of Lansing. Glenn Cowell who was talked of as a possible dry candidate, has decided to withdraw his name from the list for reasons not mentioned. Primary election for representative to Washington occurs July 21st.

Mrs. Catherine Tiffany an old resident passed away at her home on West Main street Wednesday morning about 4:00. She was eighty years of age and had been ailing about three years. She is survived by one daughter Mrs. M. D. Carrell at home and two sons Frank of Angola and Charles of E. Chicago, one sister Mrs. Sarah Shults and one brother, A. G. Morehouse, of this place besides nephews and neices Funeral services will be conducted today at the home at 2:30 a:nd interment inthe local cemetery.

Grass Lake probably has the meanest doctor on record. The other day a fire of serious origin menaced the village, burning two churches and some residences, and in all probability would have destroyed most of the town, had it not have been for Jackson's doughty fire fighters who arrived on the scene and squelched the flames. Grass Lake is fixed a good deal the same as North Adams—with nothing to fight fire with. During the excitement a fireman was put out of commission by a large cinder lodging in his eye. He went over to the Doc and had it removed—the cinder we mean—and Doc charged him one silver plunker for the job We suppose that medic just escaped hanging by a narrow margin when this became public. A purse was at once made up to pay the bill. It is heedless to say there is one doctor in Jackson connty whose immense popularity has been rimmed.

Rev. Seldon B. Ford and wife of Maple Rapids were in town to greet old friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonney of Ransom called on their daughter Mrs Hill, and family in this village this week.

Jay Boone who is now employed at Toledo, Ohio, was in town via auto on Saturday last, and visited his parents west of town.

Dr. and Mrs. Caswell will go to Lansing next Tuesday to attend the State Veterinary convention which holds three days. We understand the doctor is on the program for Wednesday.

John Duguid, Jr., of Boyne City schools, arrived home this week. He will go to Ann Arbor Monday next to attend summer school. In September he will return to his labors at Boyne City.

Crater & Edinger report a good trade in the wholesale egg business, and it is growing. Their goods are eagerly grabbed by the eastern markets. Shipments are being made constantly to George M. D. Legg at Boston, Massachusetts.

The North Adams Epworth League will conduct a box social on the lawn of C. S. Wertz on E. Main street Friday evening, July 3rd. Ladies please bring boxes. Proceeds toward the purchase of a piano for the League room. It will be a "Mother Goose" social, so please come dressed for the occasion.

The S. P. I. class will hold their regular meeting Friday June 26 at the home of Eva Overly. It is to be Daughter's day and each one is asked to bring their daughter or some one else's. A good program is being prepared and the potluck supper will be a striking feature. Everyone come.

Forty interested people attended the meeting Saturday evening at the Masonic hall at Moscow, held for the purpose of organizing club work in the township. Clubs were organized with Mrs. L. Tracy as leader of the girls canning club, and F. J. Garrett, leader of the boys club. Hugh Gochanour, supervisor of the township, provided refreshments of ice cream.

We note with pleasure that the road from Franklin corners north to the Chicago turnpike, is being graded and repaired we suppose by the township. This is a wonderful improvement, since considerable traffic goes that way to points north. Moscow township certainly had some of the worst roads in the county but we are happy to say this condition is being rapidly done away with.

Rev. H. D. Henry, pastor of the Hillsdale Methodist church gave the address Sunday afternoon at the memorial services held at Mt. Pleasant cemetery, speaking on "The Flag of Freemen." Mrs. Virgil Hunt sang a solo, and other music was provided by a North Adams choir. J. I. Post and J. M. Williams of North Adams were re-elected as president and secretary treasurer of the cemetery association. The service was largely attended.

It seems like old days of the wet and sloppy Broad Street to hear of a real genuine "drunk" being arrested in Hillsdale but such is the case. On Sunday last the officers picked up M. Philpot for drunkenness and arraigned him before Justice Glenn Miller on Monday morning. He plead guilty and was fined $15.95. Another charge of carrying concealed weapons was also put up against him and he will have to answer to this June 25th. If Philpot had not filled pot so full this story might have been different. It is a puzzle where these boys get their stuff, since the price must be higher than a cat's back now and any man who would take on a spree certainly is extravagant to say the least. When a Plebeian like Philpot can pour a ten spot right down his throat at two "swallers" he needs a guardian

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Congregational Church Calendar

VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30. There will be a continuation of the series of discourses of "Pictures That Preach" Sunday morning we will use that great success of George Frederick Watts' "Hope". Everyone is welcome to hear these series of discourses of appreciation of these pictures that are familiar to all but not fully appreciated.

Sunday school convenes at the close of this service.

Choir practice Saturday evening at the home of Frances Young at 7:00 o'clock. Everybody come!

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.

Sunday school 11:45

Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

Sunday evening service 7:00

Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Mrs, A. Dietz spent the week end with her son, Len, and family in Jackson.

—Potatoes for sale—Russets and Petoskey Golden Russets. Percy Wells. Phone 802 North Adams 1t3

The Annual Home Coming of the pupils and ex-teachers of the Bross district in Adams will be held at the school on Saturday June 27th. Preparations for the event are going forward.

Mrs. Lewis West entertained in honor of her son, Harold's 5th birthday, eight little friends. Friday afternoon. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was had by all.

Charles M. Bross of Washington, D. C., is greeting old friends in this vicinity during a short visit to the old home. His son, Milborne, graduates from the law school this month The other son Carrell, is stationed at Seattle Washington, as manager of the western department of Polk's Directory Co.

The special meeting of Alpha Chapter No.288, was held on Wednesday evening with a very good attendance. Mrs. Elizabeth Webster of Battle Creek, Grand conductress of the State chapter was present and gave a school of instruction. Refreshments were served and a good time is reported.

They Are Dandies

We feel quite puffed up when we consider how faithful some of our citizens are in giving us the happenings round-about the vicinity which we are not always able to reach ourselves. It is quite safe to say the people of this village have got the county beat along this particular line. Every week a number of folks drop in as they pass and remind us that this, that or the other thing has happened which maybe we know and maybe we don't. Now that is the way to run a successful newsy sheet and we hope and believe this habit will grow on the North Adamsites. We challenge any town in this country to produce a more attentive class of residents this way than we have, Atta Boy!

Don't be afraid somebody will criticise you for advertising your own business—the chances are they will condemn the editor for not getting your item. Remember it is how many items not how we get them that counts.

Marriage Licenses

Ellsworth G. Knowles, Litchfield	30
Esther Werner, same	20
Harley Kennedy, Adams	20
Carma Lester, Waldron	20
Jesse M. Ames, Hillsdale	36
Dorothy M. Vogel, Litchfield	20
Guy O. Henry, Owosso	26
Ethel Rose, Osseo	23
Lloyd M. Wolfe, Orion	22
Elgie D. Henry, Hillsdale	20
Richard L. Marry, Ferndale	22
Ethel C. Smith, Jonesville	19
Sylvan L. Clark, Ohio	22
Ruth Daley, Hillsdale townp.	22

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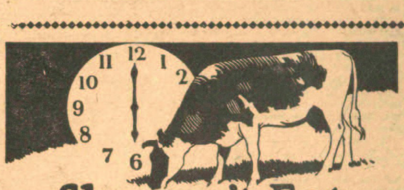

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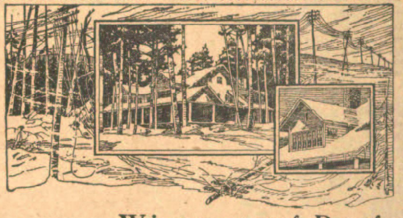

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Ancient Gems on View in Wisconsin College

The oldest manufactured jewelry in the world, ivory, deer horn and stone beads used as ornaments by cave men and women of prehistoric Europe, was recently brought to this country by Alonzo W. Pond of the Beloit college museum, and is now on display there. Besides the beads, which were found in the Cave La Blanchard, department of Dordogne, France, the sharp blades and stone drills with which the beads were pierced are also included in the collection, Science Service says.

In order to display the collection to the best advantage, the various beads have been strung in the form of a necklace similar to the kind which may have been worn more than 20,000 years ago.

Science Wars on Pests

Bad table manners and loud chewing are the undoing of certain insects and grubs inhabiting sacks of peanuts imported from the Orient. Their noisy champing, intensified by means of a newly invented microphone, enables the customs service and pure food bureau officials to detect their presence. The new apparatus is also useful in detecting insect pests in fruit and stored grain.

Modern Church Buildings

Many modern churches have been built to include office buildings. Los Angeles and Baltimore have four each. New York and Detroit come next with three in each city; Chicago has two; Kansas City, Mo., Boston, Cincinnati, Syracuse and Rochester, N. Y., Des Moines and Paterson, N. J., each have a building of this type.

Jazz Silences Bagpipes

The jazz craze has hit the towns in Scotland, where the bagpipe has had to give way to the popular saxophone. The fad came in with an operetta brought over from London and the music stores found an unprecedented demand for saxophones and met it quickly by telegraphic orders to the English cities.

Films in Education

Use of a picture-story method of teaching reading has been tried with 10,000 children in Detroit schools. It is hoped that by this purposeful self-teaching children will make as much progress in five months as is ordinarily made in a year.

Cuticura for Pimply Faces.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum. Advertisement.

English Second Sections

When passenger travel is heavy on English railways and it becomes necessary to run trains in two sections, the first train carries at its rear a sign bearing the letters "A. P. F.," meaning "Another portion follows."

Thirteen Curls Again

A fashion fad of Revolutionary days is being revived. It is the wearing of 13 curls. This fad was very popular just after the republic of 13 states was founded.

Knowledge Is Power

Learning makes young men temperate, is the comfort of old age, standing for wealth with poverty, and serves as an ornament to riches.—Exchange.

Quakes in Philippines

There were 52 destructive earthquakes in the Philippine islands during the first 22 years of this century. —Science Service.

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1—William D. Mitchell of St. Paul taking the oath as solicitor general of the United States. 2—Courthouse at Dayton, Tenn., where the trial of Scopes for teaching evolution will be held in July. 3—President and Mrs. Coolidge greeted by child on their way back from St. Paul, Minn.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Satisfactory Trip of the President to Address the Norse-Americans.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

IT IS likely that President Coolidge never made a more successful and satisfactory trip than that to St. Paul, where he addressed an immense throng at the Norse-American centennial celebration. The journey from Washington was made speedily and in comfort, and the Presidential party was greeted everywhere with cheers. On the Minnesota state fair grounds Mr. Coolidge paid eloquent tribute to the Scandinavian immigrants and their descendants, who have so wonderfully developed that part of the country, and praised their devotion to the basic principles of Americanism.

"Religious liberty, educational and economic opportunity, constitutional rights, the integrity of the law, these do not emanate from the government," he declared. "Their abiding place is with the people.

"They come from the consecration of the father, the love of the mother, and the devotion of the children. They are the product of that honest, earnest, and tireless effort that goes into the rearing of the family altar and the making of the home. When I look upon you and realize what you are and what you have done, I know that in your hands our country is secure.

"You have laid up your treasure in what America represents, and there will your heart be also.

"You have given your pledge to the land of the free, and the pledge of the Norwegian people has never yet gone unredeemed."

In the evening there was a great reception in the capitol building, and then Mr. Coolidge, with the happy assurance that he had made thousands of admiring friends among the Norse-Americans of the northwest, returned to Washington. Mrs. Coolidge and Secretary of State Kellogg were members of his party on the trip.

WILLIAM D. MITCHELL of St. Paul was sworn in as solicitor general of the United States last week, taking the place from which James M. Beck resigned. Mr. Mitchell was a law partner of Secretary Kellogg, and has been a strong supporter of President Coolidge.

CONSTITUTIONAL guarantees of free speech and freedom of the press do not carry the right to advocate unlawful acts for the overthrow of the government, according to a decision of the Supreme Court of the United States upholding the conviction of Benjamin Gitlow under the New York criminal anarchy law. He was convicted for publishing in the Revolutionary Age and advocating in speeches a manifesto issued by the left wing of the Socialist party, and was sentenced to hard labor for from five to ten years.

Justice Sanford, reading the opinion, said:

"It is a fundamental principle, long established, that the freedom of speech and of the press which is secured by the Constitution, does not confer an absolute right to speak or publish, without responsibility, whatever one may choose, or an unrestricted and unbridled license that gives immunity for every possible use of language and prevents the punishment of those who abuse this freedom. That a state in the exercise of its police power may punish those who abuse this freedom by utterances inimical to the public welfare, tending to corrupt public morals, incite to crime, or disturb the public peace, is not open to question."

Utterances advocating the overthrow of organized government by force, violence, and unlawful means, he declared, "present a sufficient danger of substantive evil to bring their punishment within the range of legislative discretion," and "the immediate danger is none the less real and substantial because the effect of a given utterance cannot be accurately foreseen."

Justices Holmes and Brandeis, in a dissenting opinion, held that the measure to be applied in each case was whether "the words used are used in such circumstances and are of such a nature as to create a clear and present danger that they will bring about the substantive evils that (the state) has a right to prevent."

PLANS for the great evolution trial in Dayton, Tenn., are nearing completion and scientists, educators, liberals and fundamentalists and the newspaper correspondents are preparing for the invasion of the little town. John T. Scopes, the defendant, has been in New York conferring with the leaders of the American Civil Liberties union, which has undertaken the general conduct of the defense. It was announced that the trial attorneys for Scopes would be Clarence Darrow, noted Chicago criminal lawyer; Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state in President Wilson's cabinet; Dr. John R. Neal of Knoxville, and Dudley Malone of New York, who volunteered his services. There was a report that Charles Evans Hughes, former secretary of state, would direct the defense or would be called on when the case reaches the Supreme court, as it is almost certain to do. There probably will be an advisory board of scientists and lawyers.

In a general way, the defense plans to endeavor to show first that there is no conflict between the theory of evolution as taught by science and the origin of man as taught in the Bible, and to show the struggle to obtain freedom of thought and teaching since the first days of scientific inquiry. Conviction of Scopes in the Dayton court is expected, but the forensic contest then and thereafter, with William Jennings Bryan leading the forces of the prosecution, is certain to be intensely interesting. And the ultimate result of the case is likely to be of vast importance, so the publicity that is being given the matter is really justifiable.

Incidentally, Mr. Bryan announces that after the Scopes case is disposed of he will retire to private life and devote his remaining years largely to the writing of his memoirs. He does not say whether or not he will cease his real estate activities in Florida.

NEGOTIATIONS between France and Spain have resulted in a plan of combined action against the Riffians in Morocco and extensive operations have opened with a movement by the Spaniards to seize the naval base of Alhucemas, held by the Moors. Thousands of troops and 130 airplanes were being gathered for this attack, and Abd-El-Krim was compelled to withdraw a great number of his best fighters from the French zone to defend the place. At the same time M. Painleve, French premier and foreign minister, flew to Morocco in a plane and personally inspected the disposition of the armies and the plans for action. Though the French policy has been to maintain a defensive campaign to keep the Riffians out of Fez and the French zone it was predicted this would be abandoned for a strong attack on Krim's troops. That leader took cognizance of Painleve's arrival by resuming the fighting along a sixty-mile front extending to the extreme east, threatening the railway from Algeria to Fez on which the French are dependent for immediate supplies and reinforcements.

ACCEPTING the suggestions of the American delegates, the International conference for the control of traffic in arms, in Geneva, has adopted a protocol prohibiting the use of chemicals and bacteria as weapons of war. Many military authorities ask why gas should be banned rather than shrapnel, high explosives and other more deadly weapons.

BELGIUM again won the Gordon Bennett balloon race cup, the pilot Veenstra in the balloon Prince Leopold having traveled from Brussels to Cape Tourian, Spain, a distance of 822 miles. The American balloon piloted by Van Orman was carried out over the ocean and landed on the deck of the ship Vaterland.

KING VICTOR EMMANUEL of Italy is determined to make peace between the Fascisti and their foes of the Aventine, and to the latter he has promised that he will end the present dictatorship and restore a fair parliamentary government in which they can participate. The king's personal popularity was demonstrated by the great enthusiasm with which the people celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ascension to the throne.

WHAT is called the greatest step toward Protestant unity since the time of Luther was taken last week when the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches of Canada were merged into one body known as the United Church of Canada. This comprises 8,771 congregations with about 2,500,000 adherents. The movement has been developing for some twenty years. The Baptists decided not to participate in the new organization.

THE American Students' Relief association, which since 1921 has been distributing aid to the old Russian men of learning whom the soviet government was allowing to starve, has been expelled from the country by the Moscow authorities. Its representatives were suavely informed that their visas had expired and would not be extended. Says one of them: "The only thing left for the old teachers in Russia is to die. Their condition is horrible, and there is no present prospect of relief. Some of them were permitted to retain their posts during the early years of the revolution, but most of them have now been replaced by young Communists who sport the title of professor, but who have a most superficial education."

CIVIL war in China has broken out again with continuous fighting between the Cantonese and the Yunnanese troops at Canton, in the course of which the American hospital and American launches have been hit by shells and bullets. The struggle probably will spread and the Russian Bolsheviks will find their opportunity to support the forces that seek to overthrow the government. In this they may come into direct conflict with Japan. Moscow openly asserts that it is the duty of the soviets to give aid to the Reds of the Oriental republic. The strikes fomented by them in the port cities are growing worse. The Peking government seems to be trying to steer a middle course, placating the radical students without directly antagonizing the foreign diplomats.

Ten or a dozen foreign gunboats are now at Canton. One, the Pampanga of the American navy, was fired on by Chinese troops and returned the fire. Our marines are protecting the American Christian college on Honan island, near Canton.

GREAT BRITAIN and France have reached agreement on the main points of a proposed security treaty, and there is renewed hope throughout Europe. According to an authoritative statement from London, Great Britain will abandon her policy of isolation and become virtually a member of a four power alliance—for it is assumed that Italy will join—to preserve the peace of Europe and guarantee the frontiers of France, Belgium, and Germany as established under the Versailles treaty against violation from any side, and will employ the whole of her defensive forces for this purpose.

The pact will be bilateral, Great Britain undertaking to guarantee the frontiers against unprovoked attack by either France or Germany. But there is an important proviso. The whole pact will be under the egis of the League of Nations, which Germany must join, and any action taken will be under the league covenant.

Though British reservations may hamper France in helping her allies in eastern Europe, the French could not afford to hold out because of this, for after all the territorial rights of those allies are guaranteed protection by the covenant of the League of Nations. There was a fear in England that some of the British dominions, especially Australia, might offer serious objection to pledging the empire's fighting forces in any continental contract which might tie them up in case of a sudden crisis in the Pacific.

Germany, while awaiting the detailed suggestion of a treaty by the allies, still contends that the only method of settling the whole matter satisfactorily is through a new international conference that would take up cojointly the questions of a security pact, evacuation of the Ruhr and the Cologne zone, disarmament, and Germany's entry into the league.

Claims to Have Been Libeled by Dossier

New York.—A secret dossier of the French government figures in the trial here of a $200,000 slander suit brought by Mrs. Marion McAllister Smith, formerly Meredes Leigh, the first actress to play Salome in the United States, against five defendants.

The dossier purported to identify Mrs. Smith as a notorious Duchess de Vallenda who was imprisoned in France in 1906 for embezzlement.

Mrs. Smith alleges that the defendants libeled her in circulating the report.

The defendants are Mme. Anne E. Guerin, former American representative of Madame Millerand, wife of the former French president; George N. Burleigh, an attorney; Barry N. Smith of the National Information bureau; Bronson Batchelor, Inc., a publicity agency, and Roger B. Jenkins, an officer of the corporation.

Mrs. Smith testified that as an official of the American-French league she originated the "poppy day" campaign of 1921 to raise $1,000,000 for French war orphans. There was a rift in the league, she said, and when she refused to join the defendants in another organization they circulated the malicious French government report. As a result President Harding withdrew his support of the poppy day campaign, she asserted.

Mrs. Smith said her efforts to obtain a retraction of the dossier from the American State department and the French ambassador at the time failed.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Owosso—The Shiawassee River here is to be cleaned and improved to permit bathing and boating. The Shiawassee County Sportsmen's Association is raising a fund to be used in removing all debris from the river.

Lansing—The State Administrative Board has voted $8,600 to pay freight on 26 carloads of war relics offered by the United States government and held at eastern ports. The relics will be shipped to various cities of the state.

Grand Rapids—A broken neck did not deter Carl Dallois, 52 years old, construction employe, from leaving St. Mary's hospital after a cast had been applied. He was hurt when a portion of a cement step at his home gave away and he fell.

Lansing—The State Administrative Board has adopted a resolution urging 13 counties to pay taxes due the state. It was claimed by Auditor General O. B. Fuller that the counties have collected taxes locally but have failed to forward them to the state.

Monroe—The city commission has issued an order that all dogs must be vaccinated, muzzled or tied up until October 1, owing to the prevalence of rabies in the city and vicinity. Perry F. Warthen, 80 years old, the dog warden, says the order must be obeyed by all owners of dogs.

Detroit—The directors of the Michigan Bell Telephone company have approved estimates for extensions to the plant in the total amount of $4,335,000. Of this total, $1,425,000 is for Detroit, $250,000 is for Grand Rapids and $1,200,000 covers an addition to the Kalamazoo building and a new central office switchboard for Kalamazoo. The balance of $1,460,000 covers other points throughout the state.

Saginaw—Nine houses and five other buildings were destroyed by fire which swept the village of Gagetown, 44 miles northeast of here, causing loss estimated at more than $45,000. Fanned by a high wind, the fire for a time threatened to destroy a much larger section of the village and was checked only by the combined efforts of the fire departments of five other towns that were called in to help.

Sault Ste. Marie—Freight totalling 11,210,090 tons passed through the Soo locks during May, against 9,872,821 tons during the same month last year, according to the report of L. C. Sabin, general superintendent of the canal. Vessel passages for May were 2,845, against 2,641 for May, 1924. The chief gain this year was in iron ore, of which 8,219,331 tons passed here last month, against 6,629,891 tons a year ago.

Romeo—Romeo was deprived of telephonic communication with the outside world when a building adjoining the telephone exchange collapsed, and was forced to use temporary toll and messenger service, it was announced by the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. Nine pay stations temporarily installed in a barber shop and a fleet of messengers comprised the service. The building was a three-story structure next to the site of a new bank building.

Lansing—Crop prospects throughout the state are decidedly unsatisfactory, according to a monthly report issued by Verne H. Church, federal agricultural statistician, and L. Whitney Watkins, state commissioner of agriculture. The month of May, the report states, was characterized by unusual extremes of weather, temperatures ranging from below freezing to above 90 degrees and the rainfall being the lightest on record. As a result crops suffered severely.

Pontiac—Sheriff Frank Schram, of Oakland county, has given his officers orders to arrest all persons found riding in automobiles on highways here while clad only in bathing suits of abbreviated style. This is in keeping with an ordinance passed by the board of supervisors a year ago, on complaints of several conutryside improvement associations. Bathing parties have made a practice of driving long distances to the lake beaches with no other clothing than swimming garb.

Grand Rapids—To provide means for a complete refinancing within a few months, reorganization of the Michigan Electric Railway is planned, B. C. Cobb, of New Yark, president of the company, announced while in the city as head of a bond holders' committee which is making a tour of the system. The committee is surveying the resources and economic conditions in the parts of Michigan served. The road was forced into the hands of a receiver several months ago.

Detroit—Aerial freight, passenger and mail service between Detroit and Chicago, Cleveland and Dayton, will begin within two weeks, according to George Willens, who announced the organiaztion of Detroit Airways, Inc., and the purchase of five ships to be placed in immediate service. Preliminary plans call for a trip daily between Detroit and each of the cities named, and a bid for transportation of the mail by air, according to the terms of the Kelly bill, enabling the postmaster to let contracts for that work to private companies.

Pontiac—Local fishermen are unable to account for the deaths of large numbers of fish in Orchard Lake. For several days the fish have been washed upon the shores until it became necessary to remove them by the truck load. The sudden change of temperature from hot to cold is believed to have something to do with the wholesale killing of the fish. Last year several Oakland County Lakes lost quantities of fish following a sudden change in temperature. It first was believed that the fish were affected by disease but no trace was found.

Holland—Twenty-one Hope college girls were awarded sweaters and letters by Coach Schouten. To win a sweater girls must hike 20 miles a week, 10 hours indoor baseball, basketball and tennis, 12 hours setting up exercise and electives in volley ball, hockey, canoeing, rowing, skating and swimming.

Pontiac—Assistance of physicians throughout the county has been enlisted for the campaign the last week of June to raise $200,000 for financing the new proposed St. Joseph Mercy hospital. The Sisters of Mercy have to spend $150,000 here, and a site has been donated if the community raises another $150,000.

Lansing—Lansing needs enlarged postoffice facilities, Representative Grant M. Hudson, of the sixth congressional district, told postoffice department officials. He is undertaking to get approval of plans for an addition costing $40,000. The office now lacks lobby space, which will be provided if the proposal is accepted.

Menominee—A freight locomotive on the St. Paul Railroad started out without an engine crew recently and travelled 15 miles before it was found stalled near Bagley, Wis., after speeding through part of Menominee and the city of Marinette, Wis., at 30 miles an hour. Trainmen declared it stopped as mysteriously as it started.

Grand Rapids—Apiarists were summoned by Frank S. Elston, head of a storage and packing concern here, to discover a means of ridding his East Grand Rapids home of a swarm of bees which has taken possession and threaten to oust the Elston family. The village police department, after working for a few hours, gave up the job.

Detroit—The Detroit, Caro and Sandusky railway has petitioned the interstate commerce commission for permission to acquire a line of road extending 50 miles from Caro, Mich., to Roseburg, Mich., from the receivers of the Detroit, Bay City and Western railroad. The line was recently abandoned by the receivers of the Bay City.

Detroit—Colonel William Mitchell, former assistant chief of the army air service, recently addressed the Detroit Flying Club in the Board of Commerce. He was spending a few days with Detroit friends before proceeding to the Texas station he was assigned to after his demotion from general because of his attacks on air service foes.

Little Lake—After shooting and fatally wounding Frank Forcier, 55 years old, in a soft drink saloon, Fred Gardner, 25 years old, barricaded himself in his home near here and held off posse deputies, headed by Sheriff Sam Ford, of Marquette, for more than eight hours, before he ended his life by shooting himself through the head.

Detroit—A municipally owned bridge connecting Windsor and Detroit will cost approximately $12,000,000, it was announced, following a meeting of the special committee appointed to deal with preliminary plans. According to members of the special committee, the proposal of the American-Canadian Transit company to build the bridge has not been favorably received.

Lansing—Dedication services for the Bethel Methodist church, one mile west of the city, were recently held with the Rev. C. O. Hoag, superintendent of the Lansing district in charge. Other Lansing pastors assisted. Church work in the district was started in a school house four years ago. Later the Methodists incorporated and a result just completed their $5,000 structure.

Grand Rapids—Mrs. Benjamin St. Clair, balloonist at Ramona Amusement Park here, owed her life and freedom from injury to her pluck and tenacity, and the agility of a member of her troupe. Unable to make her cries for assistance heard after her parachute had become entangled in the tops of a tall tree, the woman clung to an unsteady limb nearly an hour until discovered and rescued.

Lansing—The Lansing board of education operating under the new anti-fraternity bill will deprive students of their credits in event membership to secret societies is proven. Expulsion from school will be the final recourse taken by the board in the event of defiance by the high school pupils. State Senator Birney E. Brower, of Jackson, is preparing, on behalf of a Jackson high school fraternity, to test the constitutionality of the Turner Anti-Frat law.

Iron Mountain—After eight hours of battling with flames raging in log and chemical plant wood piles one half mile west of the Ford Motor company's plant here, men directing the fire fighting forces believed that, with the change in the direction of the wind, they had the flames under control. The combined efforts of several hundred men and fire fighting apparatus from this city, Menominee, Escanaba and Crystal Falls and the Ford plant were needed to fight the fire.

Ann Arbor—After a half-day search by state troopers and representatives of the sheriff's office of both Washtenaw and Jackson counties, the armed posse, which had been scouring the two counties in search of Frank Smith, colored, escaped convict and "bad man," renewed their search, after a report that a Negro following Smith's description had been seen near Jackson. Smith, who was sentenced to from three to 10 years for assault, escaped from William Gore, a policeman, who was taking him to Jackson prison.

Port Huron—James McCoy, a 13-year-old boy of Harbor Beach, is supposed to have been drowned after he was put into a life preserver and thrown from a sinking rowboat by his father, John McCoy, in the hope of saving his life. The family had gone for a day's fishing on the lake when the boat began to fill with water. John McCoy and his two other children were taken to shore by the Coast Guards and the rescue ship returned to the station before it was discovered that James had not drifted ashore as was expected.

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President, Mrs. Della Holcomb; Vice Pres., Miss Ethel Clement: Secretary, Mrs. Pauline Gray. Treasurer, Mrs. Susie Haight.

Vice President, Baptist Church, Mrs. Mary Westcott. Vice President Congregational Church, Mrs. Kempton. Vice President M. E. Church, Mrs. Rose Marks.

Superintendents

Medical Temperance and Anti Narcotics, Mrs. Bertha Wattles. Legislation and Petition, Mrs. Celia Duguid. Medal contests, Mrs. Mayme Pendell. Child Welfare, Mrs. Julia Mercer. Social Meetings and Red letter days, Mrs. Jennie Othoudt and Mrs. Edna Robins Temperance Instruction, Mrs. Gertrude Young. Flower Mission, Mrs. Sarah Winchell. Press work, Mrs. Laura Walworth. Parliamentary usage, Mrs. Josephine Jones.

JULY 10.

At the M. E. Church

Program Leader Mrs. Bertha Wattles.
Music; Devotionals, Mrs. Laura Walworth.
Roll Call, Patriotic Law Enforcement Quotations.
Playlet, "His Flag and the Country For Which it Stands."
Music.

AUGUST 14

Hostess......Mrs. Jennie Othoudt
Topic, Child Welfare
Roll Call, Scripture Text
Program Leader, Mrs. Julia Mercer.
Devotionals, Mrs. Della Holcomb
Music
Paper, Bible Reading in our Public School an Aid to Good Citizenship, Mrs. Hattie Kempton
Reading, Mrs. Mayme Pendell
Parliamentary Drill, Mrs. J. Jones

SEPTEMBER 11

Hostess......Mrs. Pauline Gray
Roll Call, Famous Women Leaders
Devotionals, Mrs. Susie Haight
Music
Our Responsibility Toward Our Disabled Soldiers and Sailors
W. C. T. U. Rescue work for Girls Mrs. Rose Marks
Reading, Mrs. Bessie Wells

OCTOBER 9

Hostess......Mrs. Della Holcomb
Roll Call, Citizenship Quotations
Topic, Christian Citizenship
Program Leader, Miss Ethel Clement
Devotionals, Mrs. Mayme Pendell
Playlet, "Mrs. Smith Learns the Truth" In charge of Mrs. Lulu Wells
Biography of Miss Anna A. Gordon, National W. C. T. U. President

NOVEMBER 13

Hostess......Mrs. Sarah Stott
Roll Call, Scripture Text
Music; Devotionals, Mrs. Mary Gray
Convention Report
The Menace of Habit Forming Drugs, Mrs. Francelia Duguid

DECEMBER 11

Hostess......Mrs. Susie Haight
Devotionals, Concert Reading of 24 Psalm, led by Mrs. Jennie Othoudt
Paper, "America as World Leader for Prohibition," Mrs. Hattie Kempton
Discussion
A Temperance Christmas Story, Mrs. Edna Robins

JANUARY 10

Hostess......Mrs. Celia Duguid
Roll Call, New Year's Quotations
Program Leader, Mrs. Bertha Wattles
Topic, Health and Medical Temperance
Music; Devotionals, Mrs. Ella Stevens
Address, "Constructive Forces in Our Community," Mrs. Mary Westcott
Parliamentary Drill, Mrs. J. Jones

FEBRUARY 13

Hostess......Mrs. J. Jones
Roll Call, Frances Willard Quotations
Program Leader, Mrs. Jennie Othoudt
Music; Devotionals, Miss Clement
A short Biography of Frances Willard, Mrs. Bessie Wells
Reading, Mrs. Mayme Pendell
Offering

MARCH 13

Hostess....Mrs. Sarah Winchell
Roll Call, Scripture Text
Program Leader, Mrs. Rose Marks
Topic, Legislative Measures
Music; Devotionals, Mrs. Minnie Gray
Union Signal Quiz
Recitation, Miss Ethel Clement

APRIL 12

Hostess....Mrs. Mary Westcott
Roll Call, Scripture Text
Program Leader, Mayme Pendell
"Why should we join the W. C. T. U.," Mrs. Laura Walworth
Music; Devotionals, Ethel Clement
Election of Officers

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Death of Professor C. H. Gurney

Friends here will much regret to learn of the death of one who was so well known and had so many pleasant associations in our midst, Prof. Charles H. Gurney at Los Angeles, California, near his daughter Mrs. Homer Lash. Prof. Gurney went to California about 1913 where he has since resided. He is survived by his wife, two daughters Mrs. Lash and Mrs. Cleve. Westcott of Jerome (nee Ruth Gurney) It is reported that the venerable educator had been in poor health for a number of years and partially blind the last years of his life. We like to designate him as the "grand old man" of Hillsdale College where he spent so many years of his long useful life, coming as he did to the institution when it needed an uplift and devoting twenty two years of time to its moulding. For two years after the retiring of its president, he acted as Dean of the College, and his range of teaching was varied. It would unnecessary to speak of his activities while in this country—they were numerous and fruitful. First of all—it might be said he was a man of the common people; the only aristocracy he believed in was the aristocracy of brains, and many a young man and woman who sought education and advice, found in Professor Gurney a true friend and counselor. At times he found it necessary to place rigid discipline on the student personnel, and of course, this produced some friction, but his wonderful upstanding manhood and single honesty of purpose overcame all criticisms. During his incumbency at the College he was much among the people of North Adams; he had a hand in shaping the destinies of our best young people, many of whom have since gone out in the world in their many chosen professions and can rise up and call him blessed. Not only in teaching but in writing Professor Gurney achieved statewide reputation. He was the author of a text book which is today used universally in the schools of Iowa also in other states.

Mr. Gurney was born in Stanfordville, N. Y., July 17, 1847, and entered Hillsdale College as a student in 1868, graduating in 1873. He went to Iowa and there passed many years as superintendent of different high schools, being in educational work altogether for 48 years. Quite dissimilar from most College professors he was an all round citizen and found time to mingle in city affairs and government being at one time alderman in Hillsdale. As a true speciman of all-round personality he excelled. He had no narrow ideas which come from a long confinement to sectarian pedagogy.

He had no pessimism yellowed and musty from book-lore as we are wont to believe always accompanies long years of professorship along a single line. It can truthfully be said of Professor Gurney "he was quite sufficient unto the day in which he lived, and his glory is written in the Lamb's Book of Life" where centuries cannot blot it out. Would that there were many more of his kind.

Notice!

A few articles belonging to the Anna Pearson estate are left. Inquire of Fred Keefer, next door.
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110,502 More Dairy Cows Needed In Michigan By 1930

One hundred and ten thousan five hundred and two more dairy cows will be needed in Michigan by 1930, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. This number will be required to take care of the normal needs of the state's growing population unless Michigan farmers adopt the double barrelled policy of breeding only from pure-bred sires and then feeding their progeny balanced rations.

An average cow produces about four thousand pounds of milk a year containing 160 pounds of butterfat, the Institute states, or just about enough to meet the requirements of a family of four with milk, butter, cheese, ice cream and condensed milk. A daughter of a high production sire, fed in accordance with the methods advocated by the state agricultural college, will produce around six thousand pounds, and her offspring under the same conditions in turn should not find it impossible to bring her production to the eight thousand pound mark per year.

Should Michigan farmers adopt the advanced practices outlined above, only about half of the 110,502 cows would be needed to supply the state's dairy products needs five years from now, says the Institute, basing its conclusions on figures from hundreds of cow test association reports. Not only would the smaller number of quality cows make twice as much clear profit per cow above feed costs, but their owners would still have a ten dollar gold piece per cow over for good measure.

"Pushed Pig" Most Profitable Says Ervard

Not only is it advisable to push pigs on pasture, but it is the one plan that has been found to be most profitable to the farmer.

Prof. John M. Ervard, swine expert, gave this statement to his class in a lecture before the Radio Farm School of the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. And Prof. Ervard ought to know. For fifteen years now he has been in charge of the experimental work with live stock at Jowa State College. Furthermore he gave the data upon which he based his conclusions.

"Spring pigs may either take the short route to the pork barrel by hitting the market from September to early December, or they may take the long route marketward by getting there around Christmas time or as late as next fall", Prof. Ervard said. If pigs of this spring's farrow go to market in the fall of 1926, they will be practically a year and a half old and classed as heavies. Inasmuch as heavies do not usually sell well as compared to light hogs in the fall of the year, there is not only a discount in price but in addition we have the excessive overhead costs as well as surplus charges. It would seem therefore that pigs should be pushed for all they are worth until on the way to market in the first two late months of fall.

Skimping on pasture is a costly error, as we have found out in our experiments. Pigs on alfalfa receiving a limited ration during the grazing season and which were full fed after the pasture season closed took 192 days to get to the 225 pound weight. Self-fed pigs, however, reached the same weight in 146 days. The limited fed pigs took 402 pounds of concentrates per hundred pounds of gain, 21 pounds of which was tankage, whereas the self fed ones took only 394 pounds. The self fed pigs, too required only 13 pounds of tankage for the hundred pounds of gain,

A Brave Amazon

Near West Point, overlooking the Hudson, is the grave of Capt. Margeret Corbin of the field Artillery of the Continental army, who is said to have been the first woman to fight in battle in the Revolution. For a long time due to the nickname "Molly" Mrs. Corbin's identity was confused with that of Molly Pitcher who served a gun at Monmouth in 1778 when the husband, John Hayes, fell, using her apron and skirts for wadding. For a loug time her grave in the Hudson valley was believed to be that of Molly Pitcher.

In defense of the fortifications of Washington Heights, Mrs. Corbin and her husband, John, worked a gun together, the wife swabbing and ramming, the husband aiming and handling the breech vent and firing fuses. Corbin fell dead at his wife's feet. She called a soldier to do what she had been doing and stepped behind the gun and poured an avenging continuous fire into the ranks of the advancing Hessians, until she fell with a grape-shot wound she believed to be mortal. When the regiment was mustered out Margaret Corbin was commissioned a captain of artillery. The United States had granted her a half pay and the state of Pennsylvania had presented her with a gold hilted sword.

Her only friends were the soldiers with whom she and her husband had served. The regiment had been disbanded on the Hudson river aud she went to the neighborhood of West Point where she died in 1802.

The condition of the hay and all other crops is not so bad as was at first feared. It is always so in Michigan. Tha drought breaks.

WHEN SIGNALS ARE SET AGAINST YOU

Danger Signs Given by Bankers—People With Money to Invest Warned Against Ways to Lose It—The Lure of "Easy Money."

If you were an engineer on a railroad you would not intentionally pass safety signals set against you. To the experienced investor there are similar signals for safeguarding his investments. Some of these signs of danger, issued by the Public Service Committee of the State Bank Division, American Bankers Association, in conjunction with the Better Business Bureau, are briefly indicated here.

BIG RETURNS—It is easy to promise an abnormally high rate of dividends, or large market profits, to prospective investors. Heavy risks usually accompany such lures. They are too often the chief talking points of financial charlatans.

PROMINENT NAMES — Promoters know that the names and endorsements of successful men carry weight. They are often used without authorization. The prudent investor will look beyond names and will investigate.

THE "GROUND FLOOR"—An opportunity to "get in on the ground floor" often turns out to be the same sort of opportunity which the proverbial spider extended to the fly.

INSIDE INFORMATION—"Inside tips" are usually expensive pieces of misinformation. When used as "confidential information" to influence the small investor they are generally of spurious character.

THE FICTITIOUS ADVANCE—Professional promoters often arbitrarily advance the prices of the shares they sell as their campaigns gain headway to create buying excitement and induce new buyers to get in before the next rise. Such price advances are artificial, usually employed merely to "speed up" the unloading of shares.

THE TELEPHONE CANVASS — Irresponsible vendors find it easy to work over the telephone to victimize incautious investors. The cautious investor will not enter into securities transactions by telephone unless he personally knows with whom he is dealing.

THE UNSELFISH PROMOTER — The promoter who "gives his services" in organizing a company or as an officer of it and advertises that he does so, will bear watching.

THE IRRESPONSIBLE GUARANTEE—Irresponsible sellers of securities often "guarantee" certain profits, or even that they will buy back shares when the purchaser wants his money. Promises of this nature are made to create confidence and to lull suspicion. They should indicate to the prospective purchaser a special need to investigate.

"REORGANIZATION" AND MERGER — Unsuccessful companies forced into "reorganization" often call upon stockholders for new funds. Response to such appeals often means merely throwing good money after bad. A conspicuously fraudulent device has been the "merger," by which a new company trading upon fresh prospects and promises, takes over the assets of an unsuccessful venture and issues new stock for old, provided the shareholder pays 25 per cent or so in cash.

THE PARTIAL-PAYMENT PLAN—This helpful method of selling securities has been much abused. People who prefer to buy securities out of their weekly or monthly earnings, are sometimes victimized by vendors of stocks which have little or no value. All honest securities dealers unite in warning the investor to buy on the partial-payment plan only after making sure of the financial responsibility and standing of the firm with which he does business.

THE APPEAL TO PREJUDICE—A chief stock in trade of the unreliable promoter is misinformation which plays upon the prejudices and emotions of prospects. This style of promoter points out supposed "evils" and "special privileges" existing in the world of "high finance." He may urge that his venture is a poor man's proposition, free from the "large underwriting profits which the big fellows get." Usually such sellers endeavor to throw suspicion on others to divert it from themselves.

FALSE SENSE OF SECURITY—"Real estate—the safest security on earth," is the type of slogan under which at times unscrupulous operators endeavor to unload property on persons who want to make an investment, but not a poor speculation. Experienced opinion, supported by impartially-gathered facts, forms the only basis upon which to buy real estate, especially when you cannot see it before you buy.

MINING FALLACIES — Many mining ventures are honest but fail because the promoters are unable to finance the proposition through to a successful conclusion. Many other mining promotions are not good prospects although they may be represented as such. If a small investor wishes to buy mining stocks he can do so by purchasing securities of established mining companies with records of substantial earnings and of dividends regularly paid to stockholders.

OIL RISKS—To almost every one come opportunities to speculate in oil schemes. Very often such offerings are misrepresented. Usually they are sheer speculations, all the risks being taken with the stockholders' money, while the promoters pay themselves handsomely through stock sales, commissions, salaries or "organization expenses." The investor who desires to buy mining or oil securities should get facts and experienced opinion as to issues of established, successful oil companies. Even the legitimate mining or oil business is speculative and depends for profits upon a sound combination of properties, organization, finances and management.

INVENTION DELUSIONS—The general public too often believes that large profits are to be gained through patented processes or devices. Inventions are a fascinating means for separating inexperienced investors from their savings. Even when practical from a marketing and manufacturing standpoint, patents are usually only moderately valuable. The small investor cannot afford to take an "Invention Chance" with his funds.

STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

ON THE SOUND OF WORDS

"Aunt Emmy," said Helen, handing her a letter, "I want you to tell me what you think of this as an investment for that money I have in the bank." Aunt Emmy adjusted her spectacles and read the letter carefully.

"I see," she remarked, "that you are offered debenture bonds in the Blank Manufacturing Corporation——"

"Yes!" cried Helen, interrupting her. "That's what makes me think so well of it. A debenture bond must be so safe!"

"Why do you say that?" inquired Aunt Emmy. "What, exactly, is a debenture bond?"

Helen hesitated while Aunt Emmy looked at her with a twinkle in her eyes. Then she stammered something about security.

"Now, child," admonished Aunt Emmy, "don't get flustered. It's very simple. When you buy a bond, whatever it is called, you loan your money to the company putting out the bonds. The word debenture comes from the Latin word 'debeo,' which means, as you should know if you remember your schooling, 'I owe.' Now, then, if you lend someone money, you would expect security unless the character of the borrower was so high that you would feel safe merely in holding his I. O. U. In the case of a debenture bond you are loaning money on a company's I. O. U. The company offering you debenture bonds does not pledge or mortgage any property to secure the bonds.

"If the company is in good standing, has a high credit rating and is making money, a debenture bond is a good investment. If the company is weak a debenture bond is a risky thing to buy. It all depends on the soundness of the company and not on the sound of the word 'debenture.' As for the company described in this letter, I don't know anything about it, do you?"

"No," admitted Helen reluctantly, "I do not know a thing. After what you have told me I wish I did. How do you suppose I can find out who and what they are?"

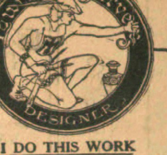
"There is nothing easier than that," rejoined her aunt. "All you have to do is to go down to the bank and ask them to give you a report on the Blank Manufacturing Corporation. They will be glad to look into this for you and will give you some really good advice if you want to invest your money in something safe. Never hesitate about talking to your banker about your financial affairs. He is willing to help you at any time."

BANKERS HELP

Pierce County Bankers Association, Wisconsin, have sent a boy and a girl to the week's Short Course at the University of Wisconsin, all the banks sharing in the expense. The Association is active in boys' and girls' club work.

Eaton County, Michigan, bankers sponsored an enthusiastic dairy-alfalfa meeting at Charlotte. As a direct result of the last campaign, 2,000 acres of alfalfa have been added. A county-wide bovine tuberculosis eradication campaign is being conducted with every assurance that the county will be on the accredited list this fall. Three cow testing associations have been organized.

Richland County Bankers Association, North Dakota, is one of the county associations which has organized to carry out the work of the boys' and girls' clubs and the "alfalfa on every farm" project. This program was adopted at a State banker-farmer meeting at Fargo in February.



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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recordsd in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
usiness Address; Hudson, Mich,
July 24, 1925. 48t13

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage which mortgage bears date May 22nd 1916 in which said mortgage James Elliott and Ella Eliott are mortgagors and John M. Williams is mortgagee and which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County Michigan in Liber 152 of mortgages on page 600 and which said mortgage was on April 17th, 1919 duly assigned by John M. Williams mortgagee to J. LaVerne Cox and Frances E. Cox payable to either or survivor and which said assignment was on April 21st, 1919 recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Hillsdale County in Liber 158 of mortgages on page 187.

The amount of principal and interest and the entire amount of indebtedness now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage is $2571.32 and in addition thereto the statutory attorney fee of $35.00 and no suit either at law or in equity having been instituted to recover such debt and the power of sale having become operative.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgagors premises at public auction at the west (front) door of the Court House in the city of Hillsdale, Michigan on Saturday the 20th day of June 1925 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Adams in the county of Hillsdale and State of Michigan and described as follows; towit;

Commencing at the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15), Town Six (6) South, Range Two (2) West, thence North sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence West ninety five (95) rods, thence South sixty five (65) rods, four and three twelfths (4-3.12) feet, thence East ninety five (95) rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty eight and three fourths (38 3.4) acres of land; Also the Northeast quarter of the South west quarter of said section fifteen (15) except three fourths (3.4) of an acre out of the Southeast corner thereof.

Dated March 23rd, 1925.

J. LaVerne Cox and
Frances E. Cox.
Mortgage assignees.
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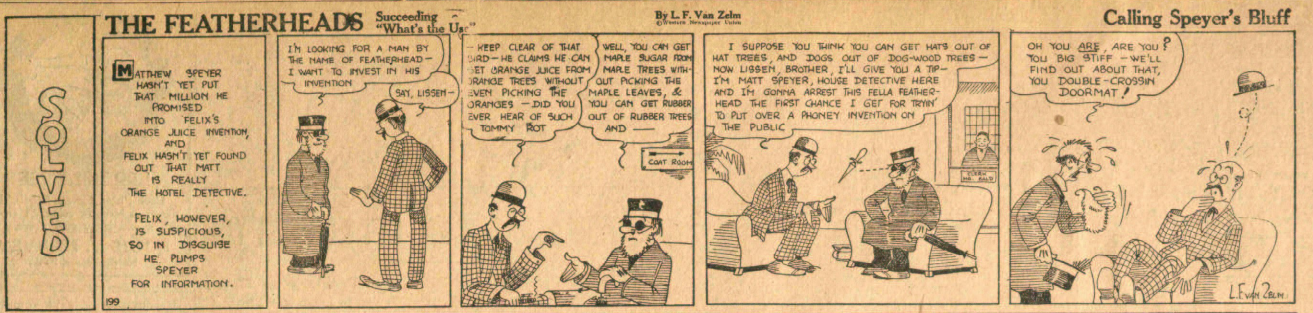
Paul W. Chase, Attorney for mortgage Assignees, Business Address Hillsdale, Michigan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FELIX, HOWEVER, IS SUSPICIOUS, SO IN DISGUISE HE PUMPS SPEYER FOR INFORMATION.
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I'M LOOKING FOR A MAN BY THE NAME OF FEATHERHEAD—I WANT TO INVEST IN HIS INVENTION
SAY, LISSEN—
—KEEP CLEAR OF THAT BIRD—HE CLAIMS HE CAN GET ORANGE JUICE FROM ORANGE TREES WITHOUT EVEN PICKING THE ORANGES—DID YOU EVER HEAR OF SUCH TOMMY ROT
WELL, YOU CAN GET MAPLE SUGAR FROM MAPLE TREES WITHOUT PICKING THE MAPLE LEAVES, & YOU CAN GET RUBBER OUT OF RUBBER TREES AND ——
COAT ROOM
I SUPPOSE YOU THINK YOU CAN GET HATS OUT OF HAT TREES, AND DOGS OUT OF DOG-WOOD TREES—NOW LISSEN, BROTHER, I'LL GIVE YOU A TIP—I'M MATT SPEYER, HOUSE DETECTIVE HERE AND I'M GONNA ARREST THIS FELLA FEATHERHEAD THE FIRST CHANCE I GET FOR TRYIN' TO PUT OVER A PHONEY INVENTION ON THE PUBLIC
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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Ten Reasons Why The Woman's Christian Temperance Union Should Carry On

1. Its work is not done. The conflict for law enforcement may be as long and bitter as for constitutional prohibition. Every local union is a center through which sentiment for law enforcement is made.

2. It is adaptable to the needs of city and country alike and to every nation. Its manysided activities commend it to people of varied interests.

3. It is a training school in reform methods and it has the machinery to promote such reforms.

4. It is a law observance organization. Every member is pledged to obey the law, and because of this basic fact it lays foundations for obedience to all laws.

5. It is a promoter of good legislation and good principles. It emphasize the importance of the use and the right use of the ballot.

6. It is needed to meet the attacks of our organized enemy, and through its official organ to broadcast information throughout the world about the benefits of prohibition.

7. It encourages and helps the women of other nations to do for their country what the W. C. T. U. has done for American women.

8. It is an organization of women of all church affiliations; as such it promotes Christian fellowship and is needed in every community

9. The form of organization is ideal, binding together the women in local, county, state, National and World units. It has been built up at great expense of time and energy and with a sacrificial spirit. It is still needed.

10. It is Christian in origin, evangelistic in spirit, educational in character and an organizized movement for protection to the home.

PROHIBITION WILL WIN

To win will mean a long drawn out battle. To win we must hold high our standard. The future of prohibition in the world depends upon the success of our great social experiment in America. We know not in what form or where we must meet our opponents. Instead of yielding to their demands we answer by calling upon all patriotic citizens to obey the law and upon officials to do their duty in enforcing the law.

It may be necessary to change some social customs to do this, but social customs can be changed It may be necessasy to perfect our laws. It may be necessary to secure better enforcement officials. It will be necessary to change the public attitude on the whole question, but it must be done, and what must be done, can be done, and by the grace of God, the W. C. T. U. will help to do it. Will you join?

"Twentieth Century Limited"

With the departure today of its several sections from New York and Chicago, west and eastbound, the New York Central's famous fast long distance train de luxe, the "Twentieth Century Limited" observed its twenty third birthday and entered into its twenty fourth year of service in providing a notable and historic passenger express service between the two largest cities of the country.

The first "Centuries" made their maiden trips on June 15, 1902, two decades and three years ago. Statistics compiled by the railroad company show that in this period this famous train has carried over eleven million passengars, or a number approximately one-tenth the entire population of the United States, and which would represent the entire total population of New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Cleveland, St. Louis, Boston and Buffalo

Considered as one train, the "Century" has made a total of 16,790 trips in these 23 years and has covered a distance equivalent to 16,118,400 miles. This mileage is equivalent to the "Century" having made up to the present 648 round trips around the earth at the equator and of covering more than 33 round trips between the earth and the moon, which lie 238,840 miles apart.

The "Century's" twenty third birthday today was quietly observed by the New York Central Lines management. All sections of the train, both east and westbound, carried suitable floral decorations in the club, dining and observation cars in honor of the event. Souvenir cards announcing the train's birthday were distributed to passengers in the dining cars of the various sections.

Plan Big Campaign For Marl Digging

Economical methods of digging marl, sometimes referred to as the farmers "white gold", will be demonstrated this summer through many counties of the state by a team of extension specialists from the M. S. C.

The exact itinerary for the marl demonstration team has not yet been definitely set, but it is said that requests have already been received from more than 25 counties for the work. The truck train of marl extracting machinery will probably be on the road most of the summer

Sixty percent of the soil of Michigan needs lime for profitable alfalfa growing, says Larry Livingston, extension specialist with the college agricultural engineering department. Almost half of the area can be supplied with marl more economically than it can with limestone, and one and one half yards of marl which tests 85 percent will do the work of one ton of the best grade of ground limestone

Thirty eight requests have already been made for marl digging demonstrations this year. The college is making every effort to fill all requests. The schedule will start about July first, although it is not definitely made up as yet. Each demonstration will cover four days and will include a complete marl excavating equipment moving on trucks. It is estimated that this outfit will remove from its bed 150 yards of marl at each stop.

Nearly 300 students will be granted degrees from the M. S. C. on Monday, June 22, on the occasion of the sixty seventh annual commencement exercises at the stage college. Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, will deliver the commencement address to the graduating class, which will be the first to receive degrees under the administration of Dr. K. L Butterfield as president of the college. Divisions represented in the graduating class are agriculture, engineering, home economics, veterinary medicine, liberal arts and applied science.

Interest in the Shadukiam Grotto fourth annual Awakening is becoming statewide, according to information received from branches of the Masonic Order in practically all parts of the state, and it is expected that fully 40,000 people from without the city limits of Detroit will attend the showing of "Cleopatra" at the Michigan State Fair grounds, June 27 July 11. Participation in the big annual night show of Grotto will not be limited to Detroiters, according to the show directors, who state that cast members will be secured from other sections of the state. Some of the cities which will come the strongest in numbers to the event will include Jackson, Flint, Ann Arbor, Port Huron and Pontiac. Special patriotic programs of fireworks will be given the nights of July 4th and 5th as added features to the regular fireworks win lup of the big spectacle.

Ontario Is Still Wet

Our neighbors over in King George's domains are still unable to get very far away from old John Barleycorn and the Province of Ontario recently passed the law permitting beer to be sold. The result is that there is a wonderful exodus to Windsor and neighboring villages from the American side of the river. Newspapers throughout the state especially the large Detroit dailies made great scare-heads of this item, advertising it far and wide. Sundays have since the passage of the new law been nothing but sodden debaucheries across the river. While the British nation as a rule is undeniably and hopelessly wet there seems to be a real dry element in Canada which desires better things, but that element in Ontario is as yet in a minority.

It is reported that while a short time ago the highways of our neighboring Canada province were comparatively safe for driving, now they are not. This means that the average American family man who was wont to go across with his car and his family for a Sunday afternoon, will no longer care to take the risk. It is too bad that the American-Canadian governments cannot get busy and form an amalgamation which would result in shutting out liquor entirely on the border states of the Dominion. Our sole troubles of late have been watching these Canadian rum runners and literal millions of tax payers hard earned dollars have gone to establish a patrol on the border land, but results have been far from satisfactory. In a recent paper we read that a certain rum runner who became notorious, but w o a while back decided the risk was too great, and he would quit altogether, had gone into the business again. As long as there is an open saloon at our back door so to speak, we have little to expect of prohibition as far as Detroit or neighboring territory is concerned. Rum running on the Detroit River has become one of the notorious crimes of the world, and excited the ridicule of a nation—all because we cannot bring Canadians to believe liquor is bad. True to their ancestry way back in "Merrie old England" these jovial people will not let go of their love for bacchanalian indulgence. Centuries ago the old English Squire indulged his appetite in ale and heavy beers and no household was considered up-to-date without its decanter of liquors on the side board. All this has come down through generations to our Canadian cousins—a fact which is deplorable when we consider the sturdy true blue character of the inhabitents of Ontario.

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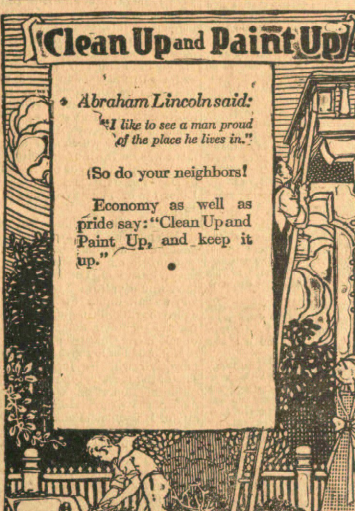
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King Tommy

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"LADY NORHEYS!"

SYNOPSIS. — In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy," and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strongminded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace. Janet Church leaves for Berlin. "Uncle Bill" is again appealed to by his sister to find a certain curate (name not given) who has left his parish in Ireland for a visit to Berlin, and cannot be found. Lord Norheys and Viola Temple disappear from London.

CHAPTER VI—Continued

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It occurred to me at once that Norheys, goaded to exasperation by Cable's conduct to Miss Temple, had gone off with her and got married somewhere.

"Did you," I asked, "find out whether Miss Temple is in London or not?"

"No, I didn't. You surely don't think he's gone off with her?"

"It might be worth while finding out whether she's in London or not."

I went over to the telephone and rang up the Belvedere theater. I asked whether Miss Temple was there and at what hour she might be expected to dance. Someone who was either in a hurry or a bad temper replied that Miss Temple was unable to dance owing to indisposition. He added that if I had taken the trouble to look at the advertisements of his entertainment I should have seen that Miss Temple had not danced for two nights. In that way, so he said quite plainly, I should have avoided wasting his time with silly questions. That was a plain hint to me to ring off and hang up the receiver; but I ventured on another question.

"Do you happen to know if Miss Temple is at home in her flat?"

"No, I don't," came the reply, "and I shouldn't tell you if I did. We don't encourage strangers to run after our ladies."

I told Troyte what I had heard.

"I suppose," I said, "that putting two and two together in the usual way we arrive at four."

"You mean that he's gone off with her?"

"I should have expressed myself more plainly," I said. "I should have said that putting one and one together we arrive at another one. 'They twain,' you know."

"Married?"

"He told me he was perfectly determined to marry her, and I expect he was."

My opinion was that Troyte had driven the boy into marrying rather sooner than he meant to by continuously pushing the Princess Calypso at him and worrying him about the crown of Lystria. Cable, with his attempt at bribery and his ill-timed threats, had settled the matter. But there was no use making things worse for Troyte by telling him that it was largely his own fault. I tried to soften the blow to him.

"I'm told," I said, "that she's a nice, lady-like girl. He might have done worse."

Troyte sat sipping a glass of cognac without speaking. I went on:

"And, after all, it wouldn't have been all joy marrying a Balkan princess. I don't know this Calypso girl personally, but I can't help feeling that a young woman brought up among bearded brigands, with snowy mountains all round, and heavy barbaric jewels given her for birthday presents, might turn out to be what the French call farouche. I don't meant to hint that she isn't a lady; but she may be a bit lacking in serenity."

"I don't believe he's gone off with Miss Temple," said Troyte.

The thing seemed so obvious to me that I could see no reason for doubting it. But the next thing Troyte said startled me.

"The fact is," he said, "that Norheys promised me three days ago that he'd go out to Lystria. He said he'd be ready to start tomorrow."

"Did he say he'd marry the princess?"

"No. He didn't. If you want his exact words, he said, 'I'll have a go at that jolly old crown, Uncle Ned, just to please you.'"

I have never known Norheys go back on his word. If he said that he certainly meant to do it.

"And he promised to start tomorrow?" I said.

"Yes. But he may have changed his mind and started the day before yesterday. I told him that everything was ready. As a matter of fact, Cable has had an agent from Lystria waiting in Berlin for a week, ready to make a dart across the frontier the very moment Norheys arrives. Every one in Lystria is prepared for the coup d'etat. The patriarch and most of the leading nobles are to be in the Schloss Amberg, one of the old royal palaces. Cable has poured money into the country and has got the whole thing thoroughly organized. In fact, he told me that he'd managed to bribe the President of the Megalian republic and three of his cabinet ministers, so that they won't make a fuss when Lystria declares its independence. I've settled things with the French, more or less, that is to say, they've agreed to leave it to the League of Nations."

"Which means?"

Troyte smiled slightly.

"Talk," he said, "and time."

"So you really think that if Norheys has gone there—"

"Everything will go quite smoothly," said Troyte. "But I wish he'd told me he was starting at once."

"And it might have been better," I said, "if he hadn't taken Miss Temple with him."

"I don't believe he's done that," said Troyte. "Hang it all, the boy's a gentleman. He wouldn't go off to marry the princess with that other woman in attendance."

I felt as sure as I could be about anything that Norheys had not gone off to marry the princess. But he might possibly have gone to Lystria to see if he could secure the crown without the princess. He told me he was anxious to please his uncle and to supply the empire with oil.

"What would happen," I said, "if he asked for the crown and refused to marry the princess?"

"He wouldn't get it," said Troyte. "The Lystrians are legitimists to the backbone."

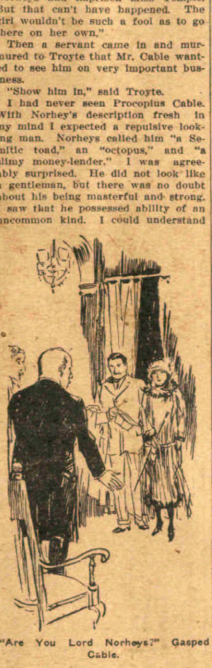
"And if by any chance—I'm not saying that it is so, I'm only making a suggestion—if by any chance Miss Temple followed him there of her own accord, what would happen?"

"I should think," said Troyte, "that the patriarch would probably hang Norheys and imprison Miss Temple. But that can't have happened. The girl wouldn't be such a fool as to go there on her own."

Then a servant came in and murmured to Troyte that Mr. Cable wanted to see him on very important business.

"Show him in," said Troyte.

I had never seen Procopius Cable. With Norhey's description fresh in my mind I expected a repulsive looking man. Norheys called him "a Semitic toad," an "octopus," and "a slimy money-lender." I was agreeably surprised. He did not look like a gentleman, but there was no doubt about his being masterful and strong. I saw that he possessed ability of an uncommon kind. I could understand how it was that Troyte believed him to be an empire-builder. Clive and Warren Hastings, in earlier days Drake and Frobisher, later on perhaps Cecil Rhodes, must have been men of essentially the same sort of character. But looking at the man, it was tolerably certain that he was not by birth an Englishman. He had become English because England is the natural home of men of his type, the only country which has ever understood how to use them. But the foreign strain was unmistakable. It was not Semitic. It was not Latin. I do not think it was Slav. It was something that made him more excitable and more liable to display excitement than a man of our blood would be.



"Are You Lord Norheys?" Gasped Cable.

His eyes were sparkling. His face seemed to shine and his movements were jumpy when he walked into the room. When he saw me he stopped, half way between the door and the fireplace.

Troyte introduced me formally, told him that he need not hesitate to speak in my presence and invited him to sit down. Cable still looked at me doubtfully. Troyte explained that I was Norheys' godfather and knew all about the Lystrian business. Then Cable blurted out the news.

"I came round to tell you," he said, "that I've just had a telegram from Casimir. You recollect, don't you, Count Istvan Casimir is the most influential of the Lystrian nobles. He's my agent in Berlin."

"Yes," said Troyte. "He was to receive Norheys there."

"Everything has gone capitally so far," said Cable. "Lord Norheys arrived in Berlin. Casimir met him. They crossed the Megalian frontier today."

"Today?" said Troyte. "Norheys and Casimir?"

"Lord Norheys and the princess," said Cable. "Casimir couldn't go with them. He wouldn't have been allowed to cross the frontier. The patriarch is waiting for them in the Schloss Amberg. They ought to arrive there tomorrow evening. Next morning the wedding will be celebrated in the Royal chapel. Tomorrow afternoon the coronation will take place."

Cable was excited, wildly excited. He stepped forward, took Troyte's liqueur glass, filled it with cognac and raised it high above his head.

"God save the king of Lystria," he said.

He swallowed the cognac, and, following the best precedents, threw down the glass. It ought no doubt to have emphasized the toast by being shivered to atoms. But Troyte's Persian carpet is soft. The glass merely rolled about a little. I picked it up quite unharmed and set it on the tray.

"I suppose," I said, "that there's no possibility of a mistake about your news?"

"There can't be a mistake," said Cable. "Casimir is thoroughly reliable. The telegram is in my private code, so you couldn't read it if I showed it to you. But you may take my word for it that it comes from Casimir. No one else has the code."

"I don't see any reason to suppose there is a mistake," said Troyte. "Norheys told me he meant to go to Lystria, though I didn't know he meant to start day before yesterday."

"He started a week ago," said Cable.

That puzzled me. I was quite certain that I had seen Norheys less than a week ago. Certainly Miss Temple was dancing in the Belvedere four days before. I saw her there myself. Whatever Norheys had done, she had certainly not left London a week ago.

"Does your telegram say whether there was any one else with Norheys and the princess?" I said. "You've told us that the Count Casimir couldn't go with them. Did they go off to Lystria alone?"

"There was a lady with the princess," said Cable.

"Who?" I asked.

"I don't know," said Cable.

"Some lady-in-waiting, of course," said Troyte. I was more puzzled than ever. I felt convinced that Miss Temple was with Norheys wherever he was. Unless he had succeeded in working out his plan for marrying both of them I failed to see what could have happened.

"I think," said Troyte, "that we ought to follow Mr. Cable's example, and drink the health of the king and queen of Lystria."

He rang the bell. In a few minutes we had a bottle of champagne on the table between us. Troyte filled three glasses. He and I stood up. Cable had not sat down.

"Long life to the king and queen," said Troyte.

"The restored monarchy of Lystria," said Cable.

"Oil," I said, "and plenty of it."

Troyte drank. Cable hesitated, looking doubtfully at me. He suspected that I might be poking fun at him, and that kind of man always hates a joke. I held up my glass and smiled amiably.

Then—things occasionally happen in this dramatic way even in real life—Norheys and Viola Temple walked in.

"Hullo! Uncle Ned," said Norheys, "just ran round, don't you know, to tell you that Viola and I were married the day before yesterday. Did the trick in Dover and ran over to Paris for twenty-four hours. Excuse our not being dressed and that sort of thing. The train's only just in."

Troyte stared at him. So did Cable. Neither of them spoke. I felt it was my duty to break a silence that was becoming awkward.

"Oddly enough," I said, "we were just drinking to your health when you came in."

"Were you?" said Norheys. "Now how the devil did you know? I suppose it got into the papers somehow. What I always say is: It's no use trying to keep things out of papers. 'The marquis of Norheys and his beautiful bride leaving the church after the ceremony, and all that sort of thing. What? With a photograph of some other fellow and quite a different girl grinning at you. I don't know how it's done; but there it is, you know. Anyhow, I'm glad it was broken to you, Uncle Ned. I was afraid it might be a bit of a facer at first. Not that I'm going to back out of Lystria. I always told you I was quite on for that. So's Viola. Viola is as keen as I am and we'll start tomorrow if you like."

"Are you Lord Norheys?" gasped Cable.

"That exact man, and this is Lady Norheys."

"If you're Lord Norheys—" said Cable.

"I don't blame you for not recognizing me," said Norheys. "I expect the photographs you saw in the papers gave me a long white beard or something. But I'm the man, the actual and only original. Do tell him who I am, Uncle Bill. He doesn't seem to believe me."

"If you're Lord Norheys, some one else must have gone off to Lystria with the princess."

"Good old Calypso," said Norheys. "Done a bolt on her own, I suppose. Family chauffeur, perhaps. What I always say is this: If a girl has any spirit it's a mistake to drive her up against the ropes, telling her she's got to marry some fellow she's never seen. They won't stand it, and I don't altogether blame them. Jolly independent, all of them, specially since the war."

"If you're Lord Norheys," Cable said, "who has gone off to Lystria with the princess?"

He spoke in a dull flat tone. Troyte made no attempt to answer him. Norheys put his arm round his wife's waist and winked vulgarly at me. There was a long and embarrassing silence. I broke it in the end with an idiotic answer to Cable's question.

"Unless it's my sister Emily's lost curate, I don't see who it can be." Then I giggled nervously.

Well, well! If this Lord Norheys has married Viola Temple, who's the other Lord Norheys?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Way of the Sex

Mother—What's this I see on your card, Stella, you've been talking again during school hours.

Stella—Yes, mamma, that's the way with us women, we can't be any different, it seems.

POULTRY

RAISING GEESE IS QUITE PROFITABLE

During the past year I have been raising geese and I have found them to be profitable. There is a good market for geese.

In the first place geese require less grain than any other fowl. That is important. The geese derive a greater part of their living from pasture and roaming about, and they get just what they require in the way of feed. In winter it's different. We must feed them, but they do not eat like other fowls; and I have found they will fatten more quickly than other fowls, says a writer in the Indiana Farmer's Guide. The important thing that I do not want overlooked is the fact that the goslings are the easiest of all fowls to raise. That has been my experience of many years past, perhaps ten years or longer. Once they are hatched out, with ordinary care, they will thrive and grow with rapidity to maturity. The thing that is hardest is to get them hatched. I have found so many eggs that were infertile, so I always set plenty of them.

The little goslings will seldom touch feed other than bits of grass until after three or four days. One thing is essential, and that is having plenty of drinking water. They must have this, and require it, for that seems to be their very nature.

The hen and goslings are kept in their coop, where it is warm for the first week. Sometimes I keep them in ten days when it is damp and cold. After that they are allowed all the free range they want, except on rainy days.

The first feed I give the goslings is hard-boiled eggs mixed with milk and cornmeal. That is the best thing in the way of feed that I have ever tried. The milk must be sweet for best results. The eggs may be crushed up, shell and all, and mixed with the milk and cornmeal.

The first month the goslings are fed about four times a day. I have always done this, for while young and growing they require nourishment often, although sparingly fed each time. It is folly to overfeed and it is also injurious.

The breeding birds are fed carefully during winter. I give them clover, vegetables and sprouted oats, so they do not get too fat.

Young Turkeys Require Shelter in Wet Weather

Young turkeys are susceptible to wet weather. One precaution that must always be observed in handling the young poults is to see that they have a dry place where they are protected from the rainstorms, and that they have a dry place to roost.

Turkey hens will lay when a year old if they are well matured. It is probably best to keep the majority of the flock older hens, but it is necessary to keep some of the better young hens to gradually replace the older hens. In this way the flock can be kept in the best of condition.

In feeding and caring for young poults there are as many different rations and methods advocated as there are for chicks.

No food should be given to the young poults for the first 36 to 48 hours. During the first week hard-boiled infertile eggs chopped fine and mixed with equal parts of rolled oats and fed in limited quantities three times a day is a satisfactory ration. Sour skimmed milk or buttermilk is excellent for drinking purposes. After the third or fourth day cracked corn, hulled or steel-cut oats, cracked wheat or other similar grains may be scattered in the light litter or in the short grass outside of the brood coop in order to encourage the poults to exercise in getting their food.

June Is the Best Time to Caponize Cockerels

While capons are produced only in small number where their quality is known, they sell for fancy prices, according to D. H. Hall, extension poultry specialist of Clemson college, who suggests that the month of June is the best time to caponize young cockerels. At this season the market is usually low for broilers and it will pay to caponize cockerels and keep them for capons.

In selling these capons the local market must be developed first. Some of our tourist towns are already providing good market for capons and are paying good prices for them. Several men in South Carolina are caponizing for the farmers, and are marketing their products for them at a small cost.

The operation on the cockerel is not difficult usually, but should be performed with care. If the cockerels are starved out from 36 to 48 hours before the operation, it will help greatly. If the intestines are full of food the operation is very difficult.

Dirty Feet Retard Eggs

When yards and houses are wet and ooze with moisture most of the time, it means cold and dirty feet for the hens. A hen that "gets cold feet" seldom lays the right quota of eggs, and dirty feet make dirty nests and dirty eggs. In cases where a suitable dry location is hard to get, along with other desirable factors, place a three-inch tile even with the bottom of the foundation on the outside, and provide proper outlet for excess moisture.

Right Pullets to Keep

No pullets should be kept that do not develop rapidly and feather quickly. Stunted birds are never profitable. The hen that is to give a good account of herself in the laying house must develop frame and stamina during the growing period, otherwise she will never lay a paying number of eggs. Too many farm flocks are allowed to lag along through the spring, largely getting their own living; and, as a result, the pullets are slow in starting in to lay.

Where to Find Them

"Business morals have improved," said John Van Antwerp MacMurray, the new minister to China, at a Washington banquet.

"There's a story about a ghost, the ghost of an old-time business man. He appeared to his son one day and complained:

"'I've looked round Wall street and studied all the big corporations, George, and I find that there ain't a single business man of the old school left.'

"'Oh yes, there is,' said George. 'Just you give the once over to a few jails.'"

Dogs Still Convey Mail

The United States government employs about 3,000 dogs to carry mail in Alaska, notwithstanding the airplane has recently been put to use in doing in one day what it formerly required dogs two months to do. There are 68 dog mail routes, which are run in relays. The airplane route is from Fairbanks to McGrath and the plane travels in three hours a distance that took dogs 35 days to make.

If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says: "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy has so large a sale."

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Sensitive Seismograph

The seismograph at Volcano house on the great Hawaiian volcano Kilauea is so sensitive that it records vibrations caused by an oil engine in the power houses about 800 feet away.—Science Service.

German Mouth Organs

A sufficient number of German mouth organs are being imported into the United States to supply one instrument a year to every American child.

Just for That

Visitor—"My poor fellow, what are you in here for?" Inmate—"Me good lady, I'm in here for life."

Advice is something that people relish only when it confirms their own opinions.

Mothers' Day Founder?

Though the Mothers' Day International association stoutly claims that its president, Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia, originated Mothers' day, the American War Mothers have proclaimed Frank Hering of South Bend as the "father" of Mothers' day. They insist he agitated such an observance as far back as 1902. Others claim the idea started with Robert Cummins, Baltimore Sunday school superintendent.

Reproducing Forest

Reproduction of a forest of 100,000,000 years ago has been built up by the New York state museum, using parts of actual fossil trees dug from the rocks.—Science Service.

It is important not to fall. It is more important to get up again courageously.

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PERRYSBURG, OHIO

"YOU can be just as healthy, strong and happy as I am,' said one woman to her neighbor after listening to the description of her ailments,—'if you will take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My condition was very similar to yours, I suffered from those awful bearing down pains, weakness, backache, nervousness and headaches until I could hardly drag around. Today I am strong, well and happy because I followed the advice of a friend who had been greatly benefited by this old-fashioned root and herb medicine."

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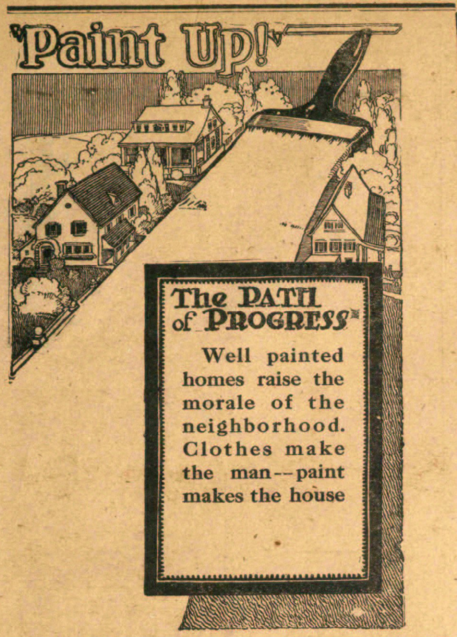

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jonesville

Virginia Andrews is spending the week with friends in Detroit.

Ivanilla Chase is at home from Suttons Bay for the summer vacation.

Mrs. D. B. Gilmore of Toledo visited her sister Mrs. F. H. Curtiss last week.

C, A. Daniels will attend the Maccabee Convention June 22 and 23 at Muskegon.

Mrs. L. R. Noyes of Iron Mountain is a visitor at the Glasgow home on East street.

Mrs. Roy Howard was in Albion Thursday of last week, the guest of Gladys Westcott.

F. E. Freeman and wife of Sycamore Ill. are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. A. J. Marvin and daughter Loraine will attend summer school at Ypsilanti Normal College.

Mrs. Harry Phelps was called to Toledo last Saturday on account of the serious illness of her father.

Donald Wisner who has been in Florida for the past four months was at his home here last week.

Henry Varnum of Detroit spent the week end with his father E. C. Varnum and other relatives here.

W. D. Hill of Crystal Falls was a visitor during the week at the home of Wm Glasgow and wife.

Lorraine Marvin who has been teaching in Pentwater the past year returned to her home here Sunday.

Mrs. Eddeva Davis returned to her home in Ann Arbor Sunday after a two weeks visit with friends here.

Ruel Rawson and wife and Dr. Fred Godfrey were over from Quincy to attend the Alumni Banquet Friday evening.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church went to Leslie on Wednesday to meet with Mrs. J. V. Gibson formerly of this place.

Mrs. Caroline Culver and daughter Mrs. Mae Smith attended the graduating exercises in North Adams last Thursday evening.

The Helen Child's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Wm Danhausen on Wednesday this week.

Harry Godfrey, W. M. Wetmore and Arlington Rodlam attended the meeting of the Bankers Association at the Country club Hillsdale last Wednesday.

Somerset Centre

Rev. Earl Scott was a caller in town last week.

Mrs. Emma Becker is out of town for two weeks.

E. A. McGregor and wife were visitors in Jackson Sunday.

Earl Eggleston and family were callers Sunday on his parents.

Donald Rutan and wife were tn Springville Thursday afternoon.

There was a missionary meeting held at the Pliny Phillips home Friday.

Clare Rutan attended commencement exercises at North Adams Thursday night.

L. A. Mercer and family and Purl Walters attended the funeral of D. A. Curtis.

L. A. Mercer and family were in Hillsdale and North Adams Saturday on business.

J. Smith and wife attended the commencement exercises at Reading Thursday night.

Rant Rutan underwent an operation Friday morning at the Addison Community Hospital. He is getting along nicely.

There will be no church services Sunday as the community have been invited to have their services at the Star Commonwealth School at Albion.

Mrs. G. O. Baker and daughter and husband of Jackson were callers in the neighborhood Wednesday. Elaine Mercer accompanied them home and remained until Sunday.

Jerome

Howard Sawdey was in Hillsdale one day last week.

Mrs. Vern Fouty who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

Marie Kane of North Adams visited Mrs. Mary Kane Sunday.

Eugene McGregor and wife of Somerset Center were in town Sunday.

George Lee and wife and A. L. Crane visited relatives in Jackson Sunday.

Rev. Scott and the Boy Scouts are spending ten days at Round Lake.

Mrs. Merl Morehead spent Friday near Osseo at the home of A. J. Chupp.

Harley Lane attended commencement exercises at Pittsford Thursday evening.

Mrs. Than Linsday and daughter Dorothy were visitors Wednesday at the home of Charley Kies.

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Gerald Fisk and family of Addison, J. A. Patchett and Art Hart and family of Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Walworth and children and L. D. Walworth and family attended commencement exercises at Jonesville Thursday evening.

Through the Boy Scouts, the community presented Rev. Scott with $17 Sunday to be used by the pastor to purchase a Scout uniform.

Senator Jas Couzens of Michigan is one of the real representatives of the American people despite the fact that he is a very wealthy man. The Senator is a Republican who doesn't vote as his party tells him to and in an interview the Senator said that the Republican machine always demanded that he should vote on the side of the "vested interests" and "vested interests" means Big Business and Big Business is hostile to the interests of the farmer and the laboring man. Some of the Republican leaders have been after the Senator's goat because he refuses to do their bidding among these leaders being Andy Mellon former big brewer, secretary of the U. S. Treasury and his friend Cal Coolidge. In addition, the Anaconda copper Co of Montana a corporation worth something like 168 millions is after Couzens' scalp. The Anaconda is the organization which put Prof. Levine out of the University of Montana because he showed how it was wading its taxes so it appears that Couzens of Michigan is having his hands full of trouble because he dares to put principle above party.

Local News

The Dow family reunion will be held at the home of M. C. Dow, June 20.

Grace Smith will leave Monday for a two weeks visit in Detroit and Jackson.

Ralph Miller and wife of Jackson spent the week end with his mother Mrs. Frank Miller.

Mrs. Dora Fields of Hillsdale was a week end guest at the home of her sister Mrs. R. C. Young.

Mrs. Etta Pray, Primary teacher in the schools will spend the school vacation at her home in Jonesville.

The Burger family reunion will be held at the Fair Grounds on Wednesday June 11th. Potluck dinner.

Mrs. Ann Voorhees left Saturday for a visit of some length with relatives at Detroit, Addison and Ann Arbor.

Thayer Jordan of Chicago spent last week in town calling on former friends, and while here was a guest of J. M. Williams.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance.—James I. Post 2tf

H. W. Helmick and wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Goodacre motored to Plymouth on Saturday to visit James Elliott and family. Geo Hackett of Coldwater, brother of Mrs. Elliott. was also present.

The North Adams High School Alumni is again on its feet. The banquet held at the Congregational church on Friday evening last was well attended and a delightful program rendered. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. J. M Williams; sec. and treas., Mrs. Edgar Kempton.

Miss Thelma E. Boyd, daughter of F. J. Boyd and wife of Detroit who received her early training in the North Adams school, graduated last Monday from the School of Education at the University of Michigan. Miss Boyd will take up her work again this fall, after a two year leave of absence, from the Detroit city schools, as a teacher in the English Department of the Western High school.

Young People's Concert

The Epworth League choir will give a concert at the Methodist church on Friday evening, June 26th and it is hoped the effort will be appreciated. The choir has been under the training of Francis Perkins of Hillsdale for a long time and should give a good account of themselves. There will be trios, quartets, and solos. Don't fail to come out and hear some good vocal music.

Death of Ellery Morford

Ellery Morford who has lived alone in Moscow township for some years went to a small knoll near his home to trim an apple tree on Monday. That was the last seen of him until Wednesday afternoon when a neighbor who happened to be passing discovered his dead body under the tree. The supposition is that heart trouble cause his sudden demise. Dr. McFarland of North Adams was called and the body removed to his home to await the coming of his daughters who live away. Ellery was born on the farm where he died March 5, 1855 being 70 years 3 months and 10 days of age. He is survived by one sister Mrs. Langdon of Jonesville and two daughters Mrs. Bertha Brooks and Mrs. Gertrude Brody both of Lawton, Michigan and grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday at the late home at 4:00 p. m. and interment took place in the Blackmar cemetery where his parents are buried. Mr. Morford had been somewhat indisposed from cancer for some years but was able to perform some work.

Death of Samuel J. Anderson

Samuel J. Anderson who lived on Town Line road northeast of this village passed away at 11 o'clock Monday evening at the age of 70 years. He had been indisposed for the past two years, but had been ill only a couple of days.

He was a member of Adams Lodge F.&A.M. and a member of the Methodist church also a highly respected citizen.

Deceased was born in Antrim County Ireland, in 1855 and came to America when he was 10 years of age. He removed to Adams township 17 years ago from Tecumseh.

He is survived by two children Mrs. Anna Smith of Detroit and William Anderson at home besides the widow and grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the late home Rev Selden B. Ford of Maple Rapids (a former Pastor) officiating, and interment was in North Adams cemetery. We hope for a more extended obituary next week.

Children's Day at The Methodist Church

Mext Sunday, June 21st, will be Children's Day exercises at the Methodist church. Following is the program:

Song "The Day We Love" by children's division; prayer; welcome Jean Shepard; "Give Him the Very Best" Hubert Purcell; exercise "Summer Treasures", music, Fidelis Class; "Jesus' Love for Little Children' Leone Rogers; recitation, Ronald Anderson; solo "Little Raindrops" Harry Hill; recitation, Laura Somers; "Loving Service" Wilbur Wertz Floyd Rock; "The Stars" Aileen Roberts; recitation, Dorothy Smith; recitation, Johnny Williams music, Quartet; recitation, Emma Fay Beecher; recitation, Elaine Hutton; exercise, "Why we Love Him:" "When Jesus Was a Little Boy" Edward Caswell; music, Junior Girls; "Three H's" Aileen Wertz; recitation, Bobby Young; exercise, "The King's Diadem" "Progression" Mary Alice Patton "I Wonder Why" beginners; music, Fidelis Class; recitation, Muriel Shambaugh; talk by Superintendent; children's day offering; song, "O, Come Again" Children's Division.

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Death of Mrs. Samantha Harris

With regret we record the death of Mrs. Bert Harris which occurred at the home of her brother Charles Travis, in Hillsdale last week from dropsy. She had been ill for three months and a few days previously sustained a stroke of paralysis. She formerly lived at Saline and was the widow of H. A. Harris who passed away eighteen years ago. Mrs. Harris was born in the township of Moscow December 26, 1850 and is survived by one sister Mrs. Mandana Blackmer of Hillsdale, three brothers J. Bert Travis of Gobels, Chas Travis of Hillsdale and George of Jonesville also a number of neices and nephews. She had made her home in Hillsdale fourteen years and was a member of the Methodist church and Women's Relief Corps.

Funeral services were held at the Travis home in Hillsdale Sunday at 1:00 p. m. Rev. H. D. Henry officiating and interment was in the Moscow Plains cemetery. Pall bearers were Leon Lawrence, Harley Hinkley, Walter Vickers, Charles Kimball, Will Green and Keith Hinkley. Those from away attending the funeral were J. Bert Travis and family of Gobles, H. K. Hinkley and wife, J. Keith Hinkley and wife of Jackson and Melvin Hart and wife o Addison.

Notice!

A few articles belonging to the Anna Pearson estate are left. Inquire of Fred Keefer, next door. 1t2

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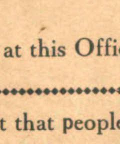

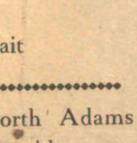

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ROLAND BENGE

AS YOU SEE THEM

He was shabby and old and dirty. His eyes were rheumy from gazing into the depths of too many schooners; he had a rusty cap of summer variety pulled down over his shaggy head. Numerous punctures more or less conspicuous, dotted his time-battered rusty brown suit. 'Twas easy to see he was a failure as far as this world's goods are concerned. The time was early morning in front of the court house in Toledo. The old plebeian ambled with a halting, weakly step which the most unsophisticated could but know was the result of too much "home brew" and "forty-rod." Likely he had taken a fill a short time before and on an empty stomach it worked mighty quick, for he was getting into a state that behooves a man to seek a retired corner and deposit his limp figure. He walked unsteadily and swung his arms like a Dutch windmill along past the McKinley statue coming abreast of the iron flag staff from which streams "old glory." At once the old rounder came to attention and saluted. For about ten minutes the groggy one surveyed the emblem of his country, and during the time he delivered in pantomime an eloquent address but said nary a word. The whole business was done with his arms. The iron benches about the main walk were well occupied by people of all kinds, from the dapper young city official to the bum laborer out of a job, yet not the least attention was paid to the burlesque. It was obvious they had seen the old boy so many times before, he was a fixture. They regarded him the same as they did the McKinley statue and the care-taker who mowed the lawn. After a while the soggy one turned and went his way. "That old soaker—he's been here five years, and had five sober days" they told us. Prohibition where art thou?

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Local News

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Frances Overly went to Flint on Tuesday to visit Helen Sheldon.

Darrel Rock and family of Flint came Monday to visit Fred Rock and wife,

Mildred Rock of Milwaukee is the guest of her parents, Fred Rock and wife.

W. E. Wattles of Detroit spent the week end at his home east of town.

Dr. G. L. Barber of Chicago is spending the week with J. A. Barber and family.

Hugh Blair underwent an operation for removal of adenoids at his home on Wednesday.

For Rent—Good barn in the heart of this village suitable for automobile. Inquire at this office.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Nellie Gray Friday. June 26th. Program and potluck supper.

Rev. Hutton and family returned on Saturday from Flint and Ann Arbor. Mrs. Hutton is not improved in health

Mrs. Kenrick sang "The Saviour's Command" for the offeratory solo at the Congregational church last Sunday. It was very much appreciated.

Town Line Grange will hold a picnic at Durga's Landing, Farewell Lake on Saturday, June 27. Every body invited and bring well filled baskets.

Township meeting of the Boys and Girls clubs will be held next Monday evening June 29 at the Grange Hall. A program of music and a talk by Mr. Matthias.

More than 20 members of Rev. Hunt's S. S. class are enjoying a weeks outing at Baw Beese Lake. Friends of the young people are invited to visit them at the lake any time they can.

Rosene Baker, Morjorie and Frances Young Clark Pierce and Lawrence Wilcox motored to East Lansing Friday to attend parties given by the Trimoria and the Union Lit Fraternities. Marion Pierce accompanied them home,

Mrs. L. W. Meeks and daughter Margaret, and M. N. wolcott and wife attended the Culver family reunion held at Ella Sharp Park in Jackson Saturday. They report a good time as the day was ideal and a goodly number present

Roland Painter and wife motored to Duck Lake last Sunday in company with Mrs. J. S. Bard of Lansing, Mrs. Annie Stafford and grand son, Joe Sam of Cecil, Oklahoma. The latter were week end guests at the Frank Painter home.

Harold Kenrick received word from parties in Philadelphia on Thursday informing him that a position was open there, and accordingly he left on Thursday evening for that city where he will be employed during the summer.

Kathleen McFarland and Jean Young are at Hemlock Lake for a few days enjoying the advantages of an outing at the Y. W. C. A. camp established for girls. The young ladies are all under chaperones and have capable instruction in swimming and other amusements

Claire Ditto was brought to Dr. McFarland's office Monday suffering from severe bruises of the abdomen which were sustained when he was thrown from a wheel scraper upon which he riding. The scraper became unhooked and righted itself causing the heavy iron hook to strike Ditto's stomach with considerable force.

The Missionary meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Holcomb July 1st 1925. Program Leader, Grace Williams. Devotional Topic, Shepherding the Flock, Miss French. Summer Story. "Christmas at a Mission Station", Grace Williams. "The Story of Lady Diong", Lizzie Holcomb. Mystery Box. Mrs. E. S. Knowles.

L. D. Ford and wife left on Monday for an extended trip to Wisconsin and Minnesota which will last for three weeks. They go first to Trempelau, Wisconsin to visit relatives, later to Stockton and Kandiyohi Minnesota, returning by the way of northern Michigan and the Straits of Mackinaw, a trip right around 800 miles.

Those from away who attended the funeral of Samuel J. Anderson were as follows: Thos Elliott., Thomas Murphy, William Wallace and wife, Hugh McElroy and wife all of Tecumseh; Alex. Gibson and wife, Mrs. Louis Feldman, Mrs. Charles Brown, Joseph Wiggins and wife, William Swick and wife of Britton D. J. Curtis and wife of Ridgway; James Murphy, Russel Smith and wife of Detroit, Fred Null and family of Montgomery.

Mrs. Kittie Huff who has been quite ill, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. J O Totten who has been quite ill, is not improving as her friends could wish.

Born to Grover LaFollette and wife of churchs corners Wednesday, June 23rd, a son.

D. B. Garlinghouse was in Pioneer O. last week to visit his daughter Mrs. L. L. Hill and family.

Mrs. Frances Rickerd of Ann Arbor is visiting friends and relatives in North Adams and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoffman of E. Chicago who accompanied Charles Tiffany and family here, are visiting here.

Mrs. L. H. Edinger and children Clare and Bernita returned Sunday from a visit with relalives at Frontier.

Mrs. R. F. Culver and daughter Percibelle Young of Jackson are spending the week with E. S. Knowles and wife.

Charles Stranger who has been at Hillsdale Hospital for an operation returned home Thursday much improved in health

Mrs. A Dietz is somewhat improved at this writing, and is being cared for by a trained nurse from the Addison Hospital.

For Sale—House and two acres of good land in Moscow township. 4 miles northwest of North Adams Inquire of John Crapser. 4t3

Rev. and Mrs. W. I. Welden of Jonesville were pleasant callers Tuesday afternoon at the home of M. D. Carrel and wife.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance.—James I. Post 2tf

Mrs. Kate Burger of Toledo who came to attend the Burger reunion last week remained for a visit with her sister-in-law Mrs. Bertha Stranger.

The Missionary Union of the Congregational church will be held at the home of Mrs. Giles Stevens on Wednesday afternoon, July 1st at two o'clock.

Cottage prayer meeting will occur next Tuesday evening at the home of George Ruffner on West Main street. This is strictly undenominational and all are invited.

The annual Moving Picture program which the village will run this summer, will begin Wednesday evening, July 1st, and will continue each Wednesday evening thereafter All are invited, and the show is absolutely free.

Leslie Phelps and family and Mrs Lois Welch of Troy Mich. visited with Mrs. George Rock and family over the week end. The Phelps family accompanied by Ruth Rock will visit friends in Flint and Helen will remain here for some time.

FARROW CHIX WORLDS' GREATEST SELLERS—In 100 lots postpaid your door. Barred Rocks, S. C. Reds, Anconas $9.50 White Rocks, Rose Reds $10.50; Wyandottes. Minorcas, Buff Orp., $11,50; Leghorns $8.50; Assorted. $6.50., FARROW CHICKERIES Indianapois, Indiana 4t4

Those from away who attended the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Tiffany were: Charles Tiffany and family of E. Chicago, Frank Tiffany and family of Angola, Mrs. George Grimsby of E. Chicago; Clyde Haskell and wife of Toledo. Friends were present from Jackson, Albion, Hillsdale, Coldwater, Litchfield, Jonesville.

Our local contractor, Arthur J. Hoffman, has pulled down another contract for constructing a gravel road from Pittsford south to a point west of Waldron, a distance of eight and one-half miles altogefher. It will be a connecting link between Pittsford and Waldron joining M-34 at Pittsford. The contract calls for a sixteen foot top and nine feet of gravel and will cost $79,613.50.

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Congregational Church Calendar

Virgil A. Hunt, Pastor

"The Light of the World" will be the subject for next Sunday's service. You are all invited to hear this series of discourses on some of our great paintings. Children's Day exercises will be held this Sunday during the Sunday school hour.

You are welcome to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. Reiser, Pastor

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methotdis Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evenin Worship 7:30

Obituary

Joseph Elery Morford was born in Moscow township, the only son of Garret and Eliza Morford, March 5, 1855, and died at his home June 15, 1925, being 70 years, 3 months and 10 days old. He was married to Millie Langdon March 4, 1879, and to this union were born two daughters, Mrs. Bertha Brooks and Mrs. Gertrude Brody of Lawton, who survive. He also leaves one sister, Mrs. Mary Langdon of Jonesville, nine grand-children and other relatives.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all who assisted us in any way in our recent sorrow.

The Family of
J. E. Morford

Obituary

Samuel J. Anderson, son of William and Eliza Anderson, was born in Ballymena, Antrim county, Ireland January 30, 1855, and departed this life at his home near North Adams, Michigan, Monday, June 15, 1925, at the age of 70 years, 4 months and 15 days.

He spent his early boyhood at his home in Ireland, coming to America at the age of ten years in company with father, mother and four sisters, settling near Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan. He was married Dec. 3, 1885, to Maria Wallace who was also from Antrim Co. Ireland. Two children were born to this union—William W. Anderson and Anna L. Anderson Smith.

He moved to the vicinity of North Adams in 1908, where he spent the latter part of his life. He was converted to the christian faith in the year 1897 by Rev. Hartley Cansfield at Ridgway. Michigan. He joined the Methodist Episcopal church and proved himself a loyal and consistent worker in the Kingdom, faithful to the end.

He is survived by his wife, Maria Anderson. son, William W. Anderson of this place, a daughter, Anna L. Smith of Detroit, Michigan and four grand-children, also four sisters Mrs. Thomas Murphy and Mrs. Thomas Elliott both of Tecumseh, Mrs. Nancy Boyd of Monroe and Miss Ellen Anderson of Chicago, besides hosts of more distant relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 18, 1925, at his late home in Adams township, Rev. S. B. Ford of Maple Rapids, Michigan, having charge of the services and he was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery north of North Adams where he awaits the call of his Master.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly helped us during the illness and death of our loved one, and for the beautiful flowers and to Rev. Ford for his comforting words

Mrs. Samuel Anderson and Family
William Anderson and Family
Russell Smith and Family

Death of George Travis

George R. Travis, aged 78 years, died at his home in Moscow township at one o'clock Saturday, June 20, having been ill for several months. He was born in the township of Hillsdale Sept. 26, 1856, and passed his entire life in the vicinity

He is survived by the widow one daughter, Mrs. Anah Kimball, one sister, Mrs. Mandana Blackmer and two brothers, Charles of Hillsdale, J. Bert, of Gobles.

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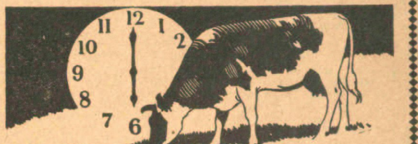

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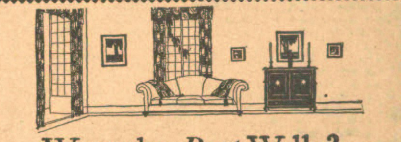

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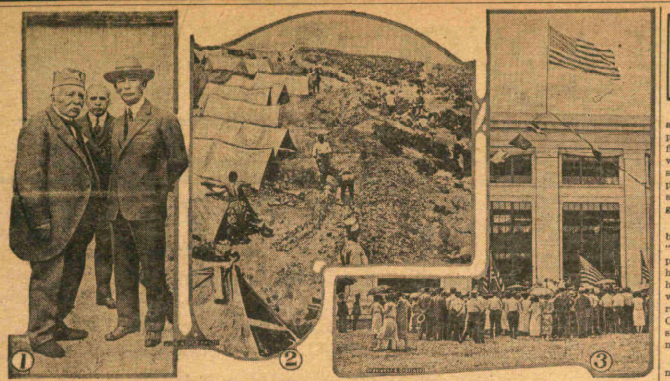


1—Col. E. M. House visits former Premier Clemenceau in Paris; Stephen Bonsal in background. 2—French colonial troops putting up shelter tents on the Wergha front in Morocco, where there was desperate fighting. 3—Secretary Wilbur speaking at Navy department's Flag day ceremonies.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Amundsen Returns, Not Having Reached Pole—Death of LaFollette.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

CAPT. ROALD AMUNDSEN and his companions have returned safely to Spitzbergen with one of the two planes in which they attempted to fly to the North pole. They were gone just four weeks and drove their planes to within less than 150 miles of the pole. Then, with their supply of petrol half gone, they started back, but found it necessary to descend in a lane of open water. The ice closed in on them quickly, but by desperate work they managed to extricate one of the planes and to prepare it for further flight. This took twenty-four days, and then the whole party started southward in the one plane. With good luck they reached North cape in eight and one-half hours and there a vessel was sighted which carried them back to Spitzbergen.

Though he failed in reaching the pole, Captain Amundsen was favored by fortune, for the time consumed in getting the plane out of the ice had used up about all the party's provisions and they could not have made the long trip to the edge of the ice fields on foot. So if the plane had failed them at last, they must have starved or frozen to death. It is believed Amundsen will soon make another attempt to fly to the pole.

ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE, United States senator from Wisconsin and the great fighting leader of progressives and insurgents in American politics, is dead. He passed away in Washington, the immediate cause of death being heart failure following an attack of bronchial asthma. He had been failing for a long time, however, and had been confined to his bed for a month on account of bronchitis and angina pectoris.

At the senator's bedside were Mrs. LaFollette, their two sons, Robert M., Jr., and Philip, and their two daughters, Mrs. George Middleton and Mrs. Ralph Sucher. They took his body back to his home in Madison, Wis., for interment on June 22. Mrs. La-Follette received from President Coolidge a letter of condolence, and like messages poured in from all parts of the country. Whatever men thought of LaFollette's policies, none could deny his great public services and indomitable courage. As Vice President Dawes said, he will be greatly missed from our national life.

NO, WE are not going to have another war with Mexico. At least, not in the immediate future. But we are going to continue to insist that Mexico recognize American rights in that country and indemnify Americans for their properties seized under the agrarian law. President Coolidge and his advisers have been considering just what steps should be taken, but there is not yet any information as to what they decided.

Relations with Mexico were brought sharply to public attention by a statement which Secretary of State Kellogg gave out, in which he warned our southern neighbor that she was on probation and must protect American lives and property and fulfill her international engagements and obligations. It appeared that Washington had been exchanging notes with Mexico for some time and Mr. Kellogg apparently thought it wise to let the public know something of the administration's policy. President Calles came right back at him with a red hot statement which was not only defiant but almost threatening. He said Mr. Kellogg's statement was incorrect and contradictory, and offered proofs that Mexico was conscious of its obligations and determined to comply with them. He continued:

"If the government of Mexico, as affirmed, is now on trial before the world, such is the case with the government of the United States as well as all those of other countries; but if it is to be understood that Mexico is on trial in the guise of a defendant my government absolutely rejects with energy such imputation which, in essence, would only mean an insult."

In Washington the Calles note was construed as mainly for home consumption and the administration ignored it officially. It was intimated that Calles would be given a few more weeks to act satisfactorily on American claims, and if he failed, a note of considerable vigor would be sent. Ambassador Sheffield has been in Washington for some time conferring with President Coolidge and Secretary Kellogg, and it is not known whether he will return to his post.

Calles was not the only one who didn't like Mr. Kellogg's statement. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, told the secretary he feared it might encourage revolutionaries in Mexico, and he gave out a warning that American labor would not support a "policy savoring of dollar diplomacy." Senator Swanson of Virginia, ranking Democrat on the foreign relations committee of the senate, declared he disapproved of Mr. Kellogg's way of handling the situation and said it "offered serious possibilities for the United States." Down in Buenos Aires, Argentina, the president of the Latin-American union issued a statement for that body condemning the attitude of the United States toward Mexico as expressed by the Kellogg statement, as showing "that want of respect for the sovereignty of our peoples which is characteristic of the White House." The fervent sympathy of the Latin-American union was extended to Calles.

FOREIGN diplomats and Chinese delegates who met in Shanghai to try to bring about a settlement of the disturbed condition gave up the task and dispersed, the foreigners finding it impossible to accept the conditions imposed by the Chinese. The latter presented a lot of demands that were not directly connected with the occurrences that brought about the conference. The powers are apprehensive of serious eventualities, and have delivered to China another note calling attention to the growth of antiforeign sentiment and subversive tendencies and warning the government of the heavy responsibility incurred. In response the government has begun a roundup of radicals and a number of executions have been ordered. The great strike at Shanghai, which has been waxing and waning intermittently, may be called off any day, the foreign settlement authorities having agreed that if it is, the naval contingents will be removed, the volunteer corps demobilized and indemnity paid the families of the Chinese killed during the rioting. They insist that the Chinese chief of police be punished for permitting antiforeign propaganda.

Communist agitators, who are certainly receiving support from Moscow, continue to stir up all the trouble they can, concentrating their efforts largely on creating sentiment for the expulsion of all foreigners, especially the British and Japanese. Several Englishmen have been wantonly murdered and others assaulted, the plotters seemingly wishing to bring on a speedy crisis. It is reported the Japanese minister at Peking, hearing that the troops of Feng Yu-Hsiang, the Christian general, were about to join he radical students and establish a commissar government, asked Gen. Chang Tso-lin to occupy the city. The Manchurian commander thereupon started an army of 13,000 toward Peking with the avowed intention of supplanting Feng's troops and protecting both the government and the foreigners. Travelers from Siberia report seeing several trainloads of artillery and ammunition on the way from Russia to supply General Feng.

FRANCE'S reply to the German security pact proposal has been received in Berlin, but at this writing has not been made public. It is said to reject the plan for a general European security treaty and to urge Germany to make separate treaties of arbitration with all contiguous nations. Italy declined to adhere to the French note "until the exact scope and significance of the guarantee is more clearly defined." The Germans expect the exchange of notes will result in another international conference.

Meanwhile France is worried by the progress of two distinct movements in the restored provinces, Alsace and Lorraine. One is for autonomy and the other for complete secession from France. The leaders of the latter are Germans, but many of the inhabitants are in sympathy with it because of the recent fight made by the Catholics there against the establishment of public schools.

THE international conference on the control of the traffic in arms and munitions came to an end Wednesday. Eighteen countries signed the arms traffic convention, and twenty-seven signed the protocol by which the use of bacteria and poison gas in warfare was outlawed. Persia had previously withdrawn from the conference because it was decided that Persian vessels in the Persian gulf might be searched for arms.

LIEUT. COMMANDER DONALD B. MACMILLAN'S expedition to the arctic regions made its formal start from Boston when he and his party sailed in the steamer Peary for Wiscasset, Maine. There they were joined by the steamer Bowdoin, and the two vessels left Saturday for the far north. The ceremony of departure from Boston was made a part of the city's celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, so there were speeches and the booming of cannon and the shrieking of whistles.

The Amundsen expedition having returned safely to Spitzbergen, there is nothing to divert MacMillan from his original plan, which is to explore the vast expanse of land known as Crocker land.

PLEAS of guilty have been entered by fifty of the fifty-six furniture manufacturers recently indicted at Chicago under the federal anti-trust laws and fines ranging from $5,000 down to $1,000 were imposed. This was done by agreement with the prosecution. The firms were charged with actually being a furniture trust, artificially maintaining prices.

EVERYTHING was prepared last week for the departure of President Coolidge and his household on June 23 for the summer White House at Swampscott, Mass. It was announced that the Chief Executive would have a real vacation—that he would receive but a few visitors and everyone who wished to call on him must first interview his secretary in Lynn, where the temporary executive office would be maintained. There will be a guard of marines about White Court to insure privacy for Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge. The yacht Mayflower will be kept nearby so they can enjoy short cruises.

ONE of the worst railway disasters of recent years occurred near Hackettstown, N. J., when a special train on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western road was wrecked as a result of a storm that washed gravel upon the tracks. Forty-four persons lost their lives and many others were hurt. Most of the passengers were German-American residents of Chicago and vicinity who were on their way to Europe on a summer excursion.

EARLY in the week the Riffians recaptured the important fortress of Bibane from the French, and Premier Painleve, after his visit to the scene of war, told the chamber of deputies that Abd-el-Krim was able to conduct a strong offensive because of his previous victories, the help of adventurers from European armies and the assistance from other Moslem nations, particularly. Painleve said the French plan was to adopt blockade tactics, which would make the Riffians unable to continue hostilities more than a few months.

ANOTHER great leader of organized labor has passed away. Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers for many years and one of the best financiers in labor's ranks, died in Cleveland after a long illness. Among other notable persons who died last week were Julius Kruttschnitt, noted railway man who recently retired as directing head of the Southern Pacific company; and Emanuel L. Philipp, three times governor of Wisconsin.

Chinese Allege "Fox Devil" Is Incendiary

Foochow, China.—The hu-ti-ma has been busy in the provincial capital of Fukien, where electric lights, auto busses and modern education have gone a long way toward banishing ancient superstitions.

Hu-ti-ma is Fukienese for "fox devil" and signifies a certain evil spirit which is held responsible for many mysterious troubles in and around native homes. Three disastrous fires in recent weeks are attributed to its machinations.

One which started in the Anhui guild hall in the center of the city caused a panic because of its proximity to wealthy shops and homes. The next day an accusation was made before one of the officials of the city against the owner of an old-clothes shop near the guild hall.

In the bill of particulars it was alleged that on the evening of the fire two cats were fighting on the roof of this shop, and that they fell into the "heaven well" or area. Certain clerks in the shop, seeing that one was a very large cat with long white fur, killed it with the idea of selling the pelt. It transpired, however, that the cat was not a cat but a hu-ti-ma, and that in revenge its spirit set fire to the guild hall.

There is said to be a question whether the native fire insurance companies involved will pay the claims growing out of the fire or dispute them on the grounds that the fire was "an act of God."

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Detroit—A squadron of Detroit aviators headed by George W. Hopkins, president of the Detroit Flying Club, flew to Lansing recently to lunch with Adjutant General John S. Bersey. They hope to get Bersey's support in their effort to have the air squadron of the Michigan National guard stationed in Detroit.

Detroit—In the most sensational bank robbery since the notorious "Campus Martius job" of 1921, the police captured four bandits red handed but not before the bandits had shot a patrolman to death and wounded a little boy spectator. The robbery occurred in a branch of the Central Savings Bank at 6000 Chene street, at the corner of Harper avenue.

Lansing—The school census here nearly completed indicates that the city's population is in the neighborhood of 70,000, and not 80,000 as had been hoped. A population of 80,000 would give Lansing four more representatives on the Ingham county board of supervisors. The count of children, which has been completed, shows that 1,533 of school age reside in the city.

White Cloud—Hopelessly deadlocked after 23 hours of deliberation, the jury that, since May 25, has been trying Mrs. Alice Dudgeon for the murder of Romie Hodell was discharged by Judge Harry J. Dingeman, without having agreed upon a verdict. The disagreement is regarded by Newaygo county authorities as meaning the end of the prosecution of the 64-year-old swamp country woman for the slaying of her son-in-law.

Ann Arbor—Regents of the University of Michigan have approved a budget of $6,763,274.30 for the institution during 1925 and 1926. Appointment of a president to succeed the late Marion LeRoy Burton was postponed until the opening of the fall school semester with the request made of Acting President Alfred H. Lloyd, that he retain his present post "until October 1, 1925, or until further action by the board of regents."

Rochester—Fred M. Shinnick, wealthy Rochester man, connected with Briggs Manufacturing company, of Detroit, has turned over his recent $20,000 purchase of the historical Curry property here to the Women's club for a community house. At his own expense, Shinnick will put in a new heating plant and completely over-haul the building and will pay the up-keep and overhead. The changes will involve an expenditure of $40,000 or more.

Albion—The inauguration of Dr. John Lawrence Seaton, following one year of active work here, as the seventh president of Albion college, and the dedication of the Stanley S. Kresge gymnasium were outstanding events of the sixty-fourth commencement of the Methodist state college. A distinguished company of educators, added to the crowd of alumni and former student and townspeople, attended the inaugural ceremonies at the first Methodist church.

Calumet — Edward Erickson, 40 years old, fell 5,300 feet to his death down No. 5 Tamarack Shaft of the Calumet & Hecla Consolidated Copper Co. mine here. This is the world's deepest vertical shaft. According to old time miners this is the first time that a man's body has ever fallen the full length of No. 5 shaft, which is 20 feet more than a mile. Erickson was at work testing staging at the mouth of the pit and was standing on timber when his supports gave way suddenly and he dropped into the shaft.

Greenville—Following a week of investigation subsequent a coroner's inquest, Albert Beck, local resident, is under arrest, charged with assault with intent to murder, in connection with the death of Henry VanHorn, 79 years old, who died in a local hospital June 3. Death of the aged man was at first attributed to heart failure, but rumors of a fight between Beck and VanHorn just prior to the latter's death caused Deputy Sheriff Frank Sutherland to halt the burial of VanHorn June 6, and a coroner's jury was ordered by County Prosecutor John B. Lewis.

Alma—Announcement of a gift of $45,000 to Alma college, by Mrs. John F. Dodge, of Detroit, for a memorial to John F. Dodge, by President H. M. Crooks, was a prominent feature of the commencement exercises, as the largest class in the history of Alma college completed its college work. President Harry M. Gage, of Coe college, Cedar Rapids, Ia., gave the address, "The Responsibilities of Leadership," to the graduates, calling attention to those factors, intelligence, morality, great purpose, profound convictions, patience and personality, he said were needed.

Pontiac—The Butterfield theatrical interests have announced that they have purchased the Oakland theater building in Pontiac, the city's largest amusement house, and would take over the property July 1. The house is now operated by the Kleist Amusement Enterprise, Inc., which holds a lease. The building was sold by the Oakland Theater company, of Detroit, subject to the lease. The Butterfields announce that at the expiration of the lease they will remodel the building and put in a movie and Keith vaudeville house.

Grand Rapids—A thrill not on the schedule of sensations planned by Captain Charles Nungesser, famous French ace, and victor of 105 air battles during the war, was given a throng watching him make his initial stunt flight here, when he lost a wheel from his landing gear. Two other pilots took to the air and warned him. Deciding to risk landing, Nungesser glided to the field. His right arm was broken and one wing of the plane crushed, but by skillful flying he had avoided losing his life and found smiling beside the plane.

Mt. Clemens—A more intensive patrol of Macomb County roads was forecast here when the county board of supervisors authorized the purchase of four new motorcycles for the staff of riders employed by Sheriff George T. Smith.

Lansing—Fifty-five seniors at the Michigan State college have received commissions as second lieutenants in the United States army officers reserve corps as the result of their completion of four years' military work at the college.

Allegan—Mrs. Peter Berggren, wife of a merchant at Kellogg, six miles east of Allegan, was badly burned about the face, neck and arms when a gasoline stove in her home exploded. The home was destroyed by the fire that followed.

Ypsilanti—The new tax valuation of Ypsilanti has been fixed by the board of review at $10,605,145, an increase of more than 17 per cent over last year when it was $9,016,095. The budget for the coming year calls for the expenditure of $197,950.

Adrian—This city is inviting all former residents to return to Adrian June 28 to July 4 for the centennial celebration. Mayor Herbert R. Clark signed a proclamation address to "all persons of Adrian blood living away from their mother city" to attend the exercises.

Monroe—The city commission has issued an order that all dogs must be vaccinated, muzzled or tied up until October 1, owing to the prevalence of rabies in the city and vicinity. Perry F. Warthen, 80 years old, the dog warden, says the order must be obeyed by all owners of dogs.

Lansing—A complete schedule of proposed increases and decreases in telephone rates which was filed with the State Public Utilities Commission by the commission's engineers, shows that aside from Detroit, Bay City and Saginaw only five Michigan communities have been listed for decreases.

Monroe—Twelve of the surviving 55 members of the famous old Seventh Michigan Volunteer infantry held their thirty-ninth annual reunion here at the Park hotel. Major Robert C. Knaggs, 90 years old, Evanston, Ill., president, presided and Mrs. Creighton Crawford, Oxford, was the secretary.

Holland—John Baird, director of the State Department of Conservation, is preparing to take action against three industrial concerns of Holland to compel them to cease the pollution of Black Lake, it was said here. The State Health Department, it was explained, has complained of the condition of the lake, which is surrounded by a large summer resort.

Jackson—George Burben and John Mason, prisoners working at the Chelsea cement plant of the State Prison, escaped and were still at large. Burben was sentenced from Detroit March 22, 1924, to serve from five to 15 years for robbery unarmed, and Mason was sentenced from Detroit Dec. 16, 1924, to serve from five to 15 years for breaking and entering.

Lansing—The Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Railroad, a Grand Trunk subsidiary paralleling the Wider Woodward avenue project between Detroit and Pontiac, has answered the resolution adopted by the 1925 Legislature suggesting that the State purchase the road. A report was filed with the Attorney General, protesting that Legislature exceeded its powers.

Camp Custer—Camp Custer is in readiness for the opening of the military training season June 19. From that date until almost the end of the summer the camp once more will take on the appearance that it did during the war, when it was the training ground for thousands of Michigan and Wisconsin soldiers. The first units to to arrive this year will be the Reserve Officers Training Corps. Men in this organization are expected June 18.

Ann Arbor—While an intermittent rain sprinkled the 15,000 spectators, John Huston Finley, editor of the New York Times, and well known educator and publicist, wrote the final chapter in the college career of the 1,703 graduates of the University of Michigan in the annual commencement exercises at Ferry Field. And, as the rain brought out several thousand umbrellas, Finley outlined, briefly, simply and stripped of the usual stiffness and formality of a commencement address, "The Mysteries of the Mind's Desire."

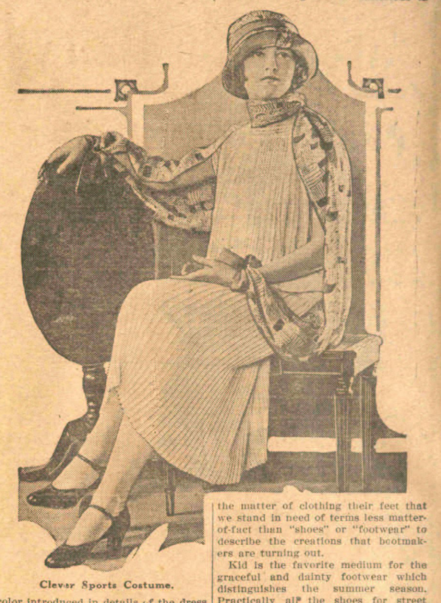
Flint—Frank Ayres, 63 years old, proprietor of a gasoline station here, was killed when a robber, who had waited until the station was closed for the night, shot him three times in a running fight on Cornelia street. According to residents of the vicinity, Ayres had closed his station and taken the money from the place, when the thug darted across the street and attempted to hold him up. Ayres resisted and the two men struggled along Cornelia street. The aged proprietor was dead before he could be taken to the hospital.

Lansing—The Security Trust Co., receivers for the Detroit United Railway and subsidiaries, has asked the Michigan public utilities commission for authority to increase all fares to 3 cents a mile. The petition maintains the company had suffered serious losses and is unable to operate under its present fares, the highest of which is 2 1-2 cents a mile. Coincident with filing the petition W. G. Fitzpatrick, counsel for the receivers, explained plans of the D. U. R. for establishing a rapid transit system in and out of Detroit.

St. Joseph—Sheriff Fred Frantz and his deputies were combing Berrien county for men who blew up two safes in Benton Harbor, and attempted to smash their way into another in the store of Robert Taylor, Union Pier. Using nitro-glycerine, the yeggs shattered the doors of safes in the Northern Coca Cola plant and the Wilson Ice Cream company. From the first place they obtained $350 in cash; from the latter between $200 and $300. The sheriff has found no clues. The safe in Taylor's store had the combination lock knocked of

FOCUS ON SPORTS APPAREL; SHOES FOR THE FASTIDIOUS

JUST at this season of the year when all our world goes jaunting about on vacations and outings, fashion interest centers on sports clothes and designers busy themselves with new versions of the best liked styles. We see the prophecies that this would be a "white summer" fulfilled today in sports and other apparel in which white predominates, with touches of color introduced in details of the dress or in accessories worn with it.



Clever Sports Costume.

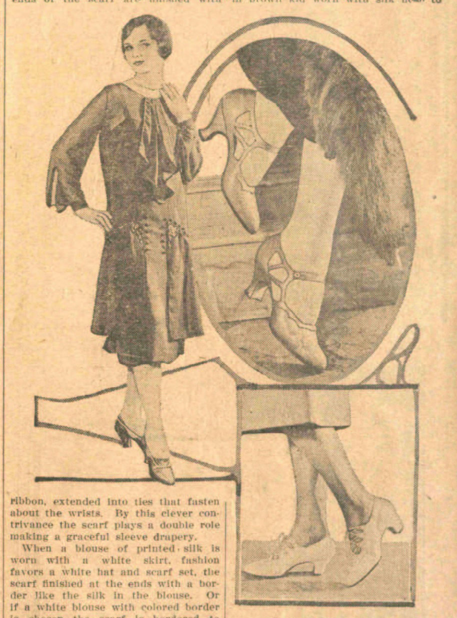
The white skirt, usually plaited, and made of silk crepe, wool or rayon materials, maintains its important position for street and sports wear and is worn with slipon blouse of gay printed silk showing colored patterns on a white ground. White crepe de chine with printed border designs in high colors is used for these blouses, which are made with short kimono sleeves, the border appearing at the bottom of the blouse. All white blouses of crepe de chine prove themselves useful for either sports or other wear. One of these, with a white plaited skirt, is shown in the picture, worn with a scarf and hat set of printed silk. The ends of the scarf are finished with ribbon, extended into ties that fasten about the wrists. By this clever contrivance the scarf plays a double role making a graceful sleeve drapery.

When a blouse of printed silk is worn with a white skirt, fashion favors a white hat and scarf set, the scarf finished at the ends with a border like the silk in the blouse. Or if a white blouse with colored border is chosen the scarf is bordered to match, or motifs cut from the printed silk are applied to it at the ends.

In footwear white strap slippers or sport shoes, or black slippers are popular but do not monopolize the showings of summer sports shoes. Light gray and tan, or combinations of white with a color, in shoes having a definite sports character, contribute variety in dainty footwear. Other interesting accessories shown are the gay Chinese parasols of paper that will withstand a little shower, for one thing, and cretonne jackets and coats for another.

Concerning the apparel of women mere man has always expressed himself in a way that is forceful and betrays where his thoughts dwell. But as a result of his logic he usually strikes the nail on the head, and now he is saying that women are wearing millinery on their feet. This is a very arresting and revealing remark—a tribute to the daintiness and beauty of current styles in footwear. Women have grown so fastidious in the matter of clothing their feet that we stand in need of terms less matter-of-fact than "shoes" or "footwear" to describe the creations that bootmakers are turning out.

Kid is the favorite medium for the graceful and dainty footwear which distinguishes the summer season. Practically all the shoes for street wear or for afternoon are made of it and also many of the dressier types for evening. The new models prove very flattering to the feet made with toes a shade more rounded and heels a trifle higher than they have been—all feet look small in them. Styles are conservative and elegant, with many attractive combinations of leather to give them interest, and endless variation of the strap slipper and oxford to choose from. The handsome pumps of black kid, trimmed with a shaped band of white kid, shown here worn with a crepe afternoon frock, are typical of present styles. In the slippers at the right the pinnacle of summer comfort and style is achieved in brown kid worn with silk hose to match, and this outfitting of the feet is approved for morning or afternoon, with tailored or dressier costumes. Below are handsome white kid oxfords for wear with summer frocks and sports clothes and equally good style with tailored suits and frocks. They will delight those women who choose white footwear in summer.



Some Popular Shoes.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Plaited Jabot

An interesting style note on a black satin frock is a plaited jabot of white chiffon.

Streamer Ties Worn

Streamer ties are a feature of many of the blouses and frocks worn with ensemble costumes. The streamers are long and the knot may be either close up to the throat or looped loosely as low as the waistline.

Hats From England

The smart little English hats of stitched felt turned up in front and held with a decorative pin are rapidly achieving a vogue in America. They come in all the sport colorings.

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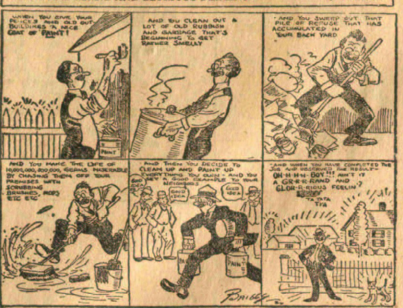
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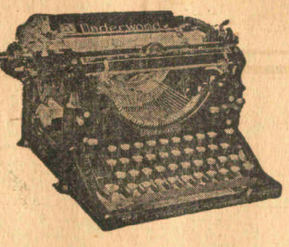

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The Newest Affliction is "Looney Gas"

The. Dupont-Nemours Powder Co., has several big plants for the manufacture of poisonous gases and by products of powder manufacture. At one plant in Orange, New Jersey, engaged in the making of radium paint for watch dials, eight persons have died in eighteen months from poisonous fumes inhaled. There is a property called tetraethyl lead which is used for anti-knock gasoline, and which is the most deadly. People have been known to succumb merely from inhaling the fumes of the exhaust from a motor, and in New Jersey the plants have been shut down. The affliction which is brought on by this particular form of poisoning is called "butterfly dementia" and persons so afflicted always imagine the air is full of butterflys much the same as sufferers from delirium tremens. Instances are on record where persons walking on the street have been known to suddenly leap into the air and make wild grabs for the winged insects which are nowhere in sight.

The Duponts, rich manufacturers have used every known precaution to safeguard their plant spending $2,000,000 for a plant and $60,000 on improvements. They have hired specialists to care for the sick and paid life insurance on the deaths to the dependants of those dying from poisoning.

Michigan Farmers Urged To Plant Emergency Hay Crop

Immediate planting of soybeans or sudan grass as a means of overcoming the poor pasture and prospective short hay crop brought about by the hot and protracted dry weather in many sections is urged upon Michigan farmers by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. Late estimates of the state's hay crop this year is that it will be a million, six hundred thousand tons under that of last year, and its condition is 14 percent below the ten year average for this season of the year.

On farms in the state where the hay crop shows the effects of the dry and hot weather farmers should lose no time in renewing provisions for forage for the summer and fall, according to the Institute. The season is too far advanced for the planting of early emergency crops, and soybeans or sudan grass or a combination of both are about the most practicable for immediate use They have been planted successfully as late as July 1, but the county agent or state agricultural college should be consulted on the particular varieties best suited to local soils and conditions.

Soybeans have been found particularly valuable on poor soil or soils low in lime where other legumes failed to catch without fertilizer or lime, says the Institute, and yields have averaged one to three tons per acre, varying with rainfall and temperature. Furthermore, soybeans improve the soil, fit into the crop rotation system, stand heat and drought well, grow well on a great variety of soils, and the hay is particularly well adapted as a substitute for clover and alfalfa, where, these ecrops may have been winter killed. Because of its high protein content and palatability, it is conceded to rank in feeding value almost as high as alfalfa.

The Irony of The City

The little lad who sold papers on the corner has gone to other fields —he has no more troubles—he met a big Cadillac touring car and it killed him. Well, we sometimes think life out here in the country districts is monotonous and hard, but we find it is far ahead of the existence led by the average news boy who daily cries extras from the city streets. The boy to whom we refer, had a good business, in fact he sold more than most of the other ragmuffins, but his chances in life were very poor, so poor, that we can't wish him back. A drinking father and a dissolute delinquent mother could not provide a docimile and the boy must have went the way of all vicious law breakers.

In winter's biting blasts and summer's blistering heat, he catered to the public, but 'twas little use to be anything but a hoodlum. Business men who had an eye out for enterprise, often crossed the street to patronize him, hence the success of his business.

The Cadillac which snuffed out his life was the property of a rich Nabob over on the Avenue, who didn't stop to inquire at the hospital if his victim would live. He was too busy figuring out a bunch of shorts in the wheat pit. He'll never think of that newsboy again unless someone should mention it, or he should read this article. Such is the irony of the city.

Philander Gotrox was born in a log cabin in a tamarack swamp of Michigan, but he didn't stay there! At the age of 17 Gotrox decided his father was too confounded over bearing, so he left the old man and went to Toledo where he entered a printing office. Not being a professional he was turned over to the superintendent for instruction. Now this boss was a partner in the business, a dissolute hard drinking rounder who had a disposition not any too good to start with, and was a veritable demon when sogged with bad whisky. The insane abuse which Gotrox had to take, nearly drove him from the printing trade, but he didn't quit. We'll call the foreman Shell but that wasn't his name. Shell kept putting up the abuse to Gotrox but the latter learned the business: he became foreman, and superintendent; he purchased a small plant and it grew. To-day Gotrox is not a type sticker he's a wealthy shop owner. He drives a Packard sedan. The other day as Gotrox' Packard was going down Adams street, a drunken man reeled in front of it and was knocked down. They took him to the hospital and Gotrox went his way. The ragmuffin who was hurt was Shell. It is needless to go on, but the irony of the city is with us.

They Have 'Em

Dr. Royal S.C. Squilldozer who is a member of the public health board or something else in New York City, conducts a health column in the Jackson Daily News, and he leaks out valuable secrets as to killing various pestiferous diseases. such as talkinitis, liquoritis, etc. Also gives directions for curing morbidity of the cerebellum caused by too much home brew the Sunday before. Below are a few of the knotty problems the doctor is called upon to solve:

A Guilty Reader—"What causes my joints to crack?"

Answer—Too much inactivity. You should arise at 4:00 a. m.and hoe 17 rows of potatoes before even thinking of breakfast. Then return to the house and jerk your wife from bed and otherwise accelerate her movements by numerous swift kicks. This will remove the cracks from your joints also from her's.

"I am troubled with a real thick phlegm in my throat these dry days, and a dark brown taste is predominating."

Answer—This disease is purely local and about three nips of "forty-rod" taken fifteen minutes before and after each meal will generally cut the phlegm; if it does not, you are a hopeless case and should see your local physician at once. If he can't do something to save you from the bug college it is because you won't pay or you are not destitute enough to get it from the supervisor.

A Shy One—"Is yeast good for my complexion?"

Answer:—Yeast is good for any thing that needs baking. There is no question about it. We all know how badly a half-baked loaf disagrees with us. By all means eat large quantities of yeast, especially of the compressed variety, and let it ripen thoroughly before using, say for ten days or a week. There is no question but both your complexion and self-esteem will be built up amazingly.

A Puzzled Damsel—"I am bothered with superfluous hair"

Answer:—Don't wonder at it. We have been so thoroughly saturated with Bolshevism that whiskers are growing on babes, and in one instance it was necessary to shave the butter. We are at present experimenting with a process which we hope will remove all hair from the human system and no other manipulation will be necessary. In the meantime don't worry about your hair. Next season it is possible a medium coat of it will be about all the fashionable bather (on the quiet) will wear.

LEISURE WITH CULTURE ON THE ELECTRIC FARM

Some Believe Also That Electric Power and Radio May Shift Cultural Centers of Future From Urban to Rural Districts.

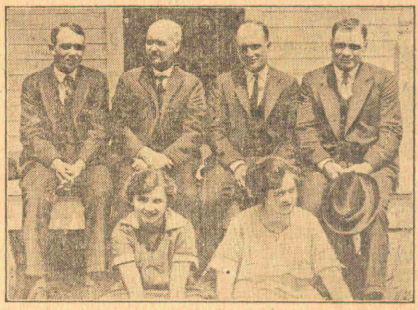
Within the last two years a conviction has found expression among a few public men, such as Senator Arthur Capper, that the farm-electrical agitation is about to bring about an astonishing economic revolution. The social influence of electrical methods on American farms in general will produce a new era of American national culture if these expectations are realized.

Speaking recently to a gathering of mid-western farmers, David Sarnoff, vice president and general manager of the Radio Corporation of America, said that radio's greatest contribution to American civilization will be its effect upon the farmer. On more than 300,000 farms radio has already lessened isolation, increased knowledge and spread information and entertainment.

As fast as electric lights and electric power are established upon the farm with the maximum of benefit to the farmer, just so fast will leisure time on the farm increase and overworked farm families will become a thing of the past. Then the radio set will be turned to even more eagerly. Its possibilities for taking to the farmer culture, religion, education and all the finer things that compose a great civilization will be multiplied.

It is the belief of many that these new influences will result in closely-knit farm families in the future, yet a new kind of farm folk, who will practice co-operation for the good of all, who will be informed, discerning, thoughtful and well developed mentally and spiritually—as well as contented with their blue-sky environment to such a degree that few will leave the farm for the city.

That, it is predicted, will mean that the future cultural stability of the nation will very likely draw much more from the farm and less from the city. If this occurs it will be due principally to electricity—and its off-shoot, radio, coupled with the freedom from urban distractions found in rural districts.



A united farm family on an electrified farm in the northwest.

Owen D. Young of the General Electric Company, raised as a farm boy, now a high official of an electrical manufacturing concern—and therefore familiar with both subjects—has declared that in the days of his youth "the attraction of an occupation out-of-doors, with good food and comfortable living, was not enough to offset the cultural advantages of the city, its lectures, its music and immediate access to the news of the world.

"Now all this has changed. Good roads have made the farms accessible. The mail carrier brings the news. The gas engine, electricity and improved machinery have assumed the drudgery. The telephone and the motor car have enlarged the neighborhood. Radio has brought instruction, entertainment and cultural advantages, not from one city only, but from many."

DOES RADIO OFFER OPPORTUNITIES?

When the board of directors of the Radio Corporation of America, composed of some of the leading figures in American industry, announced that David Sarnoff had been elected vice-president and general manager, one of the romances of American industrial opportunity came to light. Mr. Sarnoff, at the age of 32, was awarded one of the most active and pivotal positions in the radio industry. And although he won it at the age of 32, it came to him after 16 years of close application to the every-day problems of radio.

David Sarnoff

Most persons would ask off hand how any man—not to particularize about one who today is only 34—could have worked in the radio industry for 18 years when the industry itself seems so much younger. Mr. Sarnoff went into the radio telegraph business when he was 16 and when radio itself (1906) was in its infancy. He is the man who took the message in New York from the S. S. Olympic, 1,400 miles at sea, giving first confirmation of the sinking of the S. S. Titanic ten years ago; he is also the man who seven years ago, when radio telegraphy alone was considered an accomplished fact, presented a plan to his superiors which conceived a simple radio telephone "music box" for every home boasting of a talking machine. This plan is today the essence of broadcasting.

Accepting a variety of assignments from office boy to radio operator on ship and shore and inspector which brought him in contact with traffic conditions existing within shipboard and land stations, Mr. Sarnoff developed a sound understanding of the vital problems of commercial radio communication. Equipped with this valuable fundamental knowledge and a technical education, Mr. Sarnoff was later well prepared to accept the responsibilities of assistant chief engineer, traffic manager and contract manager of his company. In 1917 he accepted still greater responsibilities by assuming entire charge of the commercial department of the company which he organized most effectively.

These positions afforded an opportunity for Mr. Sarnoff to exhibit his executive qualifications and thus quickly win for him the signal recognition of his superiors. The Radio Corporation of America appointed Mr. Sarnoff to the office of general manager in 1921, and then to vice president and general manager.

Radio Concerts on Moving Train Now Practical

The Radio installation above shown picked up concerts from distant broadcasting stations while the Golden State Limited of the Rock Island Railroad traveled the rails at high speed between Chicago and Los Angeles. The passengers were amazed at the success of this experiment.

John Robinson's Circus In Hillsdale July 4

The earth's oldest circus, John Robinson's, will soon be in our midst, as the billboards throughout the country proclaim in loud and lurid colors, its coming to Hillsdale for afternoon and night performances on July Fourth. Hundreds of circus lovers of this community are making plans to attend the circus that day, as the merit and superiority of John Robinson's Circus is well known here.

John Robinson comes this year with an entirely new performance from the opening of the gorgeous spectacle, "Peter Pan in Animal Land" to the sensational and thrilling finishing numbers. Europe and the Orient were sacked for novelties and features by representatives of the circus last winter, and the foremost wild animal acts of the universe were purchased and added to the Robinson's double menagerie.

Capt. Ricardo, Theo Schroeder, W. W. Weaver, Dewey Butler, Bob Thornton, Nellie Roth, Lorraine Wallace and Margaret Thompson are a few of the noted subjugators, whose charges will work in the arenas and in the rings. The largest group of polar bears to ever appear in public will be worked by Theo Schroeder, famous European trainer. "Kittie" the only wrestling tiger in the universe will be another distinct feature that is offered by no other circus.

International troupes and families of repute will also be found performing under John Robinson's big seven pole top. The Morales Family from Mexico, the Sing Sing Chinese, the Rudy Rudynoffs Family from Austria, Senorita Piedad from South America, and other foreign countries will all be represented, for John Robinson's dressing tent is truly a melting pot. As for clowns, fifty of the funniest and foolishest fellows ever turned loose will cavort in the sawdust arena.

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Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned. will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 28, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the south west corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

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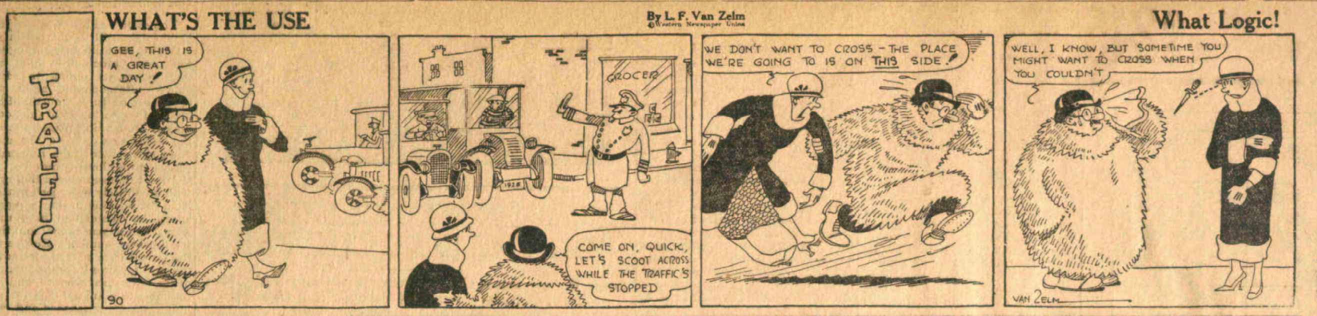
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The New Fourth

It is strange, though ordinary enough in our experience, how great happenings, tremendous forces that move through our lives carrying us forward to regions we scarce dared hope to enter, slip into their destined day, make their mark and merge into the dynamic power of our unconscious life, without our being in the least aware that they have tilted the axis of our spiritual world and that never again will the shadow of darkness fall as far or as deeply upon it. We see the result, but not often do we seek or discern the cause.

We are about to celebrate the one hundred and forty ninth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. There are about one hundred million of us, and I venture to say that out of every hundred who will make holiday scarce a handful would recognize the Declaration were they to hear it. Now how does it happen that events of such lasting and far reaching importance make so little conscious mark upon us? We are as a people, amazingly unconscious of the Declaration of Independence

To the men who framed it and to the generation who fought and endured that it might be made manifest in the life of the new nation, it was but the record of the moving finger of destiny. They were too deeply engaged in clothing the spirit in deeds to regard its creation as tremendously important, They were the Declaration of Independence.

But what of those who came after? They knew neither the letter nor the spirit. They felt the effects of its beneficent power, but they had no knowledge of the source. They accepted the ease of body and mind it endowed, but the true inwardness of its flaming spirit they knew not at all. This has continued to the present day, so that now the Declaration is something printed in small type in the back of the school histories or a vague reference in the speech of the Fourth of July orators. It is worthy a more intimate knowledge.

The Declaration is the most perfect expression of the dignity of the human soul that has been written since the sermon on the Mount It is more than a record; it is far, far more than the record of an historic event. Its words are majestic; royal, in their absolute rightness. Its message is an anthem of victory, an exultant announcement of the definite end of an age of suffering and oppression. It is a herald proclaiming the kinship of men with their Father which is in heaven. The freedom of the peoples of the earth is shadowed forth in this document.

Yet Thomas Jefferson, who wrote it, slipped his original draft among his papers and seemed glad to forget it. He was too close to the creation of his masterpiece to know it for what it was. He had suffered as the soul of the creative artist must ever suffer, from the criticism his work had called out in the debate on the floor of Congress. That over and his work accepted, he was glad to let the memory of the grueling struggle rest.

There was tumult in the Colonies George III had exhausted the patience of patient men, and they were gathering their forces toward rebellion. Virginia had called a convention to dissolve her relationship with the Crown, and Jefferson had drawn up a list of charges against the king which he intended to incorporate in the Virginia Constitution. The Virginia convention sent Richard Henry Lee to the Continental Congress meeting in Philadelphia to present a resolution declaring the independence of the Colonies. Mason had already written his Bill of Rights. The thirteen Colonies were seething.

The members of the Continental Congress knew that Lee's resolution would be adopted, and appointed a committee to present the case for the colonies to the world. Jefferson did the work of the committee. His material was at hand. He used the Bill of Rights for the second paragraph, followed that with the charges against the king which he had drawn up for the Virginia Constitution, and closed with Lee's resolution. He wielded these with the pen of the artist under the inspiration of a pure patriotism.

Franklin and Adams read Jefferson's draft and Franklin is credited with eleven changes that show his magic power over words, his keen insight into the workings of men's minds and his firm faith in the undertaking.

Where Jefferson had written, "When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for a people to dissolve the bands," etc. Franklin made it read, "When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the bands," etc. How strong is the power of one word!

Where Jefferson, in doubt about the possible action of the Congress had written, "They should declare the causes which impel them to threaten separation," Franklin, scorning doubt and affirming his faith, made it. "They should declare the causes that impel them to the separation."

The sharpest change he made was in the familiar line, "We hold these truths to be—" Jefferson had written, "sacred and undeniable," but Franklin crossed out the weaker words and wrote "self evident." Now read it and see the power of a strong man's vision as it shines through his words. Read it again, and know that the Declaration of Independence is not a bit of fine writing, not a faded parchment intended for the musty archives, but the evidence of the spirit of a nation inscribed by the burning spirit of its inspired patriots. The words of the famous pronouncement are like the everlasting rocks; they are words that stand for their own purpose and intent and none other they are words that will outlast the years and but shine the brighter in the mellowing light of time.

For years the people of the country seemed to have forgotten the existence of the Declaration. It had served the purpose in telling a "candid world" the cause of the quarrel between one people and another and in setting forth the principles upon which this people intended to live. Then one day a writing master thought it would make fine copy for his facile pen and he arranged for the publication of a decoratively inscribed copy. Immediately his publication was attacked by a rival publisher, and in the heated quarrel which followed the Declaration was well advertised.

(Continued next week)

Battle Ball

Battle Ball, a spectacular indoor tournament and drawing room game which has reached the craze stage in Europe, is also spreading over the United States, becoming the latest American sport and social fad.

The game was recently brought to the United States and introduced here by Dr. Alexander Hryntschak, Vienna sportsman, who "fathered" the game in Europe. Following its initial debut at an invitation tournament sponsored by Dr. Ludwig von Kleinweachter, Austrian consul general, it has been taken up by some of America's most exclusive clubs, inclusive of the South Shore, Lottmoor and Ravisloe country clubs, Chicago, and is being played in hundreds of homes.

Battle Ball seems to develop its chief thrills and fascination from action, accuracy and strategy. To the American it appears to be a combination of several sports. It is played by from two to fourteen persons at a time on tables that vary in size accordingly and somewhat resemble billiad tables with small guns mounted on the sides and ends.

The guns shoot small metal balls at a larger leather ball. The players are organized into teams to play on the larger tables. Each team has a goal keeper, supported by backs and forwards, the lineup being similar to soccer football and basketball.

The goal keeper is directly behind the goal posts where there is a "pocket" to receive the ball if a goal is made. The guards sit to the right and left of the goal keeper. The forwards are at the sides of the table nearest the opposing team's goal.

Before starting the game, a coin is tossed to determine which team is to make the first shot. The ball is then placed in the center of the table and the signal to start is given by the referee. Operating the guns which project the metal balls with startling rapidity, the opposing teams attempt to shoot the leather ball into each other's goal. Every time a goal is made the ball is again placed in the center of the field and the goal keeper of the team which lost the goal makes first shot.

A game is played in two halves of ten or fifteen minutes each. At the end of the first half players change goals. The game is won by the team which scores the greatest number of goals during the match.

In Chicago where the game was first played in this country, enthusiasts followed the precedent in Europe where about 1,500 resorts and clubs, including St. Moritz, Davos Carlsbad, Scheveningen and Milan are playing the game on a tournament basis. They organized the Battle Ball Clubs of America, and are now playing a series of intra-city tournaments preparatory to a national tournament.

Fully half of the members of the clubs are women, and in reality the feminine sex seems to get a greater thrill out of the activity, noise and flying pellets than the men. Incidentally, most of the women players so far dislike the nets used in Europe to keep the brass balls from occasionally flying from the table and striking players.

Several of the country's best known sportsmen and athletes, as well as the "white front" crowd are taking to the game, among those having tried it being "Red" Graham, former University of Chicago star; Laddie Myers, Dartmouth star pole vaulter; Al Journeay, former Pennsylvania All-American football Captain, and others.

Players attribute the principal fascination of the game to three things: It brings indoors some of the thrills of outdoor games such as polo and football; while players can develop amazing skill, the novice can get a thrill out of the first five minutes of play, and it is a game of uninterrupted action. Battle Ball is known as "Goal Game" in Holland, Switzerland, Luxembourg, Germany, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, Sweden and Denmark.

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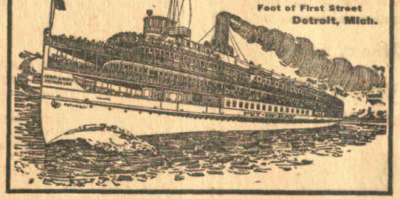

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King Tommy

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"SOME MISTAKE!"

SYNOPSIS.—In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy," and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strongminded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace. Janet Church leaves for Berlin. "Uncle Bill" is again appealed to by his sister to find a certain curate (name not given) who has left his parish in Ireland for a visit to Berlin, and cannot be found. Lord Norheys and Viola Temple disappear from London. Procopius Cable receives information that Norheys, with the princess, has left there on his way to Lystria, but Norheys appears with the former Viola Temple, now his wife. The question is, "Who is the man who has gone to Lystria with the Princess Calypso?"

Part II.—Berlin

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CHAPTER VII

It is easy to understand how the mistake was made.

Count Istvan Casimir does not know English very well. He has never been in England and at that time had never talked to any Englishman except the tutor who educated him as a boy and taught him to read Shakespeare. The tutor must have been a Shakespearean enthusiast, for Casimir has more quotations ready for use than most of us. Unfortunately, his knowledge of Shakespeare did not help much in his correspondence with Procopius Cable. The English which Cable uses is of a modern and commercial kind. I can fancy his writing to Casimir: "Yours of even date"; or "of the 12th ult. to hand"; or "re Lystrian monarchy, we regret—" Shakespeare did not write in that style and I do not suppose that Casimir understood half Cable wrote. Nor did Cable quite understand Casimir. He was inclined to skip the quotations of the count's letters, not realizing that they conveyed the most important kinds of information. Casimir, for instance, might write: "Now is the winter of our discontent made glorious summer." Cable would take that for mere ornament, the exuberance of a man not trained to business. He would fail to realize that Casimir meant that the restoration of the monarchy was a gloriously accomplished fact, or would be gloriously accomplished as soon as the monarch put in an appearance.

Of course the similarity of the two names deceived Casimir. He was in Berlin waiting and watching for the arrival of Lord Norheys. It was natural enough that he should think his man had come when he saw Norreys in the register of the Adlon hotel. There is only the difference of one letter between the two names. He was further misled by the "Reverend." Tommy, in those days, was most particular about his "Reverend" and set himself down as Reverend T. A. Norreys. Casimir was not familiar with the title. It was not, apparently, accorded to the clergy in Shakespearean days. The parson in "As You Like It" was styled "Sir"—"Sir Oliver," as if he had been a knight. On the other hand, "Reverend" was used of Venetian seigneurs and such people. Casimir took it for an English version of "Hoch Wohl-geborne." It left him in no doubt that Tommy was the man he wanted.

Tommy, of course, had never heard of Count Casimir. I do not suppose he had ever heard of Lord Norheys either, or of Procopius Cable, or indeed of Lystria. He had not the slightest intention of going farther east than Berlin. Indeed, he did not mean to leave Berlin during his holidays, unless perhaps for a little trip to Potsdam.

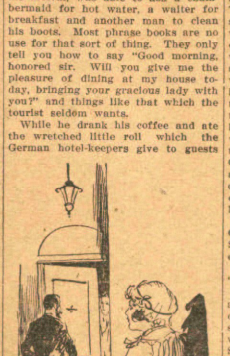
Tommy has explained to me exactly why he went to Berlin and what he meant to do there. A year or so earlier he had bought a number of German marks on the advice of a friend who professed to be a financial expert. At that time he got three hundred and forty marks for a pound and they seemed cheap enough. Tommy's friend said that very soon they would stand at twenty-five or thirty to a pound. Tommy believed him and invested every penny he possessed in German marks. I do not know how many he actually bought, but the number was considerable, and the sum he stood to gain would have been a nice little fortune. An investment which promises to multiply your capital by eleven or twelve is very attractive, even if it pays no interest for a while.

As everybody knows, the financial experts, Tommy's friend among them, were disastrously wrong, even more hopelessly wrong than experts usually are. The marks depreciated rapidly and in the spring of 1922 it took one thousand four hundred of them to buy a pound. Tommy realized he was the victim, one of many victims, of a gigantic swindle. But being a man of cheerful and buoyant disposition, he did not wring his hands or curse fate. He thought that though marks were of little use in England, they probably had some value in their native land; that is to say, that he would be able to buy a good many dinners, bottles of wine, theater tickets and such things with his marks in Germany. He asked for a holiday, packed his entire store of marks in a dispatch box and went to Berlin. He meant to stay there as long as the marks lasted and to have as good a time as he could. Tommy was a fool to buy the marks originally. He was wise in his plan for getting rid of them. Things of the sort he wanted really were very cheap in Berlin in the early part of 1922.

He had never been abroad before and he did not know a word of German. He started with a return ticket, a Baedeker's Guide to Berlin and a German-English phrase book, which professed to give him, spelled phonetically, all that a traveler could possibly want to say.

It must have been a good phrase book, much better than most of its kind. Tommy, on the morning after his arrival, was able to ask a chambermaid for hot water, a waiter for breakfast and another man to clean his boots. Most phrase books are no use for that sort of thing. They only tell you how to say "Good morning, honored sir. Will you give me the pleasure of dining at my house today, bringing your gracious lady with you?" and things like that which the tourist seldom wants.

While he drank his coffee and ate the wretched little roll which the German hotel-keepers give to guests who breakfast in their bedrooms, he opened his dispatch box and counted his money.


At This Moment Janet Church Came Along the Corridor, Wearing a Pink Dressing Gown, a Pair of Blue Slippers and a Very Ribbony Cap.

"It was the first time in my life," he told he, "that I'd been a millionaire, and I liked the feeling. In fact, I gloated."

I do not wonder. The German notes are most opulent looking and impressive things, far superior in size and texture to the flimsy little scraps of paper which England has to be contented with. There are large gray notes, as big as half sheets of note paper, worth a thousand marks each. There are beautiful thick notes for one hundred marks. Even the little "funf" markers are impressive. All Tommy's notes were perfectly new and spotlessly clean. Nobody could have helped fingering them lovingly and reverently. It was a delight to count them.

But it is poor fun feeling that you are a millionaire all by yourself in a hotel bedroom. Tommy realized that he ought to be out-of-doors enjoying himself and getting some solid good for his money. He finished his coffee, swallowed the last morsel of bread, and began to shave.

Then came a knock at the door. Tommy said "Herein." His face was covered with thick lather of soap, and he did not care for opening his mouth very wide; but he spoke quite distinctly. And he was sure that "Herein" was the German for "come in." He had said it six time already, twice for each of the three servants, and it had been understood. This time the man outside simply went on knocking. Tommy went to the door and opened it.

He saw Count Casimir, beautifully dressed, smiling and bowing politely. Casimir is always beautifully and appropriately dressed. I have seen him at the start of a boar hunt in Lystria with a tall red feather sticking up in the front of his cap and boots that would have suited one of Prince Rupert's cavalier troopers. I have seen him in evening clothes, and nothing more perfect could be found in a drawing room comedy on the London stage. I did not see him that morning in the Adlon hotel. But Janet Church has given me a description of his clothes. He wore a pale gray suit with a faint blue line in it, and creases in all the right places, a mauve tie harmonized with the blue line, a waistcoat—I must leave a blank here and get Janet to tell me about the waistcoat again. Tommy was in crumpled gray pajamas and his face was soapy.

Count Casimir presented his card. Tommy read the name on it—Casimir Istvan Graf—but was not much enlightened. He would if he could have read what was printed under the name. It was a large card, much larger than the visiting cards used by ladies in England, and there were four lines of small print on it, no doubt a description of Count Casimir's position in society. Unfortunately, these were in a language which Tommy had never seen before. It seemed a very queer language. There were curious curly accents over the consonants. The letter X appeared with unusual frequency. There were several R's with their faces turned the wrong way, looking very much as if some one had lifted them up, turned them over and set them down the wrong way. The same thing had happened to a couple of N's and there was a B with a curious little horn attached to it. Tommy could read Greek. He had a nodding acquaintance with the Hebrew alphabet and could distinguish between German capital B's and V's. Count Casimir's language was none of these.

"I bid you welcome," said Count Casimir. "In the words of your great Shakespeare, I say, 'All's well that ends well.'"

"I'm afraid," said Tommy politely, "that there is some mistake."

At this moment Janet Church came along the corridor, wearing a pink dressing gown, a pair of blue quilted slippers and a very ribbony cap. She was on her way to a distant bath. She saw Casimir, erect and beautiful—he is a very good looking man—in front of Tommy's door. She also saw Tommy, with the lather beginning to dry on his face.

Janet had been three days in Berlin, worrying the consul and the secretaries in the embassy for permission to go on to Megalia. She had not received my letter about Emily's lost curate. Indeed, she never did receive it. It reached Berlin after she had gone away and was finally returned to me.

Some women would have hurried on, turning their heads the other way. Tommy was in his pajamas. She herself was most imperfectly clothed. But Janet does not suffer from modesty and she loves interfering in other people's business. She calls this being helpful, and believes it to be virtuous.

"Can I," she said, "be of any assistance to you? I speak German fluently."

Casimir turned, put his heels together and bowed to her. Then he kissed her hand. Janet, in a red dressing gown and boudoir cap, must have been a surprising and rather a disgusting sight. But Casimir's manners are as perfect as his clothes. He would have bowed as politely and kissed her hand with the same elegant devotion if she had stepped straight out of her bath to be helpful.

"Thanks," said Tommy, "just tell this gentleman, will you, that there's some mistake. Most likely they've sent him up to the wrong room. I'm not the man he wants to see."

Janet made a long speech in German. Casimir answered her with a still longer speech. Janet replied to that, and Casimir, with an immense flow of language, answered her. Tommy declares that they talked to each other for ten minutes. Then Janet turned to him.

"He says his name is Count Istvan Casimir."

Tommy is the victim of a mistake which appears to have immense possibilities. Are they pleasant?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

That Spirits Walk Earth Is a Universal Belief

The belief that dead persons make their reappearance on the earth is, according to an author, universal among all the ancient races.

The Eskimos say the spirit exhibits the same form and shape as the body it belonged to, but of a more subtle and ethereal nature.

The Tonga islanders believe that the human soul is the finer part of the body, the essence that can pass out, as does the fragrance from a flower.

The Greenland seers describe the spirit as pallid, soft and intangible.

Doctor Churchward knows some people now living who possess the gift of seeing and communicating with their departed friends, who never leave them night or day. He says:

"But these good spirits cannot speak so that one can hear them; they cannot make noises, nor can you take photographs of them.

"Spirits are composed of pure corpuscles in the likeness and form of their previous earthly state as humans, only much more beautiful. They cannot leave Paradise without divine permission."—Montreal Family Herald.

Reaching for the Mirage

The cloud's silver lining, however, is apparent only to those who stand a great way off.—Duluth Herald.

The old Holland windmills are slowly but surely going down before newer machinery. The electric pump is more efficient.

POULTRY

CHECK BLACKHEAD IN TURKEY FLOCK

Every year blackhead in turkey flocks becomes a little more common, and every year the losses from the dread disease are a little larger. And while no positive treatment has ever been discovered, a remedy is being used by hundreds of successful turkey growers that proves very satisfactory if used before the fowls are in the last stages of the disease, says a writer in Successful Farming.

A slight lameness is usually discernible in a turkey coming down with blackhead. The bird gradually grows weaker, refuses to eat, but drinks an unusual amount. Diarrhea is usually present, and when the disease is in an advanced stage, the droppings are usually a bright yellow. The wings and tail are not held up. The head is drawn close to the body.

Sometimes the flesh parts of the head turn a bluish-black. If you are not sure whether it is blackhead or some other ailment that is affecting the bird, it will be wise to make a post-mortem examination. If the liver is covered with black or gangrene spots it will not be necessary to look further for the trouble. You may be sure blackhead is the trouble, and begin treatment accordingly.

Powdered ipecac may be used either as a remedy for blackhead or as a preventive. We prefer to use it as a preventive, as any disease is better prevented than cured. When blackhead enters our flock it usually causes the greatest losses before the poults are six weeks of age. For this reason we begin feeding the ipecac to the poults as soon as we begin feeding mash. It is fed in a wet mash—one teaspoonful of powdered ipecac to enough mash for 20 turkeys—twice a week. The same amount is given to the young birds and the mature fowls. This treatment will prevent blackhead entering your flock, though the youngsters are allowed to range with the older birds, and on infected ground.

If blackhead has entered your flock before treatment is begun, the sick birds should be fed half a teaspoonful of powdered ipecac in wet mash (for each bird) for three successive days. If the disease is not in the advanced stage it will not be difficult to remedy, but if the fowls are nearly dead when the treatment is begun, you cannot expect a large percentage of cures.

Heretofore, the only cure for blackhead has been to move to new, uninfected land, and this is usually only effective for the first season.

Do You Remember?

The following questions which are put to the record flock keepers of Iowa by the Iowa State college are pertinent suggestions to all poultry keepers. "Do You Remember?" they say:

When milk ever spoiled the fertility or hatchability of an egg?

When a chick didn't make good growth when it has milk in its ration?

What a time you used to have getting a lot of early chicks hatched with hens?

When you had a mongrel flock and wished some one would come along and get you started with a good breed?

The time you had raising chicks on the old ground that had been used for 25 years without a change?

How your chicks acted when they were affected by worms and coccidiosis?

How you tried to fight internal parasites without new ground?

Poultry Facts

Milk in some form should be kept before chicks during the first month.

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One of the things that our culling should do is to weed out the persistent sitters. The heavy layers do not waste time in broodiness.

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Many chicks are not getting enough green feed. If they are not on range carry sod to them or fix up a feeder and give them cut alfalfa or clover hay. You'll be surprised how they will eat it.

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Wheat treated with copper carbonate to prevent stinking smut is not harmful to chickens, at least if fed for only a short time. Neither is it harmful to hogs, when fed in small amounts.

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Sunlight and cod liver oil are said to prevent leg weakness. So will getting the chicks onto the ground, either outside the brooder house or on chunks of sod placed on the brooder floor.

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Remember that heavy, sudden rains and floods do great damage to young poultry which are not given brooder housing under the right conditions. A house set low and open to rats and vermin is a menace to the profits of the flock.

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Poultry has been an important source of income during the last few years, as many farmers will testify.

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If you have eggs for sale from pure bred, healthy, birds, do not whine at the low market price for eggs. Advertise and sell them for hatching purposes. And don't spoil the up-to-date breeders' business by trading your eggs for common-stock eggs with your neighbors. They may get miffed if you refuse them; but the refusal is fair to the progress of the breeding business.

Trial by Jury to Be Instituted in Japan

Japan is going to introduce a system of trial by jury. Preparatory to making this departure the Department of Justice has various measures under way, including the sending abroad of many judiciary officials to study the system in other countries. Many of these officials are already in America and England inspecting the manner in which jury trials are conducted. Two courts each for trial by jury will be established in Tokyo, Osaka, Hiroshima, Fukuoka, Kumamoto, Kagoshima, Nagasaki, Nagoya, Sendai, Sapporo and Niigata and one each at other law court centers. Each of these special courts will have a lodging place for juries to be housed during trials. Establishing the new courts and building the lodging houses involves quite an item of expenditure, in addition to which will be the cost of a good deal of propaganda to let the country understand the system.

Art Masterpiece Found

An extremely rare wax portrait, in high relief, of Prince Francesco dei Medici, done by the celebrated Sixteenth century artist, Benvenuto Cellini, has been presented to the San Marco museum by Guiseppe Val Geppi, a widely known Florentine collector. The work, considered one of Cellini's masterpieces, is supposed by art students to have been executed between 1568 and 1570. It represents the prince in the age of adolescence, and is well preserved.

Unhurt by Time

Workmen clearing away the basement of a Hopkinton (Iowa) building that was wrecked by fire some 25 years ago, recently found a carbon filament electric lamp bulb that had been in use in the building before the fire. This lamp bulb was at once taken to a nearby garage, screwed into a lamp socket and lighted up just as if there had been no fire nor a 25-year vacation spent Rip Van Winkle-like in the debris of the ruined building.

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Seemed Wasted Time

Whistling merrily at his employment, an expert workman busied himself in combining bits of feather, horsehair, hooks and red flannel. There came along a visitor, evidently one from the rural districts, who viewed these operations with palpable astonishment. The workman explained that he was making artificial flies. The stranger's comment was expressive.

"Gosh, aren't there enough real ones in season?"

Sunday School Record

James Frankenfield, a member of the Grace Lutheran Sunday school at Bethlehem, Pa., has a record of attending Sunday school every Sunday for 19 years without an absence. He braved blizzards and disregarded illness to be in his seat every Sunday during that period. Rush Schnable of the same church is a runner-up for the record with 17 years without an absence.

Man Pays for Old Prank

E. L. Oliver of Kenmare, Ohio, has sent a $2 bill to City Manager H. G. Otis of Clarksburg, W. Va., with a letter of explanation that it was to pay for a street lamp which he had broken some years ago. Oliver said the prank had been on his conscience for some time and he wanted to clear himself of the worry.

Siberian Lumber Route

Effort is being made to establish an all-water route from western Siberia for lumber, which now must travel a longer distance overland on the Trans-Siberian railway to the Baltic sea or Archangel and thence to Great Britain by steamer.

Mouths and Bread

Clergyman—My boy, learn to be contented. Mouths are never sent without bread to feed them.

Practical Boy—Aw, but the mouths are sent to our houses and the bread to yours.—London Passing Show.

Nature's Protection

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Norene Pullen Becomes A Bride

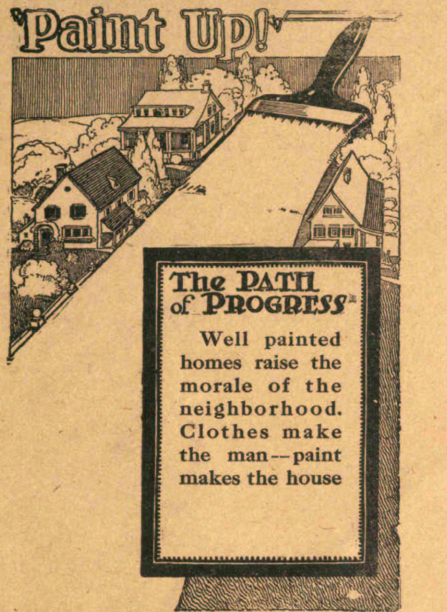
Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Norene Pullen of Jerome and William E. Anson of the same place, which was solemnized at their home that is all furnished, Sunday afternoon, June 21st. Rev. A. Reiser read the service, using the ring ceremony,

Attending the bride and bridegroom were Miss Mae Anson, sister of the bridegroom and Wendell Mercer, cousin of the bride. The bride wore a handsome gown of orchid crepe de chine with pearl trimming. Her poke hat was of white silk crepe and her flowers were a corsage of ophelia roses.

Miss Anson wore a powder blue silk crepe. The house was prettily decorated with orchids and white trimmings.

After the service luncheon was served. Among the attractions was a large wedding cake of orchid and white. Only the immediate relatives were present.

The bride is postmistress at Jerome.



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Somerset Centre

Mrs. Ethel McDowell and son spent the week with her mother.

O. A. Parish and wife of Jackson were Sunday guests at the Rant Rutan home.

Mrs. Geroge Becker and Mrs. Henry Didama were callers in Brooklyn Thursday.

Mrs. Cecil Hair and Carolyn Baker of Jackson are spending the week end with relatives.

G. O. Baker and family and Cecil Hair were Sunday guests of Rant Rutan and family.

LaCerne Pond and family, A. J. Pond and wife of Jackson were callers at the Rant Rutan home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Densel Lyon, Mrs. Cecil Hair entertained Saturday afternoon at the former country home near Jerome honoring Norene Pullen of Jerome. A delicious luncheon was served, the table was ornamented with garden flowers. Following the luncheon the guest of honor received a variety of gifts.

Among those in this vicinity who visited the Starr Commonwealth near Albion were E. A. McGregor and wife, J. L. Weatherwax and wife, J. M. Baker and wife, J. G. Smith and wife, Vera Phillips and family, Pleney Phillips and family C. Clark and family, Mrs. John Weatherwax, Mrs. J. M. Parker and children, John Petrie and wife, George Becker and wife, G. E. Buck and wife, L. H. Ballard and family L. A. Mercer and family and Ruby Shock.

Town Line

Charles Bradley hung paper for Mrs. Gurn Baker the first of the week.

Mrs. Allie Tingley of South Wheatland spent the week at the Jennings home.

J. Westcott has been very ill for the past week but is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mesdames Jennings, Culbert and Tingley attended a club meeting at Mrs. R. Randolph's Thursday last.

Mrs. W. A. Wilcox and Mrs. Dr. Grout and little daughter of Addison were callers at Abner Jennings one day last week.

Myra Beecher of North Adams visited her aunt Mrs. Kate Beecher Mrs. Beecher has been on the sick list for a few days.

C. H. Jennings and family spent Sunday at the George Morehouse cottage at Goose Lake. W. Morehouse and family of Jackson were also there.

Ray Fast and wife and Claude Moore went to Haviland Ohio last Sunday. Clarence and Eunice Fast returned home with them after spending a week with their grandparents.

Clarence Jennings and wife had a birthday surprise for Mrs. Belle Jennings June 14. Mr. and Mrs. Southard, D. Weaver and wife of Addison, Claud Southard and family of Manitou beach and Elmer Fuller of North Adams were guests for dinner. Henry Knight and wife of east Wheatland were Sunday afternoon callers.

West Hoxie

Ben Pendell and family spent Friday in Jackson on business.

Iris Sutton spent the week end with Mildred Snell at Jackson,

Mable Birely of Fort Wayne and Iris Sutton spent Sunday at Manitou beach.

Russell Birely and family of Fort Wayne spent the week end at the Bloemker home.

Mrs. Belle Sweezey entertained the Larkin club last Thursday. The hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Edward Birely of Fort Wayne is visiting her sister Mrs. Wm Bloemker for a week.

Ellsworth Sprague and family attended a family reunion in Hortsville Ohio last Sunday.

Quite a few from this vicinity attended the Children's day exercises at the Methodist church Sunday.

The Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Will Smith with the usual attendance. The next aid will meet with Mrs. Grace Sprague in July.

Jerome

Mrs. M. H. Morris was in North Adams Friday.

R. M. Seeley and wife were in Jackson Friday.

Harold Sterling is home from Ypsilanti Normal.

Claud Greening and wife visited relatives at Moscow Plains Sunday.

Mrs. Erma Murrey of Detroit has been visiting her mother Mrs. Eva Shurlow.

Lemuel Kies and wife are hosts to Mrs. Della Ditmars of North Adams.

Thomas Lane and wife spent Sunday with V. C. Green and wife in Pittsford.

Lan Sawdey and wife entertained Hilda Sawdey of Hanover over the week end.

Mrs. M. Morehead and May Anson were in Wayne Wednesday.

Roy Tuttle and family of Hillsdale spent Sunday with Merl Morehead and wife.

Edna McClanahan is spending the week with Ray Holben and family in Jonesville.

Herold Baker formerly of Jerome graduated from the Wayne high school Wednesday evening.

Ray Holben and wife of Jonesville were entertained Sunday by Harry McClanahan and family.

Mrs. Floyd Sawdey and children of Hanover have been recent visitors at the home of D. C. Turnley.

Jay Chandler and wife are entertaining their grand children, Donald Gertrude and Bernard Chandler of Jackson.

Eugene Baker and wife and Mrs. R. J. Moreland visited at the homes of Clifford and Clarence Baker in Wayne Wednesday.

Edward Coger of Jackson also G. F. Porter and family of Blissfield have been recent visitors at the home of Ira Wertenberger and wife

Quite a large number of people from Jerome and Somerset Center attended church services at the Starr Commonwealth Sunday. W. W. Ostrom furnished conveyance for those who had no other way of reaching Albion.

Some say that dead men tell no tales but it is not true. While the voice of LaFollette is stilled in death, his personality will still live on guiding his followers in a way fittingly expressed in another day by a writer of scripture who said "He being dead yet speaketh." The same daily papers which a few months ago were ridiculing his ideas have united in admitting that even his bitterest enemies could find nothing wrong in his personal life, a compliment which brings to life the statement of Pilate when in speaking of Christ he said "I find no fault in this man." But they crucified Christ on a cross while they crucified LaFollette on the altar of public opinion representing him as a crank, a radical, a fanatic. Even now the A. P. gives him no credit for the things he accomplished. It does not explain how he submitted thirty proposals for the Republican platform in 1908 and how the party turned him down but today after only seventeen years, twenty nine of the thirty proposals have been enacted into laws of the land. "Fighting Bob" was a prophet as well as a statesman.

Center Adams

Lottie Willy of Concord is visiting at the L. E. Chase home.

Nathan Webster and family visited friends near Angola Indiana on Sunday.

The families of Harry Foust and Walter Harwood spent Sunday at Lake Pleasant.

Will Dye of Toledo was a guest at the Sabin home from Saturday until Thursday.

Prof. and Mrs. Chase of Hillsdale were callers at the J. R. Wright home Monday.

Marion Coryell and wife entertained company from Toledo the latter part of last week.

Frances Ambler spent from Thursday until Saturday night with Glen Butler and wife of Jefferson.

R. W. Bates and two children of Hillsdale were callers at the C. N. Williams home Monday evening.

Mrs. Addie Wyman returned home Saturday after spending a week with friends in Battle Creek.

M. C. Church and wife, R. H. Wyman and wife visited at the Will Church home near Devils Lake on Sunday.

Bernice Keith has returned home from Paw Paw after spending several days visiting her aunt Mrs. Nellie Castle.

George Lauder and wife of Pittsford and Frank Holcomb and wife of North Adams were guests at the Will Keith home Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks spent a few days last week at North Adams with Mrs. Eliza Williams and attended a class party while there.

Nathan Webster and family spent Wednesday and Thursday in Toledo attending the Webster family reunion held at the home of his brother Orin Webster.

Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams is visiting at the home of James Post and wife, and Mrs. Frances Rickerd of Ann Arbor came Wednesday to spend a few days at the Post home.

Obituary

Catherine Matilda Morehouse was born in Litchfield, Hillsdale county, Michigan, May 21, 1844, and departed this life Wednesday morning June 17th, from her home in North Adams

She was one of eight children born to Philetus and Julia A. Morehouse, hardy pioneers, who coming to the unbroken forests, helped to make Michigan one of the richest American commonwealths. Her childhood home was christian, after a type so characteristic of those early days when the Bible was revered and the family altar had its own essential place among the furnishings of the home. While a child she gave her heart to God and her hand to the Methodist church in a faith which sustained her to the last hour of her earthly pilgrimage.

She was married to Ezra L. Tiffany in 1862 and for sixty years they shared together the joys and sorrows of a happy wedded life. Four children came to bless their union: Ella R., Minnie B., Charles A. and Frank L. all of whom survive her, except the oldest daughter, Ella, who passed away in young womanhood, leaving two children, Albert A. and Clyde Haskell, to whom she gave the same motherly devotion which her own children enjoyed. Her untiring devotion to her aged father (also a member of her own household for several years) only illustrates the unfaltering love to which her mother heart rssponded for every call for motherly sympathy. The years brought to her a full share of life's sorrows.

In 1885, her first-born, Ella, (Mrs. Oliver Haskell) just budding into motherhood, departed, and in 1916, the death of Albert Haskell, Ella's son, and two years later that of Pyrl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tiffany at Camp Grant Illinois, in the service of his country, brought sorrow to the broken family circle.

Then came the crowning sorrow of her life, in the departure of her companion with whom for more than half a century, she had walked in loving comradeship. Only an unfaltering trust in the Friend Who had never forsaken nor forgotten her. would have sustained her but to Him she clung more firmly as the evening shadows lengthened.

She had given freely her unstinted love to make others happy and a large number of devoted friends with a loyal, loving circle of children and grand-children with sad interest watched her failing strength, the sign of inevitable decline.

With all that pitiless disease could do to undermine her bodily strength, her mind, memory affection and will held its place with a tenacity that astonished all who came to her bedside. Her faith in the unfailing love and sympathy of God and human friends never faltered. Her days and nights of almost constant pain were cheered by many messages and tokens of sympathy from neighbors and friends from far and near. After several hours of intense suffering, just at the opening of a new day, surrounded by her loving sons and daughter, her release came. "She was not, for God had taken her"

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep
From which none ever wake to
(weep"

There still survive her beside her sons and daughter, six grandchildren and four great grandchildren, one brother, Abram G. Morehouse and one sister, Sarah Shults, both of North Adams.

The burial services were held from the family residence on W. Main street Friday afternoon, the Rev. John Sheehan, of Niles, Michigan, a former North Adams pastor, assisted by the Rev. M. D. Carrel, conducting the service. Mrs. Nellie Kenrick and her son beautifully rendered two duets "After the Shadows" and "He Knows, It Is Enough" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Tena Wamsley. The ladies of the O. E. S. very impressively conducted the services at the grave, using the burial service of the order. A large number of friends from near and far were in attendance.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our gratitude to friends who so generously remembered us with words of sympathy and deeds of kindly service and gifts of flowers at the death and burial of our beloved mother and grand-mother, Mrs. Catherine Tiffany. We would especially mention the comforting words of Rev. Sheehan; the very appropriate duets rendered by Mrs. Nellie Kenrick and son, Harold, and Mrs. Tena Wamsley. The beautiful flowers from individual donors and from the various orders; and we would make special mention of the closing service at the grave conducted by members of the O. E. S. with which order Mrs. Tiffany was identified.

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TOMORROW (July 4th) the nation celebrates its one hundred and forty-ninth birthday. Almost a century and a half has melted away since those men with hearts of oak stood together in old Independence Hall at Philadelphia, and signed the precious document which made us a nation. For aught they knew it might have been their death warrant. They took their own initiatives. A Tory or a Patriot meant life or death as the balance swayed. When Washington took command of the Continental army at Cambridge the thirteen colonies had no guaranty of their existence, Munitions, clothing and provisions they had not. 'Twas a long far call from Lexington and Concord io Yorktown; one more Long Island and a second Valley Forge might have changed the map of this country like the kaliedoscopic pattern of a quilt. It is assumed that the Mighty Ruler of the Universe takes care of His chosen ones. He saw to it that devoted souls like Benjamin Franklin, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson and Patrick Henry lived and had their being. Way down on the quaint little island of the West Indies He caused to be born Alexander Hamilton (the conqueror) a wonderful statesman. At Braddock's defeat He stemmed the Indian bullets that would have cut short the immortal career of George Washington.

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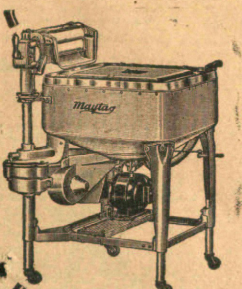

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Local News

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Dean Williams has returned from his Kentucky trip.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comtortable glasses. 24

Dan Garlinghouse. visited relatives in Tecumseh this week

Regular meeting of Adams Lodge No. 189 F.&A. M. Monday evening July 6th.

Albert Dietz has recently given his residence in this village a coat of paint.

John Hollister left Monday for a few days visit with relatives at Coldwater.

Miss Adelaide Marvin visited her friend in Jackson over the week end.

Forrest Marvin spent a couple of days in Detroit this week, returning Friday.

Two sisters of Mrs. A. J. Hoffman were guests at the Hoffman home this week.

James Jones is re-painting his residence in this village. E. R. Benson is the brush wielder.

Raymond Fouty and wife are the parents of a daughter born June 30 to be known as Evelyn Vera. Weight 7 pounds.

C. W. Bleech and wife and Mrs Bion Lynch motored to Toledo Saturday to spend the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. A. Dietz who has been ill for some time is on the road to recovery her many friends are happy to know.

John Cragem of Mosherville spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of Arthur Holcomb south east of this village.

"Billy Bounce" now drives a brand new shiny "Baby Lincoln" with a real self commencer to it. Art says the difference is noticeable even to a novice.

Mrs. Kittie Huff who has been ill for some time is very much improved in fact she is practically well. She will visit her son Glenn and family in Jackson July 4th.

Orrin Gauss and family of Vandercook's Lake, passed through North Adams en route to Hillsdale where they will visit friends on Thursday. Mr Gauss called on the Advocate.

C. J. Knapp is taking a vacation of ten days from his duties at the Corner Store. He will visit his daughter Mrs. Lena Stoner in Adrian part of the time and will spend the 4th with her.

Quarterly meeting was held at the Methodist church in this village at 2:30 Sunday afternoon with District Superintendent Clapp present. The affairs of the church were discussed pro and con and the finances reckoned. Dr. Clapp delivered two very strong sermons on Sunday, in fact it was an inspiration to listen to his discourse.

The free movie program on Wednesday evening drew a very large crowd and a very good entertainment is promised for July 8th. Remember there is seating room for all, and you are very welcome. These hot evenings you can pass away an hour or so at the expense of the business men of this village and you need the relaxation. We want to see you all out next Wednesday evening.

The country's oldest shows, the famous John Robinson's, will exhibit in Hillsdale Saturday, July 4th. with a wealth of new features such as the mammoth pageant, "Peter Pan in Animal Land" with hundreds of brilliant trappings and such animal trainers as Capt. Ricardo, Theo Shroeder, W. Weaver, Dewey Butler and Bob Thornton. This is a seven-pole tent and all equipment is of the best.

The S. P. I. class of the M. E. Sunday school met last Friday with Eva Overly. After the business meeting the following program was given: Music, "Peace, Peace Sweet Peace," Bible Texts on Peace by each member. Duet, Lois and Muriel Holcomb. Reading, Lillian Pendell. Paper on Peace, Lois Holcomb Solo, Margaret Meeks. Remarks, Ruth Stevenson. Song, America. Meeting adjourned to meet July 24 at Wilson Lake. Pot luck supper followed which was much enjoyed.

The Hillsdale County Guernsey Breeders picnic was held at the home of W. C. Armstrong at Wilson's Lake the first of the week with 200 members present and all sat down to a sumptuous pot-luck dinner and boating, bathing and barnyard golf amused the boys until it was time to go homeward They listened to such spellbinders as Prof. Reed, W. D. Burrington Prof. Carl Musser on subjects kindred to the breeding of this particular kind of cattle. John Williams and family of this place were the only ones present from our community.

For Rent—Good barn in the heart of this village suitable for automobile. Inquire at this office.

Webb Underwood and son, Virgil, and Miss Margaret Hauerman of Ann Arbor were week end guests of Arthur Holcomb and wife.

Max Fitzgerald and wife of Adrian were visitors in North Adams on Saturday last. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Edna Hewitt who will remain the week.

Carl Gray and wife of Cincinnati, Ohio, are guests at the Will Gray home and the Judd Gray home. Carl is teaching in the public schools of Cincinnati where he went a number of years ago.

E. J. Hutton and family of Quincy Washington state, are expected to arrive here this week to visit his brother Rev. W. H Hutton, whom he has not seen in twenty years. The Huttons are driving through from the coast by auto.

The W. F. M. met Wednesday July 1st with Mrs. George Holcomb There was a good attenance to enjoy the program and as a pleasant surprise the hostess served ice cream and cake. The next meeting will be observed as guest day.

—Don't forget the Mother Goose Social at Clyde Wertz' lawn Friday evening (to-night) Ladies bring well-filled boxes, and lemonade will also be sold. Proceeds to be applied on the purchase of a piano for the League room.

The 7-sear-old son of Mr, and Mrs. Lynn Stevens had the misfortune to fall on the sidewalk in this village and break his arm on Saturday. He was taken to Dr. McFarland's office and the fracture reduced. The arm is doing well

A new potato vine pest has made its appearance in Calhoun county. Gardeners find the potato vines tipped over and broken off near the ground. A boring worm or toredo enters the stalk below the surface and channels upward.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gray of Center Adams, W. H. Peterson and wife, Frank Crowl and wife of Chicago, Mrs. W. D. Crowl and daughter Mrs. Flora Hughes and son Robert of Schoolcraft were guests of Fred Rumsey and family Thursday evening June 25th.

An Icecream social will be held at the Aldrich school house Friday evening, July 11th at which time a playlet entitled "The Rev. Peter Brice, Bachelor" will be given by the Country Woman's Improvement Club for the benefit of the Addison Hospital.

George Walworth now has his splendid new barn about completed, and painted a brilliant red. Certain features of this barn are worthy of copying. Inside each gable end 20 feet below the comb of the roof the carpenters have placed trusses horizontally to prevent the high winds from forcing in the large surfaces so exposed. Concrete floors and foundations are used throughout.

Sorosis Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Alice Newman on Tuesday afternoon June 23rd with a very good attendance. Roll call was responded to by naming "A tree beloved by the poets" this was the annual meeting and election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Hilda Williams Vice Pres., Edith Westcott. Sec. and Treas. Mrs. Elizabeth Northrup. The program committee are Edith Westcott, Mrs. Celia Duguid and Mrs. Alice Newman. The club will meet again on the 4th Tuesday in September.

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Congregational Church Calendar

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will speak on the picture that made Raphael famous, "The Sistine Madonna" Holy Communion will also be served at this time.

Mr. Hunt's Sunday school class are expected to be at this service in a body.

There will also be a Baptismal service and the reception of new members.

Choir practice will be held at the home of Frances Young Saturday evening 7;30 o'clock. Everybody out!

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

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Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Sunday morning, July 5th there will be a patriotic discourse by the pastor.

At 7:30 p. m. the evening service will be given over to the young people of the League and the semi-annual election of officers will occur at that time.

Lost—Motorcycle license No. 3257. Finder notify Clarence Kane Jerome. 5t3

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The next cottage prayer meeting occurs Tuesday evening July 7th, at the home of Henry Comley. Everyone invited, as this is strictly undenominational.

Between 20 and 30 members of Mr, Hunt's S. S. class enjoyed an outing at Baw Beese Lake the past week. Probably the biggest event of the week was the big fish caught by Doris Hill and Gladys Holkins which weighed 2½ pounds. Altho' there were several fish dinners this was the best of all. The group were very grateful to those who expressed their interest by paying visits to us while there. Especially do we wish to thank the following for their surprise treats: Mrs. M. Kempton, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston. The young people are already looking forward to next summer when they hope to repeat the happy event.

We heard a gent discussing the Advocate the other evening charging that we were a parrot and a phonograph, merely re-producing what other papers printed. Well, we presume this boy was locoed or suffered with horse pistol dementia or had his dates mixed. As a matter of fact the Advocate can't change anything that happens—and if we happen to print something which the other paper contained it is no indication we are a phonograph. We generally find ourselves so busy correcting dates that we have no time to manufacture stuff if we would. For instance a certain paper is speaking of a worthy citizen who had passed away from our midst manufactured two sons for him when he never had a son in his life, and also named them. Also at another time this sheet spoke of our enterprising egg dealer as Mr. Crates which was totally unnecessary as Mr. Crater has plenty of egg crates and he don't need 'em. No, Brother, we don't phonograph and we never manufacture stuff! Your last supply of cheap propaganda has gone to your head. Better reef in your main jib boom.

Death of Robert Iveson

Robert Iveson 8 years of age son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Iveson, of Wheatland, died Sunday morning at Wauhgemaja Michigan and funeral services were held at the farm home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 Rev. Hutton officiating and interment was in the local cemetery. Left to mourn are the father two brothers John and Richard one sister Helen, grandparents and more distant relatives. The lad's mother died Dec. 29, 1924.

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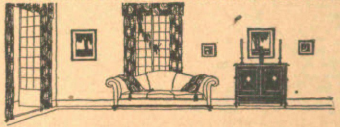

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King Tommy

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AN UNKNOWN VISITOR

SYNOPSIS. — In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy," and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strong-minded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace. Janet Church leaves for Berlin. "Uncle Bill" is again appealed to by his sister to find a certain curate (name not given) who has left his parish in Ireland for a visit to Berlin, and cannot be found. Lord Norheys and Viola Temple disappear from London. Procopius Cable receives information that Norheys, with the princess, has left there on his way to Lystria, but Norheys appears with the former Viola Temple, now his wife. The question is, "Who is the man who has gone to Lystria with the Princess Calypso?" Casimir introduces himself, and Janet Church, vainly seeking from the British consulate a passport to Lystria, becomes acquainted with the two men in the Adlon hotel.

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That seemed a small result of so much conversation, and gave Tommy very little fresh information. The Casimir and the Istvan he had read on the visiting card, though in reversed order. Graf he took to be the German for count.

"Tell him," he said, "that there's a mistake. He can't possibly want to see me. Ask him who he does want, and then get him to go down again and find the number of his friend's room."

Janet started again. So did Casimir. This time they talked for a quarter of an hour, fast and emphatically. There is nothing in the world so irritating as hearing two people talk to each other in an unknown language when you know they are talking about your affairs. Tommy is the best tempered of men, but even he began to feel impatient.

"He says," said Janet, turning to Tommy at last, "that he's sure your name is Norheys."

"Is that all he said?"

"That's all," said Janet.

"Well, then, all I can say is that I don't wonder the Germans lost the war. If it takes them half an hour to say 'What's your name?' they can't expect to get on at war or anything else. It must be an utterly rotten language."

Janet, who hated all Germans with a passionate intensity during the war, has been developing a strong affection for them since the peace was signed. She cannot bear, now, to hear a word said against them and has transferred her dislike to the French. When Tommy insulted the German language she turned away and stalked down the corridor toward the bath.

Casimir has an amazing facility in quotation.

"'And the imperial votaress passed on,'" he said, "'In maiden meditation, fancy free.' Please."

Casimir's English accent was by no means perfect. Tommy, though he ought to have recognized Shakespeare's compliment to Queen Elizabeth, seemed to have thought that the count was still talking German. He darted into his room and picked up his phrase book. He distinctly remembered that he had somewhere seen the sentence "Please go away." That was, as I have said, a very good phrase book. "Please go away" is a thing which the traveler in a foreign land constantly wants to say to beggars, extortionate cabmen, guides, touts, and officials who want to look at passports. Tommy grabbed the book, turned over the pages quickly, and came to the sentence he wanted.

Unfortunately, the next sentence in the book was "Please sit down." Tommy, running his eyes hurriedly from the English to the German column, picked up the wrong phrase.

"Bitte setzen sie sich," he said.

Casimir could not very well sit down on the carpet in the corridor. So took Tommy's words to be an invitation to enter the bedroom. Tommy stood exactly in the middle of the doorway. Casimir, bowing very politely, tried to pass him. Tommy suddenly recollected that all his money, his piles of German marks, lay on the table in the middle of the room. A horrible explanation of Casimir's presence suggested itself. The man had made no mistake. He had not been sent to the wrong room by the clerk in the hotel office. He was a hotel thief. Tommy had heard of such people. They are immensely daring, immensely clever, and they adopt all sorts of ruses. They are often well dressed. They are always plausible.

Tommy winked knowingly at Casimir to show that he understood the situation and cherished no ill-feeling. Then he firmly shut the door in his visitor's face.

CHAPTER VIII

An hour later Tommy stepped from the elevator into the great central hall of the hotel. He had discarded his clerical stock. He wore a light blue tie instead. He was still a young man, only a little more than twenty-six, not long enough in Holy Orders to have his profession recognizably written on his face. A bystander, interested in his appearance, might have guessed him to be a young barrister, or perhaps a clerk in one of the higher branches of the civil service. But no one appeared to be the least interested in Tommy's appearance, or to care what he was or what he did.

The large hall was full of people. Hotel porters in red jackets wheeled barrows of luggage in and out. Pageboys, as thickly decorated with buttons as any of their kind anywhere in the world, went to and fro wailing the numbers of the rooms of the guests whom they sought—guests whom visitors had come to see or for whom telephone calls had been made. Fussy travelers, newly arrived and filled with a sense of their own importance, crowded round the desk of the reception clerk and demanded rooms. Self-possessed elderly men, mostly fat and often Jewish, lounged in deep chairs with cigars in their mouths and surveyed the scene through half-closed eyes. American tourists eddied round the newspaper stalls in the corner of the hall and clamored for the New York Herald. It was in their eyes a sign of the well nigh inconceivable stupidity and incompetence of all European peoples that the supply of New York Heralds was insufficient to meet their demands. The desk of a harassed woman who sold concert and theater tickets was besieged by ladies who did not know exactly what they wanted but hoped to secure seats at some agreeable entertainment by asking questions in bad German. A boy, rather older than the pages, stood at the swinging glass door and drove it round on its pivot with vigorous pushes. He drove it faster and faster as more and more people passed in and out. His hope was that some time in the course of the morning he would succeed in hitting a slowly moving passer with the following wing of the door. Those who entered and left the hotel approached the whirling door very much in the spirit of medieval sportsmen who rode at the quintain.

All this delighted Tommy. He had hitherto led a quiet and uneventful life, seldom disturbed by anything more exciting than a Sunday school treat. He watched the moving figures, gazed at the strange faces, listened to a babel of different languages, and felt that this was exactly what he had come to Berlin to enjoy. For some time he was content simply to stand watching and listening. Then he began to wonder what he had better do next. He had the whole day before him. His breast pocket was stuffed with money. He had a great city to explore.

Before leaving home he had read up Baedeker's Guide to Berlin, an old copy borrowed from my sister Emily. He knew that there was a street called Unter den Linden which he ought to see, a park called the Tier Garten, an avenue called the Sieges Allee, several churches and museums. There were theaters, picture galleries and restaurants, all duly named and the nature indicated by the worthy Baedeker. At the moment he felt more attracted toward a restaurant. His breakfast had been very light, and though it was only ten o'clock, he felt hungry. He wondered whether it would be possible to demand luncheon in a Berlin restaurant at that hour without exciting the derision of the waiters.

He felt a light touch on his arm and looked round. Count Casimir stood beside him.

"Just you clear off, like a good man," said Tommy. "I've had enough of you for one morning."

His mind was still full of his hotel theory, and he was quite determined not to be robbed by any plausible stranger. He turned away and walked across the hall toward the row of telephone boxes. He had no intention of telephoning to any one. Indeed, he knew no one in Berlin to whom he could telephone, nor could he have given a number in German. He merely wished to escape from Casimir.

But Casimir was not an easy man to shake off. He followed Tommy.

"You wish to go to the Mascotte tonight," he said. "Please?"

The word "Please" was evidently in constant use in Casimir's language. His repetition of it in English gave a curious effect of extreme politeness to his conversation.

Tommy had heard of the Mascotte. My nephew, Emily's eldest boy, was in Berlin for some time as a subordinate member of the inter-allied mission of control. He knew all there was to know about the night life of the city. It is a supper place, "d—d expensive," but the dancing was "top hole." It was not the sort of dancing which the censors of the London county council would approve, but it was "top hole" and "not too, you know, only rather more so than you'd see at home."

"Please, you will visit the Mascotte."

Casimir nodded and smiled in a very confidential manner, as if he and Tommy shared a secret which no one else in the world knew anything about. Tommy revised his opinion of the man. He was not a hotel thief. He was a tout, engaged in securing customers for the Mascotte supper room. Tommy had heard of such people. He had no intention of putting himself into the hands of one of them.

"She will be there, naturally," said Casimir, "and"—another quotation, this time disagreeably suggestive to Tommy's mind—

"Journeys end in lovers meeting,
Every wise man's son doth know."

This was going too far. Tommy meant to enjoy himself on his holiday. He had discarded his clerical collar in order to do so more freely, but he had no wish to pursue unknown ladies into night clubs. In order to get rid of Casimir finally he stepped into the nearest telephone box.

It was already occupied, and, since a telephone box is always a very small thing, he bumped into a lady who held the receiver to her ear. She was so intent on what she was doing that she took no notice of Tommy. He most unwillingly heard what she was saying.

"Then let me tell you, young man, that there'll be trouble. Lord Edmund Troyte distinctly promised that my passport would be ready for me. Yes? What's that? I've been to the consulate three times and I'm going again. The consul is totally incompetent and his clerks are rude. It's your business. What? Yes. I say it's your business. You're the third secretary, you say. That makes no difference. It's your business to see about that passport.

"What on earth are you doing there and who are you?"

Janet Church turned at last to Tommy, who had bumped into her again. She was fully dressed this time and the light in the telephone box was dim. But he recognized her at once as the lady who had stood talking German in the corridor. He also realized that she was in an exceedingly bad temper. Casimir, with his suggestion of strange lady-loves at the Mascotte, was bad enough. Janet Church, thirsting for the blood of the third secretary, was worse. Tommy left the telephone box hurriedly.

Casimir was waiting for him outside.

"Please," he said, "I have engaged a table for you at the Mascotte. It is catalogued—no, registered, no, I remember, you say booked, for the Graf von Norheys, please."

"I don't exactly know what a Graf is," said Tommy, "but whatever it is, I'm not one."

"Please?" said Casimir. "Ah, I see. If it were possible—in France, yes. M. le Marquis. There is no difficulty. But here. Excellenz perhaps. Or Prinz. Otherwise there is only Graf. It will not be understood if I catalogue the table for Herr Marquis. As your poet Shakespeare says, 'As you like it.'"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

And He Never Came Back

Poor and sad, a tired-looking individual entered the shanty where the workmen were eating their dinners. He was carrying a red tin can.

"Hey, comrades," he sighed, holding out a hand by way of salutation. "Look at this tin of powder I picked up this morning. I guess I'll blow myself up with it and so end my troubles here and now."

"Cut that sort of talk and clear out," ordered the foreman.

But the man addressed paid no attention. He cast one glance around the shanty, then walked deliberately to the stove, opened the door and thrust the can inside.

A shriek of dismay followed this action and a moment later the place was empty.

Ten minutes later, when the runaways returned, they found the can reposing peacefully on the fire. The tired-looking individual had gone. So had their dinners and other of their possessions.

When Barrett Wendell Was Roused to Anger

For all his scholarly dignity, Barrett Wendell, Harvard professor, now and then lost his temper and especially at football games. In his biography, M. A. DeWolfe Howes recalls an occasion when Doctor Wendell and his daughter were greatly annoyed by an excited fan directly in front of them, who kept leaping up and cutting off their view.

When protests proved of no avail, Wendell upraised his professorial cane and brought it crashing down on the man's head, breaking his hat.

A roar of laughter went up from the delighted students who witnessed the incident, increasing when the man turned around shouting furiously:

"Who did that?"

"I did," replied Wendell calmly. "Come out and I'll buy you a new hat."

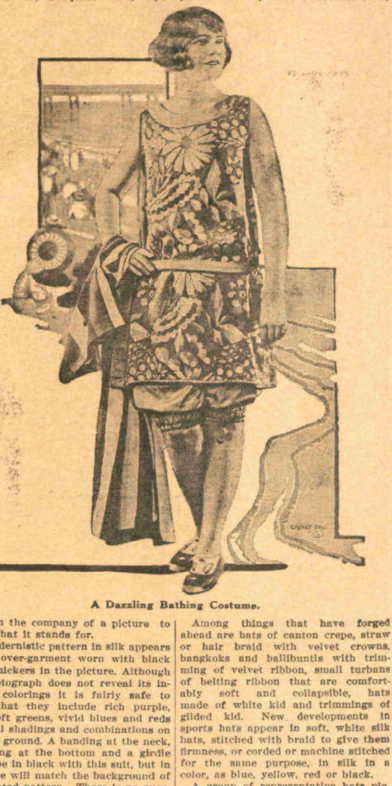
They exchanged cards and were gone from the game long enough to make the necessary purchase.

Knew Value of Rifle

The Arab caravan men who used trade across the Sahara through wastes patrolled by robber tribes had a proverb which told a deal of truth. "Without doubt," they said, "Allah is great, and Mohammed is his prophet but Sidi Vinster (Mr. Winchester) is the trader's real friend."

COLORFUL BATHING COSTUMES; SUMMER MILLINERY TURNS BACK

HOW would the puzzled fashion reporter be able to tell about the latest things in bathing suits if it were not for the resourcefulness of silk manufacturers? Some keen-minded maker of silks has hit upon the word "modernistic" to describe the new patterns in printed silks—it refers to the bold, unusual, vividly colored and glowing designs which are liked for bathing and beach suits and negligees. Nothing in the sky above, the earth beneath, or the waters under the earth is just like them—hence "modernistic" is a very adequate word, especially in the company of a picture to show what it stands for.



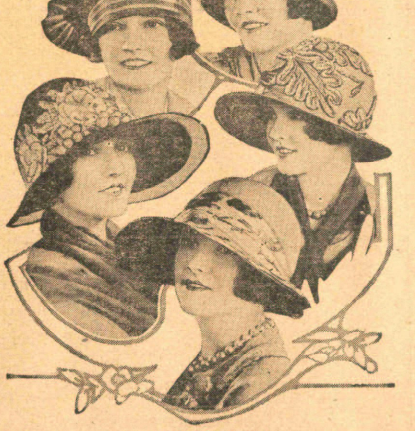
A Dazzling Bathing Costume.

A modernistic pattern in silk appears in the over-garment worn with black satin knickers in the picture. Although the photograph does not reveal its intricate colorings it is fairly safe to guess that they include rich purple, gold, soft greens, vivid blues and reds in artful shadings and combinations on a black ground. A banding at the neck, a binding at the bottom and a girdle would be in black with this suit, but in any case will match the background of the printed pattern. There is no question of the attractiveness of these new beach suits. Flourishing right along with them are black suits having only a little color introduced in bindings of gold, copenhagen blue or white.

Real swimming suits also divide their allegiance between dark and light colors. Tights fastening on the shoulder and having skirts looped on are made of pure worsted in purple, orange, royal blue, tan, bright green and in navy and black. Capes and coats to be worn over suits are shown in terry cloth in Roman and other stripes and in rubberized cloth. The latter are often lined with terry cloth. The aspect of the beaches is bright and gay—and no one looks bedraggled in modernistic bathing clothes.

For once in her career restless woman seems to be satisfied with things as they are, in millinery. Except for the much increased proportion of all-white hats and hats in which white predominates, millinery displays continue to be made up of the beautiful headwear launched in spring and early summer. The small felt hat in pastel colors continues to sell like ice cream cones, with the white felt a close second. Large felt hats in light colors, hair braids and other light straws are demanded, showing that the minds of women are centered on midsummer headwear and that they are not so "uncertain, coy and hard to please" as they have sometimes been.

Among things that have forged ahead are hats of canton crepe, straw or hair braid with velvet crowns, bangkoks and ballibuntls with trimming of velvet ribbon, small turbans of belting ribbon that are comfortably soft and collapsible, hats made of white kid and trimmings of gilded kid. New developments in sports hats appear in soft, white silk hats, stitched with braid to give them firmness, or corded or machine stitched for the same purpose, in silk in a color, as blue, yellow, red or black.



Some of the Summer Hats.

A group of representative hats pictured here includes a small soft turban of black and colored ribbon, a felt hat with crepe facing and drapery, finished with a rhinestone ornament—at the upper right—a tagal straw below it with applique trimming of silk and braid. Opposite this is a hat of canton crepe and hair braid with flowers and fruit about the crown and below it a hair braid shape with drapery of figured chiffon. It is noticeable that the shapes are medium or small, conservative in lines and becoming.

Summer millinery is singing its swan song. These conservative models and the sheer, wide brimmed, picturesque hats of hair braid, lace or crepe, signify that the song is finished. White and light colored felt or fabric hats for sport or street wear provide the very last word.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Chiffon Hand Bag

A bag which reflects the vogue for printed materials is made of a printed chiffon handkerchief in the gayest colors. It is lined with silk and attached to a frame so that the four corners make a petal decoration.

Neat New Hats

Attractive hats to be worn between seasons are of satin or grosgrain ribbons arranged on the frame to give the effect of draped silk.

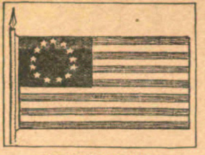
Bordered Silks for Frocks

Bordered silks have a distinct appeal, not only because of the fashion element but because of their practicability. It takes only a yard and a half of the material to make a frock and the result is extremely smart and becoming.

Buttons, Buttons

Rows and rows of buttons and bound buttonholes trim the newest silk frocks.

To Betsy Ross



The Betsy Ross Flag.

They came to you—those patriots—
when woman's aid was needed,
They asked an emblem of you in the
midst of war's alarm,
As the knight of song and story
fought for fame in battle's glory,
And wore the veil his lady gave upon
his good right arm.
Your swiftly snipping scissors for an
instant did not lag,
And the hand that rocked the cradle
was the hand that made the flag.

No more the hand and arrows fluttered
o'er the troops in conflict;
No more they fought together under-
neath the green pine tree;
And the spitting snake uplifted never-
more its rattles shifted
In the cannon's belch sinister, as it
warned "Don't tread on me!"
For the varied Continentals had a
standard all their own,
When they fought beneath a banner
that a woman's hand had sewn.

Ah, Betsy Ross, you little knew the
honor that befell you,
That quiet day you labored in your lit-
tle homestead, where
Your nimble needle flying sewed a
nation never dying—
That the little constellation that you
clipped and fashioned there
Would wax in greater numbers from
the cradle of its birth,
And carry forth its message to the
very ends of earth.

—Harlowe R. Hoyt.

Lafayette

When Lafayette visited America a hundred years ago as the guest of the nation his part in the great adventure of the American colonies lay nearly half a century in the background of his life. When he had taken leave of us he had left behind him a little group of commonwealths, exhausted by war and distracted by mutual jealousies and mistrust. On his return in 1824 he found them bound into a vigorous, expanding nation, basking in the sunshine of an "era of good feeling."

It is hard for us to realize that in 1777 it seemed nothing out of place for the Continental congress to bestow a major general's commission upon a nineteen-year-old French aristocrat, incapable of giving an intelligible command in English. It was, however, quite in accord with the custom of the time so to burden young shoulders with weighty responsibilities, especially if they were patrician shoulders. Perhaps the practice was justified by the precocity that was characteristic of the age. More of the statesmen of the Revolution were under forty years of age than over it. At nineteen Alexander Hamilton, born in the same year as Lafayette, had a profound and practical knowledge of the principles of government and finance. Across the sea William Pitt was about to enter upon the amazing parliamentary career that was to make him prime minister of England at twenty-four.

Lafayette Monument, Washington.

How was it that Lafayette, heir to an ancient and enormously wealthy house, should have become at a period in life when the modern boy is leaving high school a sincere and ardent champion of the "rights of man"? In almost any of his compatriots the motive might well have been caprice or a love of adventure. In Lafayette it was passion for human liberty.

It is fitting, therefore, that when we think of the help that France gave us in the Revolution we should symbolize it in the person of Lafayette. France acted from selfish motives, for England was her traditional enemy. Lafayette was whole-heartedly for the cause of the young republic.—Youth's Companion.

Revolutionary Uniforms

In 1779 congress authorized and directed the commander in chief to prescribe a uniform. Accordingly General Washington issued a general order from headquarters, New Windsor, October 2, 1779, which provided the following uniforms: New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut—Blue faced with white; buttons and linings white. New York and New Jersey—Blue, faced with buff; buttons and linings white. Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia—Blue, faced with red; buttons and linings white. North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia—Blue, faced with light blue; buttonholes edged with narrow white lace or tape; buttons and linings white. Artillery officers—Blue, faced with scarlet. Light dragoons—Blue, faced with white; buttons and lining white.

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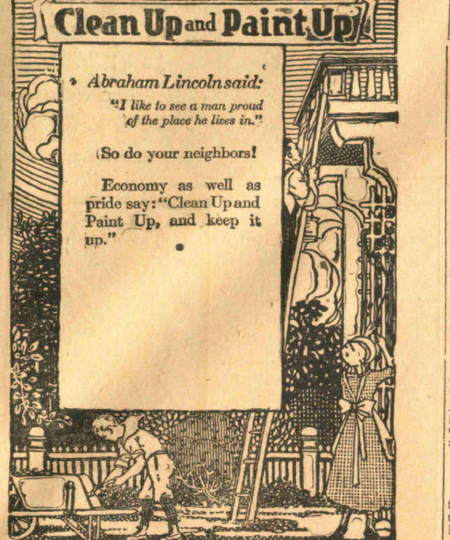

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Abraham Lincoln said:

"I like to see a man proud of the place he lives in."

So do your neighbors!

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After leaving Put-In-Bay Island the steamer sails on through the narrow channels among the delightful Lake Erie Islands to Sandusky and Cedar Point, Ohio.

Cedar Point, just across the bay from Sandusky, is known as the Atlantic City of the West. With its huge hotels, electric park, magnificent bathing beach and board walk it is easily the Queen of the Great Lakes Summer resorts.

On Fridays, after July 4, steamer Put-In-Bay gives a special excursion to Cedar Point, allowing four hours at the wonderful resort, and reaching Detroit at 10:30 p. m.

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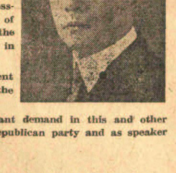
Serving vigorously and successfully as prosecuting attorney of Calhoun County, he was then the youngest man to hold that office in the state of Michigan.

He is one of the most eloquent and effective public speakers in the state.



He has been in almost constant demand in this and other states as a campaigner for the republican party and as speaker on civic and patriotic occasions.

He knows public issues.

He has been a powerful champion of constitutional government.

He has vigorously and constantly demanded law enforcement and respect for law.

In Calhoun county "Joe" Hooper has long had the enthusiastic friendship of men and women of every class, who admire his ability, his squareness and sincerity—and who repeatedly have urged him for position at Washington.

If sent to congress he will carry on the high record which the third district holds there. He will make no appeals to prejudice or misunderstanding; he will be the loyal and effective friend of good government, of intelligent progress—and he will be the square and dependable friend of the people of his district.

Men and women from every class and station of life, in Calhoun county, endorse "Joe" Hooper's candidacy to you.

Vote for him as the republican nominee at the primary, July 21.

Hooper for Congress Committee.

Political Advertising

The Awakening

"Spend the Holidays in Detroit is the slogan of the Shadukiam Grotto Awakening Committee and the Michigan State Fair this year, for in addition to the production of The Awakening for 15 nights at the State Fair Grounds, June 27 to July 11, the Detroit Motor Classic Auto Races will be held on the afternoon of July 4 and all day July 5.

Over 30 of the outstanding dirt track stars of the country have entered for the two days speed contests at the fast mile oval, among whom will be winners from all parts of the United States in other speed events, including Les Allen who broke the world's I. M. C. A. 100 mile record at Detroit June 7, Sam Ross, who finished in second money and Ralph Ormsby who while coming in third, led the race for 99 miles.

Besides there will be Paul Clancy a world's record holder on dirt tracks; Cliff Roma, the Italian flash; Jules Devereaux, the Belgian speed ace; Fuzzy Davidson, the Pacific coast star; Kurt Ketcham, Curly Young, Cliff Woodbury, Babe Adams, Homer Ormsby, Billy Brodbeck, Bert Thomas, Lud Neilsen and others with such cars as Millers, Duesenbergs, Frontenacs, Peugeots, Laurels, Roofs, Rajos and Fiats.

Auto races start at 3 p. m. July 4, time trials at 8:30 a. m. July 5, the 150 mile race at 2:30 p. m. July 5 and the Awakening "Cleopatra" performances at 8:15 p. m. each evening of the fifteen performances.

Watch Your Step

Some of the local boys who have for years followed the footsteps of their ancient and worthy progenitor Izaac Walton are now watching the game laws and they want to know what they can catch and what they can't, so here is a list of rhe laws up-to date in regard to fishing The game wardens in these parts are altogether too attentive to business for the comfort of the numerous jay birds who would like to fish, yet when all is said and done there are large quantities of fish dynamited and otherwise unlawfully taken. Following is the law. Cut this out and stick it in your pocket.

The connecting waters between the Great Lakes are classed as in land waters.

Hook and Line—Defined by law to be a single line or single rod and line with hook or hooks attached which held in the hand or under immediate control when being used for still fishing.

Casting and Trolling—Defined to mean a single line or single rod and line with hook or hooks attached or with a natural or artificial bait, not to exceed six inches in length and one or more hooks or gangs of hooks attached, to be used for casting or trolling for fish, and the method of capturing fish shall be by means of fish taking bait or hook in the mouth.

Grab Hooks, Snag Hooks, Set Lines and Night Lines—unlawful to use.

Ice Lines—Defined to be a single line with a single hook attached and five such lines may be used by one person during December, January, February and March for taking all kinds of fish, except the different kinds of trout, bass and wall eyed pike, through the ice.

Nets, excepting dip nets and minnow seines—Unlawful to use or have in possession within one half mile of any inland lake or stream.

Spearing and Dip Netting, Carp suckers, mullet and red sides may be taken in the streams and rivers by this means without artificial light during March and April in the lower peninsula, and from March 1st to May 15th in the upper peninsula, of Michigan. All kinds of fish except black bass, wall eyed pike and brook trout may be speared through the ice during January and February in each year.

Minnow Seine—Not more than twenty feet in length may be used for taking chubs, shiners, suckers dace and stone roller minnows from any of the rivers and streams not to exceed thirty feet in length and five feet in width may be used in inland lakes. Unlawful to transport or carry away minnows taken for bait from the waters of any trout stream.

Jack and all kinds of artificial lights, dynamite and all other explosive substances—Unlawful to use or have in possession on any of the inland waters or within one half mile thereof.

Wall eyed Pike, Blue Gills, Sun fish, Crappies and Sturgeon are now protected fish as well as all species of trout and bass. These fish cannot be bought and sold, and hotel proprietors and resort keepers are admonished that neiher these nor any other protected fish can be served to guests where a charge is made for the service, provided the fish caught by guests may be served to them at their request.

Firearms—Unlawful to use for taking any kind of fish in any of the waters of this State at any time

Black Bass and Wall eyed Pike Unlawful to take or have in possession more than a total of ten bass and may be composed of big or small mouth or either of the two species. Wall eyed pike, ten.

Blue Gills, Sunfish, Calico Bass White Bass, Rock Bass or Crappies Unlawful to take or have in possession more than a total of twenty five of each species.

Be sure your campfire is extinguished before you leave it.

They Are Filled

Major General Hale of Chicago reports that the quota for the 6th Corps Citizens Military Training Camp at Custer is now full—in fact it is over subscribed. This camp opens July 23rd and closes August 21st both at Custer and Camp Jefferson Missouri. The Major feels highly elated over the prospect and says it shows increasing popularity each year. There are some applications for next season of fellows too young to go in now. All that will be taken on now are simply supers to go as substitutes for those who may be called away by sickness or some other reason. This the Major thinks indicates a wonderful future for the nation. We think so to. When it is time to open another grand war we shall have a super-abundance of good timber more than half trained. It is possible we are following in the footsteps of poor old decrepit Germany which rode on high horses only to topple from its own clumsiness into oblivion.

So great is the faith of a large majority of our people in the general good intentions of the powers at Washington that we have been criticised severely for even intimating that we would ever see another war. We hope this is a chimera. We hope no more honest American blood will ever be shed to settle quarrels hatched up at Washington but it don't look good. Too much money is being expended on war aeroplanes and other fighting paraphernalia.

The Guggenheim Foundation

Possibly few of our readers ever heard of Senator John Simon Guggenheim of Colorado, who is heavily interested in mines throughout the west and is very rich. He and wife have recently set aside $3,000-000 for a revolving fund to assist in the education abroad of exceptionally well qualified but financially poor people, who wish to finish their courses along certain lines in Europe. The approximate amount allowed each person per year is $2,500 for actual expenses, and it is planned to send from 40 to 50 each year. Men or women who apply must show exceptional talent along their particular line of endeavor. They must have been in the work for a time and must have shown particular ability. It is expected that those engaged in the study of the fine arts will be more liable to take this endowment, as it is confessed the study of art must be finished in Europe, although other courses will be taken. This is the chance of a lifetime for any who can furnish the necessary credentials. Applicant must be necessarily sound in health and of good character, between the ages of 25 and 35 years.

Automobile Accident At Jonesville

The roster of auto mishaps is on the increase. Early last Saturday morning two machines collided near Allen on M-23, killing one person. We have not the particulers of the accident, but late Saturday evening two machiues came together on the streets of Jonesville, in front of the blacksmith shop of Harry Randolph. A car owned by Harmon Taylor of Hillsdale met a car owned by Mr. McCarty of Jonesville which was going east. For some reason the Taylor car turned to the left instead of the right. Three men were in it and the shock turned it over. Mr. Taylor was pinned underneath and suffered a broken collar bone, and when picked up was unconscious. He was taken to Dr. Fisk's office and patched up and latter to the hospital. His car was demolished The McCarty car suffered considerable damage, so saith the Hillsdale Daily.

But there is one important particular which the scribe missed. When Taylor was picked up a bottle of whisky was seen by a bystander who put it away expecting to turn it over to the authorities. After the muss was cleaned up the bystander was approached by the town marshal who demanded the bottle. The bystander said. "who are you?" and the officer gave his authority and took the bottle. Now so far as we know no report has yet been made of the whisky and at the present high price of this commodity there should be an explanation of where it went.. It is to be hoped the driver had not mixed it with gasoline.

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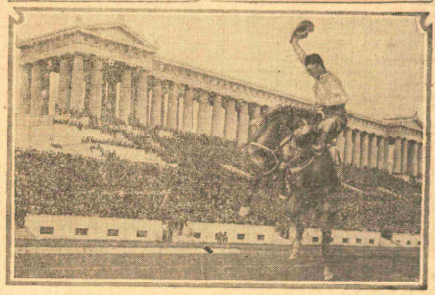
The large acreage of alfalfa which Michigan growers are handling makes it imperative that some system of hay making be employed which will rapidly and economically put up hay of good quality.

Arrangements have already been made to conduct hay curing demonstrations in Branch, Van Buren Kalamazoo, Wexford and Antrim counties, and Crops Extension men at the State College expect that eight or ten additional demonstrations of the new curing system will be arranged before the season is over.

THE OLD WEST IN ACTION



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All highways and byways this year lead enticingly to the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, which is to be held for nine days, beginning August 15. By cut rate train, boat or automobile, with parties of friends made up to share the trip, thousands of tourists are expected to be transplanted into the atmosphere of the real West.

Chicago's new $5,000,000 stadium on Lake Michigan is to become the capitol of American sport through the efforts of the domestic and foreign commerce committee of the Association of Commerce.

The story of the roundup and the rodeo is the story of romance of the real West. Into the nine days of the Chicago event will be packed more daring feats and dynamic action than is the privilege of many to witness in a lifetime. Tex Austin, producer of the most successful cowboy contests, will organize and manage the Chicago spectacle. Cowboys, cowgirls and bulldoggers, champions all, and bronchos and longhorn steers which have scorned mastery, will fight out the battle royal for supremacy.

From the "brush" of the Southwest to the ranges of Canada, the challenge has passed among the buckaroos who have fought out old rivalries at the famous cowboy events in Cheyenne and Pendleton. Not only seeking the glory of victory, they also will compete for more than $30,000 in cash prizes put up by the Chicago association. This is the largest amount given anywhere this year for cowboy contests. "Outlaw" horses, called the worst on the ranges, already are under contract with Tex Austin. They can't be ridden, is the promise of their owners. Carloads of steers, conditioned through the summer into their greatest strength, will defy the wits of the "bulldoggers."

The stadium itself is the world's wonder work of architecture. Its massive colonnades look down upon a huge arena and tiers of seats for 75,000 persons. It is set in the ring of boulevards and parks and on the lake front, which have won for Chicago the title of the "vacation city."

The roundup and rodeo will solve your vacation problems, so tell Mother and Sister and the Kid Brother to quit fretting over the summer's plans and get ready for the thrills of their lives.

NO DAYLIGHT SAVING HERE

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Many are the tricks resorted to by the "outlaw" horse to throw his rider. Pitching, bucking every second of the time he is in the arena, the broncho struggles fiercely to win the decision. No buckaroo must "show daylight" between himself and his saddle, or he is disqualified.

The sport of sports is the real cowboy contest, and titles for the leadership in riding, "bulldogging" and roping will go to the buckaroos and cowgirls who compete in the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, which will bring nine days of frontier life to the metropolis beginning August 15. Tex Austin, famous for successful rodeos he has held, will direct the events.

THREE REAL CHAMPIONS

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"Expert and daring" leaders in the great sport to which they have brought fame, are the cowgirls from the western ranges who will compete in the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, to be held for nine days beginning August 15. Champions past and present, as well as new seekers after fame, will add thrills to the cowboy contests which will be presented in the new $5,000,000 stadium under the auspices of the Chicago Association of Commerce. A group of these cowgirls startled the staid Britisher when they appeared in the International Championship held by Tex Austin at Wembley, England, recently, and the same champions will compete in the Chicago spectacle. Austin is organizing the Chicago roundup and will manage it, and the $30,000 in prizes is the largest amount offered for any contest this year.

Consider The Cost

The other day we looked over an item concerning concrete road work and the more we read the more we mused. The question naturally occurred "Can we afford it?" and only the echos answered. Of course our main trunk lines must be paved, but the day is a long way off when all smaller lines and villages can pay for concrete construction, because of the terrific cost.

Harking back to the construction of M-34 between Jonesville and Hillsdale it will be recalled that the concrete had cost as high as $40,000 per mile and we marvel as to where all that money went, and God only knows where some of it came from in the shape of taxes! As far as the well-to-do farmers in the zones along the right-of-way are concerned, they can stand the levy without flinching, but what of the poorer class who own possibly a small home of a few acres upon which a frugal living only can be made with no surplus? The taxes insurance and running expense of these little homes eats it all, and where is the road levy to come from? In the case above cited a larger proportionate share of the levy came from one family rich as mud, the Becks, who happen to be unfortunate enough to own a lot of the land between the two towns, hence we hear little concerning the stringency of funds. Even at that, there is not much justice in it, since the citizens of Hillsdale with little if any, invested, will wear out the road, rather than the Becks.

A careful consideration of the problem gives the cost of concrete pavement right around $30,000 per mile, divided something like this for an eigheeen foot road bed with seven inches of concrete: 3.400 barrels of Portland cement, or 17 carloads; 1,100 cubic yards of gravel or sand; 1600 yards crushed stone, or 46 car-loads; Into this mixture must be dumped 30,000 gallons of water. Total weight of it all is 4.000 tons. Now is this all? Not by a long shot.

Before construction can begin 400 pounds of dynamite will be required to blast the rock and 340 tons of coal must be burned up to make the cement and 19 tons of gypsum would go into this. Now readers, this is approximately the cost of one mile of pavement, to which mtst be added the profits of the contractor. Do you want to enslave your grand-children by passing this expense on to them? We don't believe you do.

To Show Methods Of Modern Hay Making

The best and most modern hay making machinery will be shown farmers of different sections of Michigan this summer during a series of demonstrations to be put on by the M. S. C. extension forces

An interesting feature of the demonstrations will be the fact that the approved methods of the present day go back in many details to principles learned by the pioneers in hay making years ago. Better quality, it is said, can be secured by observing more carefully the lessons given by previous generations in this respect.

In the switch from hand hay making methods to machinery during the past quarter century, says H. C. Rather, crops extension man at the college, many of the advantages of old fashioned methods which resulted in hay of excellent leafiness, color, and aroma were lost. Now, however, modern machinery is available which will take the new mown hay as soon as it falls over the cutter bar. A left hand, curved tooth, side delivery rake which forms airy windrows, has been designed, and the State College has employed it in the making of several hundred tons of excellent alfalfa the past two years.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Erl B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and seven acres out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of mortgage

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.

July 24, 1925. [illegible]

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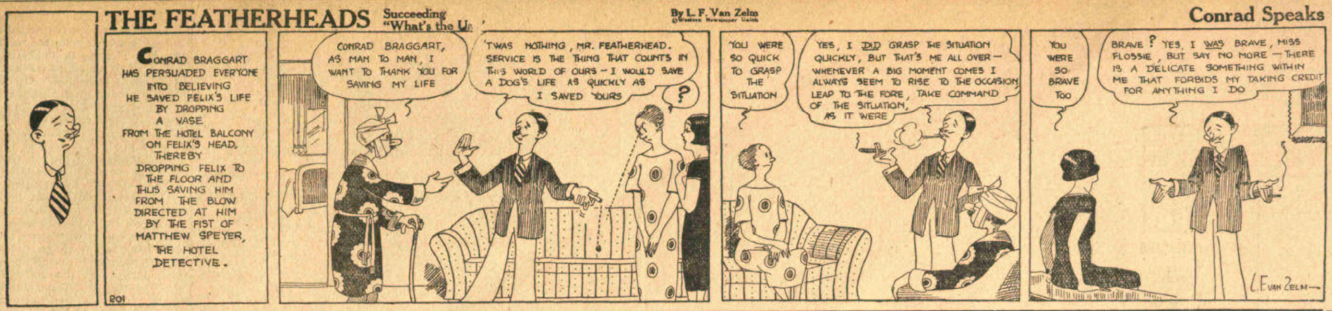
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The New Fourth

(Continued from last week)

The Centennial celebration in Philadelphia again brought the Declaration to the minds of the people. The managers borrowed the precious paper and exhibited it in Independenee Hall, and many copies of it were made and sold at that time. From then on the Government at Washington has had charge of it and to-day it may be viewed in its specially prepared shrine in the Library of Congress.

And now what? We are living under its beneficent spirit, but few of us are conscious of it as a force in our daily living. We are about to celebrate another Fourth of July, and the thought of that celebration makes thoughtful Americans sad. There will be a great showing of flags. There will be parades of soldiers and the bands will play. The country will make holiday and the roads will be blocked with automobiles loaded with weary men and women and fretful children. The parks and meadows and the pleasant places in the woods will be strewn with the litter of the picnic baskets. All day long there will be the crackling and banging and hissing of the fireworks. Buildings will be burned, and children will be hurt and maimed. Here and there will be speeches and cheers, and in a few places there will be a heart throb of love of country and reconsecration to its service. So do we honor our great tradition. So do we hallow the spirit of the forefathers.

There must be a better way. There is a better way to keep alive the spirit of our Declaration, which is truly the soul of the American people, to-day. Theodore Roosevelt used to take his children apart to some lovely spot in the woods and read the precious paper to them, explaining its meaning, pointing out the beauty and the power, the unmisatkable meaning of each word so fitly chosen. To him it was an inspiration and a mandate. It was the faith of his fathers, the source of America's greatness. He intended that his children should not only be American, but consciously American.

He told them the stories of Jefferson and Franklin and Adams and Washington and the hosts of patriots who built the foundations of the land until they associated them with the life about them. They and their principles became household words. He made his children conscious of the underlying spirit of the document which served to establish freedom in this land and kindle its beginnings throughout the world. It is to this spirit, this conscious quality of Americanism, that I would dedicate the Fourth of July.

And just what does "truly American" mean?

To me it is the preservation to all men of what we have declared to be self evident rights: the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. If that means anything at all, it means tolerance, for each of us must be happy in his own way. It means that we respect the rights and the feelings of other people to the extent that we never intrude upon them, erring always upon the side of generosity. It means a decent respect for the people of the world, a helpful, understanding appreciation of their difficulties, a ready sympathy with their distresses. And most of all it means a dedication of each American to the principles of his faith as proclaimed by that Declaration.

This idea, this quality, this philosophy of living which we call the American is not gained by picnicking once a year. It must be taught our youth and be practised by them, as Roosevelt demonstrated in his own family.

When the flags rise on the morning of the Fourth, I would have them signal a day set apart for the realization of the spirit of America. I would take the children to the nearest shrine of patriotism and there tell the story of the struggle and sacrifice that was the price of this nation's life. I would have impressed upon them the duty of carrying on the crusade their forefathers began.

But the crowning glory of the day should be the reception of its new citizens gathered from the youth of the land. I would have in each town a gathering of those young folk who reached their twenty first birthday during the calendar year and confer the dignity of citizenship upon them with fitting ceremony.

There would be a speech, a short one, full of the spirit of the great occasion. Of course the there would be music. Not battle songs for this day. We are not a warlike people, and our new citizens are not to be baptised in war but in peace. The music must be great music that speaks of the theme of the day and thrills the hearts of the young listeners with its haunting message of love and service.

The time has come when citizenship in this country should no longer be proffered carelessly to any and all who have lived within its borders. It is a high honor to be proudly earned and as fittingly bestowed. We can no longer afford to be unconscious of our heritage, our plainly appointed duty. We and those who come after us should be American according to the Declaration of Independence, and consciously so. Surely the Fourth of July is a most appropriate time to think on these things and to act on them.—"The Delineator."

Sleeping Sickness

The peculiar malady from which Mrs. J. P. Morgan has been suffering since June 14, popularly known as sleeping sickness, has taken a toll of 16 lives in Michigan during the first four months of the present year, with a total of 37 cases reported for the same period.

This disease, known as encephalitis lethargica in the medical profession, has been present in many parts of the world during the past few years. A severe epidemic appeared first in middle Europe, spreading rapidly to France and England, then crossing the Atlantic and continuing westward. Great Britain has been suffering from an epidemic during the past year, hundreds of cases being reported. New York state experienced an epidemic in 1923, when 360 cases and 112 deaths resulted within the space of three months. Michigan has been comparatively free from the disease, a total of 110 cases being reported within the two years 1923 and 1924, with 43 cases reported to date for the present year.

Sleeping sickness is a disease affecting the brain cells, causing the patient to fall into a deep sleep lasting for a long period, without any previous warning. It appears to be more prevalent during the late winter months, almost invariably following a severe epidemic of influenza, a characteristic of such outbreaks all over the world.

The disease affects all ages, the greatest proportion of cases however occurring between the ages of 25 and 50; likewise both sexes, although a greater number of cases occurred among males during the outbreak in New York, while it appeared more fatal to females.

Because of its comparative infrequency medical men have not been able to make an intensive study of the disease, and as no diagnosis can be made by laboratory findings, its causes are still undetermined and its treatment uncertain.

Army Worms Put In Annual Appearance

Army worms, destructive crop pests which visit the state nearly every year, have put in appearance two weeks earlier than usual this year. Reports received by Prof. R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology department at the M. S. C., indicate that the worms showed up in Calhoun county on June 22.

Usual method of stopping the Army Worms where they are discovered at work is by plowing furrows around the infested area to prevent spread of the pests. It is a race between the worms and the farmers, the former trying to spread over larger areas and the latter to prevent this.

Where the furrow method of control is not practical, as in lawns and gardens, a poison bait is recommended. Information on control work may be had from the Entomology Dept., M. S. C. E. Lansing, Michigan.

Old Dobbin To Show Us How He Can Pull

Old Dobbin, the faithful servant of Michigan farms, is at least to have a chance to show the world just how heavy a load he can pull. By means of the dynomometer, a new device to record pulling power of teams, a big contest for horse and mule teams will be staged at the M. S. C. on July 31, in connection with the annual Farmers Day at the college.

While the pulling contest will serve as one of the leading amusement features of the Farmers Day program, it will also contain no small amount of scientific interest for the horse lovers of the state. The particular type of farm horse best suited to heavy duty hauling should be shown pretty clearly in the elimination of the competition.

There are to be two classes in the test—teams weighing over 3,000 pounds and those tipping the scales under this total. An expensive set of harness goes to the winning team in each class, with one hundred dollars in cash split between the second and third place winners in each. Entries are open and free to any Michigan citizen owning a team of horses or mules that will pass inspection as to soundness. Farm teams are said to be especially desired. Stable room and feed will be furnished free by the college.

Eliminations will be held in the morning of Farmers Day, with the finals in each class before the speakers' stand at the big afternoon meeting.

See Chance To Take Clover Seed Harvest

While dry weather has been very unfavorable for clover hay production on the first crop in Michigan this year, a chance for many farmers to utilize the first crop for a seed harvest has been pointed out by Prof. J. F. Cox, head of the crops department at the M. S. C.

Inspection of fields has shown an unusually high percentage of seed developing in the first crop, and it is thought that it may pay in many cases to handle the first rather than the second crop for seed, where fields are clean and seed is apparently setting well. That native grown seed will probably be in great demand during the coming year is also predicted.

Crops and Soils Men To Meet In Michigan

Leading crops and soils specialists of the nation will visit Michigan on July 9 and 10, when the annual meeting of the American Society of Agronomy is held at the M. S. C. While most of the delegates are expected from the corn belt states, representation from all parts of the country is assured.

During the two day convention, the visiting farm experts will study various phases of Michigan agriculture, with especial attention to improvement work in scientific fields. The time will be divided evenly between the crops and the soil management ends of the program.

Great strides the state has taken in the past five years in increasing its acreage of alfalfa, and the methods whereby this has been brought about, will be one of the items of chief interest to the delegates. Michigan now ranks as the leading alfalfa state east of the Mississippi river. Members of the crops department at M. S. C. will discuss problems of seed adaptation and cultural practices which have been met in the state, not only with alfalfa but also with other crops.

Soil survey methods, soil management systems, special care for certain types of soil, and latest laboratory developments will be included in the soil discussions. Michigan's large acreage of muck lands will be featured.

Joseph Hooper For Congress

Joseph L. Hooper, of Battle Creek, who is a candidate on the republican ticket to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Honorable Arthur B. Williams, as the representative in Congress from the third district, is making an active campaign for the nomination. Mr. Hooper is one of the best known citizens of the district through his activity in behalf of the party in former campaigns. He is one of the leading attorneys of this section and is an orator of unusual ability. Mr. Hooper's record in the Liberty Loan and War Saving Stamp movements during the war was not surpassed by any other citizen in the district. Mr. Hooper is basing his campaign upon the issue of good clean government and will be found in unqualified support of President Coolidge, his economy and other policies.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Cour for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 25th day of June A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate,

In the Matter of the Estate of Josebh L. Beecher Deceased. Catherine Beecher having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that the administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of August, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

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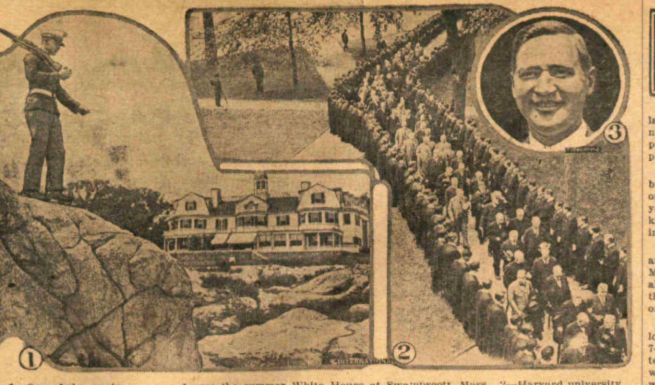

1—One of the marines on guard over the summer White House at Swampscott, Mass. 2—Harvard university commencement guests passing through lane formed by graduating class. 3—A. Harry Moore, Democratic candidate for governor of New Jersey.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Danger of an Anti-Foreign War in China Growing Greater Every Day.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

DEVELOPMENTS in China are moving swiftly toward a crisis and observers are predicting a repetition of the Boxer war of a quarter of a century ago. If such is the result of the present disturbances the world will have Moscow to thank for it. Communist agitators last week centered their efforts on Canton and the mobs made several attacks on Shameen, the foreign concession. Tuesday the demonstrators killed a Frenchman and wounded two British subjects there, and the British and French marines opened fire on the crowd, killing 30 and wounding 70 Chinamen. Next day the natives killed several more foreigners. An official dispatch from Hongkong says the firing on foreigners at Shameen was done by the student cadet corps of Kwantung university led by former Russian Red officers, who gave the order to fire. British Indian troops from Hongkong, and French and Japanese forces are gathering at Shameen and the fortifications are being strengthened.

The American association of China has cabled to Washington urging that the American government co-operate energetically with the other powers in suppressing the lawlessness directed against foreigners. It blames unsettled political conditions and soviet propaganda.

Anti-foreign demonstrations are by no means confined to the Canton region and there is daily expectations of serious nationwide demonstrations, with the laborers joining the students and others. Many foreigners are fleeing to Hongkong, and there was talk last week of concentrating all of them in the treaty ports. The feeling is especially against the British, but all foreigners are in danger. The Chinese government, still insisting on the 13 points advanced by its delegates at the recent futile conference in Shanghai, has sent a new note to the foreign diplomatic corps declaring that the time has come for a revision of the old treaties which give foreigners special privileges in China. It recalls that the existing treaties were concluded long ago under circumstances that did not permit free discussion; that conditions obtaining when these treaties were negotiated do not now exist. The radical press of Peking is insisting that the British charge d'affaires be handed his passport. The British are blamed for the shooting of workers and students during the rioting in Shanghai and Hankow.

Foreign Secretary Chamberlain told the house of commons in London that the British government possesses evidence that "agents of another government are fostering disturbances in China." That of course meant Russia, and indeed the Bolsheviks are quite open in their aid and sympathies. Karakhan, the soviet ambassador to Peking, announces that he is ready for the immediate opening of a Russo-Chinese conference. Whether Gen. Chang Tso-lin with the support of the Japanese can successfully combat the alliance between General Feng and the Russians remains to be seen. Just now Shanghai is in the control of Chang's troops commanded by the Manchurian general's son, who has declared martial law in native quarters.

THERE were positive indications last week that peace and amity will be restored in central Europe in the near future. Premier Painleve and Foreign Minister Briand explained to the council of ministers of France their plans to fulfill the promise given by Herriot to evacuate the Ruhr by August 5, one year after the Dawes plan went into effect, and the council gave its full approval. Withdrawal of the troops will begin at an early date. Diplomatic circles understood that France would no longer oppose the evacuation of the Cologne bridgehead. The French government now places full reliance on the Dawes plan for reparations and on the League of Nations, and apparently is confident that an agreement for the protection of the Rhine front will be effected with Germany.

Opening the debate in the commons on Great Britain's part in the proposed security pact, Foreign Minister Chamberlain asserted the government's policy was based solely on the desire "to make peace secure and war as remote a danger to humanity as ingenuity and good will could." He continued: "Our engagements must be directly limited to the western frontier. Nothing in the new treaty must affect the rights and obligations attaching to membership in the league. Our assistance cannot be invoked by a wrongdoer who objects to proposals to eliminate the cause of war." The proposed pact, he added, is a step toward disarmament because it would remove the fear of nations.

The opposition in the house only mildly criticised the government's announced policy. In the balcony the French and German ambassadors sat close together, and for the first time they shook hands cordially.

PRESIDENT VON HINDENBURG showed that he means to protect the German republic when he forbade Eitel Friederich, son of the former kaiser, to officiate at the knighting ceremonies of the Knights of St. John and ordered that the ceremonies be not held in the monarchist church in Potsdam as usual. Instead they were held in a small chapel at Sonnenburg. Von Hindenburg, who officiated last year, informed the order that he had "resigned his functions." The Knights of St. John have been most active workers for restoration of the monarchy.

IT WAS announced last week that France and Spain had signed an agreement for co-operation in blockading the Riffian coast and thus reducing Abd-el-Krim to submission, and reports were that the Riffians already were suffering from lack of supplies. Then came the story from an American correspondent in Madrid to the effect that the French and Spanish negotiations were deadlocked because the latter would not grant the French army leave to penetrate the Spanish zone as far as Sheshuan and then to proceed to Agadir if necessary to break up the Riff resistance. There was disagreement as to the Spanish plans of attack, also, and the correspondent says the French delegates warned the Spaniards that if an agreement was not reached France would denounce the Algeciras convention and demand a new international conference on control of North Africa. This would let Italy into the affair again, and the United States also would be interested.

After a fierce debate in the French chamber of deputies which culminated in a fist fight, Premier Painleve received a vote of confidence, 510 to 30, for his policy in Morocco. The right center and many Socialists supported the government. The premier insisted that Krim was surrounded by a group of German and Russian adventurers who are goading him to continue his fighting to become ruler of North Africa. He accused Moscow of aiding the Riffians, quoting the statement by M. Zinovieff, head of the third internationale: "When Spain is defeated Abd-el-Krim will create the gravest difficulties for France, which is most important for us, and we will utilize them."

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY ANDREWS, with the approval of President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon, has announced that the federal prohibition enforcement system is to be entirely reorganized. State lines will be wiped out and the offices of state prohibition directors abolished. Twenty-two federal prohibition districts in the United States and one each in Porto Rico and Hawaii will be created, and each district will be in the charge of an administrator who will have two assistants and a chemist and a counsel. The prohibition commissioner in Washington will lose much of his authority, his duties being largely supervisory.

In adopting this new plan the department is carrying out the ideas of President Coolidge, who believes the proper function of the national government is to keep foreign liquor out of the country and to suppress the illegal making of liquor within the country. The catching and punishing of illicit drinkers is left to the states, and it is pointed out that in states like New York and Maryland, that now have no state enforcement acts, the local authorities are not absolved from enforcing the national statute.

GREECE is getting to be as addicted to revolutions as are the Central American countries. Last week another was staged there, in which the Saloniki garrison led and was joined by the fleet. According to the brief dispatches that filtered through, a military government was set up presided over by General Pangalos, former generalissimo who handled the rebels when the royalists were defeated in 1922 and proclaimed the Greek republic on December 30, 1923. All civil and military institutions have been occupied by the revolutionists and press censorship has been established. The immediate resignation of Premier Michalakopoulos was demanded because of his alleged inefficiency.

NEGOTIATIONS are now under way for the funding of Italy's war debt to the United States, the discussions having been begun in Washington between Ambassador de Martino and Mario Alberti on the one hand and Secretary Mellon and Undersecretary Winton of the American debt commission on the other. The Italian debt is about $2,138,000,000. The government at Rome wishes to spread its payments over a period of years and also desires that there be a delay in the beginning of actual remittances. The moratorium may be for ten years. The conferences concerning the debt are to be surrounded with secrecy, no statements being given out except formally by Mr. Mellon and the ambassador.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE with his family and suite is safely and comfortably installed in the summer White House at Swampscott, protected from intrusion by a guard of marines. Before leaving Washington he addressed the department and bureau chiefs urging further economies in the conduct of the government's business and making the welcome announcement that the economies already effected promised a reduction in income taxes of about $300,000,000. Total public expenditures in this fiscal year, ending June 30, are $3,035,000,000, compared with $5,116,000,000 in 1921, while the public debt has been reduced from $23,977,000,000 to $20,551,000,000. That retrenchment the President pronounced unparalleled in history. He estimated the surplus for this fiscal year at $200,000,000 and for the next fiscal year at $290,000,000, and said he would recommend to congress a reduction of taxes.

THE sensation of the week in the business world was the change of presidents and policies by the directors of the Chicago & Northwestern railway. President W. H. Finley resigned, ostensibly on account of ill health, and F. W. Sargent, vice president and general counsel, was elected to succeed him. At the same time Marvin Hughitt, the veteran railroader, resigned as chairman of the board of directors and that office was abolished.

The change in management of the Northwestern was generally accepted as having been brought about by banking interests that for several years have been dissatisfied with declining earnings and operating policies. The Vanderbilt and First National bank groups in New York are the dominant interests behind the road. Sweeping changes in operating policy are expected under Mr. Sargent. Under his direction, the Northwestern recently assumed the leadership in the move of the Western roads to obtain relief from poor earnings through an increase in freight rates. These applications are now pending before the interstate commerce commission.

ANOTHER United States senator, like La Follette a prominent member of the insurgent bloc, died last week—Edwin F. Ladd of North Dakota. He passed away in a Baltimore hotel after a long illness. Mr. Ladd, who was elected as a Republican with the support of the Nonpartisan league, was a staunch supporter of La Follette in the third party movement last year. His successor will be appointed by Governor Sorlie.

Figures Show Gain for Farm Products

Washington.—A survey of financial returns on 15,103 farms, made public by the Department of Agriculture, disclosed an average favorable margin last year of $1,024, between cash receipts and cash expenses, which, with increased inventories amounting to $181, brought the average return to $1,205 for the use of $17,260 of capital and the labor of the farmer and his family. These farms also produce an estimated average of $266 in food and fuel consumed on them.

The figures showed improvement over 1923, when a similar survey covering 16,183 owner-operated farms disclosed an average cash balance of $890, increased inventory of $130, and produced food and fuel worth $265, on capital amounting to $17,490.

The value of land and buildings on the farms surveyed in 1924, averaging 303 acres, was placed at $14,323, the size and value being about the 1920 census average.

Prices paid the farmer for corn and oats during the 20 months from August, 1923, to last March "fluctuated without relation to transportation costs, according to the bureau of railway economics.

Whereas farm prices of corn and oats were shown by the figures of the survey to have fluctuated widely during that period, freight rates were practically stationary, the bureau said, and therefore were "not responsible" for such fluctuation, whether upward or downward.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Flint—The will of the late J. Dallas Dort, prominent automobile magnate who died here last month while playing golf, has been admitted to probate by Judge Fred A. Wertman.

Grand Rapids—While repairing a brick wall on his farm, one mile west of Stanwood, William H. Lane, 67 years old, a retired farmer, was killed when the wall collapsed, burying him.

Ann Arbor—W. A. Landon, of Kalamazoo, was elected president of the Michigan Federation of Typographical Unions at the closing session of the annual state convention of the organization

Grand Rapids—Inhaling and swallowing a poisonous powder, Barbara, 7-months-old daughter of John Christensen, of this city, died. The baby was playing with a box of the powder when she raised it over her head. The contents fell on her face and entered her nose and mouth.

Owosso—The death of hundreds of fish in the Shiawassee River June 17, was caused by a lack of oxygen, resulting from pollution by industrial and domestic sewage, according to a report received from the State Department of Health, which sent an engineer here to investigate.

Clarkesville—Plans were announced by the Community club here for a grand celebration on July 30, when the golden jubilee and an ox roast will take place. It will mark the fiftieth anniversary of the settlement and the pride of being incorporated, which occurred only a few weeks ago.

Lansing—A 200-foot superhighway between Lansing and East Lansing, has been agreed to by Gov. Groesbeck, Highway Commissioner Frank E. Rogers and the mayors of the two cities. The distance is only about two miles. Plans for the project have been under consideration for some time.

Port Huron—The petition to incorporate Fair Haven as a village, which has come before the board of supervisors, is expected to develop a lively tilt between citizens. The law and order element believes that with Fair Haven incorporated as a village it can enact its own laws to better advantage than by relying upon outside law enforcement.

Detroit—The Chrysler corporation has acquired all of the business and properties of the Maxwell Motor corporation. The sale, pursuant to the plan of April 15, 1925, was authorized at a meeting of the Maxwell stockholders held in Detroit. Walter P. Chrysler stated that the new company was beginning its career under most auspicious circumstances.

Pontiac—A Michigan supreme court decision of far-reaching importance in connection with wider Woodward avenue condemnation proceedings was made known when the Leo Breisacher appeal was decided, holding that all the condemnation proceedings had been regularly handled. The improvement was found a necessity and the procedure regular but the amount of damages allowed was questioned. It was sent back for a reassessment of damages.

Kalamazoo—A poison gas warfare intended to exterminate woodchucks, skunks, coyotes, wolves and other crop-destroying pests in Michigan has been started in this section of the state by county farm agents and W. R. Baldwin, representative of a large chemical company. The campaign opened in Berrien County this month and continued in Kalamazoo county, and will be carried into every important agricultural county of the state before Sept. 1, it is announced.

Lansing—An order authorizing a rate of three cents a mile on the Detroit United railways interurban system probably will be issued shortly, according to members of the state public utilities commission. A hearing on the petition of the receivers for the D. U. R. for permission to raise rates was held, in which witnesses for the interurbans testified passenger carrying traffic is at its lowest ebb. None of the cities nor communities affected, appeared to protest.

Alma—Announcement of a gift of $45,000 to Alma college, by Mrs. John F. Dodge, of Detroit, for a memorial to John F. Dodge, by President H. M. Crooks, was a prominent feature of the commencement exercises, as the largest class in the history of Alma college completed its college work. President Harry M. Gage, of Coe college, Cedar Rapids, Ia., gave the address, "The Responsibilities of Leadership," to the graduates, calling attention to those factors, intelligence, morality, great purpose, profound convictions, patience and personality, he said were needed.

Lansing—The preliminary hearing on the recommendations for a shift in telephone rates which would give Detroit subscribers a five and two-tenths per cent decrease and invoke an average increase of 17.4 per cent in the out-state cities and communities, ended abruptly after Manfred K. Toeppen, engineer for the State Public Utilities Commission, had stated the salient points of his recommendations. Attorneys for Detroit and the out-state cities agreed on September 8 as the date of the next hearing.

Bay City—Frank Cady, 47 years old, and his wife, 42, were brutally slain with an ax near their home on North Winona avenue, just outside the city. Isaac Cravens, 38, a neighbor, with whom the Cadys are said to have been quarelling, gave himself up to Sheriff Ezra Marvin and is said to have confessed the crime to police officers, Prosecuting Attorney Frank C. Paterson, Assistant Carl Smith and newspapermen. On arraignment before Justice Pearl M. Haller, Cravens first pleaded guilty, but later changed his plea.

Kalamazoo—Approximately 25 sheep raisers of Kalamazoo county have pooled their wool—16,000 pounds. This has been loaded and shipped to Columbus, Ohio, where it will be sold some time prior to September 1, subject to market conditions.

Owosso—The safe in the grocery store of Chris Gorte on Main street here, within a stone's throw of police headquarters, was robbed of approximately $1,000 in broad day light. Burglars entered by forcing a rear door and broke the safe lock.

Marshall—The Marshall Farmers' Elevator Co. in the past year had the most successful year since its organization in 1917. A dividend of 10 per cent was paid to 198 stockholders at the annual meeting as against an eight per cent dividend a year ago.

Holland—Fire of undetermined origin in the power house of the summer home of J. C. Dinkman, at Waukazoo, near here, for a time threatened to destroy that summer resort. The entire Holland fire department was sent to the scene and prevented further spread of the flames.

Ann Arbor — Michigan will be represented to a slip of a girl from Old Japan at Oxford next fall, the first woman of a foreign land to take the credits of the local school to England's noted home of learning. The girl is Fumi Kinai, of Kyoto, a graduate of the University of Michigan this year.

Flint—Those Genesee county supervisors who want the new courthouse to stay within a $750,000 appropriation even if inferior materials must be used have clashed with those who want the size of the building reduced and the best material used, "so that the building will be a credit to the county."

Monroe—At a meeting of the board of education it was decided to hold an annual school election on July 13 for the purpose of selecting two members of the board. C. T. Southworth, president and John Eber are the outgoing members. The former has served 25 years on the board, a number of years as president and secretary.

Pontiac—The city of Pontiac has adopted an agreement with the Detroit United Railway giving a day-to-day right to operate lines within the city, on which franchises have expired. This includes about half the trackage in the city, on both local and interurban lines. The agreement calls for a 5-cent fare and universal transfers.

Alpena—The first motor driven passenger railway car to be seen in Alpena arrived at the B. C. G. and A. railway terminal station recently, with executives and guests aboard. The road has just completed plans for the purchase of the car which will be used on their railway west of Alpena to Boyne City. The new car will be placed in operation immediately.

Ypsilanti—Robert L. Barbour, of Highland Park, was elected president of the State Normal College Alumni Association at the annual meeting here attended by about 150 former students of the college. The association indorsed the present movement to raise $150,000 for the erection of the first unit of a $300,000 alumni memorial building on the local campus.

Grand Haven—Low water in the Grand river from the mouth of the harbor to the docks here, is making navigation of lake freighters difficult this summer, according to harbor officials. Fishermen report many shoal spots along the edge of the channel. The condition is blamed to lack of precipitation last spring. Many small tributaries to the Grand river are practically dry this year.

Monroe—Sheriff Joseph Kinsey and Coroner Fred C. Nadeau, while at Ida, discovered additional charred bones at the spot where a straw stack was set afire by two young men. The coroner believes the bones are those of a dismembered human body which were carried to the top of the stack in a gunney sack saturated with kerosene and then set fire. Two young fellows were seen running from the stack.

Mt. Clemens—Maj.-Gen. Henry C. Hale, commander of the Sixth Corps Area, has presented to the First Pursuit Group at Selfridge Field the only standards ever awarded an aerial unit of the Army. The event was the observance of the group's eighth anniversary. The presentation was made following review of the field personnel of 450 men and was followed by the air review in which 20 officers participated. As commander of the group, Maj. Thomas G. Lanphier received the standards.

East Lansing—When 293 graduates of Michigan State college received their diplomas here the event was historic because the class was the largest that has ever graduated from the school and because it was the first time that the diplomas have borne the new name of the college. Former Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, delivered the commencement address, taking as his subject "The Need of Agricultural Education." He was introduced by President Kenyon L. Butterfield of the college.

Detroit—Two aviators, one a World war ace and the other a student friend, fell 200 feet to instant death when the airplane in which they were taking a pleasure spin caught fire, went into a nose dive and finally crashed to the earth. The dead are Frank Goddell, pilot of the fated machine, who has been a commercial aviation instructor at Detroit and nearby fields for the last eight years, and Charles Boffey, a novice at the air game, said to be a close friend of Goddell, who was to receive a plane of his own within a few weeks.

Ann Arbor—Offering several new courses and opening the new summer school of business administration, the University of Michigan has begun its thirty-second annual summer session. Eight schools and colleges will offer courses during the summer, according to Edward H. Krause, dean of the summer session, as well as work at the engineering camp and biological station at Douglas lake, and field work in geology and engineering in southern Kentucky. Registration to date indicates that there will be an increase in enrollment over last year.

Large Sum for Old New York Newspaper

The George D. Smith Book company got a Poe rarity for $830, in a copy of the New York Mirror of February 8, 1845, which printed "The Raven" by permission and in advance of the American Review, the magazine that had bought the verses from the author. This item occurred in a sale of the libraries of Carletta Russell Lowell and others, in the galleries of the American Art association. The Rosenbach company bought two Poe letters for $400. Another rare item, which E. H. Wells got for $900, was James Russell Lowell's ode in commemoration of living and dead soldiers of Harvard, recited by him at Harvard July 21, 1865, of which only 50 copies were printed, for presentation to friends. The inscription in the copy sold shows the author gave it to Mrs. Effie Shaw in September, 1865.—New York World.

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Horse Carries Tail Light

Camden, N. J., has a police horse that carries a tail light. The horse is used by a mounted patrolman, and has been bruised several times by being struck by machines whose drivers did not see the animal. Determined to protect himself and his mount, the patrolman attached a red reflector to the tail of his horse. The reflector flashes red when the lights from a motor strike it, and the driver instinctively steers clear of the danger signal.

Auto Horns Banned

Automobiles in Jerusalem are being made to replace their horns with bells, due to the dislike of the authorities for harsh-sounding horns. The change has been ordered by general government decree and a limited time is allowed auto owners to install the new warning devices.

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Jerome

Harry McClanahan and wife were in Adrian Monday.

Chas McGregor and wife were in Jackson Thursday.

W. W. Ostrom furnished special music at the church Sunday.

Sheriff Midgley of Hillsdale was in town one day last week.

George Morehouse is having a cottage erected at Vandercook lake.

George Cousins and Marie Cain of North Adams visited Mrs. Mary Cain recently.

Louis Lee and wife of Jackson visited Sunday at the home of George Lee.

Mrs. Deo Forbes and son Richard of Detroit are visiting Robert Moreland and wife.

Ira Wertenberger and family attended the Wertenberger reunion at Monroe Saturday.

M. Fox and wife and Mrs. Lydia Ostrom of Coldwater spent Sunday with W. W. Ostrom and wife.

Dean Thornton of North Adams is caring for the depot in the absence of C. S. Brooks who is in Hillsdale.

Mrs. Floyd Morehouse, Mrs. Elmer Ward and Dorothy, and Minnie Cain were in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Ira Wertenberger and daughter Jean, Lyle Miller, Mrs. Otto Miller, T. J. Lane and Harley Lane were in Hanover one day last week.

Donald Frantz, Robert and Clayton McGregor and Chas Miller gave interesting descriptions of their experiences at the Boy Scout camp Sunday at the church.

No clue has been found concerning the fire which destroyed the old school house owned by Otto Miller early Friday morning. It is thought that C. E. Depue first saw the blaze and quite a number of people soon gathered but little could be saved from the building which contained about 30 tons of baled hay, lumber beans and buckwheat. Several pigs ran back into the fire after being driven away and were killed. Mr. Miller had no insurance.

☐Mrs. Eugene Kies of Oakland California will speak at the church Sunday evening when services will commence at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Kies is an ordained minister and a special writer for "The Triumphs of Faith" magazine and her subject for discussion will be "Divine Healing." The address will not be a Christian Science lecture as Christian Science deals with mind healing while Mrs. Kies will discuss bodily healing through faith in God

Jonesville

Harry Phelps and family are in camp at Wilson's Lake.

C. A. Daniels was in Muskegon last week attending the Maccabee convention.

Berton E. Poor and family arrived home from Ft Denaud Florida last Saturday.

O. D. Dellinger is erecting a building on his lot to be used as a grocery store.

The daily vacation Bible school opened Monday morning with an enrollment of 86.

C. W. Price and wife left the first of the week for Ironwood to spend the summer vacation.

Virginia Andrews returned to her home here this week after three weeks visit in Detroit.

W. M. Wetmore and wife were in Plymouth last week visiting her sister Mrs. M. Pierce.

Roy Howard and family and Philip and Richard Varnum Jr. spent Sunday at Wilson's Lake.

Mrs. Winnefred Marvin and daughter Loraine left Sunday for Ypsilanti to attend summer school.

Mrs. W. S. Killam and daughter Patty of Detroit are spending the week with her parents J. M. Tyler and wife.

Dr. and Mrs. John Younker of Howe Ind., were guests over Sunday at the Dr. M. N. Wood home here.

R. M. Powers, Mrs. D. L. Powers Mrs. Alice Dingfelder and Richard Varnum and wife spent Sunday in Battle Creek.

D. J. Donnihue and family of Toledo were here the first of the week for a visit at the home of their parents A. L. Massey and wife

Married at the home of the bride's parents Don Howard and wife, Dorothea Howard and Bernard Clark by Dr. M. N. Wood. The new home will be in Marshall.

John Dryer and family who have been visitors at the Fred Dryer home for two weeks returned to their home in Cleveland the first of the week accompanied by Mrs. Dryer.

Somerset Centre

L. A. Mercer and son Wendell were in Addison Tuesday afternoon

Henry Didama and family have gone to their new home in Quincy.

Alfred Sutfin had the misfortune of getting kicked in the face by a horse It was necessary to take three or four stitches in the wound.

Mrs. L. A. Mercer, son and daughtor were in Jackson Thursday on business.

Cora Belle Baker of Lapeer is visiting at the home of J. G. Smith and wife.

The funeral of DeVere Ballard of Jackson eldest son of L. H. Ballard and wife was held Sunday at the M. E. church at Somerset Center Rev. Scott officiated.

Those of this vicinity who visited at Michigan Center were W. E. Anson Jr. and wife, Mrs. Densel Lyons, Mrs. Rant Rutan, Mrs. L. A. Mercer and daughter Elaine.

Center Adams

Mrs. Frances Rickerd of Ann Arbor visited Mrs. Minnie Ambler on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nagle of Hillsdale were guests at the Harry Foust home on Sunday.

Kenneth Webster of Toledo has come to spend the summer at the Nathan Webster home.

Cecil Hemry and wife of East Jefferson visited Sunday with Nathan Webster and wife.

Mesdames Addie Wyman and Sadie Gray attended Pomona Grange held at Austin on Wednesday.

Carl Shull and family were at West Unity Ohio on Wednesday attending the funeral of an uncle.

Wallace Morehouse and wife of Horton came to the home of Marion Coryell Sunday and both families drove to the Charles Bumpus home at Cambria where they spent the day.

Warren Gobel and family of Hoxie ate Sunday dinner with J. R. Dewey and wife and in the afternoon they all attended Baptismal services of the North Adams Baptist church held at Summer's landing, Mud Lake.

Glenn Hackett and family of Hudson, Mrs. Minnie Lauder of Lickley's Gorners, Frank Dingman and family of West Hillsdale and N. J. Lickley and wife of Shadyside were guests at the Will Keith home on Sunday.

Central Moscow

(Received last week)

Andrew Richards was in Hillsdale Monday.

Mrs. Fred Carpenter called on Mrs. John Adams Wednesday.

William Carpenter is in Pittsford to work on the road for A. Hoffman

Mrs. John Adams and Ruth VanCamp visited Hattie Kies Monday.

Harold Kendrick spent Tuesday afternoon and night at the home of John Adams.

Ruth VanCamp is spending the week with her grandparents John Adams and wife.

Mrs. Eleanor Post and daughter Lucile are spending a few weeks with their father and grandfather L. L. Sloan.

Bertha Brooks and sister Mrs. Broda returned home Sunday to Lawton after the funeral of their father Ellery Morford.

Local News

W. B. Smith and wife of Hudson were guests Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. Robert Young.

H. W. Helmick is re-painting his residence in this village. North Adams village has them all beat for keeping spick and span.

In accordance with the custom of former years the W. C. T. U. will hold a children's meeting at the M. E. church on Friday, July 10th, at 2:00. Program will be furnished by the children and all mothers and children are invited to attend.

The New York Central Lines carried ten per cent of the passengers during 1924 and they claim that for the year not a single passenger has been killed. This is pretty chesty talk for even a big railroad to put over but we presume they can prove it. This applies to accidents only.

The United States Government has established a regular mail service between New York City and Chicago. A plane at each of these points hops off at daylight each day and lands at destination eight hours later passing each other midway. The distance is 770 miles approximately and there are 32 stopping places enroute where the planes can land if anything goes wrong. Ordinarily they never stop until the route is covered. They are carrying about one ton of mail at ten cents per ounce. The airway is illuminated by a series of iron towers or lighthouses at intervals equipped with gigantic search lights which throw piercing beams of light up and down and around sweeping the heavens and spotting the planes as they appear in the distance.

Bross School Reunion

The seventh annual reunion of teachers, pupils and patrons of the Bross district, No. 2, Adams, was held at the school house on Saturday, June 27, with an attendance of more than one hundred persons. A bountiful cafeteria dinner was served at the noon hour.

At two o'clock p. m. a business meeting was held with B. S. Lamb presiding, which resulted in the election of the following officers for the ensuing year: President, B. S. Lamb; vice pres., H. G. Wells: sec. and treas., F. R. Williams. A fine literary program in charge of Mrs. Alice Cook was next in order, each number being heartily applauded, The program given was as follows: Singing "America" by the entire company. Prayer by Herbert G. Wells; recitation, Josephine Crisp; Instrumental music, Ruth Quarton; Reading, Mrs. Lulu Wells; Solo, Mrs. Maude Stiverson; Recitation, Helen Deacon; Instrumental music, Mildred Williams; Recitation, Jean Shepard; Duet, Helen and Mary Deacon; Reading by C. M. Bross; Two solos by Herbert Wells; Messages from Rev. Frank Bross, Mrs. Cora Bross Hall and Bert Kalder were read to the company. Very interesting remarks were made by C. M. Bross, Elmer Hagerman and wife, Mrs. Arthur Wells and others Then came another hour of visiting, renewing old time friendships and making the acquaintance of new members, after which ice cream and cake were served to all.

Those present from a distance were as follows; C. M. Bross Washington, D. C. C. A. Rich and wife, Tulsa Okla. Mrs. Gertrude Deacon and daughters, Helen and Mary of South Bend, Ind. Dell Crisp and family and Bob Green and wife of Jackson. L. E. Kies and wife of Jerome. Elmer Hagerman and family and Mrs. H. C. Maloney of Hillsdale. Ralph Lamb and wife Ypsilanti. Mrs. Edna Robins, Miss Ruth Robins, M. D. Havens and wife and granddaughter of North Adams, Arthur Wells and family of Jonesville, Mrs. Blanche Hile, two little daughters and mother Mrs. Ida Church of Pittsford.

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Archie McMillan of Detroit, well known here, passed away at his home in Detroit Wednesday from anæmia. He was 56 years of age and had been a resident of Detroit 50 years. Since he was 18 years of age he had worked for Bernard Stoepal Co. and represented this firm on the road, selling considerable goods in this village. C. W. Bleech and Andrew Leutheuser of Somerset will attend the funeral,

Registration Notice

Notice is hereby given that Monday July 6th is the last meeting of the Board of Registration for the purpose of registering the names for the special election to be held July 21st. Board of Registration meets at Wertz's store in this village from 7:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.

Frank W. Holcomb
Township Clerk 5t1

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a special primary election will be held in the Township of Adams, County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan at the township hall in the village of North Adams in said township on Tuesday July 21st, A. D. 1925 from 7:00 a. m. until 5:00 p.m. on the above date for the purpose of nominating by direct vote a candidate by each of the several political parties for Representative in Congress at Washington D. C. from the Third Congressional District of Michigan to fill vacancy caused by the death of Hon. Arthur B. Williams, whose term of office would have expired on the 4th day of March 1927

Dated June 20, A. D. 1925

Frank W. Holcomb
Township Clerk 5t3

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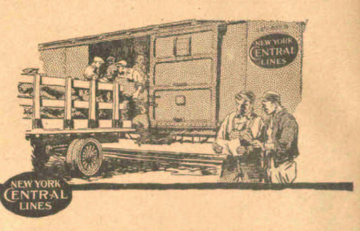

Densmore Family Reunion

The annual reunion of the Densmore family was held Friday, June 19th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs Glenn Densmore in Adams township. There were 74 present and all enjoyed the bountiful pot-luck dinner at noon, after which a program consisting of music and recitations was given, followed by social visiting. Those from away were Mr, and Mrs. George Densmore and family of Ionia; Mrs. Gladys Moorman and son of Tecumseh; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Densmore of Elkhart, Ind., and Fenno Densmore of Temperance.

Noxious Weed Notice

To Owners, Possessors or Occupiers of lands, or any person or persons' firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state.

Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing on any lands within the township of Adams, county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan or within the limits of any highway passing by or thru such lands, must be cut down and destroyed on or before the 15th day of July, A. D., 1925.

Failure to comply with this notice on or before the date mentioned, or within ten days thereafter shall make the parties so failing, liable for the cost of cutting the same and an additional levy of ten per centum of such cost, to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected, Dated July 1, 1925.

Ernest L. Burd, Commissioner of Highways, Township of Adams, County of Hillsdale. 5t2

Tomorrow is 4th of July

Mrs. Emma Relyea accompanied her sister Mrs. Scovill, to Ann Arbor the first of the week for an examination. Mrs. Scovill is recovering rapidly.

The ability of a rake to pick up freshly cut hay without waiting for wilting has enabled its users to cure their hay much more rapidly and without encountering the bleaching effect of the sun with the attendant loss of food value and palatibility.

Many of our older readers will remember Irving Latimer, the young Jackson druggist who was convicted of the murder of his own mother in 1888 and incarcerated in the State Penitentiary for life. Three years later he made his escape after poisoning a guard but failed to get out of hearing of Jackson before he was captured and returned to the prison. For 32 years little has been known of him, but it is claimed Latimer has been a model prisoner without one single demerit and friends on the outside are seeking to excite propaganda in his behalf which would lead the pardon board to think Latimer should be pardoned

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THE WALLACE SHOWS

Those who saw the big aggregation of animals and performers; roustabouts and colored stake drivers who follow the Wallace Shows, on the 4th, will rest assured that nothing in the line that is larger, will ever come to Hillsdale. The Wallace Shows surely represent the fruits of years of training on the part of managers acrobats and animals, For instance the mammoth herd of tigers which performed inside the stout steel cage set up in the ring, were a splendid example of organization. While it is freely granted that training Bengal Tigers is a risky performance yet if one were to observe the abandon with which both male and female trainers handled these fierce beasts, we should say it is boy's play. On one or two occasions we fancied the trained lions resented their tasks and it looked as if nothing but the most abject fear could compel them to do the stunts required. We are not familiar with the method of teaching these animals, and so could not say what the real danger is, but nothing but severest torture, we are sure, could produee the best results.

The clown contingent were undoubtedly as good or better than the average, but other than to amuse children, we think they are a necessary evil. The clown system has come down through the ages as a relic of chivalry. The courts of ancient Kings were never quite complete without the "jester" or court fool whose duty it was to make two smiles grow where only a frown grew before.

Taken as a whole the Wallace Shows were as much appreciated probably as the Hagenbeck circus last season, but side show features were not up to the Hagenbeck standard.

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Local News

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—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Harry Reed and wife of Detroit came here to spend the 4th with friends.

Arthur Hoffman and John Williams are in Kentucky on a business trip.

George Cheever and wife arrived in North Adams on Sunday to visit his sister Mrs. Edna Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kimball of Toledo visited at the Charles Stranger home over the 4th.

The Hoxie L. A. S. will meet with Mrs. Edna Haines Thursday afternoon July 16th. Potluck supper

B. I. Lynch and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moore of Plainfield Illinois over the Fourth.

Otto Duguid and family of Pontiac spent the 4th with John Duguid and family in this village.

—House in this village for rent Well and cistern, small fruit. 6tf Inquire of Howard Williams

Mrs. J. O. Totten of near Church Corners who has been quite ill for some time passed away at her home last week.

Glenn Baker and family of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week-end at the home of their parents, Fred Baker and wife.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet at the church basement on Wednesday July 15th. Come prepared to quilt.

Harl Myers and family and Ruel VanWert of Sturgis also Helen Keller of Jackson spent Saturday and Sunday with Claude VanWert and family.

M. L. Fitzgerald and family of Adrian spent Sunday afternoon in North Adams. Mrs. Edna Hewitt returned home from Adrian with them.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter No. 288 O. E. S. on Tuesday evening July 14th. Initiation, refreshments of ice cream and wafers will be served.

Mrs. Kate Burger and granddaughters, Katherine and Lucille who have been visiting Charles Stranger and wife, returned home Sunday evening.

The Womans Club will hold their annual picnic at Durga's Landing Farewell Lake Thursday, July 16 For dinner bring sandwiches for family and a passing dish.

The next cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of John Duguid and wife on East Main street, Tuesday evening, July 14. Leader, John Gordon.

Alvin Parish and family came here last week to spend the 4th with his mother Mrs. N. Parish. Mr. Parish returned home to Detroit on Monday while Mrs. Parish and daughter remained for a few days visit.

Relatives here have received an announcement of the birth of a daughter to Theo Cronkite and wife of Detroit to be known as Janice Ruth. Mrs. Cronkite is a daughter of Henry Bernhardt and wife formerly of this place.

A. J. Calhoun and wife motored to Dayton, Ohio, on Monday, returning home on Wednesday. The trip was 408 miles long and Mr. Calhoun reports that his speedometer showed a mileage of 23 miles to the gallon of gas.

A big crowd witnessed the movies Wednesday evening from far and near. Main street and Hillsdale street were both filled to capacity with cars, which indicates that the effort on the part of our business men is being appreciated Keep it up, folks.

Asa Hinman of Somerset was bound over to the October term of Circuit court by Justice Glenn Miller after a hearing this week. He is accused of attempted rape on a 14-year-old girl of the same township. The crime occurred on June 11th when Hinman took the girl for a ride.

The fortieth annual Michigan State Camp meeting will be held at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, July 24 to August 2, 1925. The preachers will consist of such men as Bishop Thomas Nicholson of the Detroit Area Methodist church, Rev. John Brasher president of John Fletcher College Oskaloosa, Iowa; Rev. C. Ruth, of Indianapolis, an evangelist of national reputation; Rev. Thos Henderson of Oberlin, Ohio, associate editor of the Christian Witness, Rev. John Paul of Upland, Indiana, president of Taylor University; The music will be under the management of Rev. Lloyd Nixon of Lowell, Mich., who will train the chorus choir and you should hear his solos Mrs. Iva Durham Vennard, principal of Chicago Evangelistic Institute, will have charge of the young people's department.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Stoner of Adrian spent Sunday at James Jones.

Willie Owen and family of Detroit visited at John Owen's over the 4th.

Wm. Barker and wife spent the 4th and Sunday with their daughter in Hillsdale.

Fred Baker and wife called on Ernest Hinkle and family in Hillsdale on Saturday,

Geo. Combs went to Romeo on Friday last to visit his nephew, George. Jr., and family.

Daniel Garlinghouse has returned home from Tecumseh. Dan reports a very nice visit.

J. W. Lynch and Ralph Wolcott who are employed in Detroit, were home over the 4th.

Henry Schoolcraft of Chicago has been visiting at the home of James Jones and wife in this village.

Mrs. Fred N. Baker and daughter, Rosene, spent Wednesday afternoon at the A. Z. Nichols home.

Frank Foster and sons, Cleo and Leland, from Detroit and Lansing, spent the 4th at home here.

Uncle Nathaniel Daniels who sustained a paralytic shock quite recently, remains in practically the same condition.

Mrs. Clara Culver and daughters Percibelle and Kathryn, of Jackson spent the 4th with Ezra S. Knowles and wife in town.

Mrs. Hazel Whiteford and daughters, Edith and Vivian and Joseph and Jacob Simmonds, all of Anderson, Indiana, are guests at the Wertz home in this village.

Alonzo Overley and wife and Purcell Overley and wife, Norman Hart, wife and son, Billie, of Toledo, are spending a few days at the home of Robt. Overley in this village.

The S. E. Class of the Congregational Sunday school, met last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Williams with 35 members and guests present. A good program was given, followed by refreshments.

Fred Westcott, wife and daughter, Edith, left on Monday for Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burr Auderson and family. The Westcotts accompanied Mr. Anderson to Wisconsin from Devils Lake where he had been visiting relatives.

The Misses Muriel Holcomb and Margaret Meeks are spending the week at Lansing as representatives of the Boys and Girls' Clubs of Adams township. Both are members of the sewing class organized by Mrs. John Williams and Muriel won several premiums at the 1924 county fair.

For Sale—House and two acres of good land in Moscow township. 4miles northwest of North Adams Inquire of John Crapser. 4t3

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance.—James I. Post 2tf

The meeting of the Adams township Boys and Girls clubs which was to be held Tuesday evening July 14, at the Grange Hall has been postponed until Friday evening July 17. All members are requested to be present.

Lucile VanWert, Secretary

Sunday School Picnic

The Sunday schools of North Adams will conduct a union picnic for all denominations at Manitou Beach, Devils Lake, Friday, July 24. This is the annual affair and it is hoped all will consider it important. Boats will be provided and plenty of amusements for each and every one. Bring well filled lunch baskets.

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Congregational Church Calendar

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will continue the discourse on "Pictures That Preach." Let these services have a place in your lives. Help make them successful.

Sunday school convenes at the close of this service. U need the church and the church needs U!

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A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methotdis Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

The subject for morning worship will be "Peter's Downward Steps" and in the evening service the subject will be "The Worth of a Man."

Don't forget or neglect the Thursday night choir rehearsals and the Bible study. also the Sunday morning supplication period.

The Epworth Choir will give a musical concert Friday night July 10th at the Nethodist church at Jonesville. Admission 25c. Let's go and boost our young people.

The Sabbath school program for next Sunday will be conducted by Mr. Porter's class in the form of an old-fashioned Sunday school as it used to be when we were boys. An old-fashioned Sunday school. YOU ARE INVITED.

George Rock of Chicago spent the 4th at his home here.

For Rent—Good barn in the heart of this village suitable for automobile. Inquire at this office.

We are in recept of circulars which we mistrust are sent out by the Democratic party leaders as the contents pertain to establishing a temperance plank in their platform. These leaders have changed their coats several times in a decade but are still the same fire-eating Colonels they were at heart 40 years ago. They are trying to persuade people now that the Volstead law should be modified, claiming it is an institution of the devil bred by fanaticism; that the vaporings of these fanatics puts the kibosh on all kinds of temperance work and that the right of any man to make and use his wines, etc., in his own home should never be questioned, all of which no doubt has been ladled out to them by the "wets" Nobody in the dry ranks is going to be caught by any such delusion. We all know the "wets" are making superhuman efforts to convince the drys that the Volstead law cannot be enforced, but the results are not satisfactory to them.

Notice!

Please set out your milk bottles each morning. My supply is running short. A. C. Haight 6t2

I. O. O. F. Installs Officers

Rural Lodge, No. 72, Odd Fellows, installed officers on Wednesday evening July 8, as follows: n. g., Andrew Bemis; v. g., Anson Church; r. s. n. g.. George Taylor; l. s. n. g., Claude VanWert; r. s. v. g., Eugene Bross: l. s. v. g. Clifford Hitchcock; recording sec. Theldon N. Lamb; treas., Fred W Payne; warden, Max Bemis; con. Lee Sabin; chaplain, Elmer Fuller outside guard. Earl Williams; inside guard, Alfred Gary; d. d. p., Otis Metcalf; marshal, Gene Bross

Class Program at Methodist Church

Next Sunday, July 12, there is to be given during regular Sunday school hour at the Methodist church the following program by Henry Porter's class: Opening song by the class "Happy Day" invocation, Brother Comley; 1st Psalms Brother Barber; music, Brother Benson; decalogue, Bro. Duguid; music, Brother North; story of early Sunday school work in the community, Brother Benson. Everyone is invited to this service and we will try to make you feel at home in our Sunday school,

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A girl isn't necessarily timid because she jumps at a proposal.

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Aviators in the Royal Canadian Air force set a new record for safe flying last year by making up 3,340 hours of actual flying time without a fatal accident in carrying air mail, patroling forests and fisheries, and performing other government service, said a report from the Department of the Interior. More than 3,000 acres of forest in Alberta were covered twice a day by air patrols during the season of fire hazard, and in Manitoba 40,000 acres were under observation. The forces photographed 40,000 square miles of terrain for the topographical survey.

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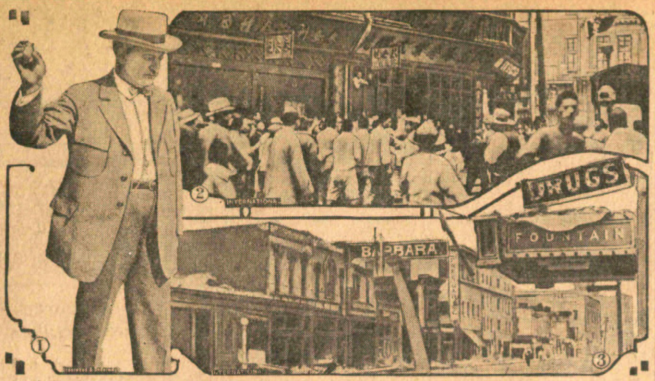

1—Frank W. Mondell, director of War Finance corporation, winning top-spinning contest at bankers' convention in Hot Springs, Va. 2—First photograph of crowds in Shanghai demonstrating against foreigners. 3—Picture transmitted by A. T. & T. company wires showing State street in Santa Barbara, Cal., after the earthquake.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Earthquake on Pacific Coast Wrecks Business Section of Santa Barbara.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

NOT since the great San Francisco earthquake and fire has there been a disaster on the Pacific coast comparable to that which overwhelmed the pretty city of Santa Barbara on Monday. Two severe shocks early in the morning sufficed to lay in ruins most of the business section, and these were followed by a number of other temblors that added to the destruction. Owing to the hour at which the worst shocks occurred, coupled with the fact that the residence sections practically escaped damage, the loss of life was surprisingly small. Eleven persons died, most of them under the falling walls of hotels, and scores were injured. The water and gas mains were broken and the Sheffield reservoir, the main source of the city's water supply, collapsed, but the walls of the Gibraltar dam up in the hills held and a water famine was prevented by connections made with an old series of mains. The property loss was estimated at between $20,000,000 and $30,000,000. Some of the buildings wrecked, known to many thousands of Americans who have visited the California coast, were the Arlington and Californian hotels, the public library, county courthouse and jail, hall of records, American Legion, Knights of Columbus and Elks buildings, Central bank, County National bank, Morning Press building and the Santa Barbara mission. An expert survey shows that nearly all the structures destroyed were built on filled-in land.

While the earth was yet trembling the people of Santa Barbara began to lay plans for the city's reconstruction and within three days gangs of builders were following close on the heels of the wrecking crews. Bankers arranged for a revolving fund of $2,500,000 immediately and began negotiations to borrow $20,000,000 from financial institutions throughout the United States.

This coast quake was preceded by several temblors in the mountain regions of Montana, Wyoming, Idaho and Washington. Great landslides occurred, forming new lakes and in a number of instances interrupting railroad communication. Several through trains laden with tourists were stalled, but there was no loss of life. Further avalanches are looked for, especially in the Teton National forest, where one side of Chief mountain is reported to be cracking.

Dr. Paul Goode of the department of geography in the University of Chicago holds that these earthquakes are explained by a subsidence of the bed of the Pacific ocean and the settling of the cordillera forming the axis of the continent. Other scientists who are experts in seismology have other explanations. But all agree that more quakes along the Pacific coast may be expected. This, however, does not dismay the Californians any more than such predictions ever dismay the people who live in earthquake regions.

FRANCE for the first time has formally acknowledged her debt to the United States and the cabinet has voted to send a mission to Washington as soon as possible to arrange for funding the debt. This is in accordance with the advice of Foreign Minister Briand and Finance Minister Caillaux. Nothing definite is known as to what the French will propose, but it is assumed they will ask a moratorium and credits in America. It is expected the French mission will accompany the Belgian delegation headed by former Premier Theunis.

There may be some delay in the French cabinet's program due to the Socialist opposition to Caillaux's plans for financial renovation, especially his taxation plan for providing a sinking fund for debt payments. Negotiations for funding Italy's debt are held up for a month or so while Mario Alberti, technical expert, goes to Rome for additional data on his country's capacity to pay, and to discuss the debt situation fully with Premier Mussolini.

WEDNESDAY night, on the first anniversary of the inauguration of through transcontinental air mail service, the overnight air mail service between New York and Chicago was started. From each end of the route a squadron of planes hopped off at the same time, Vice President Dawes giving the word to go by radio. Assistant Postmaster General Paul Henderson was at the Chicago end, and Postmaster General New swung the first sack of mail onto a plane at Hadley field, New Brunswick, N. J., the eastern end. The rate for the service is 10 cents an ounce, and the normal time between the two cities is eight hours and fifteen minutes. The route is lighted for the pilots by 150 immense electric beacons, and thirty-two landing fields have been provided for emergency, designated by intermittent flashes of searchlights. Other flashes tell the pilots the weather conditions. Each pilot carries flare lights of a new type which, attached to parachutes, make forced landings comparatively safe.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE was called hurriedly from the summer White House at Swampscott to Plymouth, Vt., because of the serious condition of his father. But the aged colonel submitted to a surgical operation and the progress of his recovery was so rapid that the physicians told the President he could return to White Court. So in a few days he and Mrs. Coolidge started back by motor, losing their way several times but ultimately arriving safely.

MRS. EDITH NOURSE ROGERS has been elected by the voters of the Fifth congressional district of Massachusetts to fill the vacancy in the house caused by the death of her husband, John Jacob Rogers. She is a Republican and defeated her Democratic opponent, former Gov. Eugene N. Foss, by more than two and a half to one. Mrs. Rogers will be the first New England woman to sit in congress.

CHANG TSO-LIN, the Manchurian war lord, has forced the Chinese government to deal first with the strike incidents at Shanghai and thus at least defer a break with the powers. A joint commission is now considering that phase of the troubles. This doesn't suit Gen. Feng Yu-hsiang, who has issued a proclamation calling for a war to abolish the extraterritorial rights and other alleged injustices. Meanwhile the British have landed a considerable force on Shameen island, the foreign quarter of Canton, in the face of a demand from the government that the island be evacuated with an apology, that the British and French withdraw their warships from Kwangtung waters and make compensation for losses of Chinese lives and property.

If there were needed any further proof of the part the Russian soviets are taking in the Chinese disturbances, it was provided by the arrest at Shanghai of Zinovis Dosser and his wife. Many incriminating documents were found on them, one specifically certifying that Dosser was sent by the "agitation department" of the Communist party to Hongkong and Canton to organize strike committees.

John MacMurray, the new American minister to China, has arrived in Peking. At Tokyo he said only a most serious emergency should induce America to make armed intervention and that this does not exist at present.

ABD-EL-KRIM made a supreme effort to break the French lines between Cheyab and the Algerian frontier, hoping thus to open his way to Fez. But the French met him with every arm and repulsed the tribesmen with severe losses all along a 60-mile front. In this they were aided by many loyal Moroccans. Abd-el-Krim led his troops in person.

AMERICA'S great Pacific fleet, comprising 50 vessels, sailed from Honolulu on Wednesday for Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania. When nearing Australia the fleet will be split into two detachments, and later the ships will scatter a good deal so as to visit all ports in that part of the world. All are expected to be back at Honolulu on September 10.

The day the fleet sailed 110 representatives of eight countries bordering on the Pacific met in Honolulu in a Pan-Pacific conference which they hope will be epochal in the making of peace. Governor Farrington welcomed the delegates and the residents are doing themselves proud in the way of entertainments. Among those attending the conference are many eminent scientists, educators, economists, statesmen and business men.

JOHN L. LEWIS, head of the coal miners, addressing a tri-state meeting at Scranton, Pa., promised to make a fight to the finish in the approaching negotiations with the anthracite operators to renew the contract expiring August 31, and then warned the bituminous operators that a nation-wide strike in the soft-coal fields might be ordered unless steps were taken to enforce the Jacksonville agreement. He charged there was an "infamous conspiracy" between certain soft-coal operators and certain railroads to scuttle the three-year agreement, and scored J. D. Rockefeller, Jr.; Charles M. Schawb and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon for not using their influence as large stockholders in bituminous companies to prevent violation of the agreement.

WHEN the general reorganization of the government's prohibition enforcement system goes into full effect on August 1, it is believed Commissioner Roy A. Haynes will resign and run for governor of Ohio as a Republican. It is known that he has sought several times to quit his present post but was persuaded to stay on. Last fall he wanted to go after the governorship as Prohibition candidate, but President Coolidge changed his mind.

ROY P. WILCOX of Eau Claire, Wis., president of the Wisconsin Bar association, is the first to announce his candidacy for the senate seat made vacant by the death of Mr. LaFollette. His announcement says: "I shall not be a candidate of any group or faction, but shall welcome the support of all those who have in the past supported the things I have stood for, and of all who may wish to support them now. A new deal in Wisconsin politics is demanded, which shall be in hearty accord with President Coolidge in his program for reduced taxation and efficient constitutional government. We are fortunate to have such a leader."

Francis E. McGovern of Milwaukee, former governor, also announced that he was a candidate for the senate seat.

Others who have been mentioned for the place but who have not declared their intentions include Mrs. LaFollette, Secretary of State Fred Zimmerman and Zona Gale, the well-known author.

ALL but two of the ice-box manufacturers who, together with a lot of other furniture makers, were indicted in Chicago for violation of the anti-trust law by stabilizing and artifically raising prices, pleaded guilty and were fined a total of $68,000 by Federal Judge Cliffe. The next bunch to be arraigned comprises the makers of dining room, bedroom and living room furniture.

DR. JACOB GOULD SCHURMAN, the new American ambassador to Germany, presented his credentials to President von Hindenburg and made a neat little speech.

"It is the desire of my government," Doctor Schurman said, "to cultivate to the fullest extent mutual friendship between our two countries. Animated by cordial sentiments originating in my youthful studies in Germany, I will find special satisfaction in carrying out the instructions of my government."

ONE hundred American physicians are attending the first international congress of radiology, which opened in London, but industries like coal and structural steel are also deeply interested, for the radiologists are developing methods of analysis and tests of strength by the X-ray. Something of this was told in the opening paper, which was read by Dr. Norman Kemp, an American scientist.

"Beauty" Cure for Mental Disorders

Kankakee, Ill.—Beauty parlors to improve the appearance of women patients at state hospitals for mental disorders are succeeding remarkably well as therapeutic measures, according to Dr. W. A. Stoker, managing officer of the state hospital here.

Working on the theory that normal women react quickly to any improvement in their appearance, Dr. Stoker has attempted to stimulate his patients in the same manner. Special attention is given to their appearance in a beauty parlor equipped for all kinds of beauty treatment.

"A woman's appearance reflects her habits of mind, a legitimate desire to attract admiring attention, or at least avoid unpleasant comment," Dr. Stoker declared. "Mental disturbance is too often shown by carelessness in dress and appearance.

"The women patients become accustomed to this unpleasing appearance and unless something is done to bring to them the necessity as well as the advantage of looking attractive their loss of looks even exceeds their mental deterioration."

The results so far, Dr. Stoker said, have been encouraging and other hospitals are following the example of Kankakee, notably Elgin.

"The realization of some degree of selfrespect along these lines is bound to be reflected in an improvement of the mental condition of our female patients and thus will constitute a real therapeutic measure," Dr. Stoker said.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Jackson—John Szekeres, Michigan State Prison inmate, has escaped from the state road camp at Cambridge Junction.

Cadillac—The Michigan Potato Growers' Exchange will hold its seventh annual meeting at Cadillac Aug. 19 and 20. Directors to succeed O. S. Wood, of Barryton, and S. E. Rogers of East Jordan, will be elected.

Port Huron—Plans are under way to organize a statewide association of women's Republican clubs as the result of a conference held here at which Mrs. Alvin T. Hert, of Louisville, Ky., vice-chairman of the national Republican committee, presided.

Lansing—A move by which the inter state commerce commission may put its finger of control to some extent on Michigan's highway traffic was seen in the inauguration of a motor truck freight service by the Michigan Central railroad between Kalamazoo and Niles.

Detroit—Greater Detroit has passed the 1,400,000 population mark. This is the estimate of the attendance department of the board of education. It is based upon incompleted results of the joint school and general city census which was taken by board of education enumerators.

Cadillac — The Cummer-Diggins Lumber Co. has offered the city of Cadillac a large acreage of cut-over land in Colfax township, Wexford county, for reforestation under direction of the Izaak Walton league. One other similar tract recently was offered the city by another donor.

Lansing—The State of Michigan will derive $25,000,000 to $50,000,000 additional taxes from charitable institutions under the Evans benevolent society taxation act adopted by the 1925 legislature. The new law becomes effective August 28. Reports on which the tax levy can be based will be required of all benevolent organizations.

Saginaw—Initiatory petitions asking a vote of the people on the question of an increase in street car fares here have been filed with the city council. The petitions are carrying more than 2,000 signatures in excess of the charter requirements. They ask that the ticket fare for the Saginaw Transit Co. be increased from 6 1-4 to 8 1-3 cents.

Grand Rapids—William B. Leeds, son of the former tinplate king and of Princess Anastasia, of Greece, recently spent a day here as the guest of Dr. Ferris N. Smith. Leeds, who is reputed to be worth $75,000,000, found more interest in donning surgeon's garb and watching an operation at a local hospital than in being lionized by society.

Lansing—Sleeping sickness, known to the medical profession as lethgaric encephalitis, has been the cause of 16 deaths in Michigan within the first four months of the present year, with 37 cases reported. Compared with the figures of 1923 and 1924, when the number of cases reported was 65 and 45 respectively, the present incidence appears rather high.

Port Huron—The flat water rates of the city will be increased about 22 per cent July 1, and metered water rates will be increased about 40 per cent. It is proposed to increase the revenue from the waterworks department from $115,000 to $165,000 to meet the interest due on a water bond issue of $338,000 made in 1917 for improvements and extensions.

Battle Creek—Continued search for William E. Porter, wealthy glass manufacturer who disappeared from the Battle Creek sanitarium has failed to prove whether he is dead or alive. During the four days of hunting in rivers, lakes and with the use of three bloodhounds, no trace has been found of the missing man, who was under treatment for a nervous collapse.

Port Huron—J. S. Gray, managing editor of the Adrian Telegram, was re-elected president of the Michigan Associated Press Editorial association in annual convention here. Besides re-electing all other officers, the association named Arthur R. Treanor, of the Saginaw, Mich. News-Courier, to represent Michigan on the advisory board of the central division of the Associated Press.

Lansing—Further investigations into the conduct of Sanilac county officials are to be conducted by the state, it was announced following the removal of John Hyslop, Sandusky justice of the peace. It was understood that the sheriff and prosecuting attorney may be the subjects of the inquiry. In a hearing held prior to the removal of Hyslop some testimony was offered that the sheriff and the justice of the peace "split" fees illegally.

Menominee—Karl Knaus, Menominee County agricultural agent, has been appointed superintendent of the Menominee County Agricultural school, recently taken over by the state under tentative plans to develop it into an Upper Peninsula College, a branch of Michigan State College. Mr. Knaus succeeds R. N. Kebler, resigned. J. L. Bumbalek, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin Agricultural college and later agricultural instructor at the Ashland, Wis., experimental station, has been engaged as principal.

Holly—Miss Eva Lake, night operator of the Michigan Bell Telephone company, risked her life to remain at her post and sound the alarm of a fire which nearly wrecked the interior of the Wilson building where the telephone office is located, doing damage estimated at between $15,000 and $20,000. An electric push button in a rear room in the telephone office starts an electric siren giving the village night fire alarms. She found the room where this signal button was located, filled with flames, but managed to reach the signal.

Muskegon Heights—School officials are preparing to open bids on the new $330,000 junior high school building, a bonding issue for which was approved at a special election.

Port Huron—Fair Haven fell short of the quota of signers required by state law in its petition for incorporation for a village, the committee of the board of supervisors reported.

Lansing—Gov. Groesbeck has announced the appoinmtent of four new commissioners of the Department of Labor and Industry. The department was reorganized by the last Legislature to provide for four instead of three commissioners.

Saginaw—Saginaw now has a public air landing field through the work of the junior board of commerce, announcement of which was made by President Don S. Hanaford of that organization. The Deegan farm on the Graiot road has been leased and work has been started marking the field.

Bay City—The $50,000 fire which destroyed the Visitation church here was of incendiary origin, it has been decided and $1,000 was offered for the apprehension of the responsible parties. The investigation of the fire was made by Lieutenant Joseph Kearney of the Michigan State Police.

Grand Rapids—Seventy-five Grand Rapids members of the Naval reserve, 60 from Benton Harbor, 18 from Muskegon and six from Battle Creek will assemble at Holland July 29 to begin the annual great lakes cruise which ends August 2. They will be stationed on board the U. S. S. Dubuque.

Grand Rapids—Imprisoned by two young bandits in the refrigerator at the West Side Meat Market, operated by Wencel Rymarowicz, the proprieor, his wife and their employe, were unable to release themselves until the robbers had fled with the cash in the till, amounting to about $50, and had carried away a quantity of foodstuffs.

Albion—The arrest of three men and a boy here by Sheriff George U. McCarty and Police Chief Clyde Stoddard, is believed to have broken up an organized gang of thieves which, during the past few weeks, has stolen more than 4,000 pounds of copper, valued at $3,000, from the car shops of the Michigan Electric Railway, two miles west of Albion.

Marquette—Just after he had witnessed the wedding of his brother-in-law here, J. Edgar Dwyer, a member of the 1925 graduating class of the University of Michigan, surprised the assembled relatives by announcing that he and Miss Mary Flynn, of Ishpeming, were married 18 months ago. Dwyer was graduated from the law department of the university.

Flint—The thirty-sixth annual convention of the Michigan Christian Endeavor Union was brought to a close here with four meetings, the final one being addressed by William J. Cameron of Detroit. Mr. Minot C. Morgan, of Detroit, delivered the convention sermon and also spoke at the annual banquet at which 29 delegates pledged themselves to life work in the interests of Christianity.

Port Huron—The steamer Yorkton, owned by the Matthews Steamship Co., of Toronto, rammed and sank the sand and gravel barge Badger, in the St. Clair River, about a mile north of Algonac. The Yorkton was downbound and the Badger was being towed up-stream by the tug Thomas A. Tees. The crew of the Badger was rescued by the crew of the tug before the barge sank.

Mt. Clemens—Soldier khaki blended with showy white Oddfellow uniforms on Selfridge Field when Maj. T. G. Lanphier, post commandant, and the Selfridge Field fliers were hosts to the First Regiment of Michigan, Patriarchs Militant. Four thousand friends and relatives were present at the regiment's review and field day. The fliers entertained their visitors with thrilling stunts and maneuvers.

Holland—The sheriff is receiving reports of the poisoning of cattle and other livestock in this vicinity. G. J. Duer, a farmer near here, reports that two of his best cows are dead, one seriously ill and two slightly affected by poison poured into their drinking pool in his pasture. Four pounds of the poison was found in a bag near the pool. This is the third instance of livestock poisoning in this vicinity during the last month. The Farm Bureau is assisting the sheriff in his investigation.

Warren—The village of Warren, known since last fall as "the muddiest town in Macomb Township," is going to get rid of it mud. The County Highway Commission, at the request of Warren residents, promised a 36-foot concrete road would be built this summer through Warren. Next Spring according to the commissioners, the pavement will be connected with Van Dyke avenue on the east and the Ryan road on the west, thus providing two all concrete routes to Detroit.

Pontiac—Manley D. Davis, Detroit attorney and resident of Bloomfield Hills, has offered Oakland County a 100-acre farm in Springfield township provided that the county lay out a golf course there and use it as a county park. The board of supervisors has appointed a special committee to investigate the offer and make a report. The land is near Davisburg, where ancestors of Davis were born and reared. He is the son of Daniel L. Davis, of Pontiac, one of the oldest members of the Oakland County Bar Association.

Grand Rapids—Officials of the Pennsylvania lines have announced that an official investigation would be started at once into the accident which imperiled the lives of more than 100 tourists when a north-bound resort train from Cincinnati was derailed at Van, north of Pellston. The second engine of the double header train turned over and one baggage car was swung across the right of way, tying up traffic for more than 12 hours. Although all the passengers and train crew were shaken up, none was injured.

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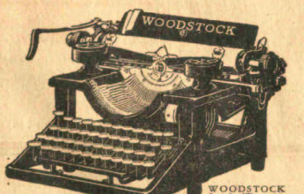

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Atlanta Church Is Hypocritical

We can conceive the following might take place in the other churches but to be informed the Baptist Tabernacle would allow such performances seems unbelievable. From a little phamphlet published at Washington D. C. called "Liberty" which some kind soul has supplied us with for a long time back, we glean the following relative to Sabbath desecration in the church. The following item was clipped from the Millen (Georgia) News under date of March 19, 1925.

"Modern dances will be graphically illustrated and contrasted with the old square dances at the Baptist Tabernacle here Sunday afternoon.

Rev. H. L. Stevens, evangelist and Elmer Slider, superintendent of the Sunday school will dance together on the platform, giving first the old fashioned square dances and following with the modern fox trots and fancy steps.

Reverend Stephens weighs about 265 pounds, and Mr. Slider about 200. The platform has been specifically braced for the occasion.

The evangelist also has invited Atlanta card players to bring their deck of cards with them to the meeting. He will discuss the movie card playing, and dancing "in his shirt sleeves."

This item shows the trend of the times. While it is supposed the Christian church abhors public dancing these gentlemen are proposing to put on a real performance either to demonstrate the folly of dancing or to take out its teeth. But for whichever purpose intended the effort is a burlesque on decent religion and seems well nigh blasphemous. A few years ago when our village was in the throes of re-building our Methodist and Congregationalist churches, we heard somebody say something about a Community church—and that somebody also remarked that in his or her opinion the one big church in North Adams would be amply sufficient to accomodate the religious training the village needed. Somebody else remarked that the only way to bring about a reform among the younger class of church goers was to consolidate the three churches, put in a pool table or two, establish bowling alleys and a gymnasium in the basement and tell the boys and girls to go to it. We are not prudish and we claim to be liberal toward the budding expanding natures of the boys and girls but may God Almighty help anybody who would put up such an argument as that, expecting to make religious beings out of the coming generation! It can't be done. If that is the view that some people have of religious duty, it is to be hoped this particular class will never get control of our affairs.

We have had all kinds of pastors here from the strictly Puritan Orthodox long faced brown garbed martinet to the glib, stylish horse jockeying sporting modernist, and each one had some particular hobby which he put forth to turn our young people's thoughts into proper channels, and just as regularly failed to accomplish what he claimed to want, so it is not entirely the job of the pastor to manage our churches. The undeniable fact remained—our younger generation have gradually pulled away from the christian teachings of the fore fathers, they have manufactured a religion for their own needs which is not strictly a religion but more properly a burlesque on religion. While our young people are advancing faster than ever before in a literary and social way they are falling far behind in real piety. When it comes to the test, spiritualism takes it flight and sordid worldiness is left to take its place. So long as the world stands there will never be but one religion that is religious—the putting away of worldly things and the leaving alone the habits of life which tend to destruction of physical and spiritual being. It may be possible yet that some "higher criticism" gospel dispenser will succeed in concocting a religion for his class of people along the opposite lines and he may make them believe it is the real thing but results will be disasterous. Churches and common decency will evaporate under such teachings like snow under May sun. We hear quite frequently about "fighting Pastors" who have made a reputation for themselves by putting on the boxing mitts and knocking out a few laymen for exercise just before breakfast, but we never have heard of these vaudeville guys afterwards—don't know where they went, at any rate they seemed to have become spiritually dead or laid away somewhere for relics of the dark ages. We do not believe that the religion of the Holy Bible calls for any special demonstrations along the line of pugilism and we seriously doubt that "Modernism" has a single representative in Heaven.

Deaths Diminishing

The death toll of American firecrackers continues to decline. A dozen mid western cities which a decade ago reported death rolls resembling the casualty list from the battle of Bunker Hill, today counted less than a score of fatalities and less than 200 injured.

Chicago recorded four deaths from powder burns and untimely explosions, and a score of minor injuries. St. Louis had two deaths and approximately 100 injuries, 15 of which were considered serious Milwaukee Eastern Wisconsin. Northern Illinois and Southern Michigan reported ten fatalities in the unusually heavy holiday automobile traffic. One man was killed in an automobile accident at Kansas City and drownings occurred at Oshkosh, Wis., and Joplin Mo.

The Chicago fire department wrote a new line in its history today when it recorded but one alarm as a result of fireworks. Only 28 alarms were turned in, against a holiday normal of 41.

Five persons were killed in Detroit the 4th, and 20 injured in various accidents. Four of the five died as a result of automobile accidents while a number of the injuries were due to automobiles. One death resulted from drowning.

Twelve persons were killed in New York as the result of participation directly or directly in 4th of July celebrations and holiday amusements and 37 were injured. One 14 year old boy, who had been sent to play on the roof for safety, was killed when a stray bullet fired by an Independence Day celebrator, struck him in the stomach. Another 13 year old boy died from a self inflicted wound and a four year old girl died from fire cracker wounds.

Four persons were drowned while on holiday outings while three more were reported as missing after attempting to swim ashore when their canoe upset. One man was killed when he backed into an open elevator shaft as he was flying pigeons from a roof. Three persons were killed by automobiles while celebrating the holiday.

Nineteen persons were killed in Ohio July 4th in automobile mishaps, accidental shooting and cutting affrays. Thirteen were killed in automobile accidents; two in accidental discharge of guns; one by lightning and two in a shooting and one in a cutting affray.

The President's Outing

President Coolidge is at present enjoying an outing at his summer home at Swampscott, Massachusetts, and few if any of us really know what the chief executive of this nation is obliged to undergo for the naked glory of being commander-in-chief of the army and navy and president of the United States.

If anybody thinks the president is enjoying a real snap, they have another guess coming. Try as hard as he may, there is no possible chance for him to escape the awful responsibility of the office. Mails and official correspondence follow him to that secluded spot and in every sense of the word he is a "shut in" who is not allowed to walk out of his own dooryard without the permission of the marine guard who is constantly patrolling the grounds surrounding the house at Swampscott.

This seems like a pretty strong statement but it is true. If he receives a visit from his neighbors it must be under the guidance and in the hearing of a half dozen secret service men. It is claimed if the president should be so careless as to forget the countersign, he could not pass the marine guard who does not know him, and who positively will not permit any person to pass, either going or coming, without it. This, we suppose, is necessary—but most of us feel we would rather be some other person than president—if such restrictions must be put up with.

Each time either the President or Mrs. Coolidge ventures outside their home, they must be accompanied by not less than three strapping secret service men, some before, some hehind and at each side and neither the President or Mrs. Coolidge can speak to any person privately.

During the absence of the Coolidges from the White House at Washington, it has been cleaned, new carpets installed, new draperies pu up and new hangings and furniture put n, for the first time, we believe since the Roosevelt regime, If you knew what it cost to re-furnish a residence for our chief executive, you'd be thunderstruck and even at that the White House looks like a barn compared to the official residences of foreign nobility. For instance the palace of former Kaiser Wilhelm at Berlin and the Czar of Russia at Petrograd can be taken as fairly good examples. and their gold linings and furnishings would probably average more than a dozen White Houses in value. Since the murder of th Czar s family the Reds have used tne Royal Palace for most anything they needed.

President Coolidge is a typical yankee and as such he may be depended on to retain his good standing while on his vacation and return refreshed to his labors.

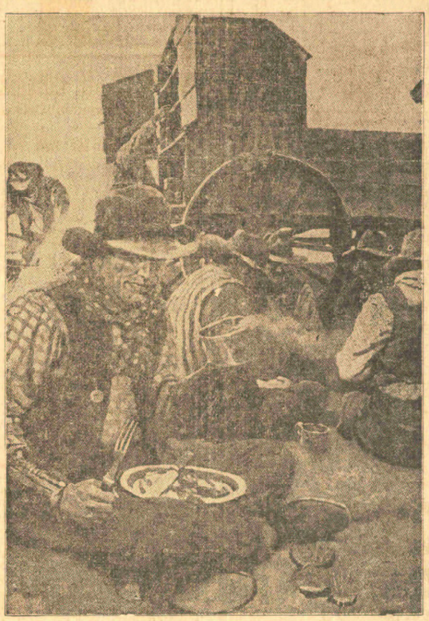
Buy Eggs Now For Winter Use, Local Housewives Urged

Eggs bought now and preserved for winter use means approximately a five dollar saving on this one item of food alone to every family in Hillsdale county, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. This statement is based on figures showing that the price of eggs is generally twice as high from November to February as it is in June.

The practice of putting away eggs for winter not only bespeaks economy but should also induce a greater consumption of this almost ideal food, states the Institute in explaining the preservation process. Two four gallon stone or earthenware crocks, capable of holding twenty dozen eggs, will be found sufficient for the average family. They should be first cleaned and scalded with boiling water. The eggs are then placed small end down and a cooled solution of water glass (sodium silicate), one quart to nine quarts of water that has been boiled and thoroughly cooled, is poured over the eggs to close up the pores in the shell to prevent the egg liquids from evaporating. The topmost layer of eggs should be kept covered with the solution to a depth of at least two inches at all times. The crocks are then placed in a cool dry place after being tightly covered with waxed paper to prevent the evaporation of the solution.

Eggs preserved in this fashion can be kept in perfect condition from six to ten months and used for every purpose, according to the Institute. They will appear more watery when broken out of the shell, but the flavor and nutritive qualities will be very satisfactory. When the eggs taken from the crocks are to be boiled, a small hole should be made in the shell with a pin at the large end of the egg before placing it in the water. This permits the air in the egg to escape and will prevent it from cracking.

HO! FOR THE LIFE OF A COWBOY

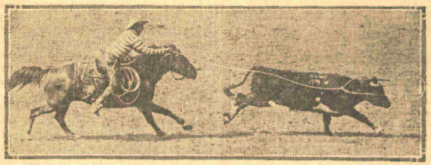


(From a drawing by N. C. Wyeth in Scribner's Magazine.)

Ever eat beans ("Mexican strawberries") dished up from a chuck wagon? Ever sleep out with a saddle for a pillow? It's a great life—if you like it. say the cowboys.

Thousands of Americans, who want to see how real western cowhands live and play, are planning to attend the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo beginning August 15. Cowboys from every part of the West will be on hand for this great western spectacle, which will be held under the auspices of the Chicago Association of Commerce. For nine days Chicago's big Grant Park Stadium will look like a scene from the "Covered Wagon days" as the scores of expert bronk riders, lariat throwers and steer wrestlers show their stuff while competing for $30,000 prize money and world championship titles. Tex Austin, who has staged so many successful contests including the great international contest at Wembley, England, will direct the Chicago event.

MAGIC OF RODEO ROPERS



Wizards with iron wrists, who can send a lasso snapping through the air with the accuracy of a rifle bullet, will work their magic when famous ropers will meet at the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo to be held for nine days, beginning August 15. A good portion of the prizes put up by the Chicago Association of Commerce, under whose auspices the cowboy contests will be held, is set aside for the ropers. Champions, past and present, have written Tex Austin, that they will be on hand to compete for the awards and the world's championship title. Austin, who has put on many big rodeos, will direct the Chicago contests. A steer or calf in action makes remarkable speed and to send the loop of the lariat whipping through the air and to have it land unerringly around horns or neck is one of the most difficult of cowboy feats. To do this and then to throw and tie the animal must be the work of only a few seconds. The experts are bringing their own roping ponies, so intelligent and highly trained that some are almost priceless.

SECRETARY LIKES THE RODEO

In the West he's "Bill." But in official Washington he's William Marion Jardine, secretary of agriculture, a member of President Coolidge's official "family." Secretary Jardine has been invited to attend the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, to be held for nine days, beginning August 15. Those who know him say that he will be on hand for this greatest of all cowboy contests, as Secretary Jardine has not lost the spirit of the West where, years ago, he rode the range and punched cattle with the best of them.

Back in Idaho they like to tell how the secretary of agriculture busted bronchos and threw a rope. They're proud of their "Bill" and they're willing to wager that he could ride into the arena at the Chicago Rodeo and make some of the expert cowhands hustle for honors. The competitions will be held under the direction of Tex Austin for the world's championship titles, belts and trophies and $30,000, the largest cash purses paid anywhere.

Investigating The Coal Situation

As a result of the efforts of the government to break up the coal combine and bear down the price the following facts have come out: The anthracite mining industry for the whole United States is controlled by practically eight mine corporations, and they have become so strongly combined, in business the government can find no possible opening for an attack. We often wish for another Roosevelt in the presidentia chair who might do something rash to ameliorate conditions.

As a consequence of the above, we are paying probably 25 per cent more for our hard coal than we should, and the authorities at the nation's capitol claim they have no jurisdiction (?) These mines are owned as personal properties, and for the United States to commandeer them outright would be a tyrany—the same as compelling the farmer to accept 25 per cent less for his produce simply because a lot of people in New York City were starving and could not afford to buy flour, potatoes and meat.

The soft coal situation is no better, since it has been proven we are paying $8.00 per ton for coal we should buy for from $5.00 to $7.00. Some one rises to inquire how this comes about. We'll explain; Every dealer who sells coal in Hillsdale county, if he amounts to anything, must agree to certain things, and if he don't agree, he can't have the coal. It is called Coal Dealers Association—you can dub it what you will. The results are as stated—simply a hold-up for the man who must have the coal to fight winter's frosts.

The dealer is in no case blamable for the situation, and he is between "hell and high water" as the mountaineer would say, but the whole situation is splendidly depicted in a cartoon recently published. It depicts a great giant of a fellow standing over a poor little shrimp of a chap who begs for his life. The big one has one mighty fist drawn back to knock the little fellow into Kingdom Come, while the latter with tears in his eyes' pleads "I ain't done nothin Mr., and I wont do it again." The giant was labelled "striker" and the little shrimp is the poor lambasted coal buyer. That's the way it works—every time the striker goes on a vacation, instead of hitting the rich operator, he has landed right on the solar plexus of the coal consumer.

Eternal disgust has led many otherwise respectable citizens to wish the Soviets could rule the American government long enough to take care of this wholesale robbery of the public. Such injustice makes anarchists of us all.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri D. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which, said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof,

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north east quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of mortgage

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.
July 24, 1925.

THE FEATHERHEADS

Succeeding "What's the U. ?"

By L. F. Van Zelm
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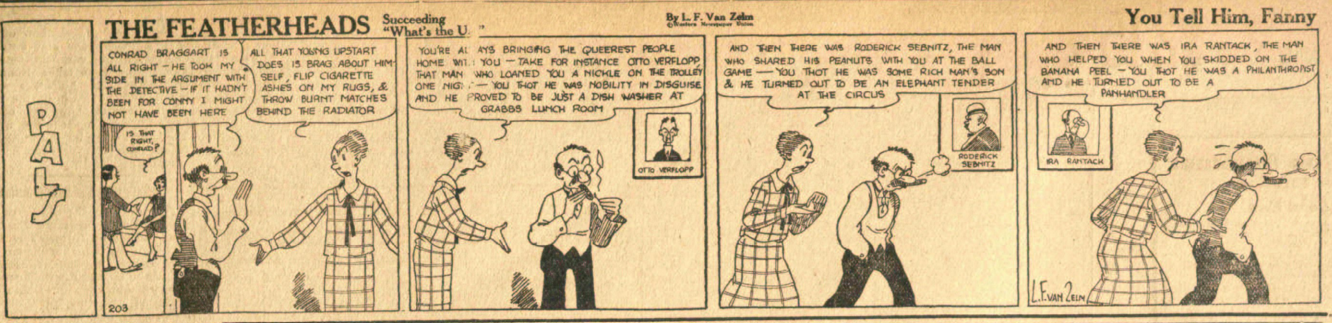
You Tell Him, Fanny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CONRAD BRAGGART IS ALL RIGHT — HE TOOK MY SIDE IN THE ARGUMENT WITH THE DETECTIVE — IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR CONNY I MIGHT NOT HAVE BEEN HERE
IS THAT RIGHT, CONRAD?
ALL THAT YOUNG UPSTART DOES IS BRAG ABOUT HIMSELF, FLIP CIGARETTE ASHES ON MY RUGS, & THROW BURNT MATCHES BEHIND THE RADIATOR
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YOU'RE ALWAYS BRINGING THE QUEEREST PEOPLE HOME WITH YOU — TAKE FOR INSTANCE OTTO VERFLOPP THAT MAN WHO LOANED YOU A NICKLE ON THE TROLLEY ONE NIGHT — YOU THOT HE WAS NOBILITY IN DISGUISE AND HE PROVED TO BE JUST A DISH WASHER AT GRABBS LUNCH ROOM
OTTO VERFLOPP
AND THEN THERE WAS RODERICK SEBNITZ, THE MAN WHO SHARED HIS PEANUTS WITH YOU AT THE BALL GAME — YOU THOT HE WAS SOME RICH MAN'S SON & HE TURNED OUT TO BE AN ELEPHANT TENDER AT THE CIRCUS
RODERICK SEBNITZ
AND THEN THERE WAS IRA RANTACK, THE MAN WHO HELPED YOU WHEN YOU SKIDDED ON THE BANANA PEEL — YOU THOT HE WAS A PHILANTHROPIST AND HE TURNED OUT TO BE A PANHANDLER
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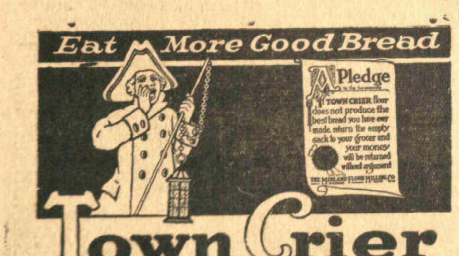
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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

A Plea For The Youth

Abraham Lincoln said in a speech delivered at Springfield, Illinois., June 15, 1858, with reference to the great crisis then confronting the nation, "If we could first know where we are and whither we are tending, we could better judge what to do and how to do it."

The great problem before America today is the Youth. Some writers are asking, "Where is the trouble and who is to blame?" Policemen, mayors, juvenile court judges and prison wardens say negligence in the home. Yes, the home has lost its grip and our Youth has gone to dance hall, poolroom, gambling den and numerous other vice places. The poison cigarette has lured many a boy away. Who permits these vices? Who, but the fathers of our Youth, permits them?

Statistics show that 27,000,000 children are without any religious training in the home. Seventy five percent of the crimes committed are by youths under twenty five years of age. Let's put the fathers of the seventy five boys up for trial. Let's hear some of the child's ideas of what father is doing. Three little boys were arguing under what conditions they were born. You know a child's mind is a mystery; they often wonder as they begin to think very early in life, they wonder and think about what they hear older people say. Back to the boys now. One said, "Daddy was away from home when I was borned." Where was he? First Boy "I don't know." Second boy: "My daddy wasn't home either when I was borned. He was at the club." Third boy; "My daddy nor mammy were narry one home when I was borned." Where were they? "They were both at the club when I was borned."

Now, let's take the boys in the middle teens: One says, "We can't choose our fathers; we have to take them as we find them." Second boy said: "I never had a father. He was a shriner." Third boy said: "My father was a crank. He was always right and everyone else was wrong, especially the boy He never gave any reason why he was right." So clubs and numerous organizations are getting the fathers, and the streets' alleys, vice and crime, are getting our youth.

One father asked me, "Do you believe in heredity?" I certainly do. "Well, I know a boy who stole an automobile, but his father never stole one. Also a bootlegger, whose father never made booze." That is no argument whatever.

Fathers of these boys, did you ever take your boy and the Bible and find the ten commandments and teach that boy of yours, "Thou shalt not or thou shalt?" How many times do you go to church and Sunday school with him? How many times did you tell him he must go to Sunday school? You perhaps sat at home reading the paper, or had some work planned to do. Perhaps fix your car. How many of these fathers know where the ten commandments, the Lord's prayer or the eight Beatitudes are? Who Moses, Daniel, or Solomon were and what their mission was, and what place in the Bible and the time in Bible history did they live?

I have before me the statement of twelve men. They all made this statement. "It is the neglect of religion in the home." One said it "was the shirking and irresponsibility of parents, especially the father, due to irreligion in the home." We have so many fathers of the Old English or German type. They are drivers. I have a story from a boy: He said he "stayed on the farm with his father until he was twenty five; never had any privileges or anything to say." His father always said this or that must be done. No one else must say anything. He never trusted him to go to town to transact any business The father never talked over any business with him, the mother was about the same. They were both drivers. It was hustle to school, hustle home and hustle to work. The boy finally got away from home blundered and stumbled, but at last fortune came to him; by some struggling he got a position and made good. He was fortunate in getting a good helpmate. This is no newspaper story. It was told me by the boy himself. The boy is from Michigan.

Here's a girl's story. She said her father held her family as chattels. Even the mother was a chattel. "As soon as I got old enough I began to rebel. I got many a punishment, but took my punishment and kept on rebelling. At the age of seventeen I ran away from home. My father would not come after me and he would not let mother, but with some hard struggling and a desperate fight, I made good and never went home again to stay. I am thirty five years old now and I am free." These are not foreign stories. They are American. I wonder if the American father will ever look into the welfare of his boy and girl, as he does the care of his cattle, hogs, or crops; or the selling of a horse or cow.

Father, do you know what grade your boy is in at school? I have asked this question of several fathers. They said, "Well, no. I always left that for the wife. I am too busy getting the living." More than that, what kind of a standard do you put up for your boy or girl? Look through the ten commandments and see how many times you have broken them in the last three months. Also there is the cigarette and tobacco, with all their deadly poison. I remember very well my father making or taking the juices as they called it then. Now they call it nicotine. If his hogs or cattle got lousy, he put it on them to kill the lice. The gardener and florist use it to kill insects on the plants. So, fathers, if you want to commit suicide, just put the nicotine used in one cigar into liquid form and swallow it. You will soon forget all your troubles. No wonder a boy is a murderer or thief, with such an example.

In 1921 the tobacco bill was $3,000,000,000, allowing $3,000 to each home. Are we not doing our youth great injustice in spending only $1,000,000,000 a year in maintaining our public schools, while $3,000,000,000 are going for the ruining of the body, mind and soul When a nation spends three times as much to tear down its boys and girls, as it does te develop its citizens, is it not time to call a halt? Isn't it time that America should see and think straight. A visit to Lapeer would, or ought to, convince any American father that something is wrong.

"Frank" Is Notable

Frank J. Boyd editor of the River Rouge (Detroit) Herald and Oakwood Outlook has recently came into the limelight in the publishing world. In the issue of July 4, 1925 of the Publisher's Auxiliary appears a write up of Boyd and his partner Mr. Steve Mason as follows: At the head of the article is shown a photo of both Boyd and Mason:

"The old saw about two heads being better than one might be given the amendment, "especially if one is old and the other is young to fit the particular case of Mason and Boyd, publishers of the River Rouge Herald a live weekly published in this Detroit (Mich.) suburb. The Herald is a full seven column size, never less than 12 pages and frequently runs 16 to 20 pages. It carries an average of 1,500 inches of advertising a week.

Frank J. Boyd is the "old" head of the team. The principal factor in his success must be attributed to his character, for his friends can think of no finer tribute to pay him than to say that Frank J. Boyd's word need never be doubted—it is as good as a bond. Coupled with this fundamental asset he has behind him 27 years of experience in publishing country newspapers and this training was the reason for making the Herald first of all a newspaper.

Mr. Boyd published the North Adams (Mich.) Advocate for 15 years. After selling out there he went to California for two years. On his return to Michigan he bought the Dundee Reporter, which he published for about a year and later published the Grass Lake News for perhaps six months. Eight years ago he went to River Rouge and bought the Herald which was then on the point of suspension.

Stephen F. Mason, the other half of the winning team, four years ago became associated with Mr. Boyd and because of his ability was taken in as a partner two years later. He is an energetic youth in his early twenties who has readily absorbed the ideals imparted to him by his senior partner

Under the four year regime of Mason and Boyd 95 percent of the business men of River Rouge have been converted into consistent, enthusiastic advertisers; three competing newspapers, manned by metropolitan newspaper workers. have been buried in the journalistic graveyard and the Herald has been elevated from a place of mediocrity to power, prominence and prosperity."

The Pere Marquette railroad last week announced that hereafter trains running between Grand Ledge and Lansing would be freight and passenger mixed. the new schedule calling for one train a day each way and with no attempt at prompt connection with main line trains at Grand Ledge. Until this action the Big Rapids-Ionia division was considered one of the important links in the great Michigan system of the Pere Marquette and plainly shows how complete is the surrender made to bus transportation. At the present time there may be a tendency to let this be the problem for the railroad alone to solve, but the time is near at hand when every railroad system in Michigan will be forced to follow a similar course and transportation will be so seriously affected that the entire state will suffer as a consequence. Every community in Michigan, now being served by a railroad, has a real problem confronting it. It is easy to occupy a seat in a bus during the balmy days of summer and autumn, but when the winter storms are over the world the old passenger coach again becomes the haven of our desire when we would journey hither and yon. The bus is with us and it will remain but in our desire to accept this mode of transportation we should not forget at the same time it is to our interest to see that the railroads of this state are protected from complete financial collapse.

Lost—Motorcycle license No. 3257. Finder notify Clarence Kane Jerome. 5t3

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewerly and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co., Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

THE KITCHEN CABINET

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As one torch lights another nor grows less, so nobleness engenders nobleness!

According to socialism, the first economic duty of man is to share the enjoyment of what he has had no share in earning.

THINGS WE LIKE

This cake recipe has been given before but is a great favorite when eggs are scarce and high:

Apple Sauce Cake. — Cream one-half cupful of butter, add one cupful of sugar gradually, one and one-half cupfuls of apple sauce strained and sweetened, one cupful of seedless raisins, two cupfuls of flour, one tablespoonful of hot water, two teaspoonfuls of soda, one teaspoonful each of cinnamon and cloves. Bake in a loaf.

Caramel Cream Pie.—Take two-thirds of a cupful of sugar, add three tablespoonfuls of softened butter, one-half cupful of sweet milk, one-half teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in the milk, one well-beaten egg and one and one-half cupfuls of flour sifted with one teaspoonful of cream of tartar; add the milk alternately with the flour. Beat well and bake in two layers.

Filling.—Caramelize one-half cupful of sugar by stirring until melted in an iron frying pan. Add the sugar when a golden brown sirup to one cupful of milk and one-half cupful of cream, let this dissolve, add one-half cupful of sugar, one-third cupful of flour and cook twenty minutes, then add an egg yolk, stir well and add a teaspoonful of vanilla. This pie may be covered with a caramel frosting, using some of the caramel to color and flavor the sugar sirup, pour over a beaten white of an egg and flavor with vanilla.

Maple Custards.—Beat six eggs, add a pinch of salt and one-half cupful of thick maple sirup with three cupfuls of milk, mix well and pour into custard cups; set in hot water and bake until firm.

Spiced Bananas.—Take two teaspoonfuls each of cinnamon, allspice, one-half cupful of water, one-half cupful of lemon juice, one cupful of sugar, set on the fire and bring to the boiling point. Put in six bananas and boil until tender. Serve on a hot platter with the sauce poured around it.

Nellie Maxwell

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Cour for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 25th day of June A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Josebh L. Beecher Deceased, Catherine Beecher having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that the administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of August, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate.
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King Tommy

By George A. Birmingham

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"TOMMY'S AUNT"

SYNOPSIS. — In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy," and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strong-minded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace. Janet Church leaves for Berlin. "Uncle Bill" is again appealed to by his sister to find a certain curate (name not given) who has left his parish in Ireland for a visit to Berlin, and cannot be found. Lord Norheys and Viola Temple disappear from London. Procopius Cable receives information that Norheys, with the princess, has left there on his way to Lystria, but Norheys appears with the former Viola Temple, now his wife. The question is, "Who is the man who has gone to Lystria with the Princess Calypso?" Casimir introduces himself, and Janet Church, vainly seeking from the British consulate a passport to Lystria, becomes acquainted with the two men in the Adlon hotel. Tommy mistakes Casimir for a hotel thief and refuses him admission to his room. Casimir insists on Tommy dining at the Mascotte. Tommy again meets Janet in a telephone booth, where he had gone in an attempt to escape from Casimir.

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The door of the telephone box opened and Janet Church came out. Casimir, like Tommy, recognized her at once, though he had only seen her once before and then in a dressing gown and boudoir cap. He was not particularly pleased. Perhaps she had talked to him in the morning as she had been talking to the third secretary at the embassy. He bowed to her, but he moved away.

"Please," he said to Tommy, "half ten at the Mascotte. Till then—" He pulled himself together and produced another quotation. " 'Now, good digestion wait on appetite, and health on both.' "

With another bow he turned, crossed the hall and passed the whirling glass door, narrowly escaping a determined effort of the guardian boy to hit him in the back.

Janet Church watched him till he vanished. Then she turned to Tommy.

"I've been asking questions about that young man," she said, "and I find he's in Berlin on some kind of secret mission connected with the ex-king of Lystria."

"Oh, is he?" said Tommy. "I thought he was a tout for a night club."

"That's what he pretends to be perhaps," said Janet, "but he is strongly suspected of being engaged in some royalist plot. The third secretary at our embassy told me so this morning."

If the third secretary had been indiscreet enough to tell Janet Church anything about anybody it must have been before she began talking to him about her passports. No young man, unless he was reduced to terror by threats of violence would have spoken to her at all afterward. But I do not think it at all likely that any diplomatist, even a third secretary, would have shouted confidential information into a telephone. It seemed to me much more likely that Janet Church had been making inquiries about Casimir from the head waiter or the hall porter. All porters of hotels like the Adlon know a great many things, both true and untrue.

"I suppose he's a friend of yours," said Janet.

"No, he isn't," said Tommy. "I mean neither of them is."

He was uncertain at the moment whether she was speaking of Count Casimir or the third secretary.

"Just come over with me to a quiet place," said Janet. "I want to talk to you."

Tommy followed her, unwillingly, to a retired corner of the hall, and sat down beside her on a deep sofa. A waiter hovered round them and asked whether they wanted cocktails. Janet drove him away at once.

"I'm not asking you to tell me who you are," she said, "or what you're doing here."

"I don't in the least mind telling you. I'm a curate and I'm in Berlin for a holiday."

"Very well," said Janet grimly, "and Count Casimir is a restaurant tout, and I'm the prima ballerina of the Royal opera house in Vienna."

Janet prides herself on the power of sarcasm.

"Surely," said Tommy, "you can't be—"

He was an innocent and inexperienced young man. But even to him Janet Church did not look like a prima ballerina.

"I'm just as much a dancer as you're a curate. But, as I said to begin with, I don't want to ask questions. It's quite enough for me to know that you're an intimate friend of Count Casimir's."

"I'm not," said Tommy, "but I suppose it's no use my saying so."

"And I want you to introduce me to him."

"I'll do that with the greatest pleasure," said Tommy, "if I ever see him again. But I don't expect I shall."

"You'll see him tonight at the Mascotte," said Janet.

"I'm not going to the Mascotte."

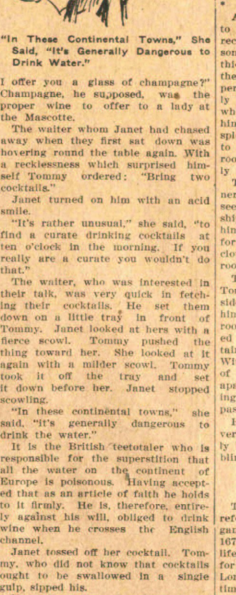
"Oh, yes, you are," said Janet. "I heard you making an appointment to meet Count Casimir there. I shall be there too and you can introduce us."

"Very well," said Tommy, helplessly. "Be there at half past ten."

A feeling of recklessness born of bewilderment was beginning to lay hold on Tommy. He did not in the least want to introduce Janet Church to any one. He did not at that moment even know her name. He did not want to see any more of Count Casimir. He did not want— But a curate is only a man, and though Tommy had no intention of entangling himself with an unknown lady at the Mascotte, he thought it might be interesting to see her, speak to her, perhaps to offer her a glass of wine. Tommy was inexperienced in such matters, but he thought that any lady to be met at the Mascotte would probably expect to be offered a glass of wine.

"Of course," said Janet, "I have more or less made Count Casimir's acquaintance already." She was thinking of her interview with him in the corridor outside Tommy's bedroom. "But it's always better to have a formal introduction," she added.

Tommy was not paying much attention to what she said. He was thinking of the lady at the Mascotte and wondering whether his phrase book provided the German for "May I offer you a glass of champagne?" Champagne, he supposed, was the proper wine to offer to a lady at the Mascotte.



"In These Continental Towns," She Said, "It's Generally Dangerous to Drink Water."

The waiter whom Janet had chased away when they first sat down was hovering round the table again. With a recklessness which surprised himself Tommy ordered: "Bring two cocktails."

Janet turned on him with an acid smile.

"It's rather unusual," she said, "to find a curate drinking cocktails at ten o'clock in the morning. If you really are a curate you wouldn't do that."

The waiter, who was interested in their talk, was very quick in fetching their cocktails. He set them down on a little tray in front of Tommy. Janet looked at hers with a fierce scowl. Tommy pushed the thing toward her. She looked at it again with a milder scowl. Tommy took it off the tray and set it down before her. Janet stopped scowling.

"In these continental towns," she said, "it's generally dangerous to drink the water."

It is the British teetotaler who is responsible for the superstition that all the water on the continent of Europe is poisonous. Having accepted that as an article of faith he holds to it firmly. He is, therefore, entirely against his will, obliged to drink wine when he crosses the English channel.

Janet tossed off her cocktail. Tommy, who did not know that cocktails ought to be swallowed in a single gulp, sipped his.

Now, the effect of cocktails taken on almost empty stomachs by people unused to wine of any sort is surprising. Janet became confidential. She told Tommy that the officials of the British Foreign office had conspired together to prevent her going to Lystria, and that Lord Edmund Troyte was the head of the conspiracy. They knew that if Janet once got into personal touch with the patriarch of Lystria the Union of Christian churches would be accomplished and a great world peace established.

"They are afraid of that," she said grimly, "afraid of it because they know that a world peace would put an end to their trade of secret diplomacy. That is why I want to be introduced to Count Casimir."

It was a little difficult for Tommy to follow the working of her mind. I do not know that any one at that time could have guessed exactly what she meant. Looking back over the whole thing now it seems plain that with the help of Casimir she hoped to get into Lystria without a passport. He was, as she had somehow managed to discover, a conspirator and a secret agent. He would therefore have no objection to breaking the law and would almost certainly be in a position to do so successfully. With his help she would get into touch with the patriarch, unite the churches, establish peace, and so—

"The Foreign office won't be pleased when they hear of it," she said vindictively, "and Lord Edmund Troyte will be furious. But the first thing is to get to Lystria. And Count Casimir can do that for me if he will."

"I've no doubt that he will," said Tommy politely.

"I'm very glad to hear you say that, for, of course, you know."

"I don't know in the least," said Tommy. "I don't really know anything. Indeed, if you asked me this minute, I could not tell you where Lystria is."

Tommy finished the last sip of his cocktail. He felt elated and extremely cheerful.

"In introducing you this evening," he said, "shall I tell Casimir all about the world peace and the Christian churches, or shall I simply say that you're my aunt?"

"I am averse to any form of deceit," said Janet. "But—"

"There are times—" said Tommy. "He might not grasp the full significance of my mission to Lystria."

"Then I'd better tell him you're my aunt," said Tommy, "unless you'd rather I said sister."

Janet looked at Tommy. He is only twenty-six and looks younger, owing no doubt to the virtuous life he has had to lead under the eye of my sister Emily. Janet is superior to the desire to appear younger than she is, which is supposed to be a weakness of her sex.

"You'd better say aunt," she said.

"Very well," said Tommy. "My aunt, who is looking after me."

"A young man," said Janet, "is the better off having an aunt to look after him in a city like Berlin. I feel sure that the Mascotte is a dangerous and undesirable place."

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At half past nine Tommy drove up to the door of the Mascotte. He was received by a stately man in a handsome uniform and led up a flight of thickly carpeted marble stairs. At the top he was handed over to a supercilious young lady with startlingly red lips and very pallid cheeks, who took his overcoat and hat from him. Under the guidance of another splendidly clad retainer he passed into a very large and most impressive room. The lights were dim and faintly pink. The air was heavily scented.

Tommy looked round him a little nervously. He hoped that he might see Janet Church. Her companionship would have sustained and helped him. But she was not there. Except for six servitors in gold and purple clothes, there was no one in the room.

Two of these men took charge of Tommy. They walked one on each side of him, both a little in front of him. They conducted him across the room. At the far side of it they halted in front of a pair of heavy curtains which hung over an archway. With a solemn and dignified sweep of their arms they pulled the curtains apart to right and left. Then, bowing low, they motioned Tommy to pass on.

He entered a still larger room, very brilliantly lighted, so brilliantly lighted that for a minute he stood blinking, unable to see distinctly.

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Authority on Cards

The expression "according to Hoyle" refers to Edmond Hoyle, a writer on games, who was born in England in 1672. Little is known about Hoyle's life. Tradition says he was educated for the bar. At any rate, he went to London, where he spent much of his time writing on games and giving lessons in card playing, especially whist. He published a book in which he systematized the laws and rules of whist, a game on which he was considered an authority. His name became proverbial as an authority on games.

Playing a game "according to Hoyle" came to mean playing it fair and according to the recognized rules. Hoyle died in London in 1769.—Kansas City Star.

Music of the Orient Is Harsh and Strident

The idea as to what real music really is varies according to race and environment. Music of the Orient is apt to jar upon sensitive occidental ears. Take the question of drums as an instance. The playing of drums in European orchestras has reached a high standard of art, though it is rare that more than three or four are used. In a Burmese orchestra, however, the two principal instruments are one made of a series of drums called the seingweing and a similar series of gongs called the kyee or gongs graduated in size, the drums being played with the fingers and hands and the gongs with knobsticks. Besides these there are cymbals, tom-toms and castanets, the last-named being much larger than the European instruments and made of bamboo. Of wind instruments there are only a number of clarinets and one flute played by the leader or conductor. String instruments are not used, and there are also no brass instruments.

Church to Be Home

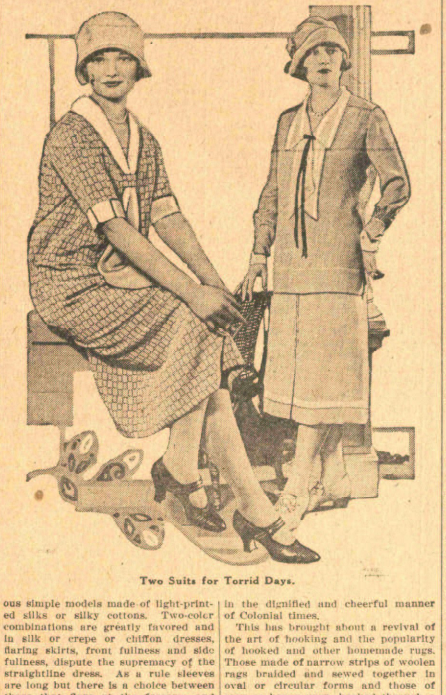
In Belgravia street, in London, there is a church building that for many years has been in disuse. Recently it was bought by a woman resident of the community and she is converting it into a residence. She obtained possession at a public auction.

It is 150 years since the first bottle glass factory in America was established at Glassboro, N. J.

COOL FROCKS FOR HOT DAYS; COLONIAL FURNISHINGS BACK

EVER hotter, hotter, hotter glares the sun in town and country—ever thinner, briefer, cooler grow the frocks and suits we live in. As the thermometer mounts mercilessly upward stylists consider ways and means for clothing womankind in the least burdensome of fabrics, made in the simplest styles—and for once in the history of the race, mere man regards his sisters enviously. Midsummer finds them clad in delicate and beautiful frocks and suits that weigh nothing and are all but transparent. What is more, they are, as a rule, inexpensive—they look cool and are cool.

As for frocks, morning, afternoon and evening find women wearing various simple models made of light-printed silks or silky cottons. Two-color combinations are greatly favored and in silk or crepe or chiffon dresses, flaring skirts, front fullness and side fullness, dispute the supremacy of the straightline dress. As a rule sleeves are long but there is a choice between those that flare at the forearm and those that fit closely. Neck lines are varied but easy and cool. In the printed chiffon frocks for afternoon they are usually round and many of these are sleeveless. Dainty or daring prints are depended upon to give interest to morning and sports frocks like that shown in the picture.



Two Suits for Torrid Days.

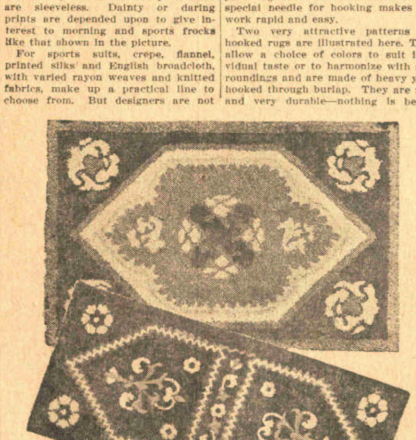
For sports suits, crepe, flannel, printed silks and English broadcloth, with varied rayon weaves and knitted fabrics, make up a practical line to choose from. But designers are not hampered in choice of materials and some of them have appropriated chiffon or sheer printed crepes for sports models; going to the last extreme in delicacy of fabrics. Striped mohair is a fine medium for a cool but substantial suit like that pictured and this is an ideal model for traveling or touring. White collar and cuffs, of crepe de chine are removable and washable and lend to the mohair suit a bit of softness that it needs. The fabric shows a hairline stripe on a colored or black ground and the design pictured is particularly becoming to slender figures.

Many women prefer to clothe their feet and heads in white and this convenient mode is approved, but white shoes piped with a color to match the color in the dress are making an impression, and those who can indulge in many hats may add a variety in light colors to their dependable white headwear.

If you are the proud possessor of a genuine antique—in a patchwork quilt, a quaint sampler, hand-woven blanket or counterpane or a homemade rug, now is the time to point with pride to this early American objet d'art. Even reproductions of our early craftsmanship in home furnishings are selling at a premium and there is a demand for beautiful patchwork and especially for homemade rugs. This demand comes from the best people and happy the flapper who can stow away in her hope chest even a copy of the possessions of her great, great, great-grandmother. The rich are making collections of old pieces or copies of them and furnishing at least one room in the dignified and cheerful manner of Colonial times.

This has brought about a revival of the art of hooking and the popularity of hooked and other homemade rugs. Those made of narrow strips of woolen rags braided and sewed together in oval or circular forms and those of rags or heavy yarn, hooked through a foundation in the quaint and handsome patterns of the originals are in demand by interior decorators. The yarn rugs are the handsomest and a special needle for hooking makes the work rapid and easy.

Two very attractive patterns for hooked rugs are illustrated here. They allow a choice of colors to suit individual taste or to harmonize with surroundings and are made of heavy yarn hooked through burlap. They are rich and very durable—nothing is better worth while as a return for time spent in making it. With hooked rugs on the floor, glazed chintz curtains at the windows, a four-post bedstead covered with a pretty patchwork quilt—all modern copies of old designs—what relics of the past we may possess in pictures, vases, perfume bottles and the like will show to advantage. Such a room gives one a wonderful sense of home.



Homemade Rugs in Pretty Designs.

The two very attractive patterns for rugs, made of heavy yarn, shown here are of the sort that never grows tiresome. In colors, dark reds, strong blues, brown and tan, with touches of green, are found to harmonize with almost any color scheme in the home.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Snake-Skin Gloves

The newest gloves from London are of snake or lizard skin. The python furnishes the largest source of supply, but many gloves are made from the skins of smaller snakes with more brilliant markings.

New Fabric

A new material which suggests all kinds of possibilities is serge which comes in interesting plaided designs and smart-color combinations.

Tunics of Lace

The awakened interest in laces is exemplified in frocks which have a very long straight tunic of heavy real lace in a deep cream tone worn over a slip of black satin.

Only Half a Brim

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Human Happiness Not to Be Bought

It was the keenly observant La Rochefoucauld who said that whatever might be the apparent difference between fortunes there was always a certain compensation of good and evil which rendered them equal. I am inclined to believe that this is true. I can no longer look upon myself as one singled out from the herd, but I have learned much by being merged with the herd.

I know that though extreme poverty is a blight and a curse, yet the greatest satisfactions are not those which can be bought with money. This sounds like sour grapes platitudinously expressed, but it is not. It is a deep truth which I have learned by observing both the well-to-do and the poor at close range. I have learned, too, how comparatively valueless are possessions as contributors to human happiness.—Edith Summers Kelley, in Hearst's International-Cosmopolitan.

Ingenious Cat

An innocent-looking black cat, which is the pet of a Burlington (Vt.) store, was seen to leap up on the counter and get into the egg basket, says the Boston Globe. The cat proceeded to push one of the eggs out with its paws and when it broke on the floor, jumped down and ate the egg, leaving the shell. Then and there the store mystery of the broken eggshells on the floor was solved. And a short time after that, the cat excelled itself. A glass jar of chicken was in a basket, and craving a little solid food, the cat pushed the rather heavy jar off the counter. It went after the chicken and ate everything but the glass.

Ancient Egg

Workmen excavating the new basement under the courthouse at Centreville, Md., unearthed a hen's egg which may be older than the building itself, which was built nearly 200 years ago. The egg was found at a point beneath the building where it would have been impossible for a hen to go. It is assumed that the egg was laid while the building was being constructed. The shell is in perfect condition, but the contents have long ago died up.

Large Beaver Fur Sale

The largest beaver fur sale by the provincial government game guardian's department for some years past was put through a few years ago, when 216 pelts were sold to Alberta dealers. The average price realized was $12.78, and the top price in the lot was $100 for three particularly fine skins.

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Ancient Dispensary

About 4600 B. C. a public dispensary was established in Egypt, the medical attendant for which received the equivalent of $500 a year for his services. This was at that time about five times the amount received by a skilled laborer.

Island Population Density

England, Japan and Java are the three most densely populated large islands in the world, and Java, practically the same size as Cuba, has over ten times as many people.——Science Service.

Fool Killers

"They say that there's a fool born every minute." "Yeah, but automobiles even up things."

Getting up early is more generally due to sleeplessness than to a sense of duty.

Electric Street Railways

With one exception all of the cities of the United States having a population of 25,000 or more have electric street railways. These electric street car lines represent a total investment of $5,625,000,000, which constitutes 2 per cent of the nation's wealth, and last year they provided transportation for a total of 16,000,000,000 people, which is equal to 140 rides for every inhabitant of the United States.

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Practical Youth

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CORRESPONDENCE

Center Adams

Alberta Worthing of Detroit visited over the 4th at the Church home.

M. C. Church and family attended the Home Coming at Hudson on Saturday.

Frank Nicholson and wife of Pittsford visited James Post and wife on Tuesday.

The M. Coryell family visited at the James Bumpus home at Church Corners on Sunday.

Nathan Webster and family spent Sunday with Frank Hammond and family of Shadyside.

J. R. Dewey and family attended Bible Conference at Gull Lake on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Commer and Mrs. G. O. Baker of Hillsdale visited Mrs. J. R. Wright on Wednesday.

Robert and Clarence Worthing of Detroit are visiting their mother Mrs. M. C. Church and family.

Claron, Lucile and Helen Foust are spending the week in Hicksville with their grandmother Foust.

G. R. Ambler, wife and daughter Dorothy spent Thursday afternoon in Jefferson with the Glenn Butler family.

E. S. Gray and wife and R. H. Wyman and wife visited at the Budd Wayman home in Ransom on Sunday afternoon.

James Post and wife entertained Frank Powderly and family and Mark Caskey and family of Hillsdale at dinner on Sunday.

Harry Foust and wife had as guests for the 4th his mother Mrs. Foust and his brother Clare Foust and wife and Elmer Koeren and wife of Hicksville Ohio and Ray Foust and family of East Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Bull and children of LaGrange Indiana were guests over the week end at the Carl Shull home. Mrs. Bull and Mrs. Shull are sisters. Lorena Shull went home with them and will spend the week visiting friends at LaGrange.

Herbert Rose and sister Mrs. Tom Willey and children of Concord and Mrs. Deboreh Hartranft of Jonesville visited at the Lawrence Chase home over the week end, and on Saturday the Chase family and guests spent the day at Sand Lake while on Sunday they rusticated at Bird Lake.

Len Dietz and family of Jackson were guests over Sunday night at the C. O. Smith home. Mrs. Elizabeth Smith of Hamilton N. Y. who is visiting at the Smith home went to Jackson with the Dietz family for a visit, while Marian Dietz remained here for a visit with her grandparents.

Eugene McBain and wife entertained their daughters and families T. H. Tierney and family of Toledo and E. D. Whalton and family of Detroit over the week end, and on Sunday E. G. Rockwood and wife of Bay City, Charles M. Rockwood and family of Hillsdale and Glenn Rockwood and family of Lansing were also guests of the McBains making quite a reunion. The strange part being tnat there had been no previous arrangement for this meeting. Each family coming as a surprise to the other. They all returned to their respective homes Sunday evening excepting E. G. Rockwood and wife of Bay City who are visiting among friends at Hillsdale, Jerome, North Adams and Center Adams for an indefinite time, and Catherine and Anna Tierney of Toledo who are spending the week with their grandparents the McBains.

East Hoxie

Mrs. Will Smith is iil with neuritis at this writing.

Many from here attended the show at Hillsdale Saturday.

LaVerne Cox and family were shoppers in Hillsdale Tuesday.

Gertrude Thompson called on Mrs. Will Steveson Tuesday afternoon.

Herbert Kiel and family visited his parents J. G. Kiel and wife Tuesday.

Chas Oaks and wife were callers at the Chas Cox home Monday afternoon.

E. J. Masters and family of Lansing visited Chas Cox and family over the 4th.

Fred Riplogal and family of Toledo were over the 4th guests of L. O. Spratt and family.

Floyd Smith and wife of Detroit spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon with his parents Will Smith and wife.

Jonesville

F. M. McGowan was at home from Ypsilanti over Sunday.

Mrs. Sharr of Morenci is visiting her daughter Mrs. C. O. Alverson.

C. G. White and wife are spending the summer at Baw Beese Lake.

Bernice Tiffany is attending summer school at Columbia University New York.

Joe Wickman and family of Milwaukee are visiting at the Grosoe Varnum home.

Hugh Smith and wife of Jackson spent Sunday at the home of their father Oliver Smith.

Willard Hill and family of Toledo spent the week end at the Olive Wisner home.

Wm Wallace, teacher in the Hastings schools is spending his vacation at his home here.

Mrs. Victor Hawkins entertained a company of 12 ladies at a one o'clock luncheon last Thursday.

Milton Ward and wife entertained H. B. Ward and wife, and W. M. Ward of Detroit over July 4th.

Mrs. A. J. Marvin and daughter Lorraine of Michigan State Normal School spent Saturday and Sunday at their home here.

C. C. Rodlam and wife, Mrs. Arthur G. Wells and A. H. Rodlam are visiting relatives in Detroit, Pontiac and Clarkston.

The annual picnic of the Jonesville Culture club will be held at the home of Mrs. Edith Shepard of Litchfield Tuesday afternoon July 7.

Mrs. Fannie Dauhousen entertained the Wednesday 500 club last week. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Richard Varnum.

Jerome

Ora Terrill of Prattville visited at the home of Clifford Burr Monday.

Herb McCourtie of Jackson has been visiting Jay Chandler and wife

Edward Brayton entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown of Chelsea Sunday.

Mrs. Harry McClanahan and Mrs Claud Greening have been on the sick list.

Frank Dingee and mother of Jackson visited Mrs. M. H. Morris Wednesday.

Mrs. Julia Potter visited Sunday in Wheatland with her brother Bert Trumble.

Mrs. George Elliott and children of Detroit are visiting at the home of Marion Hart.

Murl Mcrehead and wife entertained relatives from Battle Creek over the week end.

Dr. Clapp and Rev. Scott visited Sunday afternoon at the home of R. R. Frantz and family.

Clark Baker and wife of Jonesville were visitors at the home of Leon Walworth and family Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hammons and childen has been visiting at the home of George Miller and wife in Jackson.

I. W. Wertenberger and family entertained his uncles James and Wilson Wertenberger of Monroe Saturday.

Eugene Kies and wife of Oakland California have been visiting Lem Kies and wife and Ira Wertenberger and wife.

Dr. H. F. Clapp of Albion and Mrs. Eugene Kies of California spoke at the church Sunday evening. The sacrament was administered later in the evening.

Mrs. Mary McGregor has returned from Reading where she has been spending several weeks with her daughter Mrs. Barre. Mrs. Lily Tully returned home with Mrs. Mc Gregor.

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Sunday as follows: H. A. Voorhees and family of Hanover, Chas Harper and family of Marshall, A. O. Hart and family of Jackson, Mrs George Elliott and children of Detroit.

Mrs. T. W. Tryon entertained at informal luncheon Sunday in honor of Ethel VanAken of Jackson as follows: Ransom Sawdey, Nettie Sawdey, Thos Brayton, Alonzo Bascom, T. C. and C. F. Tryon, Dorothy Ward, Genevieve Tryon, Chas McGee and Eula Bucklin. Sandwiches, ice cream and cake were served.

J. J. Blaine, governor of Wisconsin is an individual who does not play at the game of following the leader or of following the crowd merely because he thinks it will be popular to do so. Blaine is the only governor in this country who declined to accept the suggestion of President Coolidge that he call out the military units of the state to parade around the streets of the various cities in a militaristic jingoistic attitude on the 4th of July. There are those who believe that these parades will frighten other nations into an attitude of respect for this country but such believers are poorly acquainted with the deeds and misdeeds of the past for it is a fact of history that marching armies never were a symbol of peace but rather a symbol of war and marching armies produce hatred, jealousy and fear among the nations of the earth. If a man carries a revolver around in his pocket it is a sign that he intends to use it and if a nation gets into the habit of gun toting our conclusions must be the same. The American Legion the G. A. R., the K. K. K. and the womans clubs of the country are behind these sword waving moments but Christ said "They who take the sword shall perish by the sword."

Town Line

Eugene Gamble is repairing his barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Crego, Mesdames Beecher and Powers were Sunday guests of Abner Jennings and wife.

Glen Baker and family of Toledo spent the fourth of July with Eugene Gamble and wife. Mr. Baker will move from Toledo next week to his fathers farm on Town Line and sure the neighbors will welcome them as of yore.

Thelma Horton was home from Hillsdale the 4th.

School meeting at Viele school house next Monday night.

Zerald Horton and wife of Blissfield were guests of his people the 4th.

Charles Bradley has been doing some inside work for Mrs. Carrie Jennings.

Frank Anson is painting his house, Arthur Smith of Moscow is doing the work.

Grover Mallory and family of Toledo spent the 4th with Eugene Gamble and wife.

Clarence Jennings and family spent Sunday at the Morehouse cottage at Goose Lake.

Eugene Culbert and wife visited at the George Bundy home in Pitts ford one day last week.

Ray Fast and wife are enjoying the new Radiola which they drew with the lucky ticket for the benefit of the American Legion.

Frank Crego and wife of Ionia spent the week end with Mrs. Joe Beecher, they returned home Tuesday morning.

Howard Wells was a fortunate man at not getting badly hurt with his auto. He and his family had been to Addison to do some shopping. In coming to a crossing another car came along and didn't dim their lights.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a special primary election will be held in the Township of Adams, County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan at the township hall in the village of North Adams in said township on Tuesday July 21st, A. D. 1925 from 7:00 a. m. until 5:00 p.m. on the above date for the purpose of nominating by direct vote a candidate by each of the several political parties for Representative in Congress at Washington D. C. from the Third Congressional District of Michigan to fill vacancy caused by the death of Hon. Arthur B. Williams, whose term of office would have expired on the 4th day of March 1927

Dated June 20, A. D. 1925

Frank W. Holcomb
Township Clerk 5t3

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He is an ardent supporter of President Coolidge and the Coolidge program of economy, tax-reduction, and common sense in government.

His candidacy comes from the fine faith and enthusiastic confidence of men and women of every class—laborers, farmers, factory men, business men, and the women of the homes—who know "Joe" Hooper and pledge you their faith in him as a man to depend on in public service and to keep the record of the third congressional district high in Washington.

A vote for Hooper at the primary July 21 is a vote for YOUR interests, as a citizen, in good government.

Hooper for Congress Committee

—Political Advertising.

Central Moscow

Fred Kies was in Findlay Ohio the week end.

Earl Parks and aunt visited at Chas Kies Friday.

Zada Begal is visiting Mrs. John Adams for a week.

Andrew Richards was in Jonesville Tuesday on business.

Earl Studevant and family visited Comstock Park Saturday.

Earl Sturdevant and wife were callers at Fred Carpenters Friday.

Facelia Carpenter was home Sunday to visit her parents Fred Carpenter and wife.

Mrs. Parks returned home Friday from Jackson where she had been visiting her son Ed.

Mrs. Leah Donihue and children of Chicago and her aunt Mrs. Jennie Mallory of Jonesville were callers at John Adams Tuesday.

Noxious Weed Notice

To Owners, Possessors or Occupiers of lands, or any person or persons' firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state,

Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing on any lands within the township of Adams, county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan or within the limits of any highway passing by or thru such lands, must be cut down and destroyed on or before the 15th day of July, A. D. 1925.

Failure to comply with this notice on or before the date mentioned, or within ten days thereafter shall make the parties so failing, liable for the cost of cutting the same and an additional levy of ten per centum of such cost, to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner a other taxes are levied and collected, Dated July 1, 1925.

Ernest L. Burd, Commissioner of Highways, Township of Adams, County of Hillsdale. 5t2

(Received last week)

Eleanor Post called at John Adams Friday last.

Lucile Post visited her friends in Hillsdale the week end.

Mrs. Lee Kies and baby visited her parents at Jerome Saturday.

Andrew Richards and daughter Zella were in Hillsdale one day last week.

Mrs. John Adams and Kate Burger was callers at Chas Kies Tuesday.

Allen Kies visited his parents also Lee of Jackson, Chas Kies and wife.

Fred Carpenter and family were in Jackson Saturday last to visit their daughter Lucile and family.

Kate Burger and granddaughters Catherine and Lucile Kimball of Toledo is visiting at John Adams for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Faucher and their friends of Hillsdale visited Mrs Eleanor Post and father L. L. Sloan Saturday night at Moscow.

H. T. Adams and family of Allen visited his parents John Adams and wife also her neice Mrs. Bernie Brail and family of Pulaski recently

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J. W. Losey, Village Marshal

Lawrence Kempton and family of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, came here last week and are visiting relatives.

Fred Lamb, wife and daughter Thelma, of Goshen, Indiana, have been recent guests at the Theldon Lamb home here.

AUCTION BILLS

Printed at this Office while you wait

It is quite important that people coming to North Adams from a distance to get Auction Bills should be able to get the work at once and take it away with them. This is what we aim to do, and if you will call the Advocate on the telephone we can so arrange the matter. You furnish the copy we do the rest. Bills are necessary for stores.

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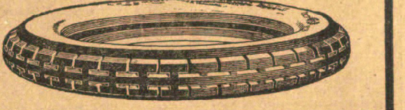

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Local News

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Miss Rosene Baker was a visitor in Toledo Ohio on Monday.

The city of Flint will build 30 miles of concrete sidewalk during 1925.

C. W. Bleech and wife were in Toledo for a week end visit with relatives.

Mrs. Harry Reed of Royal Oak is here for a visit at the home of her son Clifford.

Mrs. Mary Crater of Wheatland has been visiting at the home of her son Cleve Crater.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel motored to Quincy and spent the week end with friends there.

Lawyer Fast and wife of Big Rapids were week end guests of Frank Painter and wife.

Lewis Thompson of Hillsdale and family were in North Adams Monday afternoon on business.

The furniture store of H. C. Young, also his barn in this village have been given new paint this week.

The Winmore class of the Congregational Sunday school enjoyed a picnic supper at Devils Lake on Thursday.

R. C. Young and family are enjoying an outing for the week at a lake near Pontiac. They expect to return Saturday.

A. J. Pendell and wife spent a part of last week at the home of their son Ben while the family visited relatives in Northern Michigan.

Notice— Telephone bills for the ensuing six months are now due and payable at VanAken's Barber Shop, and please remember we'd like to see you early. 7t3

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and daughter BonElla of Jackson spent Saturday night and part of Sunday with Mrs. Bailey's brother Fred Rumsey and family.

Most of the farmers hereabouts have changed their faces since the recent rains. When it comes to face shorteners there is nothing compared to a couple of soaking showers after a dry time.

Bernis Elton Gelder and Miss Marvel Fern Crisp were united in marriage at the Congregational parsonage Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Virgil A. Hunt officiated. The young people will make their home at Jonesville.

Manassah Kempton and wife accompanied their son Lawrence and family back to Mt. Vernon Ohio on Sunday for a visit of a couple of weeks. J. E. Kempton and family will motor to Mt. Vernon about that time to bring back their parents

The concert given by the Epworth League Choir of the North Adams Methodist church Friday evening last at Jonesville was a very successful affair from all standpoints. The musical selections were much enjoyed by a well filled house Frank Perkins rendered a solo which was much appreciated.

Charles Blanchard and wife of Columbus Ohio formerly of this vicinity spent Sunday with his sister Mrs. A. Doolittle and son Floyd Mr. Blanchard had just returned from a visit to Galesburg with his mother Mrs. Samuel Blanchard who is quite poorly. She is 82 years of age. Charles is an attorney at Columbus Ohio and has been on a law case in Kentucky and expects to go to Washington D. C. on the same business.

The other day we picked up a Jackson paper and right there in print it said "Harold Shults married to a young lady in Pontiac." Then we looked again. Sure, that's what it said. After recovering from the shock we investigated and found it wasn't our Harold at all but another of the same name in Jackson, and our chances for an interesting item had gone aft-agley. There are so many people over there toting local people's names, we wonder how it all comes about. They should get a license if they want to cop our names.

We are reliably informed that Henry Ford is now perfecting plans for a new car which he will issue somewhere about August 1st. He will equip this car with sliding transmission, longer wheel base, lower body and make it like a real car. We do not think he will change the world famous Ford engine because there is no use trying to improve this little triumph of his genius. Henry knows how to make 'em and it is common now to see a Ford engine pounding away when the body and wheels have long since been gathered to their fathers. Quite frequently we see specimens of the first Model T Ford running about our highways today which is something you never will be able to say of any other make of car.

JOSEPH L. HOOPER

of Battle Creek, candidate at the primaries for Representative on the Republican ticket, to succeed Arthur B. Williams, accompanied by Paul Chase, was in North Adams on Wednesday and made the Advocate a friendly call. He is a clean-cut gentleman and says he is strong for enforcement of the Volstead law.

Will Taylor, New York Life Insurance agent of Hillsdale was in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Strodbeck and little daughter Grace of Cleveland spent the week end with Murel Owen.

Mrs. Thomas Caldwell (nee Majorgia Knowles) of Springport spent a part of Tuesday and Wednesday with Miss Donna Lynch.

The following were guests at the home of Fred Rock and wife this week: George Rock of Chicago, Fred Rock and family of Racine Wisconsin, Darrel Rock and family of Flint, Claude Reed and wife of Hawk's Sunshine Review show troupe.

The regular meeting of Alpha Chapter O. E. S. occurred on Tuesday evening last at the Hall and a very good social time was had with refreshments. Three candidates were received into the lodge: Misses Ruth Williams, Frances Young and Mrs. Alice Taylor.

A party of five surveyors are engaged this week in this vicinity running a route for the Commonwealth Power Company of Jackson from Cement City to Hillsdale via North Adams. We sure will be glad to see the new electric line completed as we need better service.

The third division of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church will give a supper at the church at 6:30 Tuesday evening July 21st. The menu will be creamed potatoes deviled eggs, rolls, pickles, fruit salad, cookies, cottage cheese, ice cream and cake, iced tea. Price 35 cents.

The regular meeting of the Adams Township Boys and Girls Clubs to be held Friday evening, July 17, at the Grange Hall will call promptly at 7:30. Refreshments of cake and sandwiches will be served. The girls will furnish cake and the boys will furnish sandwiches. All members come! A good time is promised

Lucile VanWert. Secretary,

The Daily News says that 7,500 Klansmen formed the nucleus of the crowd in Hillsdale on Saturday from Northern Indiana, Ohio and southern Michigan and a large number paraded the streets in robes with a fife and drum corps and plenty of emblems of their belief. We believe there is a law in some states prohibiting secret orders parading in public in full regalia but it don't go in Michigan. They say a good Catholic business man discovered himself in the parade before he knew it. He might be in worse deals.

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Sunday school immediately following this service to which you are all cordially invited.

Everybody whether a church member or not, is invited to attend the Community Sunday school picnic Friday July 24 at Devils Lake. Fill your lunch basket and lets go.

NOTE: There will be an important meeting of the church and S.S. board at the church parlors Monday evening July 20. Every member is urged to be present at this meeting. Several important matters to be discussed.

Church at 10:30 and Sunday school at 11:45.

You are welcome at all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. Reiser, Pastor

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methotdis Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

For Rent—Good barn in the heart of this village suitable for automobile. Inquire at this office.

Notice!

Please set out your milk bottles each morning. My supply is running short. A. C. Haight 6t2

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J. W. Losey, Village Marshal

The Picnic Day Observance

We, the undersigned, agree to close onr places of business on Friday July 24th, from 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. this being the day of the Community Sunday school picnic at Devils Lake.

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Ray Barber
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Mrs. Ettie Corey
Sharp & Son

Notice To Property Owners

On account of the numerous diseases both contageous and infectious, which are carried by flies, it is ordered that all outdoor toilets not cleaned this season, shall be attended to at once. Any person desiring information on installation of sanitary indoor closet can get it from the Board of Health.

By order of Village Council
7t2

Harry Hayhoe and wife spent Wednesday with his brother and family at Leslie.

The Friendship Club will meet with Mrs. Nellie Foster on Friday July 17th, for an afternoon meeting.

We wish to call the attention of our readers to the double quarter advertisement of Simpson and Simpson Battery and Tire dealers of Hillsdale in this issue who have secured space in our much read paper for six months and they propose to make the people of this vicinity sit up and take notice of the bargains in batteries and tires which they are prepared to offer from time to time. These enterprising gentlemen have taken over the Riverside garage Jonesville and Ely Wilkinson Co. at Litchfield and are prepared to get you coming or going. In any of these places you will be assured of the best possible attention and courteous deals. When in Jonesville, Litchfield or Hillsdale drop in and test it out. You know 'em.

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Persons who still are fearful of traveling in airplanes might well examine recently issued statistics of the army air service, says Popular Science Monthly. Between the fall of 1922 and the spring of this year army fliers have covered almost 700,000 miles over the model airways system without a single death. About 700 passengers have been carried, and 60,000 pounds of express matter. There have been 15 crashes in this period, but only one man has been injured.

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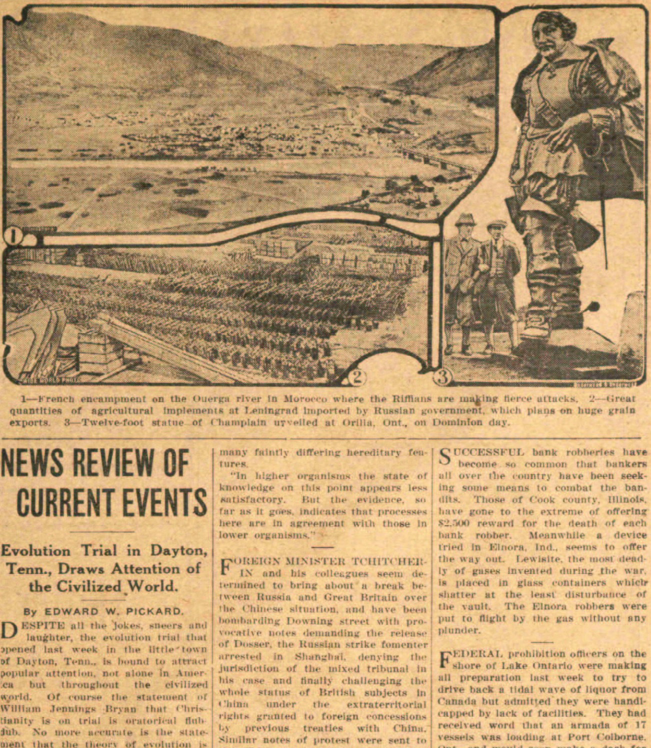

1—French encampment on the Ouerga river in Morocco where the Riffians are making fierce attacks. 2—Great quantities of agricultural implements at Leningrad imported by Russian government, which plans on huge grain exports. 3—Twelve-foot statue of Champlain unveiled at Orillia, Ont., on Dominion day.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Evolution Trial in Dayton, Tenn., Draws Attention of the Civilized World.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

DESPITE all the jokes, sneers and laughter, the evolution trial that opened last week in the little town of Dayton, Tenn., is bound to attract popular attention, not alone in America but throughout the civilized world. Of course the statement of William Jennings Bryan that Christianity is on trial is oratorical flubdub. No more accurate is the statement that the theory of evolution is on trial. But if the peple read understandingly the evidence to be offered by experts, many thousands of them will learn that their former conception of that theory was utterly mistaken. Mr. Bryan, two days before the case was called, said publicly that the Tennessee anti-evolution law "simply prohibits the evolutionists from using the public schools for the purpose of substituting their kind of religion for the religion of the masses." This did not please the counsel for the defense, who seek to make the constitutionality of the law the main issue and religion secondary. Prof. John R. Neal, senior counsel for Scopes, said:

"We regard Mr. Bryan's speech as the most remarkable utterance ever made by a lawyer just before his entrance into a trial of a criminal case. His speech comes as a challenge to the defense not to confine the test of the anti-evolution law to the existing limitation of the constitution of Tennessee or even the United States, but, instead, to put on trial the truth or lack of truth of the theory of evolution; the conflict or lack of conflict between science and religion, having demonstrated, as he apparently expects to do, at least to his own satisfaction, that evolution is untrue and that it is destructive to Christianity."

Mr. Bryan's arrival in Dayton was made the occasion for a great demonstration. He was greeted as a hero, escorted to his temporary home by a long parade and banqueted by the leading club of the village, before which he did a lot of advance arguing of the Scopes case. The attorneys for the defense and some of their experts—scientists and ministers—also arrived in the town. But Bainbridge Colby, who was to be associated with Professor Neal, Clarence Darrow, Dudley Field Malone and Arthur Garfield Hays in the defense, telegraphed that he was detained by a case in New York. He may show up later if his services are needed. Earlier in the week the defense made a somewhat perfunctory attempt to get from Federal Judge Gore in Cookeville, Tenn., an injunction to halt the trial, citing the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution. The judge denied the petition on the ground that he had no power to interfere with state courts except in bankruptcy proceedings, that the allegations were insufficient and that he was not in the district where the alleged offense was committed. Needless to say, this ruling was a great relief to Dayton.

Perhaps fresh ammunition for the Scopes defense is provided in a newly published report of biological researches at Johns Hopkins, in which it is stated that Dr. Herbert Spencer Jennings, director of the biological laboratory, is the first man "actually to see and control the process of evolution among living things." According to the report:

"The evidence of evolution had been read in the rocks and the structures of plants and animals, but under the microscope Doctor Jennings was able to follow evolution not as a theory but as a thing that was actually taking place."

"Intensified study," Doctor Jennings declares, "reveals that the hereditary characteristics do become changed by external conditions. Through such diversities, continuing for great numbers of generations, single stocks, uniform in their hereditary characteristics, gradually differentiate into many faintly differing hereditary features.

"In higher organisms the state of knowledge on this point appears less satisfactory. But the evidence, so far as it goes, indicates that processes here are in agreement with those in lower organisms."

FOREIGN MINISTER TCHITCHERIN and his colleagues seem determined to bring about a break between Russia and Great Britain over the Chinese situation, and have been bombarding Downing street with provocative notes demanding the release of Dosser, the Russian strike fomenter arrested in Shanghai, denying the jurisdiction of the mixed tribunal in his case and finally challenging the whole status of British subjects in China under the extraterritorial rights granted to foreign concessions by previous treaties with China. Similar notes of protest were sent to the Chinese government by Moscow. This straining of relations, coupled with a row between Germany and Russia over the arrest and sentence to death of some German students who were convicted of being anti-soviet plotters, gave rise to fears that widespread hostilities might break out shortly. But the British cabinet took things calmly and Foreign Minister Chamberlain somewhat reassured anxious members of parliament by stating that the government was not preparing to break off relations with Russia. He added, however, that it was closely watching the current of events, and reiterated a previous assertion that the government "must retain liberty of action."

The Reds overlook no opportunity to stir up trouble. When a British fleet visited Oslo, Norway, last week the Communists there appealed to the members of the crews, urging them to "rise in revolt rather than to obey your government if you are ordered to make war on Russia."

From Riga comes a story that Great Britain has asked Germany to publish all the documents in connection with the German general staff's transporting of Lenin and his aids from Switzerland in 1917 and to disclose the amount of money paid them to stage the Bolshevik revolution. Moscow is said to be much worried by this, fearing the disclosures would seriously weaken the authority of the Communist party and the prestige of the Soviet government.

Russia also is becoming involved in new difficulties with Poland. Recently there have been a number of attacks by Russian soldiers on Polish frontier posts, and more than two hundred Soviet emissaries have been arrested in eastern Poland within a few days.

IT BEGINS to look as if France would have to send hundreds of thousands of troops to Morocco as reinforcements, if Abd-el-Krim is to be stopped—and maybe even that would not do it. The Riffian leader, who calls himself sultan of Morocco, has been making a series of fierce attacks on the French line between Taza and Fez and his troops are not far from the latter city, his main objective. His propaganda among the tribes hitherto friendly to the French is taking effect and some of them have joined his standard, while others have been disarmed by the French. Should Krim be able to take Fez and overthrow Sultan Muley Youssef there would almost certainly be a general uprising throughout Morocco in favor of the Riff leader. Realizing this, Marshal Lyautey is hurrying tanks, artillery, cavalry and machine guns to the line north of the capital to hold Krim back until reinforcements arrive from France. Premier Painleve has said the Riffians are aided by Turkish and German officers, and now a government newspaper in Paris gives details of the German, Russian and Turkish intrigues in the Riff. Among other things, it says 100 Moslem officers from Batum were landed secretly on the Riff coast not long ago from a Turkish ship. Spain and France have agreed on a combined land blockade of the Riff war zone to supplement the sea blockade, and also have reached an accord on political co-operation in Morocco. They will offer Krim autonomy in the Riff under a Spanish protectorate. Gen. Stanislaus Naulin has been made French commander-in-chief in Morocco.

SUCCESSFUL bank robberies have become so common that bankers all over the country have been seeking some means to combat the bandits. Those of Cook county, Illinois, have gone to the extreme of offering $2,500 reward for the death of each bank robber. Meanwhile a device tried in Elnora, Ind., seems to offer the way out. Lewisite, the most deadly of gases invented during the war, is placed in glass containers which shatter at the least disturbance of the vault. The Elnora robbers were put to flight by the gas without any plunder.

FEDERAL prohibition officers on the shore of Lake Ontario were making all preparation last week to try to drive back a tidal wave of liquor from Canada but admitted they were handicapped by lack of facilities. They had received word that an armada of 17 vessels was loading at Port Colborne, Ont., and would soon make a dash for the United States with cargoes valued at more than $250,000. The chief enforcement agent at Buffalo said his men could do nothing until the liquor was landed.

By order of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews, there will be no more speechmaking by women prohibition agents designed as educational efforts to create sentiment in favor of enforcement.

THOMAS LEE WOOLWINE, whose name was familiar throughout the country a few years ago when he was district attorney of Los Angeles, Cal., is dead at his home in Los Angeles. He was prosecutor in the sensational trials of Madalynne Obenchain, accused of the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, and for a long time he was a prominent figure in California politics.

BECAUSE of its "inability to comply with the provisions of the Capper-Volstead act, under which it was incorporated," the Grain Marketing company, that ambitious co-operative enterprise which took over several large grain companies of the Middle West, is to liquidate and dissolve. The properties and business contributed by the component concerns will be returned to them and already two of them, the Armour Grain company and Rosenbaum Bros., have been readmitted to membership in the Chicago Board of Trade clearing house and will resume trading. The Grain Marketing company, it was announced, would pay its bank debt and other indebtedness as it matures.

"The plan to sell the properties to the farmers was too ambitious," said Emanuel F. Rosenbaum, export director of the concern. "There was considerable doubt as to whether the properties were worth $16,000,000. There isn't much doubt that some of the elevator values were inflated."

Directly resulting from the non-success of this enterprise came the failure of the big Chicago and New York brokerage house of Dean, Onativia & Company, which handled the Rosenbaum stock in the concern. It went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of approximately $35,000,000, but it was believed the net loss would not exceed $5,000,000. Creditors of the company and bankers made a determined effort last week to rehabilitate it.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE plans to spend some of his vacation time in trying to develop a farm legislation program that will satisfy all groups and stand a chance of getting through congress next winter. He has invited a number of Middle West senators, representatives and farm experts to confer with him at White Court. One of the first of these to visit the President will be Senator Curtis of Kansas.

SPEAKING of grain and farming, it is interesting to read that the rulers of soviet Russia are planning to export immense quantities of grain from that country next winter, despite the near-famine that prevails every year in various districts. With that end in view the authorities have been importing a vast deal of agricultural implements and are encouraging the farmers to raise large crops. However, the peasants may hang back for they do not relish the way in which the government takes their grain at fixed prices.

Figures Show Europe Returning to Normal

Washington.—The splendid financial, economic and commercial improvement noted in Europe enabled that group of countries to increase their purchases from the United States by $212,000,000 during the first five months of 1925, over the corresponding months in 1924, according to figures made public by the Department of Commerce. Imports to the United States from Europe increased $64,000,000 during the same period.

"Our exports to Europe during the early months of this year amounted to $1,127,366,000, more than a $200,000,000 increase over the corresponding five months of 1924, when they reached valuations of $915,222,000, or a gain of 4 per cent," said the report.

"Total United States shipments abroad during the time under discussion amounted to $2,055,160,000, as against $1,782,734,000 during the 1924 five months' period. Thus it is seen that our increased shipments to Europe accounted for 55 per cent of our exports to the whole world.

"In addition our purchases from European countries for the same period, making up 29 per cent of our total world imports, showed an increase of $63,930,000, or 15 per cent, in totaling $503,974,000, compared with $440,044,000 for the earlier period.

"In the case of Great Britain the steady improvement of the pound sterling, with an absolute absence of widespread fluctuations, advanced our trade with that country."

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Cadillac—This city is placed definitely in the 12,000 population class by the latest estimates furnished by the school census, recently completed. Every ward shows a gain over last year

Iron Mountain—Another state police post for the upper peninsula is to be established in this city, according to a plan under consideration by the state department of public safety. Captain Downing said this county would serve as a central point for policing four other counties.

Lansing—A proposal by the National Guard that the state purchase of the Manistee and Northeastern railroad was turned down by the administrative board. The M. & N. E. is seeking to abandon its lines. It was pointed out the spur is needed to provide rail access to the National Guard Camp.

Big Rapids—A 30-foot power dam will be constructed on the Muskegon River About one mile north of Paris, it is announced by W. H. Allswede, of Hersey. The new dam will supply farmers and towns in this territory with power. A corporation will be formed with a capital of $1,000,000 according to present plans.

Muskegon—"Krip," a bull dog, gave his life in protecting Miss Mable Hilt, its owner, at the Hilt summer camp near Grand Haven. A big rattlesnake entered the camp and while Charles Hilt, a brother of Mable, ran for a club, the dog gave battle and killed the snake. The dog was bitten, however, and died a few hours later.

Port Huron—This city faces a suspension of street car service as the result of an ultimatum delivered by the receivers of the Detroit United Railway, which owns and operates the city electric railway company. The ultimatum states that unless the company is permitted to increase its fares from five to seven cents a ride it will suspend.

Manistee—Charles J. DeLand, secretary of state, has ordered the sale of automobile licenses from the office of Arnold T. Graves, missing Manistee County Treasurer, discontinued indefinitely. In the meantime state officials and county officers are making a check of the books in Graves' office to determine whether or not there is a shortage.

Battle Creek—A 140,000 volt transmission line, one of the main arteries of the Consumers' Power Co., and one of the highest voltage cables in the state, broke near Bellevue, causing wire fences to become charged with electricity for a distance of two miles, stunned two men nearly a mile away, killed two head of cattle and started a fire that destroyed 20 acres of hay.

Kalamazoo—Because he mistook Kalamazoo for Detroit, Joseph Jakerboske, of Hamtramck, spent several hours in the Kalamazoo County jail. He was arrested by an officer wandering about the streets looking for a "Michigan Car." He told Sheriff Borden that he had fallen asleep on a train from Chicago and awakening here believed he was in Detroit. He was put on an eastbound train and sent to his destination.

Ypsilanti—One hundred students short of the enrollment of the summer session of a year ago has been reported by President Charles McKenney, of the Michigan State Normal College. The falling off is due, the president states, to the fact that only 200 students are enrolled in the six weeks course, which is the minimum required by state law of teachers in rural schools. This is the last year that the six weeks minimum is permitted.

Ypsilanti—About $70,000 damage was done to the Detroit Edison power plant at Superior, a few miles from here, when lightning struck the building. Light service in Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and neighboring towns was cut off for two hours until an emergency crew of 50 men were able to establish temporary cutovers. Although the building was partially demolished, no one was hurt, as the two men in charge of the plant at the time, had just started outside to watch the storm.

Ann Arbor—Pouring of concrete has started on Michigan's single building of the present year, the structure to house the Thomas H. Simpson memorial institute. Plans call for the completion of the building in 1926. The structure, which will house the first distinctly research unit connected with the medical school of the University of Michigan, will be 71 by 40 feet, four stories and a sub-basement. The original plans called for a brick structure but final plans call for an Indiana lime stone building.

Manistee—Pennies and nickels saved through the schools savings system by pupils of Manistee public schools during the past four years now total $3,975, according to an announcement at the close of the school year. Though eighth graders, upon graduation, separate their accounts from the schol system, the total amount of savings is growing annually and is becoming a real course in thrift for the city's children. The greatest individual account totals $137.05, but most of them are much smaller.

Port Huron—The Port Huron city commission has a problem in public utility service, which appears difficult to settle, in connection with the request of the Detroit Edison company, owners of the Port Huron gas works, for permission to reduce the standard of gas from 600 B.T.U. to 530. The city charter gives the commission the right to grant an increase in rates but the right to change the standard, which in this case will be a practical increase in price, will likely be referred to the public utilities commission or to a general city election.

Bay City—Damage estimated by the owner at between $150,000 and $175,000 was caused by fire in a furniture store here.

Grand Rapids—A friend's story caused Ford Curtis, a barber, to laugh so hard that he dislocated his jaw. The jaw was placed in its normal position at Butterworth hospital.

Traverse City—Cherry pickers have taken to the orchards, officially opening the cherry harvest in Grand Traverse region. Some of the local canning plants are handling the early fruit, but much of the sweet crop is being shipped.

Lansing—The State Administrative Board authorized the military department to accept a bid for the construction of an addition to the Benton Harbor armory. The price was $24,000, with an additional $1,000 for architects fees.

Grand Rapids—Awakened by two strangers who demanded $2,000, Agnello Giacomo, a factory worker, was made the target of a dozen revolver shots when he slammed down his bedroom window in front of them. He was not hit. The men escaped.

Jackson—By a consolidation which has been effected between the Jackson, Majestic and Rex theater companies and the W. S. Butterfield organization of Michigan theaters, the Butterfield booking offices will be in control of three of Jackson's largest theater houses.

Lansing—The Wabash Railroad desires to absorb the Ann Arbor Railroad to acquire Great Lakes car ferry facilities and to link the Michigan territory tapped by the Ann Arbor with its own system, according to a petition received by the Public Utilities Commission.

Albion—Mrs. Kate Bromeling, Albion's first woman justice of the peace, had her first criminal cases as the result of three arrests made over the Fourth. Justice Bromeling fined two who pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, $50 and revoked their licenses for 90 days. Another was fined $10 on a drunk charge.

Iron Mountain—Operations at the Traders mine, idle for two years, will be resumed by the Hoose & Person Construction Co., who have obtained a 15-year lease on the property from the Keweenaw Land Co. Thirty men will be employed. The company has a contract for 10,000 tons of ore and another for 20,000 is pending.

Warren—Twenty thousand persons are estimated to have attended the annual homecoming picnic, sponsored by the Warren Community Club here the Fourth. A parade, races, a ball game in which Centerline won from Warren, a tug of war between these two towns, dancing and fireworks comprised the program. No accidents were reported.

Battle Creek—An alligator, 42 inches long, was the surprising catch of William Storey, a local angler. He was fishing on Mill Lake, between Battle Creek and Hastings, when he noticed something in the water which he at first mistook for a turtle. He rigged up a fish line with several hooks and landed the alligator. It gave battle, flaying its tail furiously, he said.

Ionia—Grand river, especially that stretch of it which crosses the entire width of Ionia county, is just now about as near a dusty stream as it ever was with the rainfall for the year showing a shortage of seven inches. Many of the feeding creeks and rivulets have dried up entirely, wells and cisterns have gone dry and the year has proven one of disastrous aridness.

Battle Creek—The body of William E. Porter, 35 years old, wealthy glass manufacturer of Fort Smith, Ark., who disappeared from the sanitarium June 27, was found in a field three miles north of Battle Creek. Indications are that Porter committed suicide by slashing his wrist with a knife. Porter is said to have threatened to end his life, following a recent nervous breakdown.

Detroit—Within two or three years a large fleet of trans-atlantic freighters may be plying between Detroit and foreign ports. The maiden ship arrived in the city bringing a cargo of steel rails from Antwerp. She is the steamer Anders, belonging to the Lane company of New York City. At the Hotel Tuller, Frank Lane, president of the concern, stated that his company was prepared to bring to Detroit the European imports the city needed and would carry its exports abroad

Lansing—Both state and federal supreme court decisions will be sought on the validity of the Michigan statute of 1923 prohibiting an owner from fishing on posted property where other persons are barred, according to John Baird, director of the state department of conservation. Baird's department obtained a warrant for the arrest of Frank Collins, Toledo sportsman, who fished on his land in Lake county after he had posted it to keep other persons from enjoying similar privileges.

Fremont—A new trial is in prospect for Mrs. Alice Dudgeon, once convicted of the murder of her son-in-law, Romie Hodell, and once the victim of a jury disagreement in a second trial. William J. Branstrom, former Newaygo county prosecutor, who prosecuted both cases against Mrs. Dudgeon, said that he could not consent to an order of nolle prosequi, dismissing the charges against Mrs. Dudgeon, in the light of her first conviction and the fact that the jury in the second trial stood eight to four for conviction again.

Whitehall—Whitehall and Montague merchants have tons of food on their hands and are wondering what to do with it. At the same time the White Lake Chamber of Commerce and Mississippi Valley Power Boat Association Regatta are figuring their losses. From the attendance standpoint the regatta was a failure. The big grandstand was practically empty during the three days of racing, while merchants who stocked up with supplies of food were asking people to eat more to aid in relieving the surplus.

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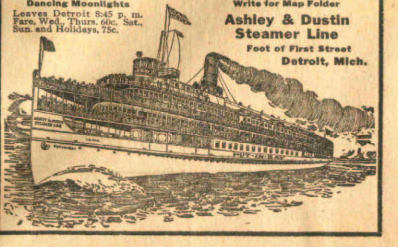

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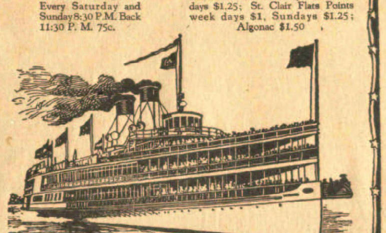

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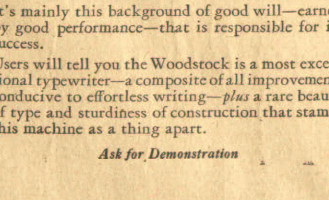

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What To Do in Explosions

A good many of our readers are bothered with unforseen accidents at times such as the explosion of gasoline or kerosene or a lamp. At such times it is hard to decide on the spur of the moment what one should do. We have in mind a certain time when a man was using a common gasoline blow torch, an old one which had become weak in the joints. He had it ignited and was pumping in the compressed air when a seam suddenly opened and the can exploded throwing gasoline all over the man. Under ordinary conditions one would suppose there was a strong likelihood of the man being burned to a crisp But exactly the opposite thing happened. The force of the explosion blew out the flame and extinguished it instantly. On the same principle a huge oil well in the southwest was saved. Through some mismanagement this well which was full of gas burst into a gigantic flame which roared for weeks higher than the derrick. Everything known to man was tried to put it out. They stationed big boilers near and forced live steam into the casing; they threw great quantities of mud and sand on the flame; they squirted tetrachloride a powerful chemical into the blaze and still it raged. Finally they decided to use dynamite. Bombs of this explosive were prepared and timed to explode and then they threw them into the blaze The terrific impact of the dynamite broke the flame into three sections; the top went up, the bottom went down into the casing and the middle was forced sideways, and the whole thing squelched instantly.

If your kerosene lamp explodes don't try to put it out with water. Get a blanket or a quilt and smother the blaze; absence of air will kill it. If the lamp overturned and bursts into flame, wrap a blanket or anything around it and throw it out doors even if you have to break a window—get it out. If your clothes are afire don't rush out doors—this is the worst thing you can do. Stay inside but wrap yourself in anything you can pick up.

The Scene Changes

The United States has entered upon another phase of the struggle for enforcement of the constitutional provision requiring prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes. This stage is that of vigorous federal action to enforce the law.

For several years the country has been drifting toward the situation which now confronts it. Beginning with the simple enactment of the constitutional amendment and the necessary enabling legislation there was a period of waiting for facts to reveal themselves. Federal and state officials divided responsibility and local officers waited for someone else to bring about enforcement.

What evils developed from that all of us know. Partial and spasmodic procedure favored the moon shiner, the smuggler and the bootlegger. Conditions of crime and lawlessness grew up which made many despair.

The new phase is one which promises to bring prohibition to its first actual test. Shutting off of a large part of the foreign supply decisive moves to make domestic distilling unprofitable and the prosecution of sellers of contraband liquor constitute a campaign which must be judged by its eventual results. If such methods cannot bring about the outlawing of liquor then it will be time to consider what the alternative may be.

The impetus for the whole movement comes from Washington and it may be deduced that it comes very largely from one man. Quite characteristically, that man is saying less than anyone else about what he is trying to accomplish.

Indian Magicians

Travelers to the Orient tell us that the magicians of India are probably the most expert manipulators of the mystic in the world. We have heard of the traveling magician whom one occasionally sees in Indian cities and who will apparently throw a coil of rope into the air anywhere and the rope will remain hanging from nothing; then he will require his assistants to climb this rope and disappear one after another into the ethereal space. We mistrust the relators have not given us the full story. We very much doubt that such a trick could be done in an open field with no trees or buildings of any kind.

Some have said "there is no sech derned thing ever done" but there is, and it is explained something like this; The magicians are never without a party of assistants which at times the spectator fails to see. The first thing the performer will do is to burn an incense which produces great clouds of smoke above the earth a few feet. He then throws up his coil of rope which has attached to the end two very fine strong wires and these wires are of considerable length. He is always near trees or buildings. Assistants in the trees or buildings catch these wires unseen by the crowd and stretch them across holding very tight. The rest of the trick is very easy; the boys climb the rope and follow the wires to the trees or buildings and disappear. Then again it is claimed that many of these magicians are powerful hypnotists and they can so influence a whole crowd of spectators to see things that actualiy don't exist. Whether it is one or the other, there is some mechanical explanation of the trick.

Co-Operation Is Good

Ever since the birth of Zion City, Illinois, founded by Alexander Dowie, we have been thoroughly convinced of the practicability of the experiment. Good old Benjamin Franklin (the printers' patron saint) in the days of Washington, made the timely remark that "a bundle of sticks can neither be bent nor broken" and like hundreds of his "Poor Richard" saws it is applicable to every-day philosophy.

We hope no one will construe this to mean we endorse Dowie's policies or his religious colony in common with the Benton Harbor whiskers and the notorious Holy Rollers of Chicago—far from it.

What we want to bring home with sledge hammer blows is the beauty of team work in villages and country-side communities. It is too bad that a few get the impression that town and country management goes only to the chosen ones who are born to rule, and no others need apply.

As we have read his history, Alexander Dowie, while a fanatical apostle of self aggrandizement, was nevertheless a shrewd business man of the old-fashioned type. He believed in co-operation to the extent of building up a great organization religiously, which had no peer in this country, Up to the time dissenters like Glenn Voliva rose against his management, Zion City prospered and became unique in history as the only one of its kind. Forced team work told the whole story and demonstrated the worth of co-operation. Zion became a self supporting community in the sense that everything they needed was made in the city. Dowieites were rich because their funds had been wisely handled. Nothing was lost or spent to gratify personal hobbies, Nothing went into forced improvements which the entire city did not need.

Thus, it will be seen, that team work pays in every kind of public effort. We hear a good deal about North Adams needing this and that in the way of improvements, which would cost the tax payers scads of money, and some one rises to remark that if we had fewer backsetters who practice knocking as a pastime, we could get our improvements. You bet this is true—we could get our improvements all right, and also get the corporation so badly in debt that our great grand-children would curse the day they were born, because they would be simply slaves chained to the wheel paying off the immense debts contracted by us. We don't believe in that kind of co-operation which is nothing more or less than the aggrandizement of the few at the expense of the many. We find there is a vast difference in co-operation. Some manufacturers build mammoth steam engines but always equip them with governors, lest they tear themselves to pieces. Just to illustrate how this works we might mention the fact that we needed a new street built; we got it, and the fellows who advocated a new street would have exceeded the speed limit, and built a concrete pavement just as enthusiastically, if the opposition had not held them down, because they had an exceedingly large following of the fellows who wanted something doing whether it amounted to anything or not.

On the contrary, if we needed a new fire engine or some new fire hose, which would make nobody a job and create very little disturbance, except at a fire, it is likely we would be lonesome—without co-operation.

A New Fruit for Us

At some time in the future, probably between 1935 and 1940, the masgosteen, the most famous fruit in the world, may make its commercial appearance upon the markets of the United States, says the United States Department of Agriculture. For many years it was thought that this fruit could not be cultivated outside the Asiatic Tropics, but experiments in the West Indies have proved that this is without foundation.

In the hope of providing a nucleus from which later may be developed orchards of sufficient size to supply northern markets with commercial quantities of the fruit, the department has recently sent several shipments of young trees to the Canal Zone, Costa Rica, and Honduras.

The mangosteen is unlike any fruit cultivated in the United States, and it can only be grown where the temperature never goes below 35° above zero. It is the size of the mandarin orange, deep purple, externally, with a thick, woody rind, Within are several segments of snow-white pulp of extremely delicate flavor. Because of its great delicacy and the difficulty of transporting the fruit long distances, Queen Victoria once offered a handsome reward to the first man who succeeded in placing a dish of mangosteens on her table at Buckingham Palace, but the reward was never won.

With the advent of refrigeration it has become possible to send the fruit north from the tropics without great difficulty. It seems unlikely that American markets will be supplied from Southern Asia however.

Poultry School Attracts 75

Final examinations were given Saturday to the 75 men and women enrolled in the second annual poultry and judging school during the week of July 6-11, at M. S. C. Many of those who took the course are poultry breeders and managers of Michigan hatcheries.

The course placed special emhasis on the production side of poultry, taking into account methods of culling, and judging of body comformations. Poultry leaders from the United States and Canada came to the college to give special lectures and conduct laboratory work. Those who successfully pass the examination will be given certificates.

Highlights of Radio Broadcasting

BROADCASTING FROM OUTSIDE THE STUDIO

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The long arm of broadcasting is reaching out further and further—both to gather the program and then to scatter it again. Although broadcasting is a young art, it has already changed radically from the conditions which the broadcast listeners of a few years ago can remember. In the early days of broadcasting, the programs all originated in the studio of the broadcasting station, and every artist or speaker had to come to the studio in order to send his message to the world. This was an inconvenient plan since it required that important persons and famous artists had to leave their homes or places of business and travel to the broadcasting station, wherever it might be located, and sometimes at an inconvenient hour. Nowadays broadcasting stations which are wisely planned are located at the musical and artistic center of their city, and this has made it easier for the performers to be at the station in person.

There are, however, many types of current events which should be broadcast, but which cannot be brought physically to the studio. For example, a theatrical performance or a musical comedy is generally unavailable for studio broadcasting. So also are church services, a dinner given to a world-famous celebrity, a great concert given outdoors or in an auditorium, meetings of legislative assemblies, athletic and sporting events, and the like. In other words, there are many occasions of intense interest to the broadcast listener which, nevertheless, are not transferable from their place of usual occurrence. Fortunately broadcasting has found the means of gathering them into the station and then scattering them to its million listeners in unimpaired form.

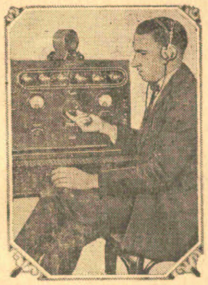
How Land Wires Aid the Studio Manager

The most common way of bringing the desired event to the broadcast station is by means of what is termed "wire line transfer" or, as it is sometimes called, "remote control." This consists in using a telephone line to connect the concert hall, for example, to the broadcasting station, and then sending the concert over the wire before broadcasting it. To do this, suitable pick-up transmitters have to be placed in the concert hall at carefully chosen locations. The music is picked up by these, and the corresponding telephone currents are amplified or strengthened by a "line amplifier." The line amplifier is a carefully designed vacuum tube amplifier, somewhat like that in a high-grade radio receiver except that extreme care is taken to maintain the quality of the music perfectly and to get a suitable amount of power out of the amplifier before sending the telephone currents over the wire from the concert hall to the broadcasting station. When these currents, which carry the music, arrive at the station they are again strengthened in the control room amplifiers of the station and are then used to control the radio telephone transmitter in just the same way as if the concert had taken place in the studio of the station. In other words, instead of controlling the radio telephone broadcasting transmitter by telephone currents coming over a short wire line from the studio at the station, it is controlled by currents which, when amplified suitably, have come over a long wire line from a distant hall. This is why the process is called wire line transfer of events originating at distant points, the transfer in question being from the distant auditorium to the broadcast station over a wire line.

Location of Microphone Vital Factor

It is very necessary to place the pick-up telephone transmitter in the concert hall with great care, the problem of a proper location for it being even more serious than in the studio at the station, where conditions are more readily controlled. If an orchestra is playing, the transmitter must be placed so that every instrument will be heard in just the right proportion of loudness and that the orchestra will stay "balanced" when its playing is reproduced for the listener. If a sermon is being broadcast, the preacher, the choir and the organ have to b submitted correctly, and this may require several pick-up transmitters skillfully placed and appropriately used by a supervising engineer. Theatrical performances are still more difficult to transmit because the actors move around the stage, do not face the transmitter except by accident, are interrupted by applause and by the frequently serious echoes which are found in theatres. Many hours of experimentation are generally required before an important event can be properly picked up for wire line transfer to the broadcasting station.

The line amplifier is a specially designed piece of equipment, as can be seen from the photograph of this article. This is the type of amplifier which was designed by the Research Department of the Radio Corporation for use at stations WJY, WJZ and WRC. The left hand box contains the batteries and some of the individual transmitter controls. The right hand box contains the tubes and amplifying apparatus as well as the important "gain control," which enables the supervising operator to regulate exactly the strength of the telephone currents which he places on the wire line to the broadcasting station. It also contains the "volume indicator," which is an instrument that visually indicates the strength of this same current and thus shows that the transfer is taking place correctly.



Line Amplifier Shown Above Strengthens Currents Flowing Between Distant Microphone and Control Room of WJZ

Exceptionally good wire lines must be used for this sort of work. If they are noisy or if they do not transmit all tones of whatever pitch equally, they will fail to give satisfaction.

The "Radio Relay"

There is another way of broadcasting outside events which is known as the "radio relay" method and which has been experimentally tried with considerable success. This involves sending the material from the concert hall, for example, to the broadcast station by radio on a special wave length and then receiving it at the broadcast station and automatically re-transmitting it on the usual wave length of the broadcasting station. More specifically a small radio transmitter working on the unusual wave length of say 100 meters is placed at the concert hall and sends out the concert. The average broadcast listener will not be able to receive this. But the broadcasting station will pick up this concert on an excellent receiver, amplify it in the control room amplifiers, and send it out again at full power at the usual wave of say 400 meters. This latter wave length will be readily received by the listeners. The radio relay method, which may be used more in the future for certain types of events, simply replaces the wire line from the concert hall to the studio by a radio telephone connection.

In this modern aspect, broadcasting not only flings out entertainment but also literally draws it in. From all points it takes the best and most entertaining material, draws it to the station by wire line transfer or radio relay, and then sends it out powerfully to an expectant audience. The outside event supervisors are literally musical "reporters" who cary their "news" to the station where it is published widespread for the benefit of the listeners.

What Does Radio Do for the Farmer?

In an address before a meeting of the leading agriculturists of the West, David Sarnoff catalogues the advantages of radio for the farmer as follows:

1. To relieve the farmer and his family from the sense of isolation which is perhaps the harshest handicap of agricultural life.
2. To broaden their social, spiritual and religious life.
3. To cope with class and sectional differences and develop greater national unity as between the farmer and other elements of our citizenship.
4. To make possible a system of agricultural colleges which will be open to all the 30,000,000 Americans who live on farms.
5. To aid in keeping the boys and girls on the farm thus preserving for agricultural developments the energies of the thousands of ambitious young men and women who are drawn away each year to urban pursuits.
6. Radio can be employed to furnish accurate time signals and weather reports to the farmer and townsman. It can broadcast warning of approaching storms and flood warnings received through radio, will be of priceless value to the farmer.
7. Radio can furnish accurate news of prices and trade conditions of farm products at all principal markets within the hour and make it available to every farm home.
8. Radio, in my judgment, is destined to become one of the most effective elements in the business equipment of the farm, comparable perhaps to the great utility of the automobile.

Nix On Sunday Dancing

It is probably not generally known that as the laws of Michigan now stand it is optional with township boards to close up all Sunday places of amusement, especially the dance halls. Over in Jackson county the several churches appealed to the Sheriff and he in turn placed the matter in the hands of the township board of Columbia township. Brooklyn and Clark Lake churches got up petitions and presented them hence the kibosh on dancing at Clark Lake on the Sabbath day. We understand authorities near Hague Park have practically done the same thing so that the resort season at these places will have to be rather mediocre at least on Sunday. It is not understood by us just why this action was taken unless the resorters carried their jollifications altogether too far and made public nuisances of themselves. We supposed that summer resorts were for resorters only and not for church people, however, no doubt a large number of young people may be benefitted by this movement. We hope so.

Most of the citizens of this place were shocked to note that Friday morning's Jackson News was the last issue of that clean and decent paper. According to what the News says the venture has not been a paying one, and probably considerable opposition has been put up against the respectable policies of the News. As we understand it the News has stood for clean politics and temperance in Jackson and a certain other sheet has stood diametrically opposed, hence it is not unlikely a lot of knocking has been indulged in. In a city of the stripe of Jackson we are not surprised that a decent paper finds it finances curtailed and its aims ridiculed There is something wrong with Jackson's morals you bet—for a city of Jackson's population which cannot support two daily papers must be poor indeed.

Foreign Representatives At Agronomist's Meeting

A representative from Australia, one from Germany, and 16 others from 16 states of the Union attended the joint meeting of American Society of Agronomists and American Society of Plant Pathologists held at M. S. C. July 9 and 10.

The scientists among other specimens of farm crops work were shown the new strain of clover developed at the college by the late Prof. Frank A. Sprague, plant breeder. The clover is two weeks later in development than other strains. Survey of soils and farm crops work, watching marl digging and soil testing apparatus at work picnics, swims, and fish fries were all a part of the summer meeting.

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recordsd in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee
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R. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
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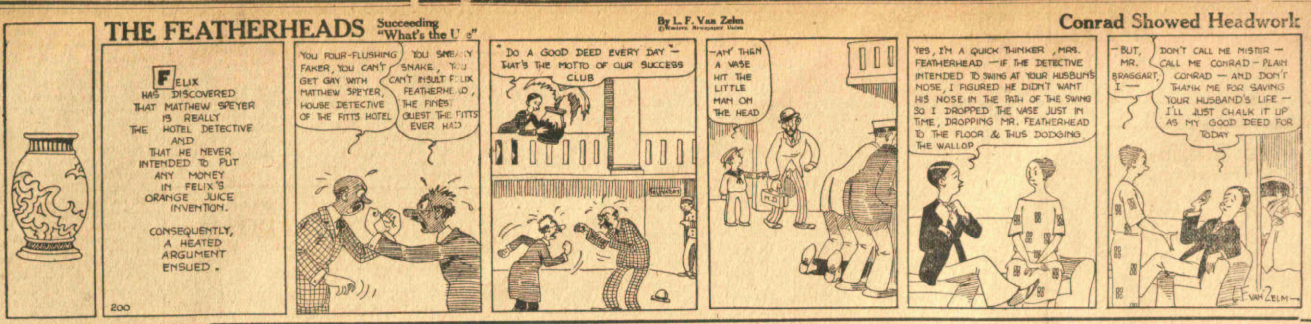
July 24, 1925.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Tex Austin, a name that is known in every locality in the country where horses are bred or cattle raised. Such is the man who will draw on his years of experience to manage the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo to be held for nine days, beginning August 15.

"King of the Rodeo" is the title Austin has won. Born in the great state for which he was named, he was raised in the atmosphere of the range. He participated in the thrilling deeds of the famous contests of the Far West and then became a ranchman himself. Wherever the roundups have been staged, Austin's name has become synonymous with the cowboy sport. In the effort to perpetuate the spirit of the West, he managed and directed numberless rodeos in the West, also giving the East its first thrills from cowboy contests. Then, spreading the fame of Uncle Sam further, he put on the great international rodeo at Wembley, England, under the auspices of the British government.

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Motion Pictures And The 'Teen Age

Volumes have been written about the teen age, but many of the problems of teen age young people have been created or solved by conditions surrounding their lives, by things they have heard, books they have read, and pictures they have seen long before they reached their teens. The young person who does not enter the teens with well defined ideals readily becomes the victim of every passing temptation dare or fancy. The teens then are not nearly so important as the years of preparation that have led up to them. The child who enters the teens with definite ideals of life, well developed self control and a reasonable amount of good judgment for those tender years, is comparatively safe in the face of any ordinary temptation. The motion picture mey be a great asset in the preparation for these years, but one can hardly imagine a greater menace than the average picture today.

HERO WORSHIP

There comes first to the child perhaps the age of hero worship. Not long ago a mother told me how her daughter and another little girl both ten years of age, had written in their diaries a pledge that they would not marry any man unless his ideals were those of the "Little Captain" in a beautiful story they had read. Imagine a child allowed to attend the movies once a week for more than five years upward, and what, may we ask, will be the character requirements of her or his hero or heroine? Mad passion and reckless self control would seem to be the answer one might reasonably expect. What would be the result of such ideas of life? Our newspapers and law courts are full of the results. A study just made by the New York state Prison Commission shows that a large percentage of boys and girls in reformatories and prisons have practically no moral training and many are hardened criminals before 20 years of age. The child most often found at movies usually has the least home training. Imagine the moral effect of attending a motion picture theater once a week from five years upward and seeing fifty two pictures a year of the average type. This is equivalent to reading fifty two novels. No young child could do that; No child or young person should do that, if they could. Such constant excitation of the nervous system tends to over develop the emotions and overthrow the judgment. All the intense emotional scenes depicted in a book are thrown upon the screen and pass before the child's mind in one to two hours. Recently I saw a picture where the hero was a thief, a murderer and an attempted suicide, and because he attempted suicide, he was reconciled to his bride and "they lived happily ever after." What a wild idea of life to put into the mind of a young person during the impressionable and emotional years! In another picture, the heroine is a woman who leaves her beautiful home and loyal husband in search of romance, After dipping into the world's most revolting filth, presented in a glamour of wealth, gowns and jewels, she returns to her loving husband and beautiful home; and marvel of marvels, while her husband's hair has turned grey in longing for her, she is as young and beautiful as when she started on her career of crime. These are but illustrations which might be multiplied by the hundreds. The question is, how long will we permit the motion picture industry to present moral lepers as heroes and heroines to our children and youth?

LOVE OF THE BEAUTIFUL

There is in the heart of every normal girl a desire to be attractive and a love of the beautiful. Recently I glanced over the story of a girl, who would not tolerate the slightest flaw in the clothing which she wore. It must be perfect, but her character was an ugly jagged garment. What a mistaken sense of values and yet how many pictures today overemphasize beautiful clothes and the physical appeal that a girl makes and underemphasize or utterly disregard the appeal of a beautiful character. It is little wonder that many girls are playing the vamp and dressing in the most extreme style since their heroine of the screen by doing these things is preferred by good men and bad men alike. The good girl, if one is really presented, sits alone in the corner and never gets a husband, unless the vamp or flapper refuses to take him. The girl who gets her training in the school of the movies, cannot be expected to understand the sacredness of her person, the sacredness of life, or the sacredness of a kiss or a caress. For these things are all made common and cheap in screen presentation. Very few pictures present the appeal of a noble character or a lovely personality They are therefore paving the road to the divorce court and the broken home. The man who marries a girl or a woman simply because of her physical attractiveness, will almost certainly grow tired of her when her hair turns grey, the wrinkles appear, the figure loses its charm, and the step loses the elasticity of youth. On the other hand the man who marries the girl for what she is in intellect and character, if she keeps in touch with the best in literature, art and music, and especially if she keeps in touch with the Word of God, finds more to admire in her, when her hair is grey and the wrinkles appear, than he found in the freshness and beauty of youth.

IDEALS

Many of the adults of this practical age look lightly upon high and holy ideals as relics of past grandeur unsuited to our modern life, Not so with our young people. Youth has always been hungry for ideals. Youth is the age of ideals. Those who in middle life and old age cling to the highest ideals, are those who have carried through the years the glory of youth. Recently a girl speaking of one of America's greatest women and most popular workers among young people, said "her hair is white, but her heart and her ideals are those of a girl." That woman has drank of the fountain of eternal youth.

Our teen age young folks today, in spite of all that is written and said to the contrary, and in spite of the lax standards of many of them, are none the less hungry for ideals. This I know because I speak to between sixty and seventy thousand of them in our High Schools a year. They do not want weak, insipid, goody goody ideas of life; they want ideals strong, clear cut, challenging, and because with the teen years come the thoughts of courtship, love, marriage and home life, they want ideals that deal with these vital relations of life.

We turn to much of modern fiction and most motion pictures, and find that never has any generation faced such a flood of suggestive indecent and immoral ideas and standards of life. In some cases Motion Picture Producers seem to co-operate with the publishers of indecent literature. In a subcription contest just closed, between a publisher of three indecent magazines and one of the leading motion picture producers, the first and second prizes were a guaranteed chance to appear in the movies at $150 per week and all expenses for eight weeks; the third, fourth and fifth were a guaranteed chance to try out, at $100 per week for eight weeks if successful. In the contest literature I read the magazine which I purchased in my investigation of this case was "a friend of the girl who toils." "Facts stories told by working girls who had actually lived romantic lives and accompanied by photographs of many of the confessors" the advertisement reads. What are these stories? Tales of the underworld with a glow of love and romance. Is it not strange that we can sit idly by while forces so deadly are seeking to profiteer by perverting the normal craving of excitement, adventure and romance.

THRILLS

One sometimes wonders if the chief end of existence in this generation is thrills. What is a thrill? The result of an intense appeal to the emotions. The whole range of emotions are included, from those which are awakened by that which is ugly and revolting to those which are awakened by that which is pure noble and awe inspiring. The world lies before us. Where will we find our thrills? Will it be in the dumping ground of moral garbage, or shall we go to the mountain peak to see the sunrise?

The tragedy of the bad picture is, it makes evil inviting until the mind which has lived in the atmosphere of rusty cans and garbage loses the soul thrill that comes from real badness. The power of the good picture is its ability to lead us for our thrills to the mountain peaks of purity, nobility and self control. "By their fruits ye shall know them"

Attends Convention Murphy Products Company

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Caswell of North Adams have just returned from a very pleasant trip to Burlington, Wis., where they attended the annual sales convention of the Murphy Products Company, manufacturers of Mineral Feeds.

The program was nicely balanced with business and pleasure including an excursion around Lake Geneva, a sumptious banquet at Browns Lake with the famous Douglas Malloch, humorous philosopher-poet as the speaker of the evening. An automobile tour to Milwaukee and through its parks was arranged for the wives which was thoroughlg enjoyed.

James H. Murphy, President of the Company and famous for the work he has done in popularizing mineral feeding described the remarkable growth of the company, praised the splendid efforts of his salesmen and gave many new and valuable facts on mineral feeding.

Professor Oscar Erf of Ohio State University and a nation wide authority on mineral feeding addressed the several hundred delegates and their wives on the absolute necessity of mineral feeding where profitable milk production is secured.

According to Mr. Caswell the Murphy Products Co., is one of the largest, possibly the biggest manufacturers of mineral feeds having over 1000 Veterinarians and farmer salesmen and he is looking forward to the next annual convention.

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

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The busy mind has no time to think
Of sorrow, or care or gloom;
And anxious thoughts may be swept away
As we busily wield the broom.
—L. M. Alcott.

GOOD THINGS FOR ALL

A dish of scrapple is always a fine breakfast dish, enjoyed by everybody.

Scrapple.—Clean a pig's head and boil it until the meat falls from the bones, cool and chop the meat, then reheat in the liquor in which it was cooked. Remove the fat and add corn meal to the consistency of mush. Cook slowly for a half hour at least, season with salt, pepper and a little sage, pour into molds and when cold slice thin and fry in a little hot fat.

Salisbury Oyster Salad.—Take two quarts of very cold oysters, two bunches of celery, eight hard-cooked eggs, two teaspoonfuls of salt, the same of mustard, six tablespoonfuls of melted butter, four teaspoonfuls of sugar, one cupful of lemon juice and a teaspoonful of pepper. Cut the celery into small pieces, add the yolks of the eggs, which have been rubbed to a fine powder; then add the seasonings and sugar and butter. Into this mixture pour the lemon juice very slowly, whipping the mixture well during the process. Sprinkle the oysters with a little salt and arrange the salad as follows: Place a layer of celery first, then a layer of oysters, alternating until all the oysters are used. Pour over the dressing and set the salad in a cool place. Garnish with the whites of the eggs cut into rings, with the white tips of celery.

Graham Muffins.—Take four cupfuls of graham flour, one tablespoonful of brown sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one egg well-beaten and two cupfuls of milk. Sift the dry ingredients, add the beaten egg and mix all well with the milk. Fill well-buttered gem pans two thirds full and bake in a hot oven twenty minutes.

Potato Salad.—Dice six cold boiled potatoes, one onion, four slices of bacon fried crisp. To the bacon fat in the pan add one-half cupful of mild vinegar and a tablespoonful of sugar, salt, pepper and cayenne to taste. Pour over the potato and onion and serve hot or cold.

Nellie Maxwell

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Cour for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 25th day of June A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Josebh L. Beecher Deceased. Catherine Beecher having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that the administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of August, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate.
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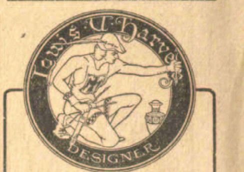

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King Tommy

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THE PRINCESS

SYNOPSIS. — In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy" and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strong-minded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace. Janet Church leaves for Berlin. "Uncle Bill" is again appealed to by his sister to find a certain curate (name not given) who has left his parish in Ireland for a visit to Berlin, and cannot be found. Lord Norheys and Viola Temple disappear from London. Procopius Cable receives information that Norheys, with the princess, has left there on his way to Lystria, but Norheys appears with the former Viola Temple, now his wife. The question is, "Who is the man who has gone to Lystria with the Princess Calypso?" Casimir introduces himself, and Janet Church, vainly seeking from the British consulate a passport to Lystria, becomes acquainted with the two men in the Adlon hotel. Tommy mistakes Casimir for a hotel thief and refuses him admission to his room. Casimir insists on Tommy dining at the Mascotte. Tommy again meets Janet in a telephone booth, where he had gone in an attempt to escape from Casimir. Janet Church, thinking Casimir can be instrumental in securing her passport, urges Tommy to introduce her. He finally agrees, she to pose as his aunt. Tommy and Janet visit the Mascotte that evening.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued

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A small dapper man in evening clothes came up to him and bowed. Tommy saw that thin gray hair was carefully brushed across a bald patch on top of his head. He was by no means a young man. He had small twinkling eyes and a rounded paunch. But he bore himself with a certain dignity. Even when he was bowing low there was no sign of servility in his manner. This was the head waiter of the Mascotte and he did Tommy high honor by granting him this personal reception.

"Your lordship's table is reserved, one of our very best tables."

He spoke with an excellent English accent. He waved his hand in the direction in which he wanted Tommy to go and then walked in front of him. There was no mistake about the dignity of the man's bearing. It was almost kingly, just such a bearing and manner as suited the head waiter of the Mascotte.

Following the man's lead, Tommy passed between two lines of inferior waiters, all bowing low. From tables to the right and left revelers looked up and watched him pass. They whispered to each other, inquiring who it could be who was received so impressively by the head waiter and his staff. Tommy came at last to a small table set a little apart. The head waiter pulled back a large gilt chair. Tommy noticed a small card on a silver stand in the middle of the table. It bore his name, Norreys; but not the Rev. T. A. Norreys. He was described on the card as the Markgraf von Norreys. It seemed to Tommy well worth while to be a Markgraf—whatever a markgraf was—if the title secured so much consideration and respect. Tommy felt rather glad that Count Casimir had made his mistake.

The head waiter murmured confidentially in his ear:

"If your lordship will allow me to order the dinner and choose the wine—I assure you that I thoroughly understand wine."

His English was perfect, far better than Count Casimir's and he spoke it with the intonation and accent of a gentleman. Tommy felt sure that he might be trusted to order the very best food and wine obtainable in the Mascotte. But he had an uncomfortable feeling that the bill for the entertainment might be startling. His pockets were full of marks, stuffed with them. But it might very well take a trunk full of marks to pay for the dinner which the aristocratic head waiter would order. Tommy hesitated and made a grab at the menu, intending to make sure of the worst that could befall him. The head waiter, a man of quick apprehension, guessed his thoughts. Bending low he whispered into Tommy's ear:

"I need scarcely say that your lordship will be at no expense, none whatever."

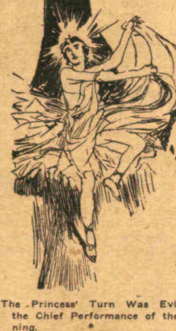
Then he turned and gave a series of orders in German to a subordinate who stood near.

Tommy leaned back in his gilt chair and looked round. He saw at once that he had been given one of the very best tables in the room. It stood at the edge of a great square carpet which covered the center of the floor. On the carpet itself there were no tables. But diners at tables of various sizes sat round it in parties of two or four or six. Behind the tables which stood on the edge of the carpet were others. Behind these still more and these were set on a sort of platform a step above the floor of the room. Farther back among pillars and under archways in what Tommy thought of as broad side aisles, were other places for still more diners.

Gazing round curiously Tommy caught sight of a woman standing up at one of the farthest tables. She was waving her hand and signaling to him. At a second glance he recognized her—Janet Church. In a severe black dress, the only evening gown she took with her when traveling, she looked much out of place in the Mascotte. Having attracted Tommy's attention, she began to cross the room toward him, evidently with the intention of sitting down at his table. But this was not allowed. The head waiter caught sight of her and gave an order to one of his men. Janet Church was stopped, turned round and conducted to the obscure and distant table which she had left.

It would interest me, though perhaps no one else, to know what Tommy had to eat and drink that night. Unfortunately, he can give me no account at all of his meal and does not know the name of the champagne he drank.

Shortly after eleven o'clock Tommy discovered what the stretch of carpet in the middle of the room was for. The band, which had been playing some of the music of Tosca suddenly struck up a dance-tune. Two girls appeared from a curtained recess at the far end of the room, ran down among the tables, pirouetted in the middle of the carpet, and began to dance.



The Princess' Turn Was Evidently the Chief Performance of the Evening.

Tommy had seen dancing before, on the stage at the Gayety theater in Dublin at the time of the Christmas pantomime. But this was a very different thing. There he viewed the dancers from a distance, with an orchestra and a row of footlights between him and them. They were remote creatures, unreal, scarcely flesh and blood. Here they came close to him, so close that the whirling of their skirts as they passed him fanned the air against his face. He could smell the scent from their clothes and see the heaving of their throats as they caught their breath. And the music was far more exciting than any he had ever heard.

The waiter who attended him filled his glass with champagne. Tommy sipped it as he watched the dancers. Others took the places of the first two, dancing wildly, sometimes dancing well. The music grew louder. The whole scene began to grow dim before Tommy's eyes, as a man might watch the figures in a dream.

He was awakened to the reality of his surroundings by the sound of Casimir's voice in his ear. The count had slipped over quietly from some other part of the room and had sat down at Tommy's table.

"Please," he said. "the Princess Calypso now."

Tommy was scarcely surprised at the announcement. A princess, a queen, an empress, any kind of exalted lady, except perhaps one of Fra Angelico's angels, might have danced before him there on the Persian carpet without surprising him very much.

The princess' turn was evidently the chief performance of the evening. Conversation ceased. Men sat down their glasses and leaned forward in their chairs. The music of the band sank to a soft rhythmical throbbing. A drum muttered softly. A girl in a dress shining with sequins stepped daintily down among the tables, stood in the middle of the carpet and curtsied low to Tommy.

He could have sworn that it was to him alone that she curtsied, that she took no notice of any one else in the room. He also had an unpleasant impression that she disliked, or perhaps despised him, and only curtsied to him because she was forced to do it.

The managers of the Mascotte, having secured the services of a real princess, made the most of her, and gave her every chance of making the most of herself. The higher lights were extinguished all over the room. Only the small shaded lamps on the diners' tables still burned. A bright beam from some hidden lamp fell on the princess and followed her wherever she moved. The twitching of the violin strings grew faster. The players drew their bows across the strings and the music came loud and tempestuous. The girl on the carpet with the light on her looked younger, fresher, more beautiful than any of the others who had danced before her.

Unfortunately she could not dance. Her performance would scarcely have won applause in a second-rate theater. Her steps and attitudes were graceful enough but were easy of accomplishment. There was no kind of spirit or any delight in her dancing. Even Tommy, who knew nothing about the art, realized that this girl was greatly the inferior of those who had gone before her. Her dancing meant nothing, conveyed nothing except a feeling that she disliked doing it and despised the people she was doing it for. It seemed to Tommy that she was dancing specially for him and that she disliked and despised him more than she did the others.

The music rose to a climax of sound. The dance came suddenly to an end. The lights blazed out again. The girl sank to the ground in a low curtsey with her skirts spread out round her, right in front of Tommy's table, within a couple of feet from him. There was a burst of applause. Men stood up and shouted. It was not the dancing they approved. Not a Jewess among them, not a slant-eyed Russian lady, not a profiteer, or even an American but knew perfectly well that the girl could not dance. Their applause was for themselves, not for her. It was the new rich proclaiming their triumph over the old aristocracy, over royalty itself. Risen from the slime of the war period, they acclaimed themselves masters of the old order which was there, like Samson among the Philistines, to make sport for them.

The band blared into a noisy march. The girl remained crouched at Tommy's feet, flushed and panting, the fingers of her right hand twitching at the bodice of her dress. Suddenly she rose. With a quick nod and a little motion of her hand she flicked a note across to Tommy. It fell on the plate in front of him. The girl, without glancing at him again, looking neither to the right nor to the left, walked through the applauding people and disappeared.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Snake Does Not "Sting"

The stinging snake is a myth. Although thousands of people apparently believe there is such a thing as a stinging snake, and many of them insist that they have seen such snakes, no competent scientist or observer has ever had the privilege of seeing one. Rewards for stinging snakes are occasionally offered, but no such snakes are ever produced. The nearest approach to the supposed stinging snake is the "Farancia abacura," a small, harmless snake with a needle-like spine on its tail. In different parts of the South this snake, along with kindred species, is known variously as the hoop snake, the rainbow snake, the mud snake and the stinging snake. But the notion that these snakes sting with their tails is all poppycock.—Exchange.

Women Ruled in Days of Our Cave Ancestors

Old-fashioned ideas as to man's supremacy in the days when the earth was young have had a rude jolt, according to an eminent statement of ancient manners and customs. It is now declared that woman, in the days of our cave-dwelling ancestors, was regarded as of the more important sex. Men held a secondary position, tolerated for the sake of the food and skins provided. Women ruled, and were the inventors of the earliest arts and sciences. It was the woman's ingenuity which devised snares for animals and made plans for storing food against times of scarcity. Women taught ways of making clothing from skins of animals and by the efforts of their brains improved the lot of all the human race. Woman's cunning and wit were the outcome of her lack of physical strength, which obliged her to resort to strategy rather than force. On the whole, the prehistoric woman apparently held the same position and ruled man in the same manner that she does today. Man possibly thought he was boss, but so long as he didn't know any better, what difference did it make?

Miracles of St. Leonard

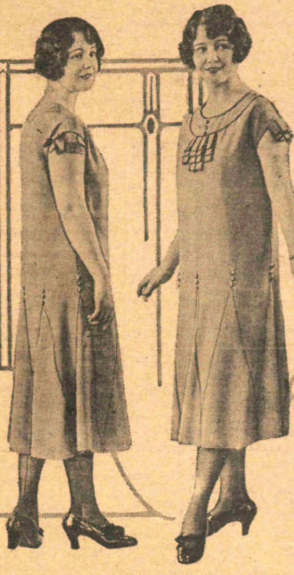
If there were such a personage, St. Leonard would certainly have been the patron saint of prisoners. He was originally a French nobleman at the court of Clovis I, and became a monk and founded a monastery which, after his death, about 599, was known as St. Leonard le Noblat. He was famed for his charity toward prisoners, and is reputed to have worked many miracles on their behalf. These miracles in releasing unhappy captives continued after his death, according to tradition, which was very convenient, as his festival happened to be the first day of the Michaelmas term, when writs were made returnable.—Family Herald.

Why is it that a song "hit" often entirely misses you when you hear it

STRAIGHT LINES CAPITULATE; THE LAST HATS OF SUMMER

With much unanimity master designers decided to attack the straightline silhouette this spring—going on the theory that we can have too much of even a very good thing. Although the attack comes from all quarters it was not a marked success in the ranks of street and sports clothes. So far from disappearing, the straightline vogue has not even grown less—not so that you can notice it, when throngs on the street, or promenades on athletic fields, pass in review.

But among gay and light-minded afternoon frocks, there was much wavering—the attack has proved successful. In more or less informal afternoon [illegible]s, women are inclined to run after strange gods and to encourage new ideas. The flared skirt, tiered dresses and tunic dresses all found themselves made welcome and all have appeared in many graceful versions. Even higher waistlines were occasionally entertained and the long sleeve succeeded in establishing a place for itself. Among these innovations, the most successful is the flared skirt. By fair means it has made itself a success that is going to last.



Introducing the Flared Skirt.

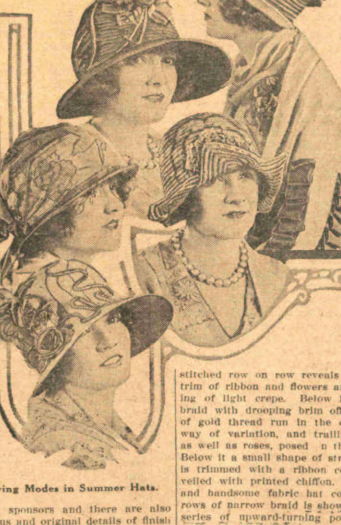
One of the most charming ways of introducing a flare in the straightline dress appears in the model shown here, where long godets join forces to overcome the severity of a plain crepe de chine frock. There is no sacrifice of the much-admired simplicity that fashion sponsors and there are also ingenious and original details of finish sure to win favor for this frock. They appear in groups of small crepe covered buttons posed at the point of each godet, in graduated loops made of folds of the crepe, used for finishing neck and short sleeves and in the narrow yoke.

Short, plaited skirts, set on to long bodices, circular flounces and tiers, and godets plaited at the top but loose at the bottom, are other means of insinuating fullness into afternoon and evening frocks.

Of certain kinds of hats it is not necessary to say anything—there are so many of them—they speak for themselves. The little felt hat, in pastel colors and white, for instance, is everywhere. It has been reinforced by similar hats of white kid and combinations of white and black in kid. Following immediately upon the heels of the kid hat came the hat of black patent leather, combined with white kid, in facings and decorations.

In dressier hats the wide-brimmed pastel-colored, hair-braid shapes have outdistanced all rivals for midsummer. To the lighter shades fashion has added rich purples in pansy and fuchsia tones. Many of these hair braids are flower trimmed, with blossoms in shades of the same color as the hats. Roses, with stems long and large chrysanthemums and water lilies are in great demand for them, but there are many models trimmed with silk or velvet, with printed chiffon or applique figures of velvet.

Leaving these leading items out because every one is familiar with them the group of hats pictured includes new developments of established styles—the last of the summer hats in which designers embody the season's most successful ideas. At the top of the group a hat of hair and straw braid stitched row on row reveals a crown trim of ribbon and flowers and a facing of light crepe. Below it a hair braid with drooping brim offers lines of gold thread run in the crown by way of variation, and trailing stems as well as roses, posed on the crown. Below it a small shape of straw braid is trimmed with a ribbon collar and veiled with printed chiffon. A novel and handsome fabric hat covered by rows of narrow braid is shown with a series of upward-turning points that form the brim and a flat rosette of small flowers and ribbon at the front. Stems play an important part in the daring trimming on the last hat in the group. If it were not for the cluster of roses at one side they might be taken for a small family of tiny snakes wriggling over the crown and brim.



Varying Modes in Summer Hats.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Balbriggan Frocks Are Striped

Among the smartest versions of the jumper frock are those made of balbriggan which have skirts in a plain color and the upper part fashioned of a crosswise striped material. The stripes are of the candy-stick type and extremely youthful and pretty.

Ties in Back

The smart scarf frock ties in the back and has the scarf weighed down with long tassels.

For the Traveler

A large square bag of heavy black taffeta holds the steamer rug and cushion. It is piped with the color of the rug and this color is repeated in a large and decorative monogram.

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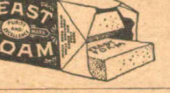

Old Chinese Relic Did Its Full Duty

One of the first official acts of Gen. Chang Tsung-chang on assuming his new post as military governor of Shantung was the ordering of prayers for rain in that parched province. As an inaugural to the supplications he ordered the firing of 120 guns on the Hungshan, a hill just outside Tsinanfu, the capital. After a week had elapsed with no sign of a shower General Chang sent emissaries to Hantanhsien, Chihli province, to borrow the famous Iron Tablet—the Tieh Pei—which reposes in the temple there and is reverenced as an infallible protector of the crops in that district. The tablet, which is inscribed with ancient writings, was taken out of the temple and paraded with much ceremony last year when Chihli province was suffering from drought. Immediately thereafter came a spell of rain that flooded 10,000 square miles of farm land and cost several thousand lives. All of which redounded to the reputation of the relic.

Old "Mammy" Honored

An exclusive white cemetery in Macon, Ga., gave up its distinction the other day in order to do honor to an antebellum negress, Anna Jordan, who recently died. A negro preacher conducted the service in the house of Mrs. R. H. Smith, in whose family she had been "mammy" for 38 years. Burial was in the Smith family plot after every honor possible had been paid by members of the family in which she had served so long.

Nothing Cool About This

The clearer the air in a heat wave, the more the heat burns; the more vapor-laden the air, the more the heat smothers.—Boston Herald.

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"Well?"

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"You don't mean it, Mabel?"

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Butterflies Go to Iceland

C. B. Williams, chief entomologist of the Egyptian ministry of agriculture, has found that the "painted lady" butterfly has migrated from Africa to Iceland on a number of occasions. The distance is over 4,000 miles and it is usually covered in three to four months. The butterflies show up in Iceland in July, leaving Africa and Asia Minor in April. Only the hardiest among the flyers succeed in making the immigration, however.

Not So Very Odd

"Odd that we should speak of royalties on books." "I don't know. Books have titles, you know."

New Electric Boat

The first Diesel-motored, electrically driven sidewheel ferryboat in America will ply the Ohio river between Jeffersonville, Ind., and Louisville, Ky.

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British authorities are trying to stop radio howling in districts where communism is rampant, that interrupts all listeners in that vicinity.

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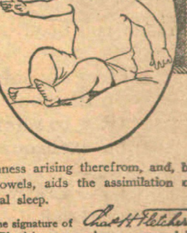

Last Sunday, July 12, was the 74th birthday of A. G. Meeks and accordingly a number of relatives from Sand Creek, Battle Creek, Jackson, Albion, Saginaw, Lansing, Tecumseh and Hillsdale perpetrated a surprise on him and made a birth-day party. A few neighbors also assisted in memorizing the day. A pot-luck dinner was served and Mr. Meeks reports a very enjoyable day. Fifty three were present.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Somerset Centre

Mrs. Pliny Phillips was in Jackson Monday.

Mrs. Wm Shock and family spent Thursday in Jackson.

G. J. Smith and wife were in Hillsdale Saturday evening.

J. M. Parker and family entertained relatives Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Parker and children spent Saturday in Jackson.

Cora Belle Baker of Lapeer spent Thursday with Ruby Schock.

Rev. Earl Scott spent Saturday night with Wm Shock and family.

Ellsworth Eggleston was in Jackson on business one day last week.

Mrs. George Derosa and Mrs. Wm Freer are visiting at the Ed Freer home.

Wendell Mercer, sister Elaine and Alice Dillon attended the circus at Hillsdale the 4th of July.

Rant Rutan and family, Leon Mercer and family and Alice Dillon were in Michigan Center Sunday.

Dr. Didama, wife and baby of Quincy spent the week end with her parents George Becker and wife

Mrs. Zeno Flisk nee Clara Tearney of Kansas City, Kansas is visiting her mother Mrs. Jennie Tearney

Cecile and Cora Rutan spent from Thursday until Monday with their grandmother Mrs. Cora VanAllen.

Ora Ferguson, wife and daughter were callers at the home of Rant Rutan and family Wednesday evening.

Sarah Bilby and son Lindon of Aldrich and Mrs. Rush Reynolds of Waldron were callers at the L. A. Mercer home Monday night.

School meeting was held Monday evening, the usual business was transacted and L. A. Mercer was reelected director for three years.

Mrs. A. J. Pond and family of Jackson were callers in this neighborhood Sunday. Estherline and Pauline who have been spending the week with their cousin returned home with them.

Edwin Ballard and old resident of this place, died at the home of his son Harlow at Auburn Indiana. He was brought to Somerset Sunday for burial. He was a Civil war veteran.

Jerome

Floyd Doolittle and Ora Potter were in Hillsdale Saturday.

Blenn Tower is visiting in Hudson with Wm Kiester and wife.

Dr. J. S. Sterling and son Harold have been working at the Dr.'s farm in Ohio.

Ed Brayton visited Wednesday and Thursday with Ed Brown and wife at Chelsea.

Margaret Marriott of Osseo is visiting her grandparents N. A. Linsday and wife.

Robert McGregor is spending a few days with Rev. Scott at his home near Hastings.

Mrs. Julia Potter and son Ora visited at the home of Harry Harmon and wife near Jackson Sunday

39 votes were cast at the annual school meeting Monday evening. Mrs. Jay Chandler and Marion Hart were elected to the board of trustees.

Claude Seeley and wife of Cleveland and R. M. Seeley and wife of this place have returned from the northern part of the state where they visited relatives.

Rev. Scott will preach on the "Advantage of a handicap" at the church next Sunday evening. Last Sunday six young fellows were taken into the church as preparatory members.

Darrow and Bryan are two of America's greatest thinkers and that is one reason why it seems strange to see them lined up against one another down in Dayton, Tennessee. Besides, these two men agree on so many things that their hostility seems stranger still Bryan proved his friendship for peace by resigning from the President's cabinet in 1915 while Darrow also proved his friendship for peace in his interesting debate with Arthur Lewis. Bryan is a champion of the working man and Darrow is known throughout the nation as a champion of labor and friend of freedom of speech. Bryan is an enemy of the Big Profiteers who prey upon the American public and Darrow is also after the profiteers as is shown by his book "Crime and criminals." Bryan is a foe of child labor and so is Darrow. Bryan proposes a chain of daily papers for this country which will tell the truth regardless of party creed or race and Darrow thinks likewise. In politics, Bryan calls himself a Democrat but his ideas are in harmony with those of the Christian Socialists while Darrow's ideas are similar to those of the Darwinian Socialists. But when it comes to the subject of evolution Bryan and Darrow are as far apart as the east is from the west.

Jonesville

R. M. Powers is confined to the house by illness.

C. A. Brooks and family of Jerome spent the week end at the R. B. Howard home here.

H. J. Leiss and family spent last week in Troy Ohio.

Born to Edward Webster and wife July 4th a son.

E. D. McKercher visited his sister in Elkhart over Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Coleman is visiting her son Harry and family in Bronson.

Mrs. Percy Parkyn of Detroit is visiting her mother Mrs. Jennie Tousan.

The annual K of P picnic will be held Wednesday July 22 at Eagle Point Clark's Lake.

Mrs. Albert LaFever has been entertaining her mother Mrs. Sanford for a few days.

Frank Bently and wife of Chicago are with his mother Mrs. Ann Barkman for the week.

Elmer Finch and wife of Jackson were visitors at the home of John Jackson over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Walcott, Mrs. Emma Monsell and Eliza Dare visited friends in Lansing during the week.

Harvey Randolph and two children of Detroit are visiting with his parents Harry Randolph and wife.

Chauncey Burnett and family of Detroit have been visiting his mother Mrs. Margaret Burnett the past week.

L. A. Mallory of East Orange, New Jersey has been with his mother Mrs. Josephine Mallory this week.

Central Moscow

Zada Beagle visited Mrs. John Adams last week.

Threshing machines are in the neighborhood again.

George Brayton and wife visited friends in Cleveland the week end.

Allen Kies of Jackson visited his parents Chas Kies and wife Sunday

Mrs. Corbett of North Adams visited Mrs. Myrtie Shepard Thursday last.

Mrs. Than Linsday and daughter Dorothy visited Mrs. Lee Kies Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey of Detroit visited her sister Mrs. Evelyn Richards Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner entertained her brother Ross Strait and other friends Sunday.

Esther and Reo Dean VanCamp are visiting their grandparents this week John Adams and wife.

John Adams and wife entertained her niece Mrs. Lee Lockwood and family of Albion also Clyde Beagle and family Sunday.

Fuller Family Reunion

The fifty-fourth annual Reunion of the Fuller family was held Thursday, July 2, 1925, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Corey in Allen, Hillsdale county.

At an early hour guests began to arrive from north, south, east and west, and when the dinner hour arrived forty-four sat down to the tables set on the lawn, already groaning under their weight of good things.

After dinner a short business session was held and the following officers elected for another year: President, E. J. Fuller of Hillsdale; vice president, Clarence Jennings, North Adams; secretary, Jessie Fuller, Battle Creek.

Since our last reunion the grim reaper has entered our ranks and taken five of our loved ones from us whom we greatly miss.

With sorrow in our hearts for our dear departed, joy came to comfort us in the advent of six little lives with all their sunshine to brighten our pathway.

Upon invitation the company voted to meet with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fuller in Hillsdale, the last Thursday in June, 1926.

Ice cream and cake were served, and the guests departed for their homes. Relatives were present from Hillsdale, North Adams, Addison, Jackson, Battle Creek and Lusk, Wyoming. X

Local News

Arthur Holcomb and wife entertained the following week-end guests: T. J. Strait, Burr Richards and family, Philander Williams and family all of Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mason, Walter Diedrich and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mason all of Chicsgo and Will Mason of West Chester Pennsylvania.

George Hathaway, aged citizen of Hillsdale, was struck by an auto driven by Miss Marian Rogers last week Wednesday, and died two hours later in the hospital. Although deeply regretted the accident can in no way be blamed to Miss Rogers. Mr. Hathaway once resided in North Adams and was about 80 years of age.

Tenous Duncan of Osseo was convicted in Judge Chester's court of giving a friend a drink of liquor at a Bird Lake dance also of carrying hootch in his machine. His dose was $150 fine $50 costs with 1½ years' probation. The Judge gave no weight to the testimony of Aaron Perrin, Charlie Burnett, Charlie Darrow, George Porter and Frank Hancock who sought by protestations of good character to lift Tenous from the sordid clutches of the beautiful but ironical Goddess of Justice.

The Candidates

Numerous inquiries are going the rounds as to the character of the three candidates who are running for nomination at the primaries July 21st to replace Arthur B. Williams at Washington, D. C. We are not familiar with any of them as we don't know them. We understand McArthur is supported by the K. K. K., Farrell is recommended by the W. C. T. U. and Hooper is running on his own recognizance as an all-round good citizen who wants to enforce the Volstead law. Any of the three make strong temperance claims, and Hooper comes to us with the statement from Dr. Samuel Dickie, President Emeritus of Albion College, as follows: "I have heard many fine things of him and I believe he is a man who would worthily represent us in Congress. Mr. Hooper has assured me he stands right on the question of keeping the Volstead Law.—Advertisement.

Annual School Meeting

The annual school meeting of District No. 3, Adams. was held on Monday evening with a small attendance. Nothing of extra importance was before the meeting. Tellers appointed were Mrs Josephine Jones and Mrs. Addie Taylor, and the usual procedure of balloting resulted in the election of Harold C. Young to succeed himself for three years. The board now consists of Jay North, president; H. C. Young secretary; Bert Taylor director; and Dr. McFarland trustee. The question of raising funds for the ensuing year was taken up and $6,000 was voted for running expenses with a small item for repairs needed this year

Teachers for the ensuing year with one exception, have been engaged as follows: Supt., R. C. Young; principal, T. N. Lamb; English, Rev. Hunt; intermediate Mrs. R. C. Young; primary, Mrs. Etta Pray; The music department is as yet uncared for. and it is not known yet whether it will be maintained.

On account of the union Sunday school picnic at Devils Lake July 24, the S. P. I. class party will be held one week later, July 31 at Wilson's Lake. Everyone is urged to attend and bring their family. Pot-luck dinner will be followed by sports and games for all.

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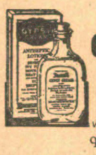

Dr. Samuel Dickie, President Emeritus of Albion college, for more than a third of a century a national leader in prohibition and other reforms, specifically recommending Mr. Hooper's stand on the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act., said to an Albion audience recently:

"I have no hesitancy whatever in saying that Mr. Hooper is a dependable, capable and honorable gentleman who will honorably represent us if we succeed in sending him to congress. . . . I am going to support Mr. Hooper, for I believe he is is the man to send down to Washington because he will stand right on these great questions."

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He has the ability and the purpose to be a power in congress. For 20 years he has been in state and national demand as a campaigner for the Republican party and a speaker on civic and patriotic occasions.

Practically the whole population of his home city, embracing people of every class and station—and hundreds more throughout the district—enthusiastically endorse to you "Joe" Hooper's ability, his squareness, his sincerity,—and invite your vote for this splendid American citizen as our representative in congress.

The nominating primary is next Tuesday, July 21.

A vote for Hooper's nomination is a vote for good government.

Hooper for Congress Committee.

Political Advertising.

Annual Sunday School Picnic

On Friday, July 24, one week from to-day, occurs the annual interdenominational Sunday school picnic of the Methodist, Baptist and Congregational societies of this village at Manitou Beach Devils Lake, and you can't afford to miss it. There is always something doing at this point and facilities for boating, bathing and fishing are excellent. Since we last met there a splendid toboggan slide has been erected which adds 75 per cent to the worth whileness of the place. It is only a step by automobile, so pack up the lunch basket and toddle along down to the lake. Bring the little folks and they will be safe. Plenty of boats.

The Birthday Club

Mrs. Jay Knowles pleasantly entertained the birthday club at her home on Tuesday. An interesting feature of the occasion was a shower for Miss Vera Crapser who received many useful gifts Another highly interesting feature was a mock wedding in costume. The wedding march was played by Miss Lillian Mallory of Grand Rapids and the wedding ceremony was excellently performed by Mrs. Vern Brown. The wedding party consisted of the following: Bride, Donna Lynch; bridegroom, Rena Knowles; bridesmaid, Marie Gross; best man, Hetty Shepard; flower and ring bearer, Majorgia Caldwell; mother of the bride, Mrs. Harve Shepard; father of the bride, Mrs. Frank Holcomb; grand-mother, Mrs. Alfred Height; aunts, Mrs. C. W. Bleech and Mrs. B. I. Lynch.

A bountiful dinner was served at noon and refreshments were served on the lawn following the wedding ceremony.

The regular cottage prayer meeting will be held next Tuesday evening, July 21, at the home of Wyman Stott on East Main St. Invitation is to all.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a special primary election will be held in the Township of Adams, County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan at the township hall in the village of North Adams in said township on Tuesday July 21st, A. D. 1925 from 7:00 a. m. until 5:00 p.m. on the above date for the purpose of nominating by direct vote a candidate by each of the several political parties for Representative in Congress at Washington D. C. from the Third Congressional District of Michigan to fill vacancy caused by the death of Hon. Arthur B. Williams, whose term of office would have expired on the 4th day of March 1927

Dated June 20, A. D. 1925

Frank W. Holcomb

Township Clerk 5t3

If your receipt says your time in the Advocate has expired, call in and renew.

Miss Margray Hayhoe who is attending summer school at the Normal is expected home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Welper of Sioux City, Iowa, were guests of W. H. Porter and wife on Wednesday, coming by auto.

John Stone and wife of Hillsdale and two daughters of Detroit were guests at the Rex Northrup home on Sunday.

Undertakers Hold Meeting

The Southern Michigan Undertakers' Association met at Duck Lake near Albion on Wednesday with a large attendance of members from Lenawee, Hillsdale, Branch, Kalamazoo and Calhoun counties. In the forenoon a business meeting was held and at noon a light lunch was served, the afternoon devoted to recreation. At 5:30 a chicken fry was served at the hotel. Roy Shattuck and C. E. Marsh were in charge of arrangements. This is an annual affair and much of interest to the profession is gleaned at the meeting. Undertaker Harold Young and wife were present from this place.

AUCTION BILLS

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It is quite important that people coming to North Adams from a distance to get Auction Bills should be able to get the work at once and take it away with them. This is what we aim to do, and if you will call the Advocate on the telephone we can so arrange the matter. You furnish the copy we do the rest. Bills are necessary for stores.

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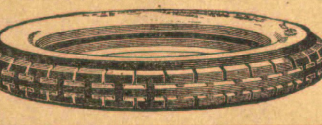

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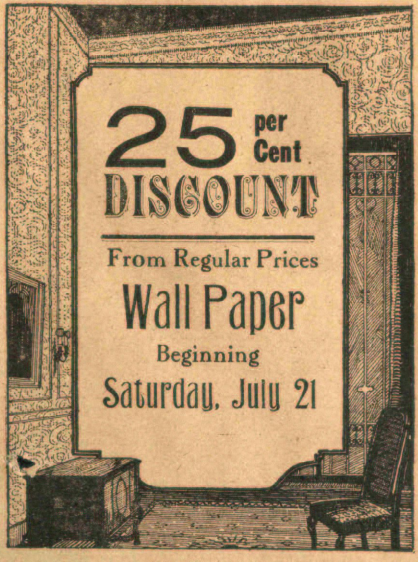

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Onsted is planning the erection of a new $50,000 school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Routzon are entertaining relatives from Ohio.

Arlington Rodlam of Jonesville was in North Adams on business Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Dietz who has been very ill, is recovering but is unable to leave the house.

Claude Reed and family are enjoying a few days vacation visiting at the Fred Rock home.

Mrs. Harley Fry has been spending the past week in Ohio with her father who is not expected to live.

Frank G. Carrel of Chicago has been spending a few days with his brother, Rev. M. D. Carrel and wife

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clement of South Bend, Indiana, are spending the week with Mr. Clement's niece, Miss Ethel Clement.

Payne & Green are putting on a special sale for Saturday July 25th. For only 34c you can buy a ten-quart heavy galvanized pail.

At the annual school meeting of Moscow District No. 1 Hugh Gochanour was elected to succeed himself and Steve Drake was elected to succeed Charles Tryon.

Mrs. Minor Kinght and children and Richard Knight of Cambria Adrienne Erickson and Margaret Smith of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Porter Friday.

Charles Quick and wife from near Grand Rapids are visiting at the homes of Edgar Purcell and Geo. Hayhoe. Mrs. Quick is a sister of Mrs. Hayo and Mr. Purcell.

G. A. Emerich, editor of the Pittsford Reporter, was in North Adams on Wednesday to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. B. Roberts, and while here made the Advocate a call.

The Jackson Citizen-Patriot in the issue of July 19th gave quite a write-up of the recent undertaker's picnic at Duck Lake accompanied by a picture of the crowd taken at the Lake.

The sound of the thresher is heard in the land, and signs of fall begin to appear. The coal man and the wood man are the only boys we know who are really happy to see it come.

Dodge Brothers Auto Co. at Detroit is planning to expend $8,000,000 in the erection of new buildings and calculates to build 1,500 autos each day instead of 1,100 as now. Construction work will be finished January 1, 1926.

James Meeks and Ruel VanWert were sent to Camp Rademaker at Bear Lake as representatives of De Molay chapters at Jonesville and Sturgis. They have returned and report a splendid time and Camp Rademaker as an ideal resort.

Don't forget that C. S. Wertz is offering some very surprising bargains in every day groceries, and he has a combination for 98c which beats the oldest. Just think of buying enough soap to last all summer and a galvanized pail all for 98c. See his ad on back page for particulars.

The Community dinner at the I. O. O. F. Hall Jerome on Thursday was attended by a large crowd. $13 was added to the Church Community fund. Rev. Scott attended the dinner Thursday and in the evening accompanied the Boy Scouts to Somerset Center where the Boy scout meeting was held.

Mrs. W. H. Huff of Snohomish Washington passed away at the home of her daughter Mrs. Edna Serviss, recently and was buried in Snohomish beside her husband The Huffs lived in this village 30 years ago and he was at one time village president. From here they removed to Jackson where he was a guard in the state Penitentiary and later they went to Washington.

We are in receipt of an exceedingly handsome booklet illustrating the grand Union Station of Chicago recently completed by the Chicago & Alton, the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, the Chicago, Milwaukee & StPaul and Pennylvania Systems on Canal street and the printing and designing is by R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., of Chicago and one of the finest examples of off-set half-tone work we have seen.

Will Parish of this place accompanied by Abner Young of Jonesville expects to leave the latter part of this week for a trip to Northern Michigan by automobile They will follow the west coast pike to Petoskey and Bay View thence to the Straits and across the point to Cheboygan returning by way of Saginaw and Bay City They are carrying all camping paraphanalia and will be away two or three weeks.

Rev. M. D. Carrell is confined to the house by illness.

Leland Foster of Lansing is visiting his mother Mrs. Nellie Foster.

If your receipt says your time in the Advocate has expired, call in and renew.

J. W. Lynch who is spending the summer in Detroit was home over Sunday.

Dr. O. G. McFarland was in Hillsdale Monday on Surgical duty at the Kiwanis Clinic.

George Cheever and family of Jackson are visiting his sister, Mrs. Edna Hewitt in this village.

—House in this village for rent Well and cistern, small fruit. 6tf
Inquire of Howard Williams

For Rent—Good barn in the heart of this village suitable for automobile. Inquire at this office.

All aboard for the Sunday school picnic at Devils Lake! Are you going? Of course you are! Why not?

Coe Emens of Prattville has again been adjudged the healthiest boy in Michigan at the M. C. S. meeting recently held.

Rev. A. L. Bell and family and grandson of Pontiac are spending the week at the home of George Fullerton and wife.

George Combs and family of Romeo are here for a visit with her parents A. J. Pendell and wife. Mr. Combs is Supt. of schools at Romeo

The postponed meeting of the Rebekah Aid Society will be held Friday evening July 31, at the home of Mable Goodacre. Program and pot luck supper.

Mrs. Hazel Whiteford and two daughters and Joe Simmonds were guests at the Wertz home in the village this week. Mrs. Whiteford is a sister and Mr. Simmonds a cousin of Mrs. Wertz.

The next Cottage prayer meeting will be held Tuesday evening July 28th at the home of Joseph North in this village. Mr. North is the leader of the evening. Interdenominational. All invited.

William Goodacre and wife entertained at birthday dinner on Sunday in honor of James Elliott and William Goodacre the following: I. R. Elliott and family of Plymouth, Harvey Helmick and wife, George Hackett and wife and Clarence Hackett, wife and daughter Joyce of Coldwater.

Postmaster Claude VanWert will take one week's vacation beginning Monday, July 27. Miss Grace Smith will have charge of the post-office during Mr. Van Wert's absence and will be assisted by Miss Frances Haskell. Mr. VanWert and family will visit his mother at New London, Ohio.

The usual good attendance at the Wednesday evening movies was noted and judging from the commotion the pictures were good hits. This is something the business men of North Adams are more than pleased to put up for the benefit of customers in this vicinity. If you have not already taken advantage of the Free Movies, come out and enjoy the entertainment.

We note with pleasure that our Secretary of State, Charles DeLand is advocating the changing of the automobile laws in Michigan. He thinks a driver should be granted a license for the life of his car, and not be compelled to renew each year. This would prevent the trouble both to state and owner. Then Mr. DeLand advocates a gas tax of 3c per gallon be placed on gas and the proceeds he believes would take care of the road program to the extent of $7,000,000 or $8,000,000 for construction each year, and the expensive process of collecting the license fees would be done away with Just as we always claimed—the cost of collection eats up too large a slice of the tax and should be cut out.

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Congregational Church Calendar

The theme for the morning worship will be "The Joy of Discovery" Come! Help make the services this summer attractive by being at church.

Morning worship at 10:30 and Sunday school following the church service.

Methotdis Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Subject for morning sermon Sunday July 26, "A Christian, What Are They?" and for evening service "Danger Signals."

Pleasant Ridge Camp Meeting at Quincy, Michigan begins July 30, and there is an excellent program for this season of the best talent obtainable. Dates are from July 30 to August 9th, and it is hoped a large representation will be present from this village and vicinity. Pleasant Ridge is an ideal location near Quincy and you can't afford to miss at least one or two Sundays over there.

On account of the Pleasant Ridge Camp meeting there will be no evening services at the Methodist church in this village either on August 2nd or August 9th, as the Epworth Choir will be furnishing music at the camp meeting.

Notice To Property Owners

No attention so far has been paid to the notice published last week to clean the closets inside the corporation. If this is not attended to at once the work will be done and a charge made against the property.
8t2 Village Council

An Original Poem

Our former townsman, Henry J. Sawin of Grand Rapids has entered a literary career. Following is one of his compositions which hits the nail squarely on the head:

HELP!! HELP!!

O brother censor, listen to my tale of woe
Dear hubby's gone to yonder picture show

The wolf is growling at the door
The carpet gone from off the floor

The cupboard's empty—not a crumb I know
While Daddy's at the measly pictur' show.

Dear brother listen, do I pray
And see if aught can save the day

Call Mrs. Pan from England's shores so green
And have her cast a bit of TNT on the screen

I've rubbed the washboard day and night
Of cash I've saved quite a sight

To find when I returned to count my dough
That Hubby'd copped it, and was at the show

The halls are silent, still and dumb;
The bar-room's empty—on the bum

And may we, who reason well (I trow)
Point to that awful movie pictur' show.

H. S.

The Advocate expects to run 8 eight pages next week, in a special farm edition.

Rebekahs Install Officers

Abigail Rebekah Lodge No. 42, held its regular meeiing at I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening as follows: Miss Murel Owen D. D. P. acted as installing officer assisted by Mrs. Allie Holkins as grand marshal. n. g. Margaret Painter; v. g., Lillian Fuller; rec. sec., Ida Relyea; treas., Sarah Winchell; r. s. n. g., Addie VanAken; l. s. n. g., Etta Corey; r. s. v. g., Martha Horn; l. s. v. g., Sarah Stett; cond., Mable Goodacre; chap., Luella Helmick; warden, Grace Doolittle; inside guard, Bertha Stranger; outside guard, John Horn. Following the installation a social hour wos enjoyed and ice cream and cake were served.

ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT

Following is the annual school financial report of District No. 3, North Adams for the fiscal year:

EXPENDITURES

Paid Men Teachers	$3,850 00
" Wom. teachers	4,060 00
" Janitor	600 00
" School Books	393 06
" Borrowed money	2,000 00
" Incidentals	3,444 79
" Cash	774 11
Total	$15121 96

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand	$ 380 59
Rec'd Loans	2,500 00
Primary money	1,400 00
Library	17 25
Voted money	7,000 00
Mill tax	422 82
Sale school books	319 95
Tuition	3,081 35
Total	$15121 96

Bert S. Taylor, Treasurer

BABY CHICKS

Reduced prices for June and July

Barred Rocks R. I. Reds White Wyandottes White Leghorns	$11.00 per 100
Anconas Brown Leghorns	$10.00 per 100
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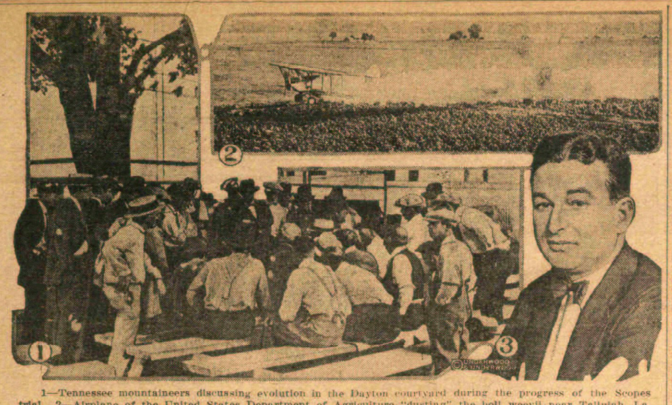


1—Tennessee mountaineers discussing evolution in the Dayton courtyard during the progress of the Scopes trial. 2—Airplane of the United States Department of Agriculture "dusting" the boll weevil near Tallulah, La. 3—Floyd R. Harrison, appointed director of the War Finance corporation to succeed Frank W. Mondell.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Progress of the Anti-Evolution Trial—Civil War in China Is Renewed.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

YOU can't get away from the Tennessee evolution case, if you read the daily papers or listen in on the radio. Although Dayton is disappointed in the number of visitors attracted by the trial, there are swarms of reporters and news photographers there, all exceedingly busy. Considerable progress was made in the first week of the case. The defense made another attempt to stop the trial by asking Judge Rauiston to quash the indictment on the ground that the anti-evolution law is unconstitutional. In denying the motion the judge ruled that the law does not violate the right of free worship or free speech, and does not violate section 1 of the fourteenth amendment to the federal Constitution which provides that no man shall be deprived of his life, liberty or property except by due process of law, and that all men shall enjoy equal rights under the law. On every point brought up by it the defense was overruled.

Though defeated in this matter, the motion to quash gave Clarence Darrow his first good chance for oratory and argument, and it also laid the ground for carrying the case on up to the Supreme court. The Chicago agnostic made a stirring speech in which he asserted that unless constitutional guarantees were upheld in this case, unless the anti-evolution law were killed, the liberties of church and press and school would be taken away. He described the theory of evolution as a wonderful conception of the processes of life in which was a God who did not stop when he made the first man out of dust, but works on forever and forever. He declared the fundamentalists were leading America back to the Sixteenth century of ignorance and bigotry and denounced Bryan as "the man responsible for this foolish, mischievous and wicked act."

There were many sharp exchanges between counsel, but during the first days Mr. Bryan generally kept his seat, biding his time. In another matter the defense met early defeat. Judge Raulston started in by having the day's proceedings opened with prayer. To this Darrow and Malone made formal objection, arguing that the case was one in which the state claimed there was a conflict between science and religion and that prayers might unduly influence the jury. The judge ruled against them, saying this was a matter wholly within the discretion of the court. Attorney Hays for the defense asked that other ministers than the fundamentalists of Dayton be selected to deliver the prayers, and on Wednesday the invocation was by Rev. Dr. Charles Francis Potter of New York, Universalist, who was expected to be a witness for the defense later on. The jury was sworn in and Attorney General Stewart briefly stated the case of the prosecution. Mr. Malone followed with a statement of the defense's case in the course of which he said:

"While the defense thinks there is a conflict between evolution and the Old Testament we believe there is no conflict between evolution and Christianity. There may be a conflict between evolution and the peculiar ideas of Christianity such as are held by Mr. Bryan, the evangelist leader of the prosecution; but we deny that the evangelical leader of the prosecution is an authorized spokesman for the Christians of the United States. The defense maintains that there is a clear distinction between God, the church, the Bible, Christianity, and Mr. Bryan.

"We shall prove our philosophy and principles from the lips of witnesses who are a part of the prosecution."

The court here sustained objections of the state to the mention of Bryan by name, whereupon Malone, calling that gentleman "the evangelical spokesman of the prosecution," quoted from an article written by Bryan 20 years ago on Jefferson's ideas of religious freedom. In this article Bryan said that religion does not need the support of government to overcome error and that any attempt to compel people to accept a religious doctrine by act of law does not make Christians, but hypocrites. Malone added: "We of the defense appeal from his (Bryan's) fundamentalist views of today to his philosophical views of yesterday, when he was a modernist, from our point of view."

Seven witnesses for the state were called to the stand, some of them being pupils of Scopes. They testified that Scopes taught the theory of evolution, and this being all the state desired to show, it rested its case. The defense introduced the first of its witnesses, Dr. Maynard M. Metcalf, former professor of zoology in Oberlin college, Ohio. Attorneys for the prosecution objected to the competency of scientific testimony in the case and, the jury being excluded, the judge had Doctor Metcalf answer the questions the defense desired to ask concerning the nature of the theory of evolution. He outlined the fundamental proofs of evolution, and concluded: "The series of proofs are so convincing that any informed man cannot doubt the probability of man's evolution."

Next day the attorneys began their arguments for and against the admission of expert testimony by scientists and others. William J. Bryan, Jr., opened for the prosecution.

Bryan senior followed his son with an impassioned plea for revealed religion, for the Bible's account of creation and for salvation. He lambasted the scientists, most of whom he said did not believe in God, and made scathing allusions to Darrow with particular reference to the Loeb-Leopold case.

Then came Dudley Field Malone with an eloquent presentation of the case for science and a demand for freedom to search for the truth. He had no words derogatory of the Bible or of religion, and he won fully as much applause as did Mr. Bryan.

CIVIL war has really broken out again in China, and this may prevent the calling of a conference to revise the treaties. Anyhow, France and Japan seem disposed to stand by Great Britain in her objection to any such revision at this time. President Coolidge's position, made public after a conference with Secretary Kellogg and reiterated by Minister MacMurray on his arrival in Peking, is that the foreign powers and China must scrupulously observe the Washington conference pacts and that China must take adequate measures for the protection of foreigners. The President also has more than intimated that it would be wise to hold soon an international conference to revise China's unequal treaties.

Although it was expected the civil war would first appear in the provinces of Chekiang and Kiangsu, where Chang Tso-lin was sending troops to combat the military governor, Sun Chuang-fang, it was in Szechuan province that hostilities broke out. Yang Sen, the government general, attacked rival commanders near Chungking.

Negotiations for the settlement of the Shanghai controversy arising from the riots and killing of students seem doomed to failure because the foreigners themselves are quarreling. Peking refuses to treat with Great Britain alone in the matter. The Chinese charge that the foreigners in Shanghai have attempted to set up an independent state which is not responsible to any foreign government. The Latin and Scandinavian settlements assert that the Shanghai settlement is responsible to the powers, who have the right to remove municipal officers, but the British, Americans and Japanese oppose this view. Municipal officials claim that neither the powers nor the Chinese have any right to interfere in the Shanghai settlement.

KING VICTOR EMMANUEL of Italy, according to an announcement by the secretary of the Fascist party, has signed a general amnesty order, effective August 6, which presumably will set free, among many others, the six Fascist leaders who are accused of the murder of Deputy Matteotti. This news aroused the opposition parties to such an extent that sensational measures were planned to influence the king not to include those men in the amnesty. A document was prepared for presentation to the king asserting that a Fascist terrorist organization similar to the Russian cheka exists in Italy with the approval of Premier Mussolini to get rid of the opposition leaders.

The London Telegraph says there is in existence an energetic international campaign to overthrow Mussolini and the Fascist regime and that "occult forces, from Wall street to Vienna and from Milan to Moscow, are working to this end." They are said to have adopted the method of "boring from within" and to be well supplied with funds.

DEFIANTLY refusing to resign at the demands of his political enemies, Foreign Minister Stresemann of Germany will stand or fall on the success of his security pact negotiations with Great Britain and France, and he has drafted his reply to the French note, though its contents have not been made public. It is said Stresemann thinks his plan will enable Germany to free itself from the Rapallo treaty and Russia and would go far toward preventing a war between the western powers and Russia fought on German soil.

IN A desperate attempt to break through the Taza-Fez line and capture the capital before the French and Spanish get their co-operative campaign working, Abd-el-Krim began an attack with all his forces along a 200-mile front. The Riffians passed the French blockhouse line and were fighting about 25 miles north of Fez and 20 miles north of Taza. Many more tribesmen hitherto friendly to the French or neutral have been induced to join the Riff chief. France is hurrying reinforcements and has called for volunteers. Premier Painleve has accepted the offer of a number of Americans, formerly of the Lafayette Escadrille and the Foreign Legion, to enter the Sultan's army for the Morocco war and to form an aerial unit. Among these Americans are Commander Parker of Montana, who in the war commanded the American seaplane defense along the Italian coasts; Maj. Granville Pollock and Col. Charles Kerwood of New York, Paul Rockwell of Atlanta, Ga., and Maj. William Rogers of Pittsburgh, Pa.

LAST week President Coolidge pretty nearly passed up all business for rest and diversion. With Mrs. Coolidge he sailed on the Mayflower to Quincy on the Boston south shore, where he inspected the Lexington, the navy's big new airplane carrier now nearing completion, and then motored to the two old colonial cottages where Presidents John Adams and John Quincy Adams were born. Tuesday the President gave a luncheon for Count Alexander Skrzynski, Polish minister of foreign affairs; Assistant Secretary of State J. Butler Wright; James C. White, special secretary to Senator Butler of Massachusetts, John Hays Hammond, and Melville E. Stone, counselor for the Associated Press.

UNCLE SAM is advertising for bids from individuals and corporations for the operation of eight contract air mail routes. These routes are:

From Chicago to Birmingham, Ala., by way of Indianapolis, Louisville, Nashville and return.

From Chicago to St. Paul and Minneapolis by way of La Crosse, Wis., and return

From Chicago to Dallas and Fort Worth, Texas, by way of Moline, St. Joseph, Kansas City, Wichita and Oklahoma City, and return.

From Chicago to St. Louis by way of Springfield, Ill., and return.

From Boston to New York by way of Hartford, Conn., and return.

From Elko, Nev., to Pasco, Wash., by way of Boise, Idaho, and return.

From Salt Lake City to Los Angeles by way of Las Vegas, Nev., and return.

From Seattle, Wash., to Los Angeles by way of Portland, Medford, Sacramento, San Francisco, Fresno and Bakersfield.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY of New Jersey has adopted the eight-hour day instead of the twelve in its oil fields, and has readjusted the wage scale so that the men receive only $2 less for the shorter day. The employees agreed enthusiastically to the new schedule.

Expect Leipzig Fair Will Set New Record

Leipzig, Germany.—The Leipzig fair to be held from August 30 to September 9 promises to surpass any previous Leipzig expedition.

It is expected the attendance will be nearly double that of the spring fair, at which there were more than 180,000 business men from all parts of the world, with 14,000 exhibitors from 18 countries.

One of the features of the coming fair will be the huge underground exhibition hall, generally considered a technical world's wonder. Another prominent feature will be the machinery hall, conceded to be the largest exhibition hall in Germany. It occupies an area of 21,000 square meters. The old house for electro-techniques has been materially enlarged by two wings, each two stories high.

In order to furnish the necessary space for the erection of a number of new exhibition buildings, the municipality of Leipzig has placed a further area of 130,000 square meters at the disposal of the administrators of the fair. This permits sufficient space for the construction of a special freight station.

The magnitude of the fair has made a division into two sections necessary, "the general sample exhbit" and "the technical and constructive exhibit." The latter will continue four days longer than the former and will be arranged in fifteen halls. The "sample exhibition" will be in eighty halls and special buildings.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Lansing—The state administrative board released $50,000 of the $270,000 appropriation for a horticultural building at the Michigan State college.

Flint—The Detroit United Railway, which operates the street railway system here, has made a tentative offer to sell the railway to the city. The offer was in the form of an advertisement in a local newspaper.

Muskegon — Promoters for a new bank at Muskegon Heights announced a state charter would be applied for and that $40,000 of capital stock already had been subscribed. Stanley Risk, one of the promoters, said the bank probably would be opened within two months.

Muskegon—Many citizens thronged the city commission chamber recently to protest against the sale and removal of Pigeon Hill, largest of the Lake Michigan sand dunes. The dune has been purchased by private interests with the intention of removing it for commercial purposes.

Lansing—Investigation of the recent daring escapes from the branch prison at Marquette, in which Eddie Weisman, Isadore Londe, Vance Hardy and Joe Deflorio shot their way over the walls, was coupled with a report in the state capital that Warden James P. Corgan shortly would offer his resignation.

Negaunee—Puzzled as to how to proceed with the case of Fred Ross, 15 years old, charged with the murder of Joseph La Plante, Thomas Clancey, prosecuting attorney of Marquette county, has telegraphed Attorney General Dougherty, asking for his interpretation of the state law, relating to minors charged with murder.

Jackson—When Edward E. Marshall, 28 years old, stepped through the gate at the prison where he had just completed a six months' sentence for passing a worthless check, he was placed under arrest by Sheriff R. V. Rogers, of Glasgow, Mont., on a charge of grand larceny. The sheriff and his prisoner have departed for Montana.

Lansing—Steps which may lead to the removal of all projecting signs, including expensive electrical displays, from the streets of Lansing were taken at a recent meeting of the Merchants' bureau here. It was voted to name a committee to visit all the merchants in an effort to obtain a "gentlemen's agreement" to remove the signs.

Monroe—The city fire department is not to make any more runs outside of the corporate limits of Monroe unless such trips are sanctioned by the mayor and fire chief, the city commission decided. This action was taken largely because it was feared that the apparatus might be damaged on its runs into the country and the city would be in danger in case of fire.

Holland—Holland's new state armory will be completed and ready for the local company of guardsmen by July 22. The building is two stories and contains a shooting range, basketball court, billiard room, veteran's room, two office rooms and two lounge rooms. Henry Geerds, commander of the local company, was instrumental in securing the building.

Owosso — Although three new school have been built here in the last three years, Owosso's school tax rate will be lower for 1924-25 than in 1821-22, the budget adopted by the city commission reveals. The rate will be $15.16 on each $1,000 of assessed valuation, against $17.39 in 1921-22. The budget totals $250,000, or $25,000 less than that of last year.

Lansing—Permission has been given a voting machine company to install three of its machines in city precincts for a test at the next election, it was announced at the city hall. One of the machines has been in the city hall for some months to allow citizens an opportunity to inspect it. If the machines prove satisfactory, it is expected they will be installed throughout the city.

Lansing—No charter hereafter will be granted by the State Department to any proposed new building and loan association which does not capitalize for $1,000,000 or has fewer than 15 members on its board of directors. This was one of the rules announced by Charles J. De Land, Secretary of State, before a meeting of building and loan representatives held in the Senate Chamber here.

Marshall—Interurban lines will not be discontinued in this locality if the M. E. R. is granted permission to operate busses paralleling its own lines. Instead, interurbans will carry freight and perhaps some passengers, while the busses will handle the burden of passenger travel between Jackson, Marshall, Battle Creek and Kalamazoo, according to a statement by J. J. Mahoney, superintendent of M. E. R.

Muskegon—Charles Hackley Lee, 35 years old, heir to the millions of Charles Hackley, pioneer lumberman, and Paul A. Peterson, garage owner, were killed by a runaway speed boat, shortly before the opening of the Theatrical Colony Yacht Club's annual regatta. Lee and Peterson with Carl Weslund and S. Bromley, were thrown from Lee's speed boat, Sneakey, while making a short turn. Rescuers kept back by the runaway speed boat which kept running for more than two hours in a small circle.

Ann Arbor—Arrangements whereby a debating team from the University of Michigan will be sent to England in May, 1926 to meet colleges of that country are being completed, it was learned here. While no definite statement would be made by members of the public speaking department, it is known that as soon as guarantees are posted by the English schools, the final arrangements will be made. A special team will be selected from among the members of Delta Sigma Rho, National Honor Forensic Fraternity, according to Prof. Trueblood.

Monroe—Out of 17,740 cattle tested in 11 townships in Monroe county, 957 were afflicted with tubercular trouble, according to reports received here by C. L. Burton, Monroe county agent. The test was authorized by the board of supervisors.

Port Huron—Henry Ford has begun a new crusade—a crusade to revive the courtly dances of 1850. Ford made his statement after his first attempt to popularize the old-fashioned polka and quadrille at costume party given at the Harbor Beach Casino.

Lansing—An elaborate road-building show will be held in Grand Rapids, Oct. 28 to 30, it was announced here by officials of the Michigan Association of County Road Commissioners and Engineers. The State Highway department will co-operate.

Marshall—Mayor Harold C. Brooks has announced that he will inaugurate a campaign to make Marshall a more beautiful city. He has engaged John Bell, of Chicago, a graduate landscape architect from Pennsylvania State college, to supervise the work.

Owosso—Owosso's school tax rate will be the lowest this year it has been since 1921. The rate is $15.16, compared with $17.39 in 1921-22. Meanwhile, three new schools have been built. The budget this year amounts to $250,000 or $25,000 lower than it was a year ago.

Pontiac—C. E. Tilotson was re-elected school trustee by a vote of 339 against George Richardson, 235, and F. Homer Newton, 285. His term is for three years. The vote was the largest ever polled in Pontiac. The proposal to supply free textbooks in the schools of the city was defeated by a vote of 419 to 377.

Flint—Chief of Police James Cole of Flint, whose department is among the pioneers in the United States in the use of radio for tracing criminals, will keep in touch with his work while he is at the convention of the International Association of Police Chiefs at Indianapolis, by means of the local wireless station.

Saginaw—The prosecutor's office is considering what action to take relative to Sunday night dancing in this county. Two places, Riverside park and Indiantown, operated in defiance of the old "blue law." Officers took the names of a number of persons who were present. The dances were orderly and well patronized.

Kalamazoo—At the end of the first ten days of the summer session, Western State Normal has the largest enrollment in the history of the school's summer terms, according to John C. Hoekje, registrar. The total enrollment to date is 1,902, which is 18 more than the record breaking enrollment of the 1924 summer term.

Detroit—Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck and H. E. Whittenberger, general manager of the Grand Trunk Railway lines west of Detroit and St. Clair Rivers, conferred on removing the company's tracks eastward for the stretch of several miles adjoining Woodward avenue south of Birmingham, where the company's present right-of-way is needed for the widening of Woodward avenue.

Alpena—Each year traffic counts have shown a steady increase in travel on the state highways in the vicinity of Alpena, and this year will be no exception to the rule, as evidenced by the report of one road patrolman south of Mikado, who counted 726 automobiles passing on M-10 within a period of two hours. The counts are used by the state to determine the wear on the roads and amount of maintenance needed.

Spring Lake—More than 50 resorters at this fashionable summer resort narrowly escaped death when the ferry boat Comet, operated on Spring Lake, between here and Grand Haven, caught fire some distance from shore while making a trip. The flames spread so rapidly that the crew barely had time to bring the boat to the dock here before it was enveloped in fire. All of the passengers jumped ashore, unharmed.

Marquette—The state prison commission is searching for some more effective way of keeping criminals within the walls of the branch prison here. A plan to place a high voltage wire fence along the top of the present prison wall is being considered, according to Alton T. Roberts, a member of that body. Construction of a sharply barbed overhanging fence also has been suggested. Governor Groesbeck is insisting that something be done and the commission is to act at once.

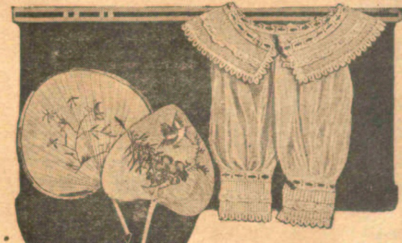
Menominee—Ruth Silvernale, 18 years old, a student at Northwestern University and a daughter of John L. Silvernale, superintendent of the Menominee schools, and Wellsley McCormick, 18 years old, a student at Culver Military academy, and a son of G. W. McCormick, president of the Menominee River Sugar Co., were rescued from drowning when their sail-rigged cat-boat tipped over a mile from shore here. The rescue was effected by members of the crew of the U. S. gunboat Wilmington.

Kalamazoo—Plans are being completed by the extension department of Western State Normal school for a field trip through northern Michigan, in charge of Dr. L. A. Kenoyar, of the department of biology. It is expected that 25 students will make the trip, credit for which will be given toward the life certificate and the bachelor of arts degree. The party will start from Kalamazoo August 8. Points of interest to be visited and studied include the Intelochen state park Torch and Elk lakes and biological station at Douglas lake.

Camp Custer—Secretary of Labor James L. Davis inspected Camp Custer recently. Greeted by a salute of 19 guns he was escorted on a tour of inspection by Colonel Cromwell Stacey and Colonel Morris M. Keck. He expressed approval on the exceptional condition of the camp and splendid training the men were receiving. Preparations have been completed for the comfort and welfare for 3,400 boys of the Citizens Military Training camp who will arrive here July 23. Colonel Stacey is commanding officer in absence of General Poore.

Pretty Things that are made at Home

IN THE matter of dress accessories, there is no doubt that costume flowers and neckwear hold the center of the stage in current styles and that the management of color is the most important factor in their success. In scarfs, midsummer has brought with it some new features—the ensemble idea is discernible everywhere, and is reflected in scarfs of chiffon with hand-painted borders that repeat the decorative design in the dress they accompany. Crepe de chine scarfs take their cue from felt or fabric sports hats to match, painted sometimes with little landscapes or water views. Hand painting in cubist or flowered patterns, in vivid or pastel colors, flourishes on gowns, hats and scarfs and invites the amateur artist to try her skill. The scarfs have picot edges.



Some Late Accessories.

Next to the scarf the jabot and collar and sleeve sets are important. These are made of lace or net and lace combinations and the jabot is attached to either round or high collar along the edge of a length of insertion or tucked net. A collar and sleeve set of tucked net and lace is shown in the picture. Narrow lace and a heavy beading are used—the beading carrying baby ribbon in black. With the vogue for long sleeves these new under sleeves prove very useful, worn under three-quarter length sleeves in the frock, because they can be easily kept clean.

Costume flowers employ both ribbons and millinery flowers—mostly the latter—and are used on the majority of afternoon dresses and practically all evening dresses. Nothing flourishes with equal exuberance except the boutonniere. Everybody wears a flower of some sort, pinned somewhere, about the neck or on the coat lapel. Gardenias, chrysanthemums, roses, pansies, and many other blossoms finish the summer costume.

Even palm leaf and other plain fans come in for a colorful finishing touch in the hands of beauty-loving women. A palm-leaf fan is shown in the picture with a floral pattern sketched on it with bright silk floss and a small heart-shaped bamboo fan is painted with flowers and a bright-winged bird.

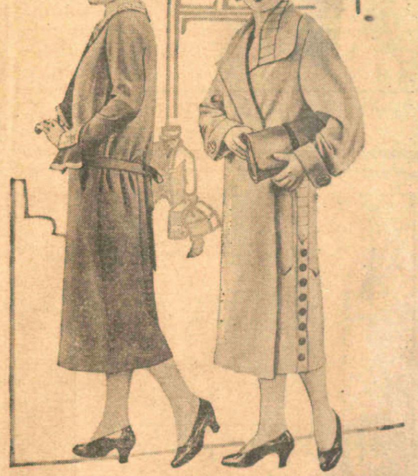
But the small palm-leaf fan is at its prettiest when it is trimmed with narrow satin ribbon and finished with ribbon or millinery flowers. Ribbon about an inch and a half or two inches wide in any desired color is used for winding the handle and making a finishing bow at the top of the handle. Here a cluster of flowers or a little nosegay is posed. The binding is usually shirred on and the fans may be painted, but are pretty anyway.

To Americans journeys in vacation time are as much a matter of course as three meals a day. Means for getting somewhere else and back are more and more convenient and practical and nearly every one travels.

The most experienced travelers—the globe trotters—have learned to travel light; that is, they go unencumbered by any unnecessary luggage. Blithely now the up-to-date nomad takes her suitcase in hand, throws her coat over her arm and starts to Europe or around the world and always manages to look well dressed.

The foundation of her wardrobe is found to be a plain tailored suit, a practical cloth dress, a smart, cozy and serviceable coat and a more or less simple street hat, chosen according to the length of her journey. Her suit is likely to be of tweed, her dress of jersey or twill or kasha and her coat of twill or a pile fabric. A black satin and a white crepe de chine skirt and several pretty blouses tell the story of her dressier clothes, and such is the light and filmy character of these and her underthings that they take up little room. "Luggage" and "tuckaway" hats that can be flattened out when not on duty and carried in a suitcase afford a change of headwear. They are made of silk or other fabrics and are shapely when adjusted to the head. Even the umbrella and small camera are stowed away with other belongings. As for accessories—the fewer the better unless they are "built in" the dress or blouse as in the frock shown at the left of the picture. This is a straight-line affair, with collar and cuffs of embroidered crepe de chine and a jabot and sleeve frills of plaited crepe like the frock in color. But there are any number of designs in frocks of this kind that are easy to get off and on with simple fastenings. These are points to be considered by the traveler. Once on and fastened they are complete in themselves—and good looking.

The coat at the right has the same commendable features—it is practical and attractive and roomy enough to be worn over a suit if needed for warmth.



New Styles for Travel Wear.

Twill is very practical for traveling coats and so are the various soft suede-finished or pile fabrics.

A short journey may require less shaving down of one's belongings, but if it is to be a sight-seeing trip much luggage is a bother. Besides if the worst comes to the worst and no porter is at hand the lighter the baggage the better.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Pink and Black

A color innovation in millinery is the use of black and pink instead of black and white where it is desired to relieve the all-black. Age determines the shade of pink that is considered appropriate to the wearer. The shades of pink vary from shell to old rose.

Coats Are Shorter

Coats that are a few inches shorter than the frock are most frequently seen, though there is a tendency toward shorter models.

Ribbon Hem

The straight-line gown of printed crepe de chine has godets set in to make the frilly flare now so popular. The hem on these frocks frequently is an inch band of ribbon in harmonizing or contrasting shades.

Tub Silks for Sports

Tub silks are very much in vogue for sports wear, and when the fabric is striped, horizontal and vertical effects are combined in a most attractive manner.

Advocate and Michigan Farmer Both $2.15

A WONDERFUL TRIP ON A BEAUTIFUL SHIP

Big Str. Tashmoo

From Ft. of Griswold St., DETROIT, daily for

PORT HURON, SARNIA, TASHMOO PARK, ALGONAC, ST. CLAIR FLATS

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Arrive Back 8 P. M.

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Every Saturday and Sunday 8:30 P.M. Back 11:30 P. M. 75c.

Beautiful new Dancing Arbor on "B" Deck, and free dancing all day at Tashmoo Park. Dining service, lunch counter, refreshment rooms and private parlors aboard. Wonderful fishing at St. Clair Flats. Round trip fares—Port Huron or Sarnia $2; Tashmoo Park week days 80c, Sundays $1.25; St. Clair Flats Points week days $1, Sundays $1.25; Algonac $1.50

White Star Navigation Co., Ft. of Griswold St., Detroit, Mich.

Visit Detroit This Summer
And Enjoy a Real Vacation

Put-In-Bay in Lake Erie

The most picturesque and delightful Summer pleasure Island near Detroit. Every sport that pleases: Bathing, dancing, sailing; explore the mysterious caves; see Perry's battle monument, picnic groves, athletic fields. Numerous fine hotels and cottages cater to Summer visitors and at reasonable prices. Stay a day or a week and enjoy yourself, forget your troubles and renew your health.

This beautiful island playground is reached only by the palatial and speedy day excursion steamer PUT-IN-BAY. One great deck devoted to dancing and music; restful cabins and breeze-swept open decks.

Steamer PUT-IN-BAY gives excursions daily from Detroit to Put-In-Bay Island at 9 a. m. from the wharf at the foot of First Street. Four hours crowded with pleasure at the island, and arrive back in Detroit at 8 p. m. Fare for the round trip 80 cents week days; Sundays and Holidays, $1.25.

Cedar Point and Sandusky, Ohio

After leaving Put-In-Bay Island the steamer sails on through the narrow channels among the delightful Lake Erie Islands to Sandusky and Cedar Point, Ohio.

Cedar Point, just across the bay from Sandusky, is known as the Atlantic City of the West. With its huge hotels, electric park, magnificent bathing beach and board walk it is easily the Queen of the Great Lakes Summer resorts.

On Fridays, after July 4, steamer Put-In-Bay gives a special excursion to Cedar Point, allowing four hours at the wonderful resort, and reaching Detroit at 10:30 p. m.

Dancing Moonlights
Leaves Detroit 8:45 p. m.
Fare, Wed., Thurs. 60c. Sat., Sun. and Holidays, 75c.

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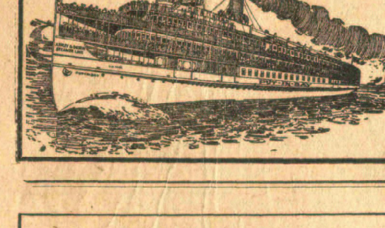

Merit—
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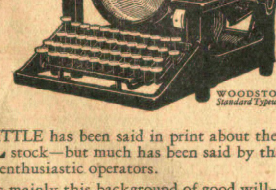

WOODSTOCK
Standard Typewriter

LITTLE has been said in print about the Woodstock—but much has been said by thousands of enthusiastic operators.

It's mainly this background of good will—earned by good performance—that is responsible for its success.

Users will tell you the Woodstock is a most exceptional typewriter—a composite of all improvements conducive to effortless writing—*plus* a rare beauty of type and sturdiness of construction that stamps this machine as a thing apart.

Ask for Demonstration

WOODSTOCK

Farmers Will Study M. S. C. Test Fields

Guided by special tour routes, which are to be lined out by arrows and signs, thousands of Michigan farmers will inspect the extensive experimental fields at M. S. C. on Friday, July 31.

While the entertainment side of the farm day is being given a lot of attention this year, the fact that most of the visitors will be interested in the scientific agricultural work at the college is not being lost sight of by those in charge of arrangements. Inspection trips to various parts of the 1,200 acre farm so planned as to "take in" the most interesting features, are being carefully outlined.

Hundreds of acres of crops and soils test work, forest nurseries and woodlots, truck gardens, orchards, the livestock barns, and the college buildings themselves are included in some one of the several optional tours which will be ready for inspection.

The horse pulling contest, using the new dynamometer, will rival the tours for morning interest, while everything will center around the big open air meeting in the afternoon. The general meeting is scheduled to start at one o'clock eastern time, and will include various entertainment features in addition to the strong speaking program.

As usual, farmers are being urged "bring the whole family" to the July 31 conference. Farmers Day really takes the form of a big informal picnic, the entire family finding interest in the day's program

President Kenyon L. Butterfield of the M. S. C. is to address the seventh annual meeting of the Michigan Potato Growers Exchange during its gathering at Cadillac on August 19 and 20, according to announcement just made here. It will be Dr. Butterfield's first appearance before the potato growers. The exchange is a cooperative marketing organization numbering more than 7,500 state farmers among its members.

Gone Before

By request of the friends we are publishing the following obituary, which should have appeared before but it was accidentally sent to Hudson.

Again the silent messenger's power is felt, severing the silver cord of the life of Mary McGregor Rickard, who was born May 19, 1852 in Canandaigua, N. Y. the third of a family of eight children of Hamilton McGregor and wife, and entered into the realm of the eternal beyond from the home of her son, Otis, in Pittsford, dying of double pneumonia, June 10, 1925, aged 74 years.

Her relatives and a large circle of friends were shocked to learn of her quick response to the swift summons, when a loving Mother and a kind friend and neighbor was called hence by the death angel, and who has forever left the now wrecked earthly home in which she passed the 53 years since her marriage with Willard Rickard, Oct. 26, 1872, who preceded her into rest Dec. 13, 1910, leaving life's burdens for the faithful wife to bear alone. She was true to his memory and their family of three boys: Gaylord of Detroit; Otis of Pittsford, both grown to manhood, and who survive her, Howard W. having died in '84 aged 4 years; two sisters, two brothers, with several nephews and neices also are left to mourn the loss of one who will, be sadly missed.

Aching hearts were left behind as she stepped across death's river to join those gone before, now locked in dreamless slumber, and soon her entire family will meet face to face, in the long promised and now present Restitution Times, fully realizing the joys of the Kingdom, now come to earth, where His will shall be done perfectly, as in Heaven.

And Mother dear, as in thy grave
lowlying,
We lay thee down to rest in dreamless sleep.—
And winds, in twilight soft and dim
Sigh over thee their vesper hymn
We should not mourn, thou art at rest,
God's will be done, His ways are best.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of Rev. McLouth's timely words of comfort, and the assistance and kindly sympathy of our friends and neighbors, manifested by their beautiful, gloom dispelling floral tokens and kindly services at the death and burial of our dear Mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Rickard,
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rickard,
Brothers and Sisters.

Repainting Automobiles

A new step towards progress in theautomobile industry has been reached by repainting experts who are now able to do in one or two days what formerly took two weeks or a month, according to L. Clayton Hill, sales manager for a large paint company here.

The resulting finish, he adds, has double or three times the life of the best repaint job of former years.

This is accomplished by a simple nitro-cellulose system which provides for instantaneous drying of the paint that is applied by means of an air brush. Materials used for repainting are of the nitro cellulose type and are quick drying in their nature.

The first step in this quick process is to thoroughly clean all the paint from the car. Then the first coat of varnish may be put on. Thirty minutes later the auto is ready for its second coat. The second coat, or gunglaze, takes several hours to dry thoroughly.

The third and final material used is the nitro cellulose enamel. Two or three coats of this finishing enamel are usually sufficient and, on account of the rapid drying properties, all enamel coats may be applied in one hour.

The Birth Of Prohibition

'Twas back in the days of 1873 in the small town of Hillsboro Ohio that 70 devoted women marched out in a snow storm the day before Christmas and prayed on their knees in front of the town's fifteen saloons. In the Dearborn Independent of July 11, 1925 is shown a picture of the scene taken from a rather ancient photograph. These women represented the sentiment at that time which was supposed to be present with cripples, women and old grannies, but today this very same sentiment is swaying our country from coast to coast, and is professed by not only old women, cripples and grannies but is looked upon by the masses as the coming salvation of the world. Our United States Commissioner of Prohibition, Roy A. Haynes, came from the town of Hillsboro and that explains why he is so earnest in the work. One of the women who knelt on that cold Christmas day in front of the grop shops was his grandmother and she was fully as sincere in her devotion to the cause of anti liquor as the illustrious grandson.

The striking originality of the affair in those days coupled with the town's respect for these God fearing women won the day, and it is claimed a propaganda was started which put every last saloon out of Hillsboro inside of four months time. Surely a Carrie Nation was not needed with her little hatchet just then but in due season she fulfilled her destiny.

Just a word concerning our able Commissioner of Prohibition: When Mr. Haynes was appointed to this office, President Harding had no less than fifty five applicants on the list for the job and every one of them he disregarded because he knew Mr. Haynes and he wanted a real man whom he could trust. Therefore he sent word to Mr. Haynes to come to Washington and there together he and the Chief Executive talked and canvassed the situation thoroughly. The task of watching America's big booze depository was not a desirable one and it is perfectly safe to gamble none would pick it out as the most pleasant, but Haynes felt much like the man who enlists to join the army—he was doing a real patriotic turn. As you will remember the country went officially dry on January 1, 1922, almost fifty years after the women of Hillsboro braved the wintry storm to convince wine bibbers they were on the wrong road.

Manufacture was simultaneously stopped leaving something like 300 bonded warehouses in this country filled to overflowing with the best of America's liquors, the work of guarding which fell to the appointed officers. Added to this, was the constant menace of moonshiners and home brewers who to this day are vindictive and troublesome—the denizens of every community in the United States.

With thousands of miles of Canadian border on our north the only separation between us and the soppers of Ontario, a vast conglomeration of human beings under Great Britian who have never known the curtailment of drinking, we are not surprised that occasionally the seething stinking mess boils over and slops into the United States In spite of man-made laws and State Police—in the eyes of the best dry navy in the world, these bootleggers and wet jobbers get across with thousands of cases of Canadian made liquors each year. But this fact need not discourage the faithful in the least—the fact is the percentage is so small compared to the enormous army of people effected that it is almost an atom in the world.

The sentiment in Europe and England is getting slightly dryer, and in Canada there is a pronounced dry party. Living in hope we are never despairing of being able to shut off the importation of liquors across our borders by Canada becoming dry. There is no reason why the people over there(our cousins as it were) will not in due season come to believe as a body that whisky and beer are bad.

Steamsr Rides Are Delightful

O. S. Dustin, general manager of the Ashley and Dustin Steamer line, foot of First street, Detroit, announces that the Steamer Put In Bay will sail from Detroit direct to Cedar Point on Lake Erie, every Friday during the balance of the present season.

Steamer Put In Bay for six days of the week sails from the dock at the foot of First street at 9 a. m., for Put In Bay and Sandusky, and passengers desiring to visit Cedar Point cross on the ferry from Sandusky, but cannot return the same day on the Put In Bay. On Friday however, the Put In Bay leaves Detroit at 9 a. m. stops at Put In Bay and then proceeds directly to Cedar Point and on the return trip the steamer leaves Sandusky at 4 p. m., Cedar Point, 5:30 p. m., Put In Bay at 7 p. m. and arrives in Detroit at 10:30 p. m. This arrangement of the schedule permits a stay of four hours at Cedar Point

Cedar Point, Ohio, is one of the most popular summer resorts in the vicinity of Detroit. It is a beautifully wooded paninsula with a bathing beach on the Lake Erie side of fine clean sand eight miles long. The board walk parade of wealth and beauty rivals Atlantic City. In a season of less than 90 days Cedar Point is visited by more than a million people. An attractive innovation of the preseut season is night bathing. made possible by the installation of a battery of flood lights which will permit bathing until midnight or after.

Summer-Time Radio Arrives

Fans and Broadcasters Prepare for the Summer Season's Big Events.

By E. E. BUCHER

General Sales Manager, Radio Corporation of America

Radio waves do not cease to travel through space just because the first signs of warm weather are at hand. Nor do broadcasters cease their efforts to entertain just because the enticing air of the great outdoors filters into their studio. Nor, again, does your receiving set, which has done so well during the long and dreary winter months, cease to obey the command of its user with the advent of the outdoor season.

Radio broadcasting continues to pursue its useful end in summer as well as winter. And granted that winter conditions are, in some measure, more ideally suited to radio transmission and reception, recent progress in radio has been so farreaching as to go a long way toward offsetting the original radio handicaps of the good old summer time.

A Condition of The Mind

Unannounced, atmospheric electricity has put in an appearance somewhat earlier this year than last, with apparently no serious effect; at least, radio listeners have failed to register complaints about the early arrival of static. This pleasing state of affairs would seem to indicate one of two things—or both, for that matter: first, ways and means have been introduced to reduce the heretofore annoying effects of the "muck of space" on radio broadcasting, and secondly, the fans' indifference to the delights of summer-time radio has been largely a condition of the mind and not altogether the fault of radio itself or, again, of the ether—that intangible medium which supplies the unlimited paths for the radio waves.

A number of broadcasting stations today are operating on an antenna rating greatly in excess of the power used last year. The power in many instances, has increased ten-fold. This implies a ten-fold increase in the signal strength at the receiving end. The majority of these high-power stations are located in the outskirts of the city with which they are individually identified—miles from the congested metropolitan areas with their masses of steel-framed buildings. In consequence their energy may radiate to better advantage. Today no part of the United States remains unserved by one or more broadcasting stations which, due to their proximity, may be considered practically as "locals," as distinguished from "DX" or distant stations.

"Not How Far But How Well"

In receiving from local stations during the summer-time the radio listener has the advantage of a high signal level as compared with the relatively low signal level from distant stations. It is to be expected, therefore, that the program originating at distant points during exceptionally warm, unsettled weather, when the atmosphere is surcharged with electricity will prove less desirable from the standpoint of clearness and freedom from mutilation than the local program.

It is a good rule, during the summer-time, to be satisfied with local programs. The winter-time offers an opportunity to test one's skill in tuning in far off stations, but once warm weather is here, the radio enthusiast should aim to get clean signals with a minimum of interference from local stations. Not how far, but how well, should be the summer-time slogan, of the radio fan.

"Super-Reception" for Summer

The development of the Super Heterodyne receiver is proving a real boom to summer-time radio. This receiver, operating in conjunction with a loop wave-interceptor, is remarkably free relatively from local static disturbances. The loop is directional, and since stray interference originates from definite sources on most occasions, the rotation of the loop will disclose a better signal-static ratio than is possible with the usual form of non-directional antenna system. Furthermore, the Super-Heterodyne receiver is highly selective, incorporating a series of tuned circuits, which "weed-out" undesired discharges to a considerable extent.

Not alone in radio receivers, but in loud-speaker design as well, have radio engineers endeavored to meet the demand for better summer reception. The early "tinny" horn type of loud speaker had a tendency to ring under the influence of the whip-crack impulse of static, thus aggravating the disturbances. The trend in loud-speaker design of late has been towards the elimination of sharp tuning peaks.

The Question of The Most Suitable Antenna

Interesting results may be obtained with small, indoor antennae during the summer season. In fact, the veteran radio listener generally makes use of an indoor antenna during the summer months; an indoor antenna may be nothing more than fifty feet of wire tucked behind the picture moulding around a room. If the radio listener has been using an exceptionally large outdoor antenna, one of 100 feet and over in length—it may be well to try a shorter outdoor antenna.

Exit Jupiter!

The more timid folks tear down their antenna with the first rumblings of thunder, yet these same timid folks fail to tear down telephone and lighting wires, plumbing fixtures, rain gutters and drain pipes. The properly erected antenna, suitably protected, is a highly efficient protection and not a hazard as some believe. Perhaps it is the lightning-like symbol employed in radio literature or the very mystery of radio that causes such apprehensions. However, now that popularized radio is in its fifth year and lightning has failed to work widespread havoc among the forests of antennae throughout the width and length of this country, it is time that this lightning fable should be forgotten What is the radio antenna? First, it is an excellent conductor of electricity, swinging high and clear of surrounding objects. Secondly, it is connected to the ground through a tiny air gap or vacuum gap of the lightning arrester. Many will recall the old time lightning rods, with their barbed spikes surmounting the roof of the house, their heavy cables kept clear of the building, and their positive ground connections. The modern radio antennae is nothing more than a modified lightning rod. And in actual practice it serves in much the same capacity. A radio antenna properly installed—which means that a lightning arrester of approved type should be used—will protect surrounding property.

Summer-Time Programs for Summer-Time Folks

And don't think for a moment that you can do without the radio during the summer. No matter whether you are doomed to stay in the city or are fortunate enough to spend your time in the mountains or at the seashore, you cannot afford to dispense with radio this summer of all summers.

Radio broadcasters have the interests of their audience more at heart than is generally supposed. Thus for the past month or two studio managers have been planning their summer programs so as to adapt them to the needs and interests of the listener in the summertime. Among this summer's programs there will be the leading sporting events, play by play, which we cannot afford to miss. There are to be timely talks on tennis, swimming, basketball and other games. There are to be talks on fishing and hunting. There are to be talks on automobiles and touring. And music! Imagine trying to get along without dance music and the latest songs and a little opera thrown in for good measure! Even the home-builder, whose thoughts gently turn to shingles and cement and plumbing with the approach of warm weather, will get some real advice via radio.

The summer-time programs of this year are to be just as indispensable as those of last winter. So, as far as programs are concerned, summer time radio is here.

Let Radio Be Your Mary's Lamb

Let's take a leaf from the little story about Mary's lamb. Now that vacuum tubes operate on dry batteries, which means a reduction in weight, radio can go anywhere. In fact, summer-time radio has decided advantages over winter radio in this direction. During winter-time, the radio set must be confined to the home, in the living room, or den, as the case may be. It is more or less fixed in this location. But with the advent of warm weather, the radio set may be moved about. It will prove a decided novelty to listen to radio in an outdoor setting, even though it may be no farther from home than the porch or the garden. The reverberation or blurring echo which is present in a closed room will not be present when the set is taken outdoors, and the general background of the signal [illegible] be pleasingly modified.

Of course the entire radio set need not be carried out on the porch or into the garden. The set may be left where it is, and a long double conductor cord run out to the porch or garden where the loud-speaker is located. For that matter, the idea of wiring a home for radio is gaining more and more ground; and nothing prevents the radio enthusiast from extending the radio wiring to the porch and the garden, so that the loud-speaker may be used wherever the family gathers.

This far we have dealt only with home conditions. But radio today is ready to follow the radio enthusiast to the summer resort, the mountain camp, on the canoe trip, in the automobile during a long tour—everywhere, in short. The portable receiving set is coming into its own, and this summer will see radio sets everywhere. Many an otherwise lonesome camp will be cheered up by radio music direct from the Gay White Way; many a summer resort will have radio dances, with the music furnished by the city's jazz artists; many a river or lake or harbor will be alive with beautiful music, wafted across the silvery water from a compact portable receiver aboard house boat or canoe or motorboat.

Registration Notice

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Adams:—

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Act 126, Public Acts of 1917, as amended, I, the undersigned township clerk, will upon any day except Sunday and a legal holiday or the day of any regular or special election or official primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered, who may APPLY TO ME PERSONALLY for such registration, or who may make application for registration by mail or messenger as provided by Act 7, Public Acts of 1919, as amended, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any general or special election or official primary election and the day of such election. August 8th 1925 is the last day for General Registration by personal application for said election.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at C. S. Wertz' Store Saturday, July 25th and Saturday, August 1, A. D., 1925. from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering of such of the qualified electors in said township as shall properly apply therefor. The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of regictration and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book

Dated July 16, A. D., 1925
F. W. HOLCOMB
8t2 Township Clerk

East Hoxie

(Received last week)

Wilbur Sprague spent the 4th wi[illegible] [illegible]rents, Ellsworth Sprague [illegible]e.

The movies Wednesday evening was quite good and a number from here attended.

Don and Phyllis Sutton spent Wednesday afternoon visiting Anna Grace Sprague.

William Bloemker and family spent Sunday evening at the home of Burl Shambaugh.

Edward Bloemker of Ypsilanti will spend Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bloemker.

Ellsworth Sprague, Mildred and Willard Sprague spent Sunday in Ohio, calling on friends and relatives.

Little Anna Grace Sprague from Tontogany, Ohio, is spending a few weeks with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sprague.

Ben Pendell and wife and Daughter, Lillian, are going to Mt. Pleasant to stay over the week end Upon returning, Lillian will spend a month in the northern part of Michigan,

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance.—James I. Post 2tf

FARROW CHIX WORLDS' GREATEST SELLERS—In 100 lots postpaid your door. Barred Rocks, S. C. Reds, Anconas $9.50 White Rocks, Rose Reds $10.50; Wyandottes, Minorcas, Buff Orp., $11,50; Leghorns $8.50; Assorted. $6.50., FARROW CHICKERIES Indianapois, Indiana. 4t4

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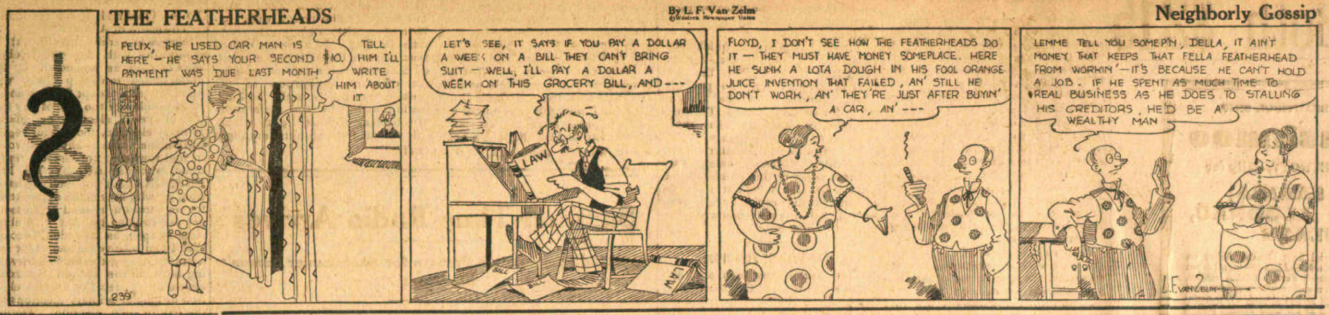
Fremont, Indiana

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgage
4t13
B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.
July 24, 1925.


THE FEATHERHEADS
By L. F. Van Zelm
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Neighborly Gossip
FELIX, THE USED CAR MAN IS HERE — HE SAYS YOUR SECOND $10. PAYMENT WAS DUE LAST MONTH
TELL HIM I'LL WRITE HIM ABOUT IT
LET'S SEE, IT SAYS IF YOU PAY A DOLLAR A WEEK ON A BILL THEY CAN'T BRING SUIT — WELL, I'LL PAY A DOLLAR A WEEK ON THIS GROCERY BILL, AND---
LAW
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FLOYD, I DON'T SEE HOW THE FEATHERHEADS DO IT — THEY MUST HAVE MONEY SOMEPLACE. HERE HE SUNK A LOTA DOUGH IN HIS FOOL ORANGE JUICE INVENTION THAT FAILED, AN' STILL HE DON'T WORK, AN' THEY'RE JUST AFTER BUYIN' A CAR, AN' ---
LEMME TELL YOU SOMEP'N, DELLA, IT AIN'T MONEY THAT KEEPS THAT FELLA FEATHERHEAD FROM WORKIN' — IT'S BECAUSE HE CAN'T HOLD A JOB. IF HE SPENT AS MUCH TIME TO REAL BUSINESS AS HE DOES TO STALLING HIS CREDITORS, HE'D BE A WEALTHY MAN
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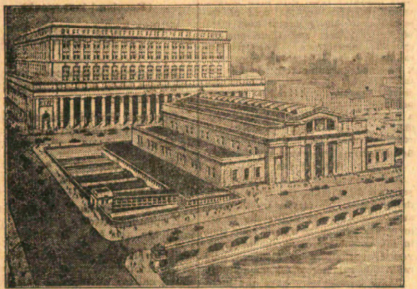

THE completion of the new Chicago Union Station marks a noteworthy accomplishment in the history of important engineering undertakings, from which travelers from all parts of the United States will derive pleasure and benefit.

The station is without doubt one of the finest and most efficiently designed railroad terminals in the world. It forms a vital link in the realization of the "Chicago City Beautiful Plan." Simplicity, accessibility and convenience for the traveling public are the essential virtues of the new terminal. Rest and recreation rooms, ticket offices, barber shop, dining rooms, stores of various kinds, and almost every convenience known to travelers, are to be found on the one level, no steps to climb.

The main station is a low monumental type of building with a row of massive columns of classic design along the entire east front. Once inside, the traveler finds himself in a gigantic waiting room more than 100 feet high and brilliantly lighted through skylights in the great arch ceiling. Colonnades inclose the room, the walls of which are patterned after the architecture of ancient Rome. Bordering this room are the ultra-complete passenger terminal facilities. An innovation in railway terminal design is a conference room accommodating 125 people, which is available, without charge, to patrons of the Union Station lines for conferences and other meetings.

To give some idea of the immensity of the new station, it may be stated that the main building covers an area of about three acres with a concourse covering 60,000 square feet. The entire terminal facilities cover more than 35 acres and will expedite the prompt and satisfactory handling of 50,000 passengers, 400 tons of baggage and 300 trains daily with room for future expansion. Fifteen acres of glass were used in the various coverings over the train sheds, which extend more than 1,200 feet beyond the main structure. A total of 17,000 tons of structural steel, 175,000 cubic feet of Indiana limestone and 10,000 cubic feet of granite were used in the station building and concourse. The foundation consists of 449 cylindrical concrete piers from four to ten feet in diameter, reaching to a depth of more than 60 feet below the level of the Chicago river.

Those who have had the privilege of inspecting the new station pronounce it a marvel in terminal construction and are urging their friends to see it on their next visit to Chicago.

The station is used jointly by the Pennsylvania Railroad; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R., and the Chicago & Alton R. R.

Eat More Good Bread
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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

One Pair Of Child's Stockings-Price "Three Whiskies And Two Beers"

In view of its enthusiastic proclamation, "Prohibition is a Failure!" the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Inc., appears to be prodigiously "het up" on the subject—almost as agitated as though prohibition had proved a 100 percent brake on the bibulous and so had deprived the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Inc., of its great task of saving a decadent degenerate and condemned nation from the evils of temperance and sobriety.

As we and, we believe, many others have understood, the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Inc., has decried the saloon with at least the same fervor as have the most ardent white ribboners. And yet—and yet, in a circular of the organization we read:

"The people of the United States struck down the saloon with such a blow as to scatter the evils of alcoholism into the homes and to the degradation of the youth of our land."

So, from this sentence, one gathers two sad facts: The youth of our land are degraded, and their degradation is due to the destruction of the saloon. Eheu! The people long have sought the cause of the nation wide degradation of the youth of our land. Gazing in grief at the great procession of healthy robust, well-clothed and happy youths and maidens marching to the class rooms of the schools, the people have pondered the reason for this widespread degradation. Their degradation, undoubtedly, is due to the fact that pater familias now works for his family, instead of toiling for the saloon-keeper. He takes sobriety and contentment to his home, instead of rushing his pay envelope to the saloon cash register. He sets an example of decency, instead of dissipation. No wonder his children are indescribably degraded. Of course, the reader and his friends have known and mourned their children were degraded; now they may learn that this is because abolition of the saloon has "scattered the evils of alcoholism" into their new dissolute homes.

The inestimable benefits of the saloon—moral, mental and physical—still are treasured in the recollection of thousands of its beneficiaries, especially hard working mothers and children who have not yet recovered from the effects of its philanthropic ativities. Time was, in the day of the keg and bottle, when the mother had not the wherewithal to feed or clothe the family; she rejoiced in the sacrifice, in the knowledge that the money was needed by the saloon keeper and his family for the luxuries of life. Then pater familias frequented "the poor man's club" and contributed his family's money to its support; now the miserable wretch takes his smiling wife and their degraded offspring to the movies, or else drives in delirious intoxication through the country with them in the family automobile The sight—the very thought is fearsome!

One of the most illuminating and convincing "temperance" arguments once was concretely displayed in a show window on New York avenue, near Fourteenth St., N. W., Washington, D. C., the nation's capital, now described by the wet Association circular as "the most notoriously wet place in the United States." In this window, one recalls, were many articles of women's and children's wearing apparel and toys, decorated with appropriate price tags. And how were these articles labeled? On a pair of women's shoes was the sacrilegious "price", "one quart of whisky"; on a little toy for a child was the label, "five beers"; the tag on a child's tiny, warm stockings proclaimed "three whiskies and two beers." And so on through a hundred items. The significance of that argument now is appreciated. The "three whiskies and two beers" have been literally translated into stockings for the degraded little child, soon to grow into the still more degraded youth because of this wicked perversion of its father's weekly wage! The situation is horrendous!—good cause for the wailing, not to say gnashing of teeth of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment.

To say that the closing of the saloons by any "blow" has scattered the evils of alcoholism into the homes is, of course, far from the fact. To assert that it has occasioned the "degradation" of youth, even assuming that there is such "degradation", is equally untruthful.

"The laws and habits of people must be in unison, or a nation of hypocrites and liars results," adds this precious circular. First, one may cite, the "habits" of people never are in unison, and hence the American principle that the wishes of the majority must be respected above those of the minority. Uncontrovertible—we think this Association will find—prove that a majority of the United States, in both population and area, was dry on its own initiative, by legislation and practice, before prohibition was adopted as a national policy. At all events, the forty eight states had the choice presented to them. Thus, the law is in unison with the habits of a majority of the people.

"One hundred and seventy persons died last year in Denver from acute alcoholism, compared with five deaths in 1915," adds the circular in question. It also might have said that other hundreds in the land died from drinking poison liquor. Of course, under the prohibition amendment and enforcement law, these persons were compelled to drink. Law held their noses and forcefully poured the liquor, or poison, down their throats As sensible, law abiding citizens, of course, they turned cheerily to the bottle and trod blithely down the path, as unfortunate victims of a vicious law, toward the undertaker's and, maybe, the Potter's field. One of the worst things about prohibition legislation undoubtedly is the fact that it "forces" certain folks to drink—"drives them to drink," we believe, is the wet expression. Mayhap, it is the law which punishes murder, that drives men and women to homicide. Equally logical is the assertion or deduction, that the law against stealing drives men and women to peculation.

Unfortunately, space limitations prevent the Manufacturers Record from broadcasting more widely the propaganda of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Inc., as expressed in the Association's circular. It is a noble work in which its members are engaged—a work in which, individually and collectively, they well may take pride. Even if only the saloon can be restored and the youth of America be saved from further degradation and the evils of alcoholism be removed from the American homes, a great, grand and good work will have been well accomplished. It must ever be remembered that the noble souls thus engaged are using their utmost power to send men and women, boys and girls to destruction here and hereafter, despite their demands for "personal liberty" so called, "the airest bubble that ever found lodgment in an empty head."

In the list of members of this Association we find the name of W. W. Atterbury, vice president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, who however, would not dare to permit any engineer on his line to partake of intoxicating drinks. We once requested Mr. Atterbury to explain how he reconciled his position against prohibition with his position of enforcing prohibition upon his own employes, but the answer was silence. The president of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Inc., is manager of a steamship line. We wonder if he encourages his engineers and captains to drink freely of the accursed stuff whenever and wherever they please. If so, we would not care to risk a trip on any of his boats.

May Take Seed Crop Of Alfalfa In State

A chance for many farmers of the state to harvest a profitable alfalfa seed crop this year, if they see fit to let part of the second crop go for seed, is shown by observations made throughout the state by members of the crops department at M. S. C.

Conditions so far have been excellent for the development and pollination of the alfalfa flowers, says Prof. J. F. Cox, of the college staff. If the same condition continves, a heavy set of seed should develop where the alfalfa is not cut for hay. Many alfalfa growers find it profitable to allow part of their alfalfa acreage to make a seed crop Michigan grown seed has met with unusual favor during the past few years and is in strong demand, particularly the Grimm, Hardigan and the LeBeau varieties.

The second crop should be cut for seed when fifty to seventy five percent of the seed pods are brown After curing for a week or ten days or longer it is ready for threshing, using the ordinary clover huller with alfalfa seed screens.

Yields of from one to five bushels per acre are secured. Under favorable conditions, an average yield of three bushels of seed can be expected. The straw secured from threshing makes excellent roughage for cattle feeding.

Dry weather at blooming time usually favors seed production, and to date general seasonal conditions would lead us to expect an unusally favorable alfalfa seed year for Michigan.

The clover seed crop of the state will undoubtedly be short; hence, wherever alfalfa shows a promise of setting seed it should prove a dependable crop.

Japanese Houses Clean

The Japanese house is as immaculate as a bandbox. The clumsy wood sandal is removed and placed on the doorstep where it serves to signify to callers that the owner of the house is home and keeps the floor unsoiled with its beautiful matting. There is little or no furniture to collect dust; clothes are stored in chests built in the walls, and shelves are built in the kitchen for culinary articles. A porcelain vase of flowers may decorate the living room.

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Lost—Motorcycle license No. 3257. Finder notify Clarence Kane Jerome. 5t3

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STOP WASTING--OR FACE PAUPERISM

By WILLIAM E. KNOX

President, American Bankers Association

William E. Knox

The American standard of living, the highest in the world, came easily in the past from the abundance of our natural wealth, but it can be maintained in the future only by drastic national economy in the use of that wealth. We have grown up to our resources. We can not afford to waste them any longer. Industrially we have got to stop wasting, but even more so have we got to stop the wastefulness of our personal habits.

The paramount challenge to education in America today calls for the effective teaching of personal economics—for education in the management of personal incomes so that they will give every individual a good living during his productive years and provide certain security for the nonproductive years of his old age.

Forty-four million people, two-fifths of our population, are gainfully employed in the United States, earning more than $60,000,000,000 annually. The management of the expenditure of this $60,000,000,000 annual pay check is the biggest and most important business in America. It has been estimated that upwards of $10,000,000,000 of this personal income is wasted annually. More than a billion, it is estimated, disappears in foolish speculation in fake schemes.

The spirit of waste in America is a heritage of the past, but today the country has more than one hundred and fourteen million people to support and no nation's resources can withstand extravagance indefinitely. An increase in population will mean a reduced average of personal wealth unless intelligent management maintains a progressively more economic utilization of the national income.

To teach our people this is the task of education and it can not begin to meet the task a moment too soon. The advance of civilization makes man's existence a more and more serious business. Human responsibilities and duties increase each year. If progress has made life more abundant it has also made it more expensive. It is impossible for most men to increase their real wages. Therefore they must meet their added responsibilities out of more economic employment of what they get.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Cour for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 25th day of June A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Josebh L. Beecher Deceased. Catherine Beecher having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that the administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of August, A.D.1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate.

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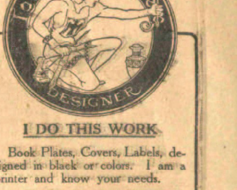

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TOMMY MEETS THE KING

SYNOPSIS. — In London the teller of the story of the adventures of "King Tommy" and known hereafter as "Uncle Bill," is informed by Lord Norheys, son of an old friend, that Lord Troyte, head of the British foreign office, Norheys' uncle, has a scheme to make him (Norheys) king of Lystria, in central Europe, through marriage to Calypso, daughter of King Wladislaws, deposed monarch of that country. A financier, Procopius Cable, knows there is oil in profusion in Lystria, and with an English king on the throne the output could be secured for England. Norheys, in love with a stage dancer, Viola Temple, is not enthusiastic over the proposition. The patriarch, Menelaus, highest ecclesiastical dignitary in Lystria, is heartily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and Cable has generously financed the sentiment. Calypso is making a living dancing in the "Mascotte," Berlin cabaret. Norheys refuses to entertain the idea of giving up Viola Temple, to whom he is secretly engaged. "Uncle Bill's" sister Emily urges him to secure a passport from Lord Troyte for a certain Janet Church, strong-minded female who wants to visit Lystria in the interests of a society for world peace. Janet Church leaves for Berlin. "Uncle Bill" is again appealed to by his sister to find a certain curate (name not given) who has left his parish in Ireland for a visit to Berlin, and cannot be found. Lord Norheys and Viola Temple disappear from London. Procopius Cable receives information that Norheys, with the princess, has left there on his way to Lystria, but Norheys appears with the former Viola Temple, now his wife. The question is, "Who is the man who has gone to Lystria with the Princess Calypso?" Casimir introduces himself, and Janet Church, vainly seeking from the British consulate a passport to Lystria, becomes acquainted with the two men in the Adlon hotel. Tommy mistakes Casimir for a hotel thief and refuses him admission to his room. Casimir insists on Tommy dining at the Mascotte. Tommy again meets Janet in a telephone booth, where he had gone in an attempt to escape from Casimir. Janet Church, thinking Casimir can be instrumental in securing her passport, urges Tommy to introduce her. He finally agrees, she to pose as his aunt. Tommy and Janet visit the Mascotte that evening. When Tommy arrives at the Mascotte he is astonished at the attention given him by the head waiter and his aids. Calypso dances before the diners and at the end of her performance she throws a note to Tommy.

CHAPTER IX

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Tommy picked up the note.

Before he could open it he was aware that Janet Church was standing beside him. In the excitement which followed the princess' dance she had managed to leave her humble table and make her way unhindered across the room.

"You promised," she said, "to introduce me to Count Casimir."

Tommy remembered the promise, remembered also the form the introduction was to take. In the midst of the fantastic unreality of all that was happening to him there seemed nothing absurd in introducing Janet precisely as he had promised. Casimir was sitting beside him smiling gently.

"This," said Tommy, "is my aunt. Allow me to introduce her to you."

The count stood up, bowed, took Janet's hand and kissed it. He showed not the slightest sign of ever having seen her before, though he must have recollected the pink dressing gown and quilted slippers in the corridor in the morning. He did not seem to feel that Janet in her shabby frock was out of place at the Mascotte. By not so much as the tremble of an eyelid did he show his astonishment that Tommy had brought an aunt with him to Berlin.

"I'm very glad to meet you, Count Casimir," said Janet. "There's something I want you to do for me. I'm sure you can do it if you will. I am, as I dare say you know, acting as continental representative of the Federation for the Promotion of World Peace Through the Union of Christian Churches."

Casimir bowed again. Not even his knowledge of Shakespeare was sufficient for a quotation suitable to follow Janet's speech.

"The Patriarch of Lystria," said Janet, "is one of the leaders of the Christian churches whom we are most anxious to enlist in our movement. Unfortunately, our Foreign office—"

Casimir glanced appealingly at Tommy. The sudden appearance of this spinster aunt startled him. Her intention of interesting the patriarch in a matter of which he had never heard bewildered him.

Tommy made no reply to the unspoken appeal. He turned and walked away.

The entertainment at the Mascotte was evidently over. The men and women who had dined or supped there rose from their tables and passed out of the room. Tommy edged his way through the procession of departing people and found a quiet place where there was still light enough for reading. He opened the note which the princess had flicked onto his plate, and read:

"Go back to London and marry Viola Temple. Calypso."

Tommy stared at the words. He did not know any one called Viola Temple. He had certainly no intention of marrying any one of that name. Indeed, I do not think he ever heard the name before. Of course, it was well enough known in London, and since her friendship with Lord Norheys became notorious, the lady's picture had been in all the illustrated papers. But Tommy lived in a remote corner of Ireland. He heard no social or theatrical gossip, and seldom saw a paper except the Irish Times, which does not publish pictures of dancing girls.

Nor did he understand why the girl in the Mascotte—by far the prettiest of all he had seen—should have singled him out among the men present to be the recipient of this note and this odd command. If Viola Temple had to be married, there must surely be some one more suited for the job than he was. He remembered the scornful glances which the girl had cast at him while she danced and the mocking obeisances of her curtsies. He wondered why on earth she did these things and what she could possibly know about him.

Then slowly a little understanding, a mere glimmer, came to him.

Casimir had promised that he should meet a lady at the Mascotte, had indeed brought him there for the purpose. Well, he had met Calypso. Casimir, speaking to him just before the dance, had called her, a princess, Princess Calypso. The title was no doubt a picturesque exaggeration intended as an advertisement. Tommy had heard of some one known as the "Queen of Song." Perhaps Calypso was the "Princess of Dancing," though he did not think that she deserved the title.

The whole thing was puzzling, confusing, utterly incomprehensible. Yet Tommy was glad that he had come to the Mascotte, very glad that he had seen the girl. She was—

Tommy always becomes incoherent when he tries to speak of his first feelings about Calypso. I do not wonder. He had all his life been accustomed to women like my sister Emily, some of them older than Emily, many of them of course younger. But all of them wise, sensible, respectable, like Jaeger underclothing, which though wholesome is not exciting. Calypso was utterly different. If I were to compare her to a garment—but I do not know enough about clothes to do that, and I am told that the best of these things are not exhibited in shop windows.

The fact is that Tommy, then and there, suddenly, abruptly, hopelessly, fell in love with Calypso. I do not profess to understand love at first sight. The six or seven love affairs I have experienced in life have all been gradual, a growth of feeling so slow that the lady had generally passed out of my reach—gone to Nice or Monte Carlo or somewhere for the winter before I found out that I was in love with her. But I am not a skeptic about the reality of these sudden passions. No sensible man can be. Literature gives us the cases of Romeo falling in love with Juliet, of Fanny Squeers falling in love with Nicholas Nickleby, and many others. In real life—at the moment I can only recall Garibaldi and Anita, but that is good enough. He fell in love when he was looking at her for the first time at a great distance through a telescope. Tommy had a better excuse than that.

Casimir tapped Tommy on the arm.

"His majesty," he said, "wishes to speak to you."

Tommy looked round. The room was almost clear of visitors, who had streamed off to finish a night's pleasure in the Palais de Dance next door.

Waiters were busy clearing away the debris of meals from the tables. Most of the lights had been put out. Janet Church was standing by herself beside the table where she had been introduced to Casimir. Tommy saw no one whom he recognized except the little head waiter. He was seated by himself at a table in a corner of the room with a bottle of champagne in front of him. Thus, it may be supposed, head waiters relax themselves and recuperate after their toils are over.

"His majesty waits," said Casimir.

He was standing very erect with his hands at his sides in a military attitude, of attention. With a side glance he indicated the head waiter. Tommy felt that he was living through some confused and fantastic dream—dancing girls transformed into princesses and head waiters into kings. Or perhaps—it seemed wildly improbable—this might be part of the evening's entertainment at the Mascotte, an original kind of harlequinade.

He walked slowly over to the table at which the head waiter sat. He was greeted with friendly cordiality.

"Sit down, my dear boy. Please sit down and have another glass of wine."

Tommy stared at him in amazement. Not at all in this familiar fashion had the head waiter treated him earlier in the evening. Then he glanced at Casimir who was standing stiffly to attention.

"There's such divinity doth hedge a king—" said Casimir.

"Explain, Casimir," said the head waiter. "Lord Norheys does not understand."

"Please," said Casimir, "you are in the presence of King Wladislaws of Lystria."

"But I don't keep up any pretense of etiquette here," said the king, "though Casimir insists on behaving as if we were still in Lystria. Do sit down."

Up to that moment Tommy had never heard the name of the king of Lystria. It was a very small state, and although it took the wrong side in the war, nobody paid much attention to it. He sat down.

"How did you like Calypso's dancing?" said the king. "Not much, eh! Well I don't think much of it myself. In fact, she wouldn't be dancing here if she wasn't a princess. That's what makes it worth while to employ her. These nouveaux riches are amazingly fond of royalty. In fact,"—he dropped his voice to a confidential whisper—"I should never have got the job of head waiter here if I hadn't agreed to Calypso's dancing. That's how it happens that she's here. Her salary isn't much. But my job as head waiter— However, we can talk of that later on. What I want to say to you now is that you'll have to be very careful with Calypso. She's got her knife into you about that other girl."

He chuckled pleasantly, and refilled his own glass and Tommy's.

"I don't mind a bit myself, of course," he said, "and Casimir doesn't mind. But Calypso! Why did you allow Miss Temple to write that letter to her? It's made things a bit difficult, you know. You'll have to reason with her a little. Pitch it strong. You might tell her perhaps that Miss Temple is over forty, and squints. That would soften things down a bit."

"I shall say," said Tommy, "that I never heard of Miss Temple in my life until this evening."

"If you can get her to believe that—" said the king doubtfully. "But I don't know. I never could get her mother to believe that. And Calypso is very like her in some ways. But perhaps you'll be more successful than I was. By the way, I suppose Miss Temple can dance. Do you think-- It might help to do away with any feeling of grievance that she may have— Do you think that she'd care for an engagement here in Calypso's place? We couldn't say she was a princess; but we might advertise her as the Marchioness of Norheys. Do you think she'd care for it?"

"I don't know her," said Tommy, "so I can't tell."

The king looked at him with twinkling eyes.

"You do it very well," he said, "far better than ever I did."

"Before you say anything more," said Tommy, "I want to tell you that you're mistaken about who I am. I'm not Lord Norheys, or Lord anything else. I'm Reverend Thomas A. Norreys, a curate."

"That's good," said the king, "distinctly original. I never thought of it. But you'll have to be very careful. It's not only Calypso. There's the patriarch too. You don't know him yet. But you will. He used to worry the life out of me about—well, about any Miss Temple I happened to be interested in at the time. And Calypso says she'll tell him directly she sees him. But perhaps you know how to manage the clergy. I never could."

"I've just told you that I am a clergyman myself."

"Well," said the king, "that may be all right. In fact, the patriarch will be pleased about it, if he hears nothing about Miss Temple. But if Calypso tells him, then I am afraid your being a clergyman will only make it worse, from his point of view. Simply from his point of view, of course. I don't mind a bit myself. In fact, I prefer clergymen with some little human failings. I'd have liked the patriarch better and got on better with him if there'd ever been—well, a Hagar, or some one of that sort. But there wasn't."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Wasteful Men

"Why, Jeremiah Jones!" exclaimed Mrs. Jones when her husband came in safe and sound from a railroad journey. "Is this you?"

"Why, of course," said her husband, "this is the time I expected to come home, isn't it?"

"And you haven't had an accident nor lost your arms and legs or been killed?"

"How many times must I tell you that nothing has happened?" said the irritated man.

"Well," declared the good lady, "you do beat all. There you went and paid good money for an insurance ticket just before you left, and you haven't done a thing to get the reward. That's money just wasted. Nice manager you are, Jeremiah Jones!"

Her Appetite Triumphed

Max Maretzek, the impresario, had a large repertoire of stories. Henry T. Finck, the music critic, repeats one of them in his new book, "Musical Laughs." Maretzek on a trip from Cincinnati to Baltimore, feeling hungry, bought a big sausage and a loaf of rye bread. Presently Christine Nilsson, in a seat ahead, made fun of him for eating such awful stuff. Max was really humiliated, but he slyly crowded the remnants of his feast into his pocket and, feeling quite comfortable went to sleep. About two o'clock in the morning he felt a touch on his elbow. "Hush," said Nilsson. "Don't wake anybody, but do give me that bread and sausage you put in your pocket."

No Method Yet Found to Prevent Hailstorm

The United States weather bureau says it is often asked whether there is not some way that hailstorms can be prevented. The answer, replies the bureau, is in the negative, Pathfinder Magazine reports. There is no known way to prevent hail. Much powder has been burned in Europe bombarding the clouds in a futile attempt to avert hailstorms. In some countries an elaborate technique has been developed, requiring the use of special types of mortars, bombs and rockets. In France before the World war it was customary to erect hail rods or "electric Niagaras." These were large copper lightning rods installed on high buildings and steel towers built especially for the purpose. A hundred years ago it was a common practice with Europeans to put up small hail rods, often consisting of poles with metal tips. These were erected in fields, gardens and vineyards. None of these methods, says the weather bureau, had any plausible scientific hypothesis behind them. Any effects ascribed to them were purely imaginary.

Worth Copying

A. T. Stewart, the merchant prince of his day, had one rule that he expected all clerks to follow. That rule was: "Correct any mistake on the spot." Such policy would be a good one for all of us to follow whatever the occasion.—Grit.

A man's vanity tells him what is honor, his conscience what is justice.

POULTRY

HIGH QUALITY EGGS IN SUMMER MONTHS

One of the biggest problems that faces the poultry producer is the production of high quality eggs through the summer months. The reason for this is the heat of the summer will start fertile eggs to incubate and thereby spoil the quality unless special effort is taken.

The biggest loss can be stopped by the production of infertile instead of fertile eggs. Supplementing and correlated with this effort to produce infertile eggs is the need for careful methods of collecting, storing and marketing.

It is a customary practice for the people who are in charge of enforcing the egg-candling laws to lift the requirements for candling during March and April, for the reason that during the heavy production season the eggs are marketed with good quality. The cool weather, plus the large supply, helps to maintain the good condition of the eggs marketed during this period.

Investigations show that at least two-thirds of the egg losses occur on the farm. The remainder is on the huckster wagons, in the country store, on hot freight and express cars and in improper storage. This loss has been estimated at $20 per farm in Missouri, and it is doubtless as high in the other heavy poultry-producing states.

No doubt the rooster is responsible for more of this loss than any other one contributing element. He eats high-priced feed during the summer without producing any benefit and does a great deal of harm in lowering the quality of the eggs. The movement to cull the rooster out of the flock is on as soon as the breeding season is over. The young cockerels can be best developed by keeping them separated from the flock, and feed and market them as soon as possible. The cockerels that are to be kept for breeding purposes can be developed better if kept separate from the main flock.

In addition to the loss resulting from the sale of fertile eggs, there is a further preventable loss from cracked eggs, dirty eggs, shrunken and bad-flavored eggs. These different losses may be lowered by feeding oyster shell, by having plenty of nests, by gathering the eggs daily, by packing them so they will not break and eating all odd-sized eggs at home. Bad flavors are usually caused by feeding unusual feeds or by keeping the eggs in a place where they absorb unpleasant odors.

Scurvy-Preventing Feed Manufactured by Fowls

It looks as if the chicken makes its own vitamin C or the vitamin which prevents scurvy in guinea pigs and humans, according to an investigation carried on at the Purdue university agricultural experiment station.

It appears that chickens do not have scurvy and can thrive for long periods on feeds that do not have the scurvy-preventing vitamin. Mature cockerels were given a ration containing none of this vitamin for over three months. Their livers and kidneys were then fed in small amounts to guinea pigs suffering from scurvy brought on by a lack of a vitamin-preventing scurvy. In about two weeks' time the guinea pigs were cured of scurvy by the livers and kidneys of these cockerels which had received none of the scurvy-preventing vitamin, thus indicating that the vitamin was manufactured by some means in the body of the chicken.

This suggests that the chicken can make this vitamin from sources not available to the guinea pig or to a person and that the lack of this vitamin in the diet of the chicken apparently does no damage. In practical poultry feeding, therefore, little attention need be paid to supplying the vitamin which prevents scurvy, although other vitamins are absolutely necessary and must be provided by the feeds given.

Poultry Notes

Fresh, clean water is necessary to the poultry flock.

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Losses from tuberculosis in chickens is usually greater in winter than in summer.

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Chick specialists now recommend feeding egg yolk or cod liver oil to prevent leg weakness.

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Experience shows that hens must have animal protein in order to lay prolifically. Milk, meatscraps and tankage are the animal proteins most available for feeding poultry.

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Cracked barley can be included in the feed ration for chicks after they reach the age of five or six weeks.

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It never pays to overcrowd hens—they need a comfortable house, dry and roomy, with plenty of fresh air and sunshine.

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Grain feed such as sprouted oats, cabbage, turnips, beets and rape are necessary for the health of the pullets. A disease similar in symptoms to roup is sometimes caused by lack of green feed.

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There are two objects in culling poultry, first, to determine the hen that is not laying, and second, to distinguish between the hen that has been a good producer and the one that has not laid enough to pay for her feed.

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It is always possible to cull out the poor layers accurately. Conditions of management such as feeding, housing and sanitation, however, must be known by the person culling if the work is to be done accurately. The age of the bird must be considered also.

Loquacity Not Fault of Barrie

Jerome K. Jerome, who says Sir J. M. Barrie is the most silent man he ever met, relates the following story in the Strand Magazine:

Once a beautiful but nervous young lady was handed over to his care. With the sole au gratin, Barrie broke the silence:

"Have you ever been in Egypt?"

The young lady was too startled to answer immediately. It was necessary for her to collect herself. While waiting for the entree, she turned to him.

"No," she answered.

Barrie made no comment. He went on with his dinner. At the end of the chicken en casserole, curiously overcoming her awe, she turned to him again.

"Have you?"

A far-away expression came into Barrie's great deep eyes.

"No," he answered.

After that they both lapsed into silence.

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It Was Up to Louie

"Spike, dear," pouted the bootlegger's wife, "it's getting awful hot here in town. Haven't you decided where we will spend the summer?"

"Not yet," said her fond husband. "Dat all depends on Louie. Dey pinched him yesterday."

"But," demanded his storm and strife, "what has Louie's arrest got to do with where we spend our summer?"

"It's got plenty to do!" was the reply of the family breadwinner. "If he stan's pat we spend de summer wit your Uncle Henry, but if he squawks we spend it with Uncle Sam."—Country Gentleman.

Tactful Husbands

From an English Book—"Newly married couples always decide to be tenderly considerate one to another, but as their rival unselfishness immediately begins to create friction, the husband, with his usual courtesy and foresight very soon withdraws from the contest and gracefully leaves his wife a monopoly of unselfish devotion. That is why so many couples get on splendidly together, and it is a fine tribute to the tact and good management, not to mention the foresight, of the husband."—Boston Transcript.

Women Lose Immunity

Women traveling between Canada and the United States will now be searched at some of the customs points by women inspectors. Female smugglers of liquor, cigarettes and jewelry have increased to such an extent that the modesty shown by the men inspectors had to be overcome. Miss M. A. Jamieson is the first woman inspector in the Canadian service.

They All Fly Nowadays

A heterogeneous crowd massed into Louisville for the Kentucky Derby. They swept down from the skies in airplanes, private railroad cars, costly limousines, the paddle-wheeled river boats, one-horse shays, and even on shank's ponies.—Associated Press.

Scotch Sugar Beets

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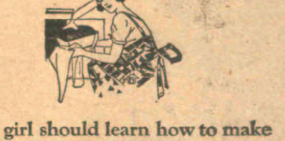

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HOOPER WON OUT

The following telegram was received here on Wednesday afternoon from the successful candidate at the Primaries for Representative at Washington from this district:

"Battle Creek, Mich., July 22, 1925

Advocate, North Adams:—Kindly permit me to express to the voters of North Adams and vicinity through your valuable columns my deep appreciation of their loyal support of my candidacy for Congress as shown by the votes of last Tuesday. If elected, it will be my constant aim to so truly represent the district that my record will merit the confidence placed in me. JOSEPH L. HOOPER"

According to reports Hooper received a majority in this county of 2845 over his nearest competitor, McArthur, who represented the Klan. The Klan carried several townships in this county. McArthur lost his own county.

We are not prepared to say what this indicates, but we believe it has a significance in Michigan politics.

CORRESPONDENCE

Jonesville

Guy Zook, Will Breckenridge and Carl Fast are in Detroit.

George Spinner who has been ill for some time is able to be up.

DeWitt Dudley and family arrived home from California last week Saturday.

Mary Harding of Grand Rapids is the guest of her father George D. Harding.

The Woman's club picnic is held today at the Harry Godfrey cottage Baw Beese Lake.

Floy Jacobs of Toledo visited last week with her sister Mrs. Olive Wisner, West street.

Lester Wright and wife of Jackson were visitors recently of their parents O. L. Wright and wife.

Edwin Gillespie Sr. and wife have moved into their new home known as the Marks place, Park street.

George Godfrey and family are spending the week in the C. H. Kempton cottage Wilson Lake.

Bobby Donnihue of Toledo is spending two weeks with his grand parents Arthur Massey and wife.

A. L. Massey and wife visited their sister Mrs. George Gilchrist and family in Quincy over Sunday.

Mrs. Harvey Randolph and three children of Detroit are here for a visit with her mother Mrs. Minnie Squires.

Roy Shippy and wife of Hillsdale were visitors over Sunday with their parents George Shippy and wife.

Mrs. Carothers who has been at the F. W. Graves home for several weeks returned to her home in Montgomery last week.

Mrs. Mary Parquette and two children of Belleville are here for a visit with her father Martin Bliss Sr. also other relatives in this vicinity.

C. A. Cronk and wife, Lew Rainey and wife, Wm Blauvelt and wife left here this week for a motor trip to Yellowstone Park and other points of interest in the west.

Somerset Centre

Helen Lent of Moscow was a caller in Somerset Center Saturday.

Orin Parish, wife and son of Jackson were callers in the neighborhood Sunday evening.

E. H. Maloney and wife of Jackson were callers in this neighborhood one day last week.

Charles Cook, wife and family of Milan were callers at the home of Earl Rutan and family.

George Becker and wife of Somerset Center spent Sunday with Henry Didama and family of Quincy

Mr. and Mrs. Cheesebrow of Jackson were visitors at the home of L. H. Ballard and family Sunday

Rant Rutan and family, Sereno Pond of Jackson and L. A. Mercer and family attended the community day.

L. A. Mercer, wife and daughter Rant Rutan and wife and Sereno Pond spent Sunday at Hague Park. The latter returning to his home in Jackson.

Jerome

Murl Morehead is driving a new Ford.

Paul Sharp of North Adams was in town one day last week.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Claude Greening is no better.

Ruth Marvin has been visiting with Cash Sawdey and family.

Leon and Wendell Mercer of Somerset Center were in town Friday.

Vinton Green and wife of Pittsford visited Sunday at the home of T. J. Lane.

Ralph Seeley and wife entertained Mark Clement and wife of Jackson Sunday.

The proceeds of the community dinner Thursday at the I. O. O. F. Hall amounted to $14.

Mrs. Elmer Decker, Mrs. Lottie Lee, Edith and Ethel Lee of Liberty were in town Monday.

Mrs. Harry Harmon of Jackson was a guest at the home of Mrs. Julia Potter part of last week.

R. O. Sawdey and wife visited Chas Harper and family in Marshall Sunday in honor of the 55th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sawdey.

J. R. McKee, wife and daughter Ellama and son William and Mrs. Bartell all of Battle Creek visited Elnora Greening and Lee Parks last Sunday. Mr. McKee is a nephew of Mrs. Greening, They came by auto.

Special services will take place at the M. E. church next Sunday evening when the Boy Scouts of the Eagle Patrol will have charge of the program. Several of the boys will discuss various aspects of the character of Christ. Special music will also be furnished.

Town Line

Thelma Horton was at home Sunday.

F. Giddings and wife have been on the sick list this week.

Clarence Jennings and Claude Moore are under the Dr.'s care.

O. Simmonds and wife are having company from Indiana, his daughter and husband.

Mrs. Draper's father of Ohio and an uncle from Florida visited at the Draper home last week.

Mrs. Lesta Kies entertained the Somerset, Wheatland Improvement club Wednesday afternoon.

Eugene Culbert and Oliver Simmonds are threshing their wheat. Fred Baker's machine is doing the work.

Clarence Jennings and mother spent Sunday in Addison with W. A. Wilcox and wife, they also called at the F. Southard home.

Bettie Westcott gave a birthday party to some of her schoolmates Monday afternoon. Fine refreshments were served with ice cream. She was 11 years old.

Mesdames Woolston and Helmick have recently had for guests, Mrs. E. P. Knight of Eaton Rapids A. L. Bell and wife of Pontaic, Mrs. Ida Fredericks and daughter June of Detroit, Mrs. Bessie Caner and friend of Hudson.

Local News

R. C. Young and family returned home Sunday from a week's visit at a lake near Pontiac.

Everett Williams and wife were in Detroit Sunday to visit his mother Mrs. W. C. Chadwick.

C. J. Knapp and wife went to Adrian Friday for a few days visit with their daughter Mrs. W. M. Stoner.

W. S. Combs and wife, George Masker and wife of Jackson were guests over Sunday at the George Combs home.

M. N. Wolcott and wife motored to Detroit Sunday to spend the day with their son Ralph who is employed in that city.

Eliza Dare of Jonesville is here for a visit with her nieces Mrs. Minnie North, Mrs. Olive Crater and Miss Edith Comley.

Fred Lamb and daughter Thelma of Goshen Ind., were over the week end guests at the Theldon Lamb home. Mrs. Lamb who had been here since the 4th went home with them.

Clara Corbett a teacher in the High school at Eveleth Minn., who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Raymond Barker has gone to New York City to attend the summer term at Columbia College.

E. S. Knowles and wife were week end guests of their daughter Mrs. R. F. Culver and family in Jackson. On Sunday Ralph Knowles and J. D. Knowles and their families of Moscow township were also guests.

Mrs. Fred Gross and little son Dean Gilbert of Detroit and Mrs. Thomas Caldwell of Springport who have been visiting their parents, Jay Knowles and wife in Moscow townthip spent Friday with their grandparents E. S. Knowles and wife.

C. C. Brown and wife entertained on Sunday the following guests: Frank Balser and family, and Messers. Mervin Balser and Clyde Guring all of Ney Ohio; Walter Hancock and wife of Farmers' Center Ohio; George Zeiter and wife, Reading, R. C. Gezelman and family of Allen; Ray Crowl and family of Litchfield; Fred Crowl and family of Lansing.

Gladys Westcott spent last week end with Donna Lynch.

Frances Haskell entertained Donna Lynch on Tuesday of this week.

Harold Fuller is running the tractor with Anson Churches' threshing outfit.

Fred Crowl and family of Lansing spent the week end with C. C. Brown and family.

The annual reunion of the Converse family will be held at Bird Lake on Thursday August 6.

Fred R. Williams and family were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Williams aunt and cousin of Hudson.

Don't forget the S. P. I. class picnic next Friday at Wilson's Lake. All members and their families are invited.

Max Bemis and family, A. J. Bemis and daughter Vivian motored to Battle Creek Sunday. Vivian remained with her brother Clarence and wife for a week's outing at their cottage at a lake near that city.

W. H. Cook and wife spent from Saturday until Monday afternoon with their cousins J. L. Braman and wife near Montgomery. While enroute they took dinner with S. D. Smith and wife and Mrs. Jennie Benz and husband near Reading.

Mrs. Ann McClintock and daughter Bessie of Wyandotte were guests of James Jones and wife on Wednesday. Mrs. McClintock was once a teacher in schools of this village but since receiving her degree from her college she has been teaching in the schools of Wyandotte.

A very interesting meeting of the Boys and Girls clubs of this township is to be held next Monday evening July 27, at the Grange Hall It is to be an old fashioned party. The members must wear old fashioned clothes and bring baked beans brown bread or doughnuts for the old fashioned lunch which will be served. All members come! Don't miss this good time. Lucile VanWert, Secretary.

Mrs. Bruce Roberts, widow of the late B. M. Roberts of Battle Creek passed away at the home of her daughter Mable Roberts, Sunday July 19th at about 70 years of age. She had been in poor health for a number of years. Mr. Roberts passed away some years ago. She leaves to mourn three children, Willie of Hillsdale Harry of Wheatland and Mabel Roberts of Battle Creek, besides grandchildren and one sister Mrs. George Ruggles of Hillsdale. Funeral services were conducted at the Congregational church in this village on Wednesday July 22 at 11:00 a. m. and burial was in the local cemetery.

Telephone Line No. 12 Meets

The semi-annual meeting of Line No. 12, Adams was held at the home of Eugene McBain Wednesday evening July 22 with refreshments of ice cream and cake. A real old fashioned social time and some music were had.

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OPEKO Green Tea two half pound packages special	68c	OPEKO Coffee Two pounds	76c
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Sunday school 11:45
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Sunday evening service 7:00
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Antoine Rushford, 108 years of age, believed to be the oldest resident in western Michigan, died at the Ionia county farm Monday. He was a Frenchman and claimed to be a first cousin of Napoleon Bonaparte. Rushford was born in Montreal, Canada.

Announce Speakers For Farmers' Day

Announcement of speakers for Farmers' Day at M. S. C. on July 31, includes the names of Samuel R. McKelvin, twice governor of Nebraska, and Dr. Kenyon L. Butterfield, president of M. S. C.

Governor McKelvin is today editor and publisher of "The Nebraska Farmer", a successful stock man, and president of Standard Farm Papers, a group of state and local farm papers having a combined circulation of nearly 2,000,000 farm readers. At the age of thirty seven, he was Nebraska's youngest governor.

Those who have heard the governor speak, refer to him as a speaker of power, sincerity and inspiration. He is expected to treat some vital phase of modern farming in his address.

President Butterfield will make his first appearance before a summer Farmers' Day meeting. As president of his alma mater, he is building up an enviable institution. As president of the American Country Life association, he is one of the nation's outstanding leaders in rural and community building.

Chairman of the general program is Dean Robert S. Shaw, of agriculture, Wayne Dinsmore, secretary of the Horse Association of America will assist in putting on the novel horse pulling contest. With combined features of choir singing, horse pulling contests, special machinery demonstrations, and detailed inspection of livestock and farm crops, the 1925 Farmers' Day is being planned as the big summer gathering of Michigan farmers and their families.

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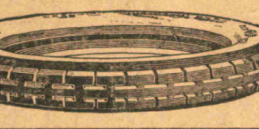

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George Ruffner has re- painted his house in this villago.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Onsted is planning the erection of a new $50,000 school house.

Harley Lane of Jerome was in North Adams Monday on business.

Mrs. Edna Robins and Alfred Haight are having their houses re painted.

Mrs. Rex Northrup has been spending the week with relatives in Detroit.

Frank Denning of Portland, Indiana, was in North Adams on business this week.

Mrs. Alvin Parish and daughter of Detroit are guests of Mrs. N. Parish in this village.

Elmer Giddings and wife of Addison were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Carney.

Henry Bernhardt of Detroit visited relatives here the latter part of last week and the first of this.

Misses Thelma Brooks and Mary Freitag of Jackson visited friends in North Adams on Thursday.

Dr. McFarland and wife and Rex Northrup motored to Detroit on Thursday to spend a day or two.

Payne & Green have a price on Florence Automatic and Perfection oil stoves that will interest you.

Lynn Bell and his father, Will Bell of Ypsilanti, were in North Adams the first of the week on business.

C. F. Beardsley and Emery Beardsley of New Orleans La., were in North Adams Saturday last shaking hands with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. French Beardsley and Emery Beardsley of New Orleans and Mrs. Carrie Kimball of Clark Lake were calling on old acquaintances here on Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Gray returned Saturday last from a two weeks' trip to Fenville, Battle Creek, Jackson and other points where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

Claude Reed and wife of Midland, Gay Reed and wife of Detroit visited last week at the home of their sister, Mrs. Fred Rock. The Reeds have gone to Klinger Lake to spend a few days.

Len Feighner, Field Director of the Michigan Press Association was in town on Monday and made us a pleasant call. He is traveling about the state visiting the offices of members of the Association

Fred Rock of this village has sold his ten acre farm and a town lot in DeFuniac Springs, Florida, to John M. Williams. Mr. Rock is undecided as to what he will do the coming winter, but will remain in Michigan.

Fred Curry and family and Mrs. Empey and daughter all of Flint were guests Saturday and Sunday at the home of Rev. Hutton and family. Mr. Curry is a brother and Mrs. Empey mother of Mrs. Hutton.

Friday July 24 the state meat inspector paid a visit to the local meat market and grocery conducted by E. J. Benge and complimented the proprietor on the sanitary condition of the store and also of the slaughter house and surroundings.

Mrs. George Eaton of Dayton Ohio visited her father J. H. Hollister this week. On Tuesday she drove to Coldwater to see her sister Mrs. P. M. Smith and from there to the home of her brother R. O. Hollister in Wheatland township returning home to Dayton on Thursday.

Drivers on the state roads between North Aeams and Detroit report that an embargo has been put on all traffic on account of the European corn borer which is said to be working extensively in Southern Michigan. All goods in transit are closely scanned by the State Troopers in an effort to prevent the spreading of this pest. It is hoped the parasite cau be eradicated.

—Spearmint Tooth Paste at Wertz' store.

Prayer meeting at the Baptist church Sunday evening. All are invited.

—An Ansco Camera for one dollar at Wertz.' You can't beat it.

Ralph Saul of Frontier, is at the home of his uncle Robert Overley for a few days.

Jay Hayhoe had the misfortune to get his hand badly lascerated in a threshing machine.

Cottage prayer meeting next Tuesday evening, August 4 at the home of George Fullerton.

Frank Smith and wife of Union City, were calling on friends in town on Saturday evening.

Mesdames Emma Relyea and Carrie Scovill were guests of George Hayhoe and wife on Sunday.

Charles Bohn and family spent Sunday in Kalamazoo with Ethel Bohn who is attending summer school.

Mrs. Ido Church of Jefferson and Mrs. Lillian Gibbs of Brooklyn were guests of Howard Wells and family last week.

The Womans Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet at the church Wednesday afternoon August 5th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Elliott at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Routzong, on Saturday July 25, a son.

Charles Giddings who has been visiting his parents, Fred Giddings and wife in Wheatland left on Monday for Detroit.

Mabel Ossmer of Jackson visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Porter a part of last week. A. C. Edwards and daughter Erma, were also guests on Sunday.

Walter Heath and wife and Eugene Bross will leave next week for an automobile trip into New York State where they will visit relatives for a short time. Mr. and Mrs. Heath make this trip each year.

An auto mishap occurred on the state road east of town Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock when the automobile of M. C. Church turned over and smashed the wind-shield ahd top. The occupants were more or less injured and a small boy of 7 years of age was so severely hurt he was unconscious. The injured were taken into the home of Mr. Cheney and Dr. McFarland summoned. An older son received a broken rib.

The W. C. T. U, meeting will be held Thursday, August 13th with Mrs. Jennie Othoudt hostess. Topic "Child Welfare" roll call, scripture text; program leader, Mrs. Julia Mercer; devotionals, Mrs. Della Holcomb; music; paper, "Bible Reading in Our Public School an Aid to Good Citizenship" Mrs. Hattie Kempton; reading, Mrs. Mayme Pendell; parliamentary drill, Mrs. J. Jones. Time 2:00 p. m.

Notice—Telephone bills for the ensuing six months are now due and payable at VanAken's Barber Shop, and please remember we'd like to see you early. 7t3

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Congregational Church Calendar

This Sunday is the last Sunday before our vacation period. Our church will be closed until August 23rd when we will all be rested and ready for work again. The theme for this Sunday's meditation will be "The Great and Would Be Great." You are cordially invited to attend this service. Howard Haskell will play the offertory solo. Sunday school convenes immediately after this service and U are urged to be present.

NOTE: The annual vote for the recalling of the pastor will be held this Sunday. A large attendance is hoped for at these services before our rest period begins. COME!

On account of the Pleasant Ridge Camp Meeting at Quincy there will be no services at the Methodist church in this villlage on August 2 and 9th. It is urged that a good attendance be given the Camp Meeting from this village and vicinity.

Notice To Property Owners

No attention so far has been paid to the notice published last week to clean the closets inside the corporation. If this is not attended to at once the work will be done and a charge made against the property.
8t2 Village Council

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. Reiser, Pastor
Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the Township of Adams at the Town Hall in the village of North Adams in said township, county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan on Tuesday, August 18th, A. D. 1925, for the purpose of electing a Representative in Congress from the Third Congressional District of Michigan to fill vacancy caused by the death of Arthur B. Williams whose term of office expired on the 4th day of March, A. D., 1927. The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and shall remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon, for one hour.

Dated July 16, A. D. 1925
F. W. HOLCOMB, Clerk of
9t3 Adams Township

The Sunday School Picnic

Our annual Sunday school picnic at Devils Lake this year did beat the Dutch for attendance and general enjoyment and we have yet to learn of anyone there not having a good time. The tables were full to overflowing with the good things folks know how to prepare. A count showed over 320 seated and more came. The pot-luck dinner was superb and that's saying a mouth-full. After dinner the matter of sports engaged attention, and Messrs. Arthur Holcomb and W. Lawrence chose sides and played a real old-fashioned ball game in the sand lots. It is said the rooters made it so hot for the "Umph" he swallowed his gum. Lawrence's bunch had to give up the goat, and the score stood 7 and 4.

Bathing facilities at the lake were never better and the toboggan slide was certainly a great attraction to the young folks. Judging from the remarks of most of the crowd they will probably insist on holding the event at the same place next year and make it a little more general. Team work in getting up the affair is responsible for most of the success.

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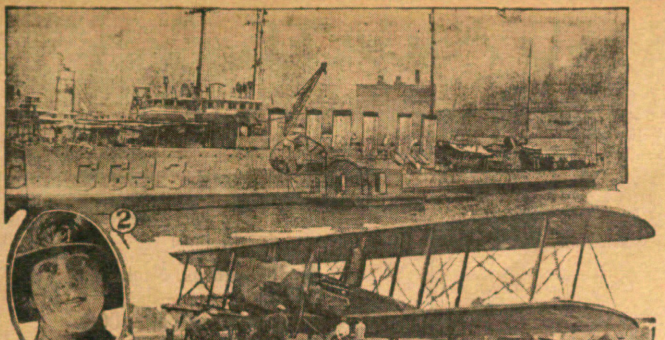


1—Exclusive portrait of Mme. Antonietta di Martino, wife of the new Italian ambassador to Washington. 2—The "Fighting Jewett" (CG-13 of the rum-chasing fleet of New London, Conn.) overhauled in Brooklyn navy yard and nearly ready to resume the pursuit of the rum runners. 3.—One of the six giant Curtiss army bombers which has been making a test flight of the transcontinental air mail route.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

German Note Gives Hope of Restoration of Friendly Peace in Europe.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

GERMANY'S reply to France on the subject of the security pact, in the opinion of official Europe, makes bright the outlook for peace in the old world. Foreign Minister Stresemann's note, delivered to the French foreign office, was considered in general quite satisfactory, though article 16 of the League of Nations covenant still stands in the way of complete accord. The German government says that although it does not consider its entrance to the league as a necessary condition for the establishment of a security pact, as France and England insist, it is willing to join the league, but with the express condition that article 16 does not apply to Germany.

"In spite of the explanation brought about by Germany's note to the league council on March 13 last, there is danger that after its entrance into the League of Nations Germany, disarmed and surrounded by powerfully armed neighbors, situated in the center of Europe and having in the course of history served as the theater of great wars, would be drawn into conflicts between third states," continues the note in expressing the Germans' fear of stirring the anger of Russia by helping France to aid Poland.

Article 16 theoretically gives France the right to send troops and supplies across Germany to the aid of Poland if the latter is attacked by Russia, but in Paris it is declared no French government would think of sending troops through a hostile Germany.

Germany says in the note that it would not have equal rights as a member of the league until its own disarmament is followed by general disarmament. It denies any intention of trying to modify the treaties of peace, but adds:

"At the same time it takes for granted that one must not forever exclude the possibility of adapting existing treaties to more friendly accords."

The third question discussed in the note is the right of France as a guarantor of future arbitration treaties between Germany and Poland and Czechoslovakia to have the privilege to decide who is the aggressor. The note demands that this right be given to a disinterested power, the Hague court, or the League of Nations.

M. Briand, French foreign minister, said: "In my personal opinion there is absolutely nothing in the German note which stands in the way of a satisfactory settlement." Later he apprised French diplomatic representatives in other countries of numerous reservations which the note calls for on the part of France, especially concerning the interpretation of article 16 of the covenant. The Paris press on second thought did not like the German reply so well, noting that it opens a debate on the revision of the peace treaties.

Addressing the reichstag, Herr Stresemann urged the nation and the allies to back the peace plan. He said, however, there were still some important points outstanding, especially with respect to arbitration treaties and the position Germany is to take within the League of Nations.

The minister was confident that further discussion would lead to positive results. He expressed great satisfaction at the good will shown by both France and Belgium in completely evacuating the Ruhr before August 16, and the French premier's declaration that Duesseldorf, Duisburg, and Ruhrort also shortly would be evacuated, within the time set by the treaty.

France was doing her part, as Stresemann said, by hastening the evacuation. Her troops were moving out of the German cities rapidly, at night so as to avoid clashes with the citizens.

An explanation of the improved relations between France and Germany, current in diplomatic circles, was that Benjamin Strong, president of the United States Federal Reserve Bank system, and Montagu Norman, governor of the Bank of England, who had been in Berlin, had threatened to refuse further credits to Germany unless it showed a reasonable spirit in the negotiations.

IN AN interview granted last week Premier Painleve said:

"France has the firmest intention to come to a settlement with the United States. There will be a settlement before November 1, and, although it has not been finally decided, M. Caillaux will go to the United States to arrange that settlement if the American public desires him to do so."

Henri Franklin-Bouillon already has been appointed chairman of the French commission.

The premier confirmed the report that France would seek a huge loan in the United States after the debt settlement had been agreed upon.

JOHN T. SCOPES of Dayton, Tenn., was found guilty of violating the state law forbidding the teaching of the theory of evolution, and was fined $100 by Judge Raulston. The conviction was a foregone conclusion. Notice of appeal was given and the case will be carried up to the Tennessee Supreme court. If that tribunal sustains the verdict, presumably the Supreme Court of the United States will be asked to rule on the case.

The fundamentalists are not satisfied with this victory. Walter White, Dayton's school superintendent and the prosecuting witness in the Scopes case, announced that a bill would be drawn up and introduced in congress withdrawing all federal support from institutions in which the doctrine of evolution is taught.

The Scopes defense at the start of the week surprisingly put William J. Bryan on the stand, and he and Clarence Darrow engaged in a lively duel of question and answer. Which had the better of it was a matter of individual opinion. However, Bryan was forced to admit that in some instances, notably the account of the creation in seven days, the words of the Bible might not be accepted literally. The Bible stories of Adam and Eve, of the tower of Babel, of the Flood, of Jonah and the whale, of Joshua and the sun, he said he believes are literally true. Speaking generally, he asserted: "I believe the Bible absolutely as it stands."

Next day the court decided all this exchange between Bryan and Darrow should be ruled out, and he refused to let Bryan put Darrow on the stand. So the case went to the jury, which needed but a few minutes to agree on a verdict of guilty.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE JARDINE has been spending some eight weeks touring the West, and on his return to Washington reviewed the agricultural situation as he saw it. There is a return of confidence, he said, and the farmers are getting out of the "shadow of bankruptcy." He thinks there will be no great demand for further farm legislation and that the farmers themselves are competent to solve their own problems. Many of the farmers with whom he talked told him to "let it alone, as things were going along pretty well." Mr. Jardine continued:

"Cattle and hog men are better off than they have been since 1920 and I didn't see any sheep men down at the mouth. If the wheat men are careful in marketing their crops they will get good prices and they are learning not to flood the markets.

"Conditions in the corn belt are reversed from what they were a year ago, when hogs were still cheap and corn a poor and expensive crop. Indications are for a large cotton crop and a favorable income in the belt."

ACCORDING to figures just made public by the Department of Agriculture, the farmers of the United States received a gross income of $12,136,000,000 from agricultural production for the year ending June 30 last, as compared with $11,288,000,000 for the previous year.

In arriving at the gross income the department deducts cost of feed, seed, and waste from the value of production. According to the department's experts, the increase over last year, amounting to about 7½ per cent, was due almost entirely to higher returns from grain and meat animals, particularly wheat and hogs.

Exclusive of live stock and feed sold to other farmers the gross income from sales was $9,777,000,000, as compared to $8,928,000,000 in 1924. Food and fuel produced and consumed on the farms was valued at $2,359,000,000.

VIOLENT attacks by the Riffians failed to break the French lines along the Ouerga river, though some posts were abandoned, and at last reports the Moroccan tribesmen were falling back on the center and apparently preparing to concentrate their efforts on the wings with the hope of taking the important towns of Taza and Quezzan, respectively about 60 miles east and northwest of Fez. Reinforcements for the French, together with the arrival of General Naulin, the new commander in chief of the field forces, and of Marshal Petain, have given renewed confidence that Abd-el-Krim will be defeated. The French are getting ready for a great offensive if the native leader rejects the peace terms that have been offered him by France and Spain.

CHINESE papers in Shanghai predicted last week that war would break out within a fortnight between the Fengtien troops and those of Chekiang province, which were massing near the city and were only ten miles apart. The international and French concessions were being protected with barbed wire entanglements and all foreigners were called in from the outposts. From Hongkong came word that two native armies were preparing for an attack on Canton. Meanwhile the foreign diplomats in Peking drew up proposals for the settlement of the controversies. The most important of them are:

Convocation of the Chinese customs revision conference with a minimum of delay and creation of a commission to inquire into extraterritorial matters, at a date still to be fixed.

Reference of the question of responsibility for bloodshed in the recent Shanghai riots to a judicial inquiry, with the Chinese government participating and all governments bound to abide by the findings.

AUSTRALIANS gave the American fleet uproarious welcomes at Melbourne and Sydney, which ports were visited last week by sections of the divided fleet. The people gathered from all parts of the country to witness the arrival of the gray warships, there were many speeches of greeting, and impressive aerial demonstrations. Admiral Robinson, commander of the section, was at Sydney, where he received a salute of seventeen guns, made official calls and reviewed a fine parade of men from his vessels, Sir Dudley Dechair, governor of New South Wales, standing by his side.

HENRY FORD'S bid for the fleet of unserviceable vessels of the United States shipping board has been held up for the present, objections to it having been raised by unsuccessful bidders under the first advertisement. There is a chance that the sale of the ships for junking may be prevented entirely, for someone has raised the point that this may be a violation of the merchant marine act. It was announced Chairman O'Connor had asked for a ruling by the attorney general.

THE Van Sweringen Nickel Plate railroad merger project was still before the interstate commerce commission last week, and the most interesting incident was a hot exchange between O. P. Van Sweringen and H. W. Anderson, counsel for protesting minority stockholders, concerning prospective profits for the promoters of the deal. Anderson presented a tabulation of original costs and potential values as a profit summarization, which Van Sweringen declared led to false conclusions.

HEARINGS on postal rates were begun by the congressional commission, and as a starter Postmaster General New told the body that postal revenues, under the new rates, which went into effect April 15, were only $4,131, or .0091 per cent greater in May of this year than in May, 1924. The postmaster general made it clear that insufficient time had elapsed to judge accurately the result of the changes.

Playgrounds Save City Children From Death

New York.—Fatal street accidents to children are much fewer in cities amply supplied with well-distributed playgrounds than in cities not so well supplied with these safety zones.

This conclusion of the National Safety council engineers was made public recently by the Playground and Recreation Association of America, with which the council is co-operating.

The investigations of the safety experts in most of the cities cover the three-year period 1922-1924. They show that cities with the most playgrounds had only one-third to one-fourth as many child pedestrian fatalities as adult fatalities.

In Cleveland, with a high pedestrian fatality rate, less than 30 per cent of the victims were children. The city has 72 playgrounds.

In Toledo, very few child fatalities were found within normal drawing distance of playground locations. Toledo has 12 playgrounds.

In Richmond, Va., which has many playgrounds in proportion to the population, the child automobile fatalities were less than 25 per cent of the total number in which pedestrians were involved. Only 12 children were killed by automobiles in the city during a three-year period ended December 21, 1924.

Two hundred and thirty-one cities established 635 new playgrounds last year, the Playground and Recreation association reports. New athletic fields number 132.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Bay City—Fire starting in the shop of the Defoe boat works, threatened destruction of the entire plant. In the shops are many cabins and other wood parts, as well as engines for the rum chasers now under construction for the government.

Jackson—Gambling devices of all kinds will be barred at the Jackson County Fair this year and Chief of Police Vandebogart will be instructed to arrest any concessionaires who attempt to operate such devices. This was the assurance given a representative of the W. C. T. U.

Flint—In an effort to stimulate patronage and increase revenues, the Detroit United Railway will not take advantage of the 3-cents-a-mile fare rate granted recently by the State Utilities Commission, as far as the Flint division is concerned, but instead a reduction is planned.

Pontiac—After a discussion between the city manager and the city commission, a decision was reached to abandon the plan to widen East Huron street. The heavy cost for property in this district made it inadvisable to proceed with the work, despite the fact that the street is in the downtown section and carries heavy traffic.

Battle Creek—Five persons were in Nicholas hospital and several others in jail as the result of the race riots here. Soldiers and civilians formed great mobs and invaded the negro district, and later went to a carnival grounds where several clashes occurred. All available police and sheriff's officers were called out in an effort to halt the riots.

Lansing—Indications that the merchant's bureau of the chamber of commerce does not intend to drop its fight against projecting signs on the principal streets, despite the protests of several merchants, were given when Charles G. Mackichan, president of the bureau, announced the appointment of a committee to plan for the removal of the signs.

Albion—Believing that many fish were killed by a quantity of acid dumped into the Kalamazoo river at the plant of the Albion Bolt company, Deputy State Game Warden Daniel O'Leary of Marshall, analyzed samples of water from the river above and below the sewer from the plant. Prosecution under the state law on pollution of streams is expected.

Lansing—The assessment of property in Michigan will be boosted half a billion dollars this year, according to preliminary figures compiled by George Lord, head of the state tax department. The assessment will be completed by August 3 for service on the municipalities. The board of equalization will meet August 17 to hear protests and comments from the various counties.

Mt. Clemens—A reorganization of personnel and the institution of a policy of rigid economy by the State Department of Public Safety was announced here by Alan G. Straight, commissioner. The changes involve also the establishment in both the lower and upper peninsulas of State Police troops and a centralized operations office in Lansing, comprising a system not unlike that employed by the army.

Lansing—Announcement was made at the Y. M. C. A. here that the camp for under-privileged boys of the city, financed by the Rotary club and conducted under direction of the Y. M. C. A., will be held at the Boy Scout camp at Clear Lake, near Jackson, from August 15 to 22. About 65 boys recruited from the social service center, the under-privileged "Y" boys club, and by members of the Rotary club, are to go to the camp.

Lansing—The State of Michigan faces a deficit of at least $1,100,000, it is revealed in figures given members of the administrative board by Henry Croll, Jr., state budget director. The state's books for the fiscal year, which ended June 30 this year, will show when the accounting is completed a paper surplus of $1,800,000. This paper surplus, however, is obtained on the basis of considering as assets large sums owed the general fund by the prison fund and the state highway department.

Lansing—Distribution of the primary school fund for the present year will be made on the basis of $13.70 per child, Thomas E. Johnson, superintendent of public instruction, announced. This is 30 cents a child less than last year, due principally to the abnormal increase in the number of school children in Michigan last year. The recent school census shows the increase to be approximately 50,000, or double the increase of recent years. The number of school children in the state is 1,124,000.

Lansing — Secretary of State Charles J. DeLand acted to put into force regulations aimed to eliminate fraudulent dealings by building and loan associations. The new regulations were drawn following an examination of the books of some 40 associations, many of which were found to be violating the law passed by the 1925 legislature. The rules place the building and loan salesmen exactly in the class of the stock salesman, in that he must be registered and approved by the department before he is permitted to do business.

Muskegon—Three youthful bandits made away with the $33,000 Lakey Foundry company payroll, after holding up the three carriers, near the paymaster's office, where a score of employes were waiting for their pay. The carriers were unarmed and did not resist. As the carriers approached with two boxes containing the money, two of the men stepped through the gate into the factory yard and brandished pistols. They loaded the boxes into the automobile and it sped down a side street hidden from view of witnesses.

Albion—The Michigan Artificial Ice Company, which has plants at Albion and Ypsilanti, will break ground August 1 for a new factory at Ann Arbor.

Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids has a population of 168,812, according to estimates based on the new school-census just completed. Children of school age total 42,203.

Detroit—Organization in Detroit of a $2,000,000 bank has been approved by the comptroller of currency, according to reports. It is the Griswold National Bank of Detroit.

Ionia—Antoine Rushford, 106 years old, the oldest Ionia county resident and believed to have been a first cousin of Napoleon Bonaparte, died at the county home near here.

South Haven—Rapid work by Coast Guards saved the life of H. L. Green, 21 years old, of Winnipeg, clinging to an overturned canoe a quarter of a mile from shore. B. L. Roberts, 23 years old, also from Winnipeg, swam to shore.

Saginaw — Police Chief William Kurtz has notified all police patrols operating in this city that they must obey the state motor vehicle laws relative to speeding. This is in response to ordinary calls, emergency calls being allowed the necessary speed to get results.

Northville—Northville is to have a new modern movie theater and play house. The Allen-Penniman syndicate, of Plymouth, has purchased the property on Main street left vacant by the recent fire which destroyed the Alyseium theater and the grocery store of W. H. Elliott.

Chesaning—Chesaning boasts an unusual pair of citizens, twin brothers, 81 years old. John S. Southwell and Stephen J. Southwell were born in Brantford, Ont., in 1884. The aged twins are in the best of health and have had but few occasions to need the services of a doctor.

Port Huron—The Electric Railway Co. here, which provides local street car transportation, must provide improved transportation facilities to the city's beaches before a fare increase will be granted, Mayor McIlwain announced. The company had asked the city to permit it to charge a higher fare.

Kalamazoo—Isaac Quigno, 75 years old, former chief of the Pottawatomie Indian tribe near Hartford, has been married to Mrs. Lizzie Gibson, of Watervliet. Quigno for years has been a leader in an attempt to gain settlement of Lake Michigan property at Chicago, which he claims belongs to the Indians.

Pontiac—The announcement of the purchase of the plant and equipment of the Michigan Drop Forge Co. by the Wilson Foundry & Machine Co. was made by D. R. Wilson, general manager of the Wilson company. The property was surrounded by the Wilson plant and will be used for future expansion Mr. Wilson said.

Lansing—A conference of Michigan shippers on the general freight rate revision petition now before the Interstate Commerce Commission has been called for July 28, Sherman T. Handy, utilities commission chairman, said. The Michigan body plans to revise and consolidate arguments to be made at a future hearing before the I. C. C.

Owosso—A workman who suffers a sunstroke cannot be awarded compensation from his employer, Charles Ravens, of the State Industrial Accident Board, ruled here in denying compensation to H. F. Ginther, of Laingsburg. Ginther was overcome by heat while demonstrating a tractor last spring and has been unable to work since.

Port Huron—John Long has brought suit in this city against the Saginaw Fair association for $5,000 damages. Long alleges that he was injured badly while attending a carnival in Saginaw when a motorcycle jumped the rim of a motordrome and ran over him. He holds the fair association responsible for not providing proper safeguards.

Lansing—A suit to prohibit the City of Detroit from collecting more than $23,000 assessed against the State Fair property in connection with the widening and improving of Woodward avenue, has been started in the Ingham County Circuit Court by Victor H. Spike, assistant Attorney-General. The State contends that the Fair Ground property is used for public educational and welfare purposes and is exempt from participation in the cost of the improvement.

Monroe—A gang of about 100 extra men has been brought to Maybee, 12 miles west of here, by a contractor from Detroit, with a view to laying rail for the proposed double track of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railroad, starting at Derbin, Raisinville township, and connecting at Wauseon. The distance between the two points is about 50 miles. It is hoped to finish the tracks for the new cut-off during the year. The entire road, which is owned by Henry Ford, is to be electrified.

Grand Rapids—The administration committee of the city commission and city manager, Fred H. Locke, has acted to force the Grand Haven & Muskegon Railway company to so route its passenger and freight cars in this city as to remove them from downtown streets. The Grand Rapids Railway company has petitioned for permission to build track to connect the G. R., G. H. & M., with the Michigan Railroad company's lines to permit of through freight traffic. The committee and manager granted the petition.

Flint—City Attorney John Farley has acted to protect the city's interest in collection of delinquent taxes in a petition to the circuit court for an injunction restraining stockholders of a defunct automobile sales agency from disposing of the company's holdings pending collection of the taxes. The petition came as the aftermath of a judgement for $4,085 granted the city against the Hurd Auto Sales company, which has since gone out of business. The delinquent taxes are included in the $50,000 personal taxes uncollected.

Mannish Mode Is Losing Prestige

The spring compromise has been extended to summer and the mode is still casting bewildered glances, now at the unadorned severity of the mannish costume and now at the dainty fragility of the feminine frock. The situation is unique in the annals of fashion—perhaps never before have two diametrically opposed tendencies pursued their even tenors so long undisturbed, each stubbornly retaining its popularity. If the semi-masculine drive had commenced a year earlier, its domination would have been complete; if the firm hold of the straight-line had been less tenacious, airy femininity would have reigned alone. As it is the issue is still clouded and the mode, sanctioning both, has been forced into a liberality it seldom relishes and will not long continue, says a fashion writer in the New York Herald-Tribune.

The severe mannish vogue was occasioned by a series of circumstances, fortuitous for those to whom that type of dress appeals. The tailleur had been knocking at the door for several seasons, and milady, tiring of older styles, had begun to lend a more responsive ear. The unprecedented popularity of the bob and the short skirt furnished splendid propaganda for further extensions of the less frilly masculine ideal. Greater than these, the youthful straight-line had come to the beginning of the end, and the beginning of the end of any mode is a phase always characterized by the most bizarre extremes.

The feminine vogue on the other hand was a natural reaction against a group of "simple and youthful" tendencies which had overstayed their time—which had actually begun with the war and which were now being pursued to limits which lacked the relieving grace of charm. Smart women eagerly welcomed the flare and its vogue was wide and instantaneous, and yet the flare was far more significant as a gesture than as a fashion—its decorative touch was a definite protest against an increasing unadorned severity which was threatening the art of the mode.

The Eternal Feminine Returns.

Eventually one of these tendencies must prevail, and only a close analysis can clear the maze. The fact that frills are more abundant these summer months has little bearing on the situation—torrid days always necessitate gossamer fabrics and these do not easily lend themselves to the severe tailleur. It is apparent, however, that of the two governing impulses of fashion one is the final flare of a departing cycle, while the other is the *initial manifestations of the future mode.* The mannish style is the last attempt of the simple straight-line to maintain its place in the sun—the gentler jabots, frills and flares are harbingers of the graceful femininity that is to be the newer portion of the mode. Both are en regle for the moment, but if you wish to march with the advance guard of the fashionables, you will make your selections from the frocks which do not essay to make the modern maid an amazing duplicate of her brother.

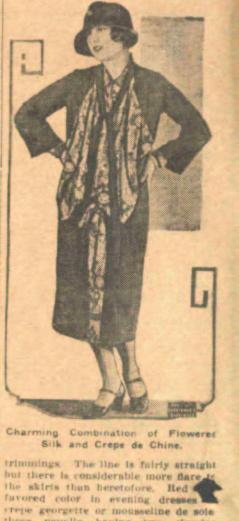
Some interesting models are mute evidences of the approaching triumph of the eternal feminine—and they are typical of the styles launched at what are called the demi-openings.

In her demi-season collection Chanel features some attractive black frocks having the same charm and youthfulness of lines so distinctly her first consideration in all creations. One of her new dinner frocks is of black mousseline de soie and has a flounce attached to the skirt at the hip-line which is edged with a ruching made in the same manner as the single flower which Chanel used on the lapel of her spring coats. The scarf continues to be a feature of such dresses. With this particular model the scarf is a straight piece of black chiffon about ten inches wide and is not attached to the dress. Often these little scarfs take the form of a tiny shoulder cape, a practical touch, as the cape is frequently not more than a handkerchief to carry in the hand when not needed to cover the shoulders.

Panel, Flounce and Godet.

Chanel has entirely departed from printed fabrics in her new models. Indeed, there is a tendency in all of the demi-season collections to get away from the printed materials which have been so popular for the last two years. The Miler Soeurs are showing a new collection featuring the most wearable frocks, all of solid colors, using no printed fabrics even as trimmings. The line is fairly straight but there is considerable more flare to the skirts than heretofore. Red [illegible] favored color in evening dresses [illegible] crepe georgette or mousseline de soie, these usually having two circular flounces on the skirt and often a long straight panel either at the side or attached to one shoulder so that it may be used as a scarf. One of the most popular models is made of a rich red crepe with a plain flat bodice and a skirt of many godets finished around the bottom in small scallops. A beige crepe afternoon frock is attractive made on straight lines with the skirt slashed at the front to show a black satin foundation, giving the effect of a tunic coat—a style that is being featured by many of the important French dressmakers.

Only two of the Miler Soeurs evening models have a beaded design. All other dresses depend entirely on good lines for their charm. This house shows a tendency to slightly shorten the waistline, though it does not go as far as to insist upon the normal waistline. Practically all of the models that have been shown in red have been reproduced in black. Brown has a similar popularity and there is no doubt that these sober shades will be most acceptable in the autumn after a very colorful summer.



Charming Combination of Flowered Silk and Crepe de Chine.

Coming Vogues Are to Be Distinctly Feminine

It requires no crystal gazer to read the handwriting on the wall. From the details of the summer and advance autumn collections and from the marked preference shown by the continental haute monde, it is clearly evident that the mannish vogue has reached the end of the trail. In less exclusive circles its vogue may be prolonged for another season, but for the beau monde its appeal is waning. Numerous attempts will be made to extend its dynasty by those whose interests are involved.

The tendency is distinctly toward a greater amount of softening details—gradual flares, back flares, lace, jabots and the like—and the smart mode for summer and fall will once more be dominated by the eternal feminine.

Black, navy blue and brown are favored in the Jenny collection for all types of dresses, the monotony of the somber colors being characteristically broken by bits of trimmings in bright colors. A trimming of colored buttons is frequently employed on black dresses, and tiny composition pendants developed in varied colors often appear instead of flat buttons. A black poplin de laine frock has a row of these pendants in red, green and yellow around the bottom of the skirt and finishing the sleeves. A brown kasha dress has a plaited skirt with the plaits held down by bands of brown silk of a darker shade, these bands trimmed with buttons. Another kasha frock is trimmed in colored square buttons. Diamond-shaped buttons in bright colors are also employed to carry out Jenny's favorite trimming in Roman stripes.

Sports Dresses

Two-piece sports dresses made of wool knitted in a fancy weave, and with no color to relieve their whiteness are among the season's pleasant surprises.

Sweaters in Black and White

With designs reminiscent of the Fair Isle patterns, stunning sweaters of white with designs in black are appropriate for half mourning and are most uncommon and smart.

Fashion Briefs That Will Interest Women

Very attractive sleeveless coats are worn over the new long-sleeved gowns.

Colored lace frocks trimmed with chiffon or crepe of the same shade are very smart.

The rather full sleeve gathered into a tailored cuff is seen on sports and printed silk dresses.

Crepe de chine lingerie in a lovely shade called "forget-me-not" blue is trimmed with ecru lace.

For afternoon the smart colors are black, navy blue, beige, havane, cinnamon, gray, red and dull green.

Cream and ecru laces in the heavier meshes are used to good effect on black satin and chiffon gowns.

Narrow ribbons are first favorites in dress and hat trimmings. Some lovely soft corded ribbons are in two-tone and shot effects, or have alternative cords of different colors. Scalloped edges are seen.

Belts are revived, some about an inch and a half wide, some two inches and some narrow. Large round or oblong bakelite buckles are used.

Sports stockings and shoes should always be worn with sports suits and frocks. This rule of dress is frequently violated.

The underarm bag remains in the mode. In almost every variety of material it clings to the flat envelope shape.

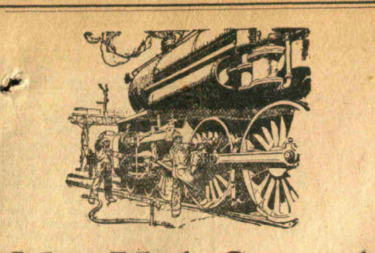
A vogue for white sports dresses is expected for midsummer, and striped silks will be used, too.

Novel Wool Trimming

A coat of much charm, made of leaf-green wool, is trimmed around the collar and cuffs with bands of wool hooked through in large loops and left uncut. The same novel decoration forms a deep border on the skirt.

Of Brightest Hues

The new shoulder capes becoming so popular for afternoon wear are of the brightest possible hues with scarlet, russet and flame, and sunset predominating.



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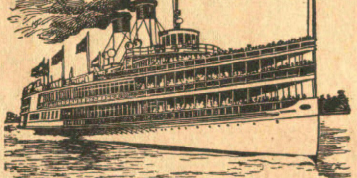

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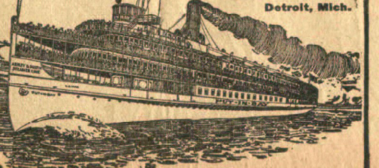


"Old Ironsides" To Be Restored

The famous old sea fighter Constitution commonly dubbed "Old Ironsides" which has been rotting at her wharf in Boston Harbor for 28 years since being abandoned as a training ship by the Naval Reserve, is to be put into shape again and steps taken to preserve her as a shrine of American liberties.

The Imperial Order of Benevolent Elks of America will take in hand the task of rejuvenating the Constitution and saving her from a watery grave. Twice has the Navy Department condemned the old brig to annihilation, and twice has the hand of public sentiment interfered. It is calculated that the expense of putting her in shape to resist the wear and tear of time will be about $300,000. Altogether 1000,000 members of the order will contribute each a small bit and the school children of America will be asked to help. Plans are afoot, so says John G. Price of Columbus, Ohio, who is Exalted Ruler of the Elks, to send a speaker to every school in the land to tell the story of "Old Ironsides" to the children and collect a small donation of ten cents per child. Nothing larger will be accepted from the students.

She is a hundred gun ship and was built and launched at Boston in 1797 her oak planking came from the forests of Georgia, her tall masts from the pine forests of the new England states. She was manned by as gallant a commander and crew as ever left an American port.

It will be remembered that in 1836 it was decided by the Navy Department of this country that this old wood boat was a burden and the amount of copper which she contained was quite valuable. Therefore she should be scrapped but young Oliver Wendell Holmes in a memorable poem, so eulogized the old fighrer that public sentiment arose en masse and repudiated this ruling.

Accordingly the Department decided to convert the Constitution into a training ship for the young blades of the naval school at Annapolis, which was kept up until 1897. The plans now in consideration for rebuilding this old relic will include a practically new hull and so much new timber throughout it will hardly be considered as the same boat. The episode of the "Constitution and Guerrierre" is familiar to every school boy in this country.

In the year 1836 after it had been decided to scrap the "Constitution" public indignation rose to a high pitch and then rising young poet Oliver Wendell Holmes penned the following immortal lines which are destined to go down in history:

OLD IRONSIDES

Aye' tear her battered ensign down
  Long has it waved on high
And many an eye has danced to see
  That banner in the sky:
Beneath it rung the battle shout
  And burst the cannon's roar;
The meteor of the ocean air
  Shall sweep the clouds no more.

Her deck once red with heroe's blood
  Where knelt the vanquished foe
When winds were hurrying o'er the flood.
  And waves were white below
No more shall feel the victor's tread,
  Or know the conquered knee;
The harpies of the shore shall pluck
  The eagle of the sea!

Oh better that her shattered hulk
  Should sink beneath the wave·
Her thunders shook the mighty deep
  And there should be her grave;
Nail to the mast her holy flag,
  Set every threadbare sail·
And give her to the God of storms
  The lightning and the gale."

To Certify Potatoes Through State Body

The Michigan Crop Improvement Association, nationally known cooperative farmer's seed improvement body, will in the future be the certifying organization for Michigan potatoes as well as for other field seeds. Announcement to this effect was made this week from the office of the farm crops department at the M. S. C., and the action is said to follow requests from the various potato growers organizations of the state.

The new plan will provide standardization of the potato certification requirements for the entire state and throws the force of the Crop Improvement Association back of a great certified seed potato program, already developed by the potato groups themselves. Improvement of the market quality of the state tuber crop is said to be the goal back of all the improvement program.

The statement given out by Prof J. F. Cox, head of the college farm department, summarizes briefly the new certification system: The Michigan Crop Improvement Association will be the certifying organization for potatoes. The farm crops department of the M. S. C. will supervise inspection and the Michigan Potato Growers Exchange of Cadillac, through a pooling arrangement with the Michigan Certified Seed Potato Growers Association, will act as official sales agent for certified seed potatoes, a function cared for by the state farm bureau seed service with other field seeds.

The action taken by the Board of Directors of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association and the Farm Crops Department of the M. S. C. automatically makes all Michigan growers of potatoes, who have applied to the State College for inspection, members of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association and entitled to all benefits of the latter organization.

The new plan does not interfere with private sale of certified seed potatoes by growers who wish to market in that way, it is said. H. C. Moore, potato specialist at the college, will continue to supervise the potato inspection work for the state.

Passing Of The Great Commoner

"Free Silver, 16 to 1" how distinctly we remember the caption as we hark back to the days when "Gold Coin Harvey" put out his little treatise in Chicago calculated to upset the theory of better money William J. Bryan just coming onto the stage of public politics took for his slogan "Free Silver" and as he roamed the country stump speaking for his favorite party the Democratic Greenbackers, there was plenty of excitement and some amusement at what the stand patters termed Democratic folly of tampering with the money standards of this country. Bryan as editor of the Kansas Commoner was being heard for his much speaking in his native state of Kansas. In 1896 as a rising young lawyer he made his maiden speech in a democratic convention on free silver and it looked to the novice as if he had a splendid future in prospect. The Democratic guard went wild over him but alas and alack! They couldn't bring the great body of politicians to their way of thinking. The superb nerve which was always with him enabled Mr. Bryan to overcome his keen disappointments. Several times he appeared before the great American public seeking election but twas no use. The electorate would not do a thing for him. After due consideration of his case they laid him away to keep, first garnishing him liberally with offers of chautauqua engagements. The question is often asked "why was Mr. Bryan repeatedly turned down" and the echoes only answer.

The most natural conclusion would be to say "He talked himself to death" and secondly his principles and ideals were not the principles and ideals of a political party such as he seemed destined to head. He supported Wilson in the convention at which time Bryan was at the heighth of his career. There is probably no glory spot more shining for him than that of the party reconstruction in the convention that nominated Woodrow Wilson to the presidency. Here he posed as the official wise man of the party and his advice was eagerly sought. That's the strangest and most pathetic history of any political leader—as long as he labored for others he was a prince but the minute he sought to further his own interests he was a reprobate—a man without a political home.

We never could believe that William Jennings Bryan had a single look at the presidency after his first failure. His case is simply an unfortunate profession of faith which junks any politician, yet the masses will respect Mr. Bryan because he could neither be bought nor bulldozed. He lived a clean domestic life—a christian decency which is as far from politics as the west from the east and his reward is oblivion. When Mr. Bryan entered the cabinet of Woodrow Wilson his days were already numbered—the Mede was on his throne and the Persian at his gate. In every sense the Medes and Persians of politics sang his swan song. The cabinet of a president was no more fit for a reserved christian man than hell is fit for angels, yet Mr. Bryan did his best to conform to conditions. After his resignation and after he had practically surrendered he was tick tacked by the republicans and democrats alike until it is a miracle that he cared to even quote politics.

As a temperance man William J. Bryan deserves more than passing mention because he established a new regime among great statesmen The rule at Washington among our lawmakers (be it their shame) has been to drink all you need and a little more for good measure· Men on the floors of congress have voted bone dry and went down below and quaffed until drunken—a series of principles that has astounded the foreign nations, yet Mr. Bryan indulged not and he had the courage of his conviction. He cleared the way for decency in politics and his reward is a stone—you might call it a mill stone hanged about his neck. The other part of the performance was literally carried out by party leaders-but we believe he has a greater glory in the hereafter.

Japanese Confirmed Bath Fiends

The Japanese are the cleanliest of all races. Their clothes are kept scrupulously clean, and their bodies bathed with the most absurd frequency. In Japan one is obliged to take a bath every day on penalty of being disrepectable, and a bath in Japanese is a literal parboiling in the American language. Not only are bathing facilities a part of every home, but public bath-houses are found on every street, and from them is constantly pouring clouds of steam wafting the clean odor of soap and a babel of voices, for the bath-house serves as a sort of club for the poor man. Even the most wretched hovel has a public vat for bathing. The very nature of the country with its numerous waters, is suggestive of cleanliness; hot sulphur springs are numerons and the natives come from distances to bathe. In the island of Kyushu in South Japan exist many mineralized hot springs and the water is piped from boiling lakes at the right temperature according to the Japanese idea, for a bath.

Everything about this veritable fairyland of Japan is diminutive. The very build and stature of the people harmonizes with this idea. Trees are stunted and short in growth. The houses and temples are small and tiny as compared with our's, and the whole country reminds one of a doll house. The Japanese short stature is attributed largely to habits of squatting when reclining. There are no such things as chairs in the Japanese home and the family sit on cushions or kneel or sit on their heels on the floor, a position which they can assume for hours and arise easily and gracefully, which for the American is a mighty painful process and attended too often with disasterous consequences, if it is accomplished at all.

Living a more or less sedentary life, the Japanese' bodies lack the graceful Grecian contour and shapeliness that comes from exercise.

However, the increased zeal for sports is improving their physique. Ancient Japan is a nation that dislikes to give up its customs. Until recently the Japanese never segregated the sexes in any diversion such as bathing, toilets, etc., and in their centuries of practice these matters were not regarded as objectionable, until some civilized Christian missionaries located in Japan, and began the teaching of new ethics. The Japanese made all manner of ridicule, and do today, of a prudery that would require different bath-houses for the sexes. Instances are known where the proprietors of baths pretending to humor the foreign teachings, erected glass partitions between men's and women's bath apartments! They thus made a hoax of the whole thing. It is possible the Japanese have seen the inconsistency of our temperance laws, also they may have sensed the empty mockery of our divorce laws.

Special Warm Weather Radio Concerts For the Summer Listener

By CHARLES B. POPENOE
Manager, Stations WJZ and WJY, New York City

Keeping the air filled with good things—that is the job of the Broadcast Station Manager. To do this requires organization—a staff of specialists. From the first day of 1924 till the last day, station WJZ was on the air a total of 3,085 hours, transmiting 4,935 separate program features. The twin station WJY was on the air a total of 686 hours, transmitting 1,174 separate program features during the same period.

Gone Is the Day of the Radio "Filler"

Back in the early days of radio broadcasting, the program manager didn't have to worry about "filling" his time on the air. One or more phonographs and an automatic piano were fixtures of the broadcasting studio, and when there was a lull in the program the studio announcer made good use of a few of the latest record releases or pianola rolls to fill in the time.

That practice, however, is a thing of the past. The radio audience no longer wants to listen to just plain "fillers" to kill time, so to speak. To-day, everything that comes over the air must be fresh or first-hand. Moreover, the various features must be fitted into the program with the utmost care and judgment, so as to make for a harmonious ensemble.

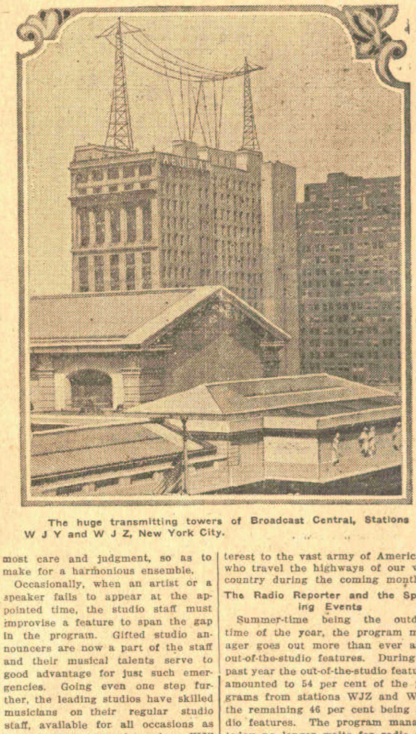
Occasionally, when an artist or a speaker fails to appear at the appointed time, the studio staff must improvise a feature to span the gap in the program. Gifted studio announcers are now a part of the staff and their musical talents serve to good advantage for just such emergencies. Going even one step further, the leading studios have skilled musicians on their regular studio staff, available for all occasions as accompanists or to play solos. WJZ and WJY of the Radio Corporation of America, are fortunate in having Godfrey Ludlow, an accomplished Austrian violinist, on the regular staff. Mr. Ludlow not only plays with the rare skill of a great artist, but he possesses one of the very few real Stradivarius violins in existence. Lovers of violin music have many treats in store for them this coming season, for Ludlow will often play for them. Mr. Keith McLeod is also well-known to the radio audience, for his unusual ability as a concert pianist.

When Summer Comes

Radio is no longer seasonable. The recent technical advances in transmitting and receiving equipment, the increased power of the broadcasting stations and other significant factors have done much to overcome the early handicaps of warm weather. Then, too, the program managers have come to recognize the importance of summer-time radio, with the result that their efforts go on just the same in summer as in winter. If anything, program managers consider that sumer-time radio has some decided advantage over winter-time rdio, in the mtter of securing sporting events from the great outdoors, thus giving their programs a dash of seasoning.

For several weeks back we have been getting ready for summer-time broadcasting. Certain changes have been made in the scenery of our studios somewhat after the manner of the housewife who changes the living-room decorations from the heavy and warm style of winter to the simple and cool style of summer. Atmosphere and surroundings have their effect upon the broadcaster. For that reason we have prepared our studios to carry out the idea of summer and all it stands for with the vast radio audience. This must have a "summer-time" influence on our programs in the making.

We must take into consideration the changing seasons and the changing interests of our vast family of listeners-in. Speaking for stations WJZ and WJY specifically, we are going to broadcast many things of interest to summer-time folks. We shall have excellent talks on swimming, which is a subject of very general interest. We shall have talks on golf—that fascinating imported game which have gained such wide popularity in America. We shall have talks on tennis, basketball, baseball, and other American sports. We shall have talks by practical campers to campers and motor tourists, and once those campers are in the far-off corners, we shall keep them in touch with the world and furnish them with the best of musical entertainment. We shall have talks on the care of the automobile, on motor tours and on other subjects of interest to the vast army of Americans who travel the highways of our vast country during the coming months.



The huge transmitting towers of Broadcast Central, Stations W J Y and W J Z, New York City.

The Radio Reporter and the Sporting Events

Summer-time being the outdoor time of the year, the program manager goes out more than ever after out-of-the-studio features. During the past year the out-of-the-studio features amounted to 54 per cent of the programs from stations WJZ and WJY, the remaining 46 per cent being studio features. The program manager today no longer waits for radio performers to come to the studio. If he knows of a desirable feature for his audience, which cannot be brought to the studio in the normal course of events, he sends the radio reporter after it with the microphone and the "pick-up" wires which radiate from the studio in all directions.

From Philharmonic Music to the Latest Jazz

There is plenty in store for the music lovers. We have scheduled a series of concerts which will be broadcast direct from Washington, D. C., given by the United States Marine Band and the United States Army Band, and broadcast through WRC of Washington and WJZ of New York City and probably WGY of Schenectady. The Marine band will be broadcast twice a week, and the Army band once a week.

There are several other musical treats in store for the summer-time listeners, which will be announced later. Meanwhile, the usual studio programs will go "on the air" all through the summer, terminating each evening's program, except Sunday, with the latest dance music which will set tens of thousands of feet in action in the city as well as in the remote camp and summer resort.

With regard to informative talks on subjects other than sport, we shall have much interest to summer-time folks. For the ladies—especially during the daytime when they comprise an overwhelming majority of our audience—we shall have talks on gardening; how to arrange the home for warm weather; what to wear during the summer, and so on. For the home-builder and home-owner, we plan to have talks on the building and maintenance of the home.

During the Civil War soldiers often carried a piece of bacon with them with which they rubbed infested parts of their bodies after the day's march, the grease and salt serving the double purpose of prevention and remedy.

If your receipt says your time in the Advocate has expired, call in and renew.

Registration Notice

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Adams:—

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Act 126, Public Acts of 1917, as amended, I, the undersigned township clerk, will upon any day except Sunday and a legal holiday or the day of any regular or special election or official primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered, who may APPLY TO ME PERSONALLY for such registration, or who may make application for registration by mail or messenger as provided by Act 7, Public Acts of 1919, as amended, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any general or special election or official primary election and the day of such election. August 8th 1925 is the last day for General Registration by personal application for said election.

Notice Is hereby given that I will be at C. S. Wertz' Store Saturday, July 25th and Saturday, August 1, A. D., 1925. from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering of such of the qualified electors in said township as shall properly apply therefor. The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of regictration and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book

Dated July 16, A. D., 1925
F. W. HOLCOMB
8t2 Township Clerk

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance.—James I. Post 2tf

FARROW CHIX WORLDS' GREATEST SELLERS—In 100 lots postpaid your door. Barred Rocks, S. C. Reds, Anconas $9.50 White Rocks, Rose Reds $10.50; Wyandottes. Minorcas, Buff Orp., $11,50; Leghorns $8.50; Assorted. $6.50., FARROW CHICKERIES Indianapois, Indiana 4t4

—Made-to-Measure Suits and Overcoats guaranteed to fit made by "Golden Rule Nash" sold by Frank Dunnavan. agent for Hillsdale county. At North Adams every six weeks. 44tf
Frank Dunnavan
Fremont, Indiana

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boles State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing. and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boles State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which; said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recordsd in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths (\$1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned. will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the south west corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee
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B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
usiness Add ress; Hudson, Mich.,
July 24, 1925.

THE FEATHERHEADS

By L. F. Van Zelm
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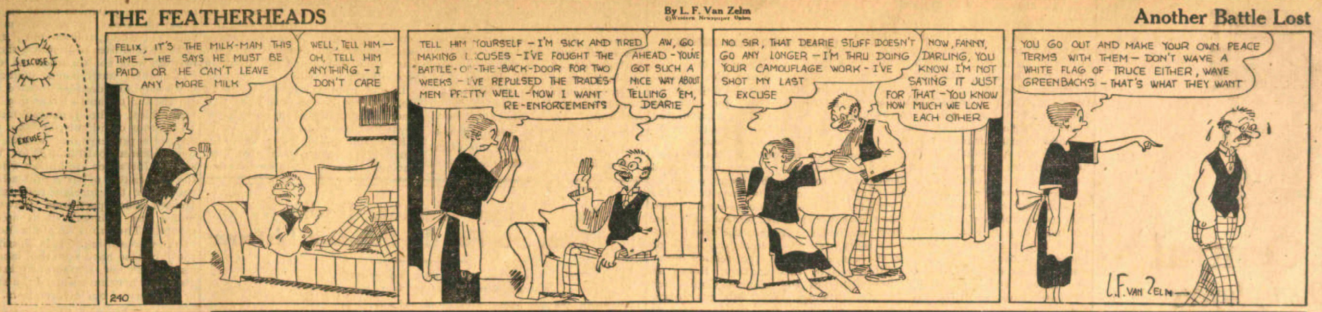
Another Battle Lost


EXCUSE
EXCUSE
FELIX, IT'S THE MILK-MAN THIS TIME — HE SAYS HE MUST BE PAID OR HE CAN'T LEAVE ANY MORE MILK
WELL, TELL HIM — OH, TELL HIM ANYTHING - I DON'T CARE
TELL HIM YOURSELF - I'M SICK AND TIRED MAKING EXCUSES - I'VE FOUGHT THE "BATTLE-OF-THE-BACK-DOOR FOR TWO WEEKS - I'VE REPULSED THE TRADES-MEN PRETTY WELL - NOW I WANT RE-ENFORCEMENTS
AW, GO AHEAD - YOU'VE GOT SUCH A NICE WAY ABOUT TELLING 'EM, DEARIE
NO SIR, THAT DEARIE STUFF DOESN'T GO ANY LONGER - I'M THRU DOING YOUR CAMOUFLAGE WORK - I'VE SHOT MY LAST EXCUSE
NOW, FANNY, DARLING, YOU KNOW I'M NOT SAYING IT JUST FOR THAT - YOU KNOW HOW MUCH WE LOVE EACH OTHER
YOU GO OUT AND MAKE YOUR OWN PEACE TERMS WITH THEM - DON'T WAVE A WHITE FLAG OF TRUCE EITHER, WAVE GREENBACKS - THAT'S WHAT THEY WANT
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L.F. VAN ZELM

R U Superstitious

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This newspaper reaches the eye of everybody who might be a possible buyer in this section.

Eat More Good Bread
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THE MIDLAND FLOUR MILLING CO.
Town Crier FLOUR

Lullaby Tots in WLS Radio Play

Children, all under ten years of age, put on radio playlets as a new feature of WLS, the Sears-Roebuck station, Chicago. The troup of juvenile Thespians are known as "Big" Ford and Little Glenn's Woodshed Theater Lullaby Players." The first production was "Robinson Crusoe's Princess."

Ford Rush and Glenn Rowell, creators of Lullaby Time for the radio kiddies, started to tell the Lullaby Tots of the construction of the "Woodshed Theater" October 15. Each night during "Lullaby Hour" Ford and Glenn, in a chatty way, told the children how they were building the Woodshed playhouse piece by piece. It was finished November 5. Every Thursday night this is a feature of WLS. The other playlets include "Going to School in Mother Goose Land," "Mr. and Mrs. Robin Find a Home," and "The Sleeping Beauty." The program starts at 7 o'clock and lasts for twenty minutes.

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Better Enforcement Coming

In addition to the government's new crusade against "rum row" on the Atlantic coast, the details of which we published a month ago, an extensive and very important reorganization of the land forces is announced by Asst. Sec. Andrews of the Treasury department, who has this work in charge. There will be some radical changes in the personnel now engaged in the work. Only the broad outlines of the program were made public, but Mr. Andrews turned immediately to the task of working out its details and to a survey of the fitness of those now on the job for reappointment when it is put in operation.

Neither Mr. Andrews nor other treasury officials would discuss the probable changes further than to say that only those with ability would be retained.

The plan for reorganization divides the United States into 22 federal districts bounded exclusively by judicial district lines, their size having been determined by the amount of permissive work to be done and by the difficulties of enforcement to be met due to local conditions, public sentiment, etc. Because of time required for written communication, the Hawaiian Islands and Porto Rico are made each a district by itself.

The Washington headquarters, where authority has centered since the Volstead act was passed, will be conducted under the present officers, but their duties will be more of a supervisory and less of an administrative character. They also will have a greater opportunity to spend time in the field and to work more closely with the prohibition administrators, 22 of whom will be named to have charge of as many districts in the United States with two others in Hawaii and Porto Rico.

Each of the district officials will have two assistants, one of whom will have charge of permissive work, or control of permits and distribution while the other will devote his efforts to enforcement. The district offices also will have a chief chemist and a counsel, eliminating the necessity of transmission of hundreds of cases to Washington.

A centrally situated city has been designated as headquarters for the administrators in each of the 22 districts in the United States.

Detroit was named as headquarters for Michigan and Indiana, Columbus for Ohio and West Virginia, and Chicago for the northern district of Illinois and Wisconsin.

The new program has the approval of the president and in making it public Secretary Mellon expressed also his whole hearted support. "Assistant Secretary Andrews," said Mr. Mellon's statement, "having analyzed the situation in prohibition law enforcement, has submitted a plan for reorganization and policy which he has worked out in collaboration with Commissioner Blair of internal revenue and Prohibition Commissioner Haynes and the heads of his various departments. The plan has met the unqualified approval of the president and this department.

"The change will be started Aug. 1 and the whole plan put into effect as rapidly as conditions warrant.

"It is believed the federal function in prohibition enforcement is to stop the sources of supply, important diversion of legitimately manufactured alcohol, illegitimate manufacture and transportation of alcohol and alcohol beverages. Federal law enforcement energies will be directly primarily against the bootleg industry in all phases of its operations. Effort will be made to assist and develop local enforcement.

"The treasury department will work in closest possible cooperation with the department of justice and its agents, both headquarters in the field. All control of alcohol, except the collection of the federal tax, is made the sole responsibility of the prohibition administrators representing the commissioner of international revenue.

The Anti Saloon League and the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, whose goals in the prohibition question are exactly opposed, find themselves paradoxically in agreement on the shake up in the enforcement system. Both organizations, however, qualified their indorsement of the new order in statements Tuesday night.

"If prohibition can be enforced" the wets' statement declared, "this man and these methods will enforce it. We are equally confident, too, that if the law cannot be enforced, which will be the case, then Gen. Andrews will be just as straight forward in announcing his failure as he has been in his efforts to bring about honest enforcement,"

Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti Saloon league, declared the new plan doubtless would eliminate politics "better than under the present system, but we will of course ask congress to put all the prohibition agents under civil service so that this policy will be fixed by statute."

The director of the new grouping, Lincoln C. Andrews, who has been an Army officer for thirty years, has world wide experience as a disciplinarian and organizer. He served as a Brigadier General in France, and it was he who reorganized the military police in France after the Armistice was signed. The newspapers report him as "hard boiled."

Cull Liars From Layers, Institute Urges

Twenty five percent of the hens on Hillsdale county farms are not paying their board and should not be carried over for next year's layers. This conclusion by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute is based on a summary of reports of hen culling campaigns in areas where poultry conditions are similar to those prevailing in this county.

It is easier to detect a slacker hen than a poor producing cow, according to the Institute. The poultryman need but step into the poultry house at night and by feeling the ends of the hen's pelvic bones, convince himself absolutely whether that particular hen is a layer or a liar. In an undeveloped pullet these bones are very close together but as she approaches the laying period they gradually spread further apart to permit the egg to pass between the pelvic bones in leaving the body. When laying stops the bones tend to draw closer and closer together. Since an egg measures two to two and one half fingers in width, it is readily seen that the hen with bones not spread the width of an egg is not laying while those with bones extended are producers. It will also be noticed that the vent of the layer is moist and expanded while the non layer's vent is small and dry.

This is the best time of year to start going through one's flock to cull out the non layers and early molting hens, the Institute states. Hens that stop laying in July and August are generally the poorest layers and it is a mistake to assume that they will lay more eggs this winter because they ceased laying early.

Stage Set For Big Farmers' Day Meet

Plans for the entertainment of thousands of Michigan farmers who will gather here on Friday, July 31, for the eighth annual summer Farmers Day at M. S. C, have been completed this week, with only the weather man left as a vital factor in the preliminary details. With favorable weather, it is predicted that last year's record breaking crowd of more than 7,000 will be equaled.

Numerous interesting features are included in the announced program for the day. Inspection of the various college experimental plots and livestock herds, visits to the buildings and special departments and the horse pulling contest will take up the morning. After the basket picnic lunches at noon on the beautiful college campus, the whole crowd of visitors will gather for the big outdoor meeting, which is to begin at one o'clock, eastern time.

Samuel McKelvie, former governor of Nebraska and nationally known farm writer and speaker, together with President K. L. Butterfield of the M. S. C. will headline the speaking program. Band concerts, a singing contest, and other features are also included in the afternoon program.

Farmers Day is an occasion when all the college departments are at home for visitors, every effort being extended to provide as much information and entertainment as possible on the "open house" day.

New Pyrotol Shipment Coming to Michigan

A new allotment of Pyrotol, war salvage explosive released by the U. S. government, will be available for Michigan farmers this fall according to word received by Larry Livingston, extension specialist in agricultural engineering at the M. S. C.

Large quantities of Pyrotol were distributed through the state last fall, proving highly satisfactory for a stone and stump blasting explosive. It is estimated that it has saved the farmers of the state thousands of dollars, both on the price of the explosive itself and in increased efficiency in the fields cleared. Pyrotol is distributed at cost, through the various local county agricultural agents of the state.

Sixteen Dollars Price of Hazing

A bunch of bellers near Pittsford got in very bad with the county officers recently because they went out for a little lark one night and according to reports played rough with Byron Baxter, recently wed. These ten funny cut-ups went over to Byron's, forcibly seized him and removed him to other parts, where under protection of the darkness they stripped Baxter and sans clothes he submitted to a number of cute didoes such as being besmeared with grease, lard and other high-class substances. The boobies who thus maltreated Baxter did not seem to keep their identity since all were arrested on complaint of the bridegroom, and jugged in Hillsdale. Justice Miller soaked the birds $16.00 each, and he should have sent 'em into the kindergarten with a nursing bottle and a few simple toys. They are in their infancy as far as putting over original jokes are concerned. We have in mind a number of belling parties of the past where the bridegroom just to be cute, took a shotgun and filled his assailant's carcasses with double B's and the next day the neighbors said it was a disagreeable task well performed

Lost—Motorcycle license No. 3257. Finder notify Clarence Kane Jerome. 5t3

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewelry and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co., Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

The KITCHEN CABINET

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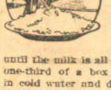
It is good to rub and polish the brain against that of others.—Montagne.

TASTY FOODS

Rice is such a wholesome food that different ways of serving it are always appreciated.



Imperial Rice.—Put three cupfuls of milk into a double boiler, add one-fourth teaspoonful of salt and one-half cupful of well-washed rice. Cook until the milk is all absorbed, then add one-third of a box of gelatin soaked in cold water and dissolved over heat. When the mixture is cold and beginning to thicken, add one-half cupful of powdered sugar, one teaspoonful of of lemon juice and the same of orange juice and a little of the grated rind, and lastly fold in one cupful of cream whipped stiff. Turn into a well-lined mold and set away in a cool place.

Oysters a la Richelieu.—Put one tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan and when well melted add one-fourth of a teaspoonful of paprika, two tablespoonfuls of chopped celery and cook five minutes, then add two dozen large oysters free from liquor. Cover and when plump add two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and the same of orange juice, then serve.

Lenten Cutlets.—Use one pint of flaked fish, one cupful of milk, two tablespoonfuls of butter, two of flour, a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne, a tablespoonful of chopped parsley, a teaspoonful of onion juice and a grating of nutmeg. Put the milk over the fire to heat, add the butter and flour well mixed to the milk, cook until smooth and thick, then add the beaten yolk of an egg, cook a moment, take from the fire, add the seasonings, then mix with the fish and sauce and set aside to cool. When cold form into cutlets, dip into egg and crumbs and fry until well browned.

Apricot Floats.—Take one-fourth pint of leftover apricots, four tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, the whites of two eggs. Press the pulp of the apricots through a fine sieve. Beat the whites of the eggs very stiff, add the sugar, add the fruit pulp, a tablespoonful at a time and beat constantly until stiff enough to hold its shape. Set aside to chill. Fill individual serving dishes one-third full of cream and drop a tablespoonful of the apricot float on top of each.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Cour for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 25th day of June A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Josebh L. Beecher Deceased. Catherine Beecher having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that the administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of August, A.D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

5t3 ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate.

An attack of chiggers is very painful and difficult to relieve. A hot or salt bath immediately after exposure often alleviates the burning sensation, or does away with the insects altogether. Vaseline or kerosene rubbed on the skin before visiting the habitats of the pest is a very efficient preventive but soiling to clothes and otherwise unpleasant. Flowers of sulphur dusted in the clothes from the waist downward is thoroughly effective under ordinary circumstances, and being inodorous and harmless, is more agreeable to use than vaseline or kerosene.

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CHICAGO....	READ	April 18, 19, 20, 21 June 29, 30 July 1, 2 Sept. 3, 5, 6	April 14, 15, 16, 17 June 1, 2, 3 July 23, 24, 25, 26	May 4, 5, 6, 7 July 3, 4, 4, 5 Sept. 7, 7, 8	June 5, 6, 7, 8 July 28, 29, 30, 31 Sept. 18, 19, 20	June 10, 11, 12, 13 Aug. 1, 3, 4 Sept. 15, 16, 16, 17	June 19, 20, 21, 22 Aug. 9, 11, 12, 13 Sept. 22, 23, 24	June 15, 16, 17, 17, 18 Aug. 5, 6, 7, 8 Sept. 26, 28
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During the time that the STAR LAUNDRY has been in the Dry Cleaning and Dyeing business at Hillsdale, many others in the same line have come and gone but the STAR LAUNDRY, by reason of the general excellence of their work, has continued to increase their business.

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This is a business that requires experience and the management only employs practical help. Their assistants are all able and efficient workmen who know their business thoroughly and thus you are assured the most satisfactory service.

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It is a well known fact that no one industry within the limits of Hillsdale County has made more rapid progress as an industrial factor during the past decade than the HILLSDALE ELGIN CREAMERY COMPANY, at Hillsdale, Phone 119, whose model plant is one of our most valued industrial assets.

Since the location at Hillsdale of this plant it has been continually improved due to the rapid increase of the business, until today the creamery, from every standpoint is the equal of any similiar industry in the county, while its GOLDEN BAR BUTTER is sold over many retail counters throughout this section, thus doing more to advertise this county from a successful standpoint than any other enterprise.

Their GOLD BAR BUTTER is universally conceded to be the Perfection of American Creamery Manufacturer's Art. To give our readers an adequate idea of the large operations of this concern we will state that they transact business with hundreds of farmers who supply them with Cream and they pay out thousands of dollars each year for their supply.

The farmers are well satisfied with the prices paid for cream and the number of those sending in their products here is increasing all the time.

The production of Cream is a proposition that ought to appeal to every owner even of a small farm, as it is a known fact that this mode of farming builds up the land at the same time making the producer more money that he can make by straight farming and then he gets paid in cash right along.

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Rhubarb Very Important as Perennial Vegetable

Rhubarb, or pieplant, is an important perennial vegetable. Like asparagus, it produces a supply early in the spring when fresh vegetables are in great demand. New leaves appear from early spring to midsummer, but the leafstalks produced early in the season are most in demand and the harvest does not usually last more than eight weeks. After pulling has stopped, the leaves are allowed to grow and supply the roots with food material for the next year's crop. Rhubarb roots are hardy and require no winter protection. The plant is capable of surviving both the extreme heat of summer and the cold of winter in the central latitude.

Daughter's idea of sacrifice is to have her hair bobbed to make her mother look younger.

While they're asking they might find out what the people on Mars think about jazz music.

Time to Seed Alfalfa

If fall seeding of alfalfa is deferred till the first week in September, there is some danger of not getting a sufficiently strong stand to go through the winter unharmed, but if the seed can be gotten into the ground by the tenth or fifteenth of August, there is little danger under average conditions of not obtaining a good, uniform stand. Do not sow less than 15 pounds of seed per acre and see to it that the seed is properly inoculated.

The independent woman is not peculiar to our times. Lot's wife was one of them.

If barbers hereafter are to be chirotonsors, is the 10-cent tip to be an honorarium?

A cross-word puzzle is one of those things in the home that lead from one word to another.

The reformer should be patient with us. After all, the world's wickedness keeps him in a job.

Horticulture Facts

Continue to clean up and prune the orchard and vineyard.

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Apply the dormant spray. If put on it will control plant diseases but not if "put off."

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Buy your spray pumps and materials early and be ready to start spraying at the proper time.

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The ground where the strawberries are to be planted should be carefully prepared, providing a fine mellow soil for the young plants.

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To make insecticides stick to plants even during a rainstorm, a process of electrification is now in use by one insecticide manufacturer.

One of the scientists, so-called, says mankind is developing more and more into a bony race. It seems so to us—from the head down at times.

INSPECTION SHOWS HEALTH OF STOCK

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Of approximately 80,000,000 meat animals passing under the scrutiny of federal inspectors, during the last fiscal year, the vast majority proved to be healthy and went into the various channels of the meat trade. But the fact that slightly more than a third of a million carcasses and nearly 1,500,000 parts of carcasses were condemned at slaughter indicates the searching character of the inspection. The report of the chief of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, recently issued, gives the latest comprehensive information on the health condition of cattle, sheep and hogs.

Though designed primarily to safeguard the wholesomeness of meat offered to the public, meat inspection renders a valuable service to live stock producers also in keeping them informed of the health of their animals at time of slaughter.

Of the 35 principal diseases and ailments that affect live stock, tuberculosis is by far the most serious. It was responsible for about two-thirds of the condemnations of cattle carcasses and near half those of swine. Tuberculosis conditions were found also among a few sheep, though these animals rarely are affected. The next most serious disease, according to meat-inspection records, is hog cholera. Actual losses are considerably heavier than those records show, since hogs affected with that disease usually die on the farms.

Pneumonia, peritonitis, and a group of similar ailments rank next in the damage they cause, followed by septicemia. In the case of calves, immaturity is an important reason that many fail to pass inspection. Among the figures for cattle, injuries and bruises rank high, causing the condemnation of the meat of more than 1,000 entire carcasses.

Sheep Shearing Clipper Does Its Work Rapidly

When the cold spring rains have gone and the warm weather comes on, flock owners should give attention to shearing their sheep. Shearing is best accomplished by the use of machines rather than hand shearers. By investing a few dollars, it is possible to get a machine which has one attachment for shearing sheep and another for clipping horses and mules. The machine clipper does work more rapidly, the fleece is cut closer, and the sheep are not injured so frequently.

In doing good shearing, the livestock specialists say, it is necessary to get the fleece without tearing it apart. After setting a sheep on its rump, an experienced shearer will hold it comfortably and there will be very little struggling. The sheep's body should be tilted toward the operator so that it cannot get a footing and thus attempt to rise. It is customary to shear first the head and neck, then down the belly, then the sides and back, and last the rump.

After shearing the fleece should be carefully arranged with the inside out and tied into a neat pack. This adds much to the appearance and thus makes a better market.

The use of the wrong kind of tying twine causes more trouble than any other one thing. Binder twine or any other twine which sheds its fiber should not be used. Hard glazed twines, or paper twine should be used.

For Fattening Cows

Silage is the cheapest feed which can be used for fattening cows. Two or three pounds of cottonseed cake, together with corn fodder, prairie hay, or other roughage is recommended in addition to the silage. May is usually the best time of the year to sell fat cows. The price next spring might justify the feeding of corn for the last 30 days of the feeding period, according to Dr. C. W. McCampbell, Kansas State Agricultural college.

Still bobbed hair is much more fair to the suitor. He knows all of it is fastened to one end.

Care for Sow and Litter

The sow and litter can be left in the small pen until the pigs are five to eight days old, after which both sow and pigs should get a little exercise. Care must be taken not to feed the sow too heavily on rich feed or she will produce so much milk that the pigs will very quickly become too fat and some will be lost simply because they get too fat. Once a litter of pigs has reached two weeks of age, losses should be very small.

Healthy Hogs Best

"The three first principles for healthy hogs are segregation, sanitation and vaccination," said L. E. Drury, a farmer of Morgan county, Ill., who markets about 1,000 head yearly. Cleanliness, sunlight, and plenty of commercial disinfectant he cited as necessities in sanitation. He regards it of importance to have the farm fenced in small well-watered fields with portable hog houses, and also to keep the herd assorted according to size.

Often Buttered--But Never Bettered

The staff of life is bread and we should be very particular the kind of bread we eat. That it is made in a Sanitary Bakery by Bakers who are Particular as to Personal Cleanliness and who use only Wholesome and Pure Ingredients.

That is why "Butter Nut Bread" manufactured by the PURITY BAKERIES CORPORATION at Jackson is found upon so many tables in this section.

The housewife has discovered that this bread meets all the requirements of a "good bread" and that is why she insists upon her dealer keeping "Butter Nut Bread."

No other bread meets with the universal satisfaction as this and that is why the PURITY BAKERIES CORPORATION is kept busy at their bakery in Jackson.

The baking industry is practically as old as the discovery of fire and the methods used in ancient times have changed from baking on stones and in rudely constructed ovens, as like other great industries, it had a humble beginning. Today it is quite different at the Modern and Up-To-Date plant of the PURITY BAKERIES CORPORATION, where the Latest Style of Ovens and Machinery are in operation for the production of "Butter Nut Bread."

Another feature of this establishment is the Cleanliness which is insisted upon throughout the entire plant. Everything is Kept Scrupulously Clean and in a Strictly Sanitary Condition. Only the Very Best of materials are used and the most competent help employed.

The Housewives of North Adams and vicinity can always obtain "Butter Nut Bread" at the stores of MR. WILIAMS, MR. WERTZ, MR. BARBER and MR. BENGE. We assure you that you will always find in "Butter Nut Bread" a uniform standard of quality that has won for it a place among the housewives of this section who know good bread and therefore will only have "Butter Nut Bread."

The Baking Establishment of the PURITY BAKERIES CORPORATION is among the most modern and up-to-date within the State of Michigan, their "Butter Nut Bread" having gained a reputation far and wide as the "Bread That Is Ofter Buttered—But Never Bettered."

SEPARATED MILK IN RATION FOR SWINE

The Michigan experiment station has recently reported an interesting experiment in growing pigs on corn and water as compared to corn and separated milk. Two pigs that got milk gained 221 pounds each in five months. Those on corn and water gained only 9.5 pounds.

At the end of five months the milk-fed pigs were marketed and the two stunted pigs put in separate pens. Pig No. 4 got shelled corn, water and a good mineral mixture. Pig No. 3 got corn and separated milk and though he only weighed 43 pounds at seven months old, weighed 350 pounds at a year old, a gain of 307 pounds. No. 4 gained only 28 pounds, weighing 76 pounds at one year. Then No. 3 was marketed and No. 4 got separated milk and corn for five months. At the end of this time he had gained 274 pounds, weighing 350 pounds, showing that separated milk can bring out even a stunted pig to make good gains. The gains with separated milk cost 6.7 cents per pound, with skim milk at 35 cents per 100 pounds. Gains without milk cost 19.7 to 39 cents per pound.

Although separated milk contains valuable mineral matter, this was evidently not what was lacking in the corn. The main deficiency was in protein and in the growth-promoting vitamines, both of which were supplied abundantly by the separated milk. Many people try to feed pigs on corn alone, while others who have dairy cows separate the milk and throw the skim milk away. Both are making a serious mistake. If separated milk is not available one should use alfalfa pasture, tankage or some other protein supplement along with corn.

Some will say that they get better results on corn alone than were obtained by the Michigan station. This is probably true where pigs are getting some grass or weeds to supply them with mineral matter and vitamines and with some of the supplementary proteins. The main thing to remember is that corn is not a complete feed for growing animals.

Separated milk should be considered as a supplementary feed, not as a complete feed in itself. Where fed in moderate quantities, 2 or 3 pounds of separated milk may take the place of 1 pound of corn. In large amounts count 8 or 10 pounds of milk equal to 1 pound of corn. A good rule is to count 100 pounds of separated milk worth half the price of corn per bushel.—Chas. I. Bray, Colorado Agricultural college.

Good Fleeces and Lambs Are Always Profitable

Profitable sheep production depends largely upon the ability of the ewes in the flock to produce good fleeces and to raise strong, vigorous lambs. Proper feeding of the ewes prior to lambing and during the suckling period will go far toward insuring these returns.

Experiments at the Ohio Experiment station have shown that when the ewes are in good thrifty condition heavy grain feeding prior to lambing is uneconomical and does not increase the efficiency of the ration. A light grain allowance, however, is to be strongly recommended even though legume hay and corn silage make up a large part of the daily feed for the ewes. Fine wool breeding ewes fed one-third to one-half pound of grain per head daily in addition to legume hay and corn silage yielded strong lambs and had an abundant supply of milk.

After lambing, the grain allowance should be increased sufficiently to maintain the condition of the ewes as far as possible and to insure a good flow of milk. When the lambs have learned to eat grain, and they should always have a creep where they can eat without interference, the grain allowance of the ewes can be somewhat reduced without reducing the efficiency of the ration.

The election, however, didn't have anything to do with the enormous expansion of the pumpkin pie industry.

The poodle, says a circus trainer, is the only animal with a genuine sense of humor. Why, then, the horse laugh?

Anyway, there is some consolation in knowing it is almost impossible to transmit a cross-word puzzle by radio.

The man who starts out with a pay roll these days never knows whether the employees or the bandits will get it.

Are Your Shoes Wearing Out?

It makes no difference of whom you buy your shoes or at what store you buy them. They are like everything else in this world of ours. They will wear out.

But on the other hand, it is not necessary as soon as a small break is noticed in them to discard them and pay the large price that we are compelled to pay for new shoes, but take them to the RAPID SHOE REPAIR SHOP, Howell Street, Hillsdale, Phone 404, and say: "Here boys, is a pair of shoes. Fix them up." They will, and guarantee their work.

While they are rushed with work, they will give you courteous attention, and by the use of the latest electric machinery they are able to turn out a large amount of work and at a Reasonable Price, in fact much cheaper than in the average city shops.

A very important feature of the Repair Business of this establishment is the Parcel Post Department. They pay the charges one way on all this trade.

Here also will be found Shoe Laces, Polishes, Stains, Rubber Heels for All Kinds and Colors of Shoes.

We are pleased to be able to bring before our readers an establishment of this kind as they are a concern that brings to Hillsdale the atmosphere of a real metropolitan city as we can truthfully state that there is no better or a more progressive establishment than the RAPID SHOE SHOP which is conducted at Hillsdale.

Real Battery and Tire Service

Perhaps your car has not been performing with maximum efficiency. The trouble may be with your storage battery. Like some delicate but important organ of the body, the Storage Battery performs well when given good attention but is likely to prove a source of trouble if it does not receive such attention.

If there is any possibility that this is what is impairing the efficiency of your car,, take it to SIMPSON & SIMPSON, Sutton Block, Hillsdale, and have an expert look over your car. He may trace your trouble to the battery. Incidentally, as a part of this shop's policy of "Service to the Public" above everything else, this inspection is made free of charge. It does not even obligate you to have the repairs to your battery made here, if any is needed but if you do need any repairs or adjustments, there is no Battery Shop in this section of the State that is better prepared in the way of equipment and workmanship to "Render Real Battery Service" than SIMPSON & SIMPSON at Hillsdale.

The owners of this shop foresaw the tremendous growth of the automobile business in this community. They therefore equipped their shop to take care of a growing need. Although batteries for automotive use is a specialty with SIMPSON & SIMPSON, Repairing and Adjusting are done on Storage Batteries of all Types.

The EXIDE BATTERY CORPORATION was not long recognizing the quality of work turned out by this shop and gave them the agency for the Exide Batteries in this locality. SIMPSON & SIMPSON accepted this Agency only after a thorough investigation of the good points of all batteries and were convinced no battery could excel the "EXIDE" in quality and service.

In their Tire Department are the well known AUBURN and GENERAL CORDS. The tires that are becoming known as "Tires of Quality and Service."

We wish to emphasize on the motorists of this community that they are fortunate in having a Battery and Tire Service located here in our midst at Hillsdale such as that of SIMPSON & SIMPSON.

Jonesville's Real Flour Mill

The Jonesville Flouring Mill at Jonesville is one of the most modern and Best Equipped Mills in Hillsdale County and is admirably located in regards to receiving and shipping to all parts of the country of "SNOWFLAKE FLOUR" which it manufacaures extensively.

Through its model mechanical equipment only the choicest of wheat is used. After the wheat is received at the mill the flour is not touched by hand until it reaches the consumer. This method assures the patrons of the JONESVILLE MILLING COMPANY the most healthful and sanitary flour that modern science can produce.

Here also the farmer can bring his wheat and exchange it for flour. This is a convenience that the farmers of this section appreciate. Here also the farmer can have his grinding done by machinery that gives him back all that is coming to him.

The acute business judgement of the manager has placed this concern in the front ranks of mills throughout the state. They are responsible to a large degree for the agricultural development of this section as their institution is one that brings to Jonesville business that would go elsewhere if their service and goods were not so reliable.

In our First Annual Farm Edition we are glad to bring before our readers such a reliable institution as the JONESVILLE MILLING COMPANY as one of our real assets and its proprietors as progressive business men who are real boosters for their home community.

This Coupon is Worth 5c!

ON THE PURCHASE OF A PACKAGE OF

RUB-NO-MORE WASHING POWDER

SOFTENS HARD WATER CLEANS AND PURIFIES

AT YOUR GROCERS PROVIDING YOU BUY A BAR OF

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"MORE SUDS PER BAR"

Customer's Name..............

Address ....

Mr. Grocer: This Coupon will be redeemed for five cents (5) by our salesman, or mail to the Rub-No-More Company, Fort Wayne, Ind., and check will be sent promptly.

THE RUB-NO-MORE CO.

Every Farmer Should Have His Own Light Plant

There is no need for the people of this section to be without Electric Lights, no matter how far from the city you may live, for science has produced a compact, safe, lighting plant that will satisfactorily illuminate the largest plant, largest or smallest country residence, cottage, factory, store or home, no matter how far from a city it may be located.

This is the famous ALAMO FARM LIGHT PLANT which is manufactured and sold by the ALAMO CORPORATION of Hillsdale.

This is a wonderful product that has brought day by night within reach of the entire populace. It is a Complete Lighting Plant within itself and carries as many as seventy lights or more, which is more than enough to illuminate your house, out buildings or store or factory in the most satisfactory manner. It can also be utilized to turn the Churn, the Cream Separator, the Washing Machine or any other Light Machinery.

The ALAMO CORPORATION at Hillsdale are the representatives for this famous product in this section and let us say right here that they know their business from the ground up. They are familiar with the electrical field and by a consultation with them you can secure an ALAMO for your country estate or city home that will be a revelation in allumination along twentieth century lines.

The ALAMO FARM LIGHT is the safe light. Danger from oil lamps or other forms of illumination are all eliminated. It is the economical light for the cost of operation is very low and it is so simple that even a child can understand it.

There is no reason why any farmer in this part of Michigan should be without proper illumination, for the ALAMO CORPORATION are prepared to install this wonderful compact, economical and safe lighting system on a moment's notice. The "ALAMO" will run without being bolted or base. Is equipped with Bosch High Tension Magneto and Schebler Carburetor and other high grade equipment. The ALAMO CORPORATION do their own wiring and furnish all necessary parts, also fixtures and lights as you may desire.

In this Annual Farm Edition we are pleased to call our readers attention to the ALAMO FARM LIGHT PLANT, as one of the modern conveniences for the farm and to the ALAMO CORPORATION as one of our most progressive institutions.

Realize Real Eyes

Probably no profession has made greater advances during the last few years than OPTOMETRY. Many men have devoted a large portion of their time in making this profession of the greatest possible benefit to the public. "Optometry" today occupies an honored position in the public estimation and is protected by law in every State in the Union.

The progress of "Optometry" like that of every profession, has been gradual but sure. Years ago many readers will remember, it was the custom for those who required glasses to do their own choosing by trying on various lenses or until a pair was selected that seemed to produce the most satisfactory results.

That was in the days before accurate instruments, at present employed by "Optometrists" were in existence and which today is employed by Dr. C. J. HOWE, Optometrist, Hillsdale, Phone 587 J. Today in examining a patient for errors of vision it is possible for DR. HOWE to fit a patient with an "Accurate Correction" without asking a question.

the best of service to his patients

By examining the eyes with necessary instruments the condition of the eyes is plainly revealed to the "Optometrist."

Thus by checking upon his results DR. C. J. HOWE gives his patients a double examination, the result of which can be absolutely relied upon. Don't wait until your eyes picture the effect of errors of vision. Defects of Eye Sight taken in time are easily corrected. If they are allowed to go uncorrected, they may do great harm. Your eyes will serve you well if you treat them well.

DR. HOWE makes a complete eye examination, determining the health of the eye first. He does not treat diseased eyes, nor does he use "drops" in making an eye examination. Instead of holding lens after lens before the eye and asking questions relative to the vision, he makes mathematical and physical measurements to determine the eye needs and muscular tests to ascertain the powers of the eye. From this data he knows what the eye requirements are, what the defects are, and proceed accordingly. He may prescribe temporary glasses, permanent glasses, or exercises to eliminate the need of glasses. His aim is to conserve eyes and eye-sight.

Incorrectly ground or badly fitted glasses hurt the eyes. Even if you are able to see with them they may be causing eyestrain, though you may not realize it at the time.

DR. HOWE does not use "In- "Inferior Lenses or Frames." The best is none too good for his patients. Do not purchase glasses from unreliable firms or persons. About nine out of every ten cases of cataract can be traced back to a pair of cheap glasses that the patient has worn at some time or another.

We are personally acquainted with DR. C. J. HOWE and know that he is well versed in his profession, being registered by examination in three states, Michigan, Indiana and Illinois. His office is equipped with only modern instruments, and he takes personal interest in rendering

What Is Home Without A Holland

In past years man was satisfied and manged to keep warm in a way, by the heat from a fireplace built within the walls of his abode. First warming his back, then one side and so on until his entire body had consumed a portion of the heat derived from this crude device.

In later years, during the period of the stove for heating, man was convinced that the acme of perfection had been reached from the heating standpoint.

But the Modern Furnace of today, not only heats one room but distributes the heat uniformly over the entire house, regulated at the will of the family.

That is what a "Good Furnace" accomplishes and there is good and bad on the market today. A person buying a furnace should be very particular in investigating the merits of the furnace that he is thinking of installing, before purchasing.

That the manufacturer is reliable and depends upon the success of his furnace through satisfaction that it gives and the materials contained in its construction.

The "HOLLAND WARM AIR FURNACE," sold in this section by the HOLLAND FURNACE COMPANY, 15 Mechanic Street, Hillsdale, phone 419, under the management of J. I. Mason, Costs Less of Operate and Less for repairs than any other heating plant, barring none. The "HOLLAND WARM AIR FURNACE" is built to give "Economical Service," all the time and is not an experiment.

It is so well known that it adds more than its cost as a selling or renting feature to your building; and if you use the HOLLAND WARM AIR FURNACE, fuel economy and savings on doctors bills will soon pay for it.

While you are thinking of ways to increase happiness, think of the "HOLLAND WARM AIR FURNACE" as the spirit of Genial Warmth that will bring Happiness and Good Cheer into your home every year.

Think of the "HOLLAND" as the spirit of Comfort that will make your home brighter and more cheerful.

Think of the HOLLAND as a Convenience that will regulate temperature throughout your house and will banish the dirt and drudgery of old style heating methods.

Think of the HOLLAND as Economy that will eliminate one-third to one-half your fuel bill and save more money for the things worth while.

We can truthfully say that you will make no mistake in selecting a "HOLLAND WARM AIR FURNACE" and you will find MR. MASON, a courteous and progressive business man whose word can be taken in full confidence in every way.

They Are Community Builders

You can build a home to suit your own individual tastes more cheaply than you can buy one which has been built to suit the taste of another.

The advantageous buying power of the GRAVES & FORD LUMBER COMPANY with yards here in North Adams and the JONESVILLE LUMBER COMPANY with yards at Jonesville, make the Best Grades of Lumber Supplies available to the citizens of this community at Most Reasonable Prices. Prices are so reasonable that it is actually possible to Build a Modern Home more cheaply than it is to purchase one ready built.

The GRAVES & FORD LUMBER COMPANY does not make possible these low prices by selling inferior quality lumber. The mangers know too well the value of a high reputation in a community to make any such mistake, and it is paramount then that only the Best Quality Lumber be Sold.

The great purchasing power of this concern is made possible through their wide knowledge and acquaintance with the Lumber Business. They have spent many years studying the ins and outs of this business, the source of the Best Lumber supply, all the finer points of the Buying Game. Ample resources enables them to take advantage of the market and which in turn works benefits to this community. No community can progress without a building program. If material costs are prohibitive, building cannot go on. No new homes are erected and the people lose their progressive spirit.

By placing the Price of Building material within easy reach of everyone desiring to build a home, this firm is rendering a real community service.

Years ago they had a vision of a progressive community—a community of fine homes. In continuing to make possible fine homes for the people of this community, they are still following the light of that vision.

These companies have become favorites with the farmers of this vicinity for they not only carry in stock Lumber, Lath, Doors, Sash, Interior Finish, Building Paper, Roofing, Cement and Coal, but "Everything and Anything" to build the Farm Home, Barns, Cattle Sheds, Silos, Garages and Poultry Houses.

If our readers will take our advice and go and investigate the large stocks of Building Supplies carried by these concerns, we feel that you will not see the necessity of going elsewhere.

Diversity of Crops

A diversity of crops makes possible better utilization of farm labor and provides feed for live stock. In choosing the crops to be grown, only those that are of major importance should be included. Usually not more than five or six crops should be grown and these should be chosen so that they will provide labor throughout the season, give a cash crop, and provide feed for th live stock.

If the squirrel's coat is thick and the bankroll thin, there are two infallible signs of a tough winter.

A doctor in Los Angeles says we should abolish the corset. Might as well say abolish the hookskirt.

Nothing restores the self-esteem of the gentleman who isn't boss in his own home like the secret ballot.

That the barbecue has attained the status of a flourishing industry is indicated by the plan to regulate it.

"You can fool some of the people all of the time," said Lincoln. And ever since it has been this particular group on which the professional office-hunter has lavished most of his attention.

If there has been perfected a stingless bee, a lot of fun has been taken out of life for coming generations of small boys.

From the standpoint of usefulness in all kinds of weather, a dirigible seems to be about one degree better than a glider.

A generation hence, the cake-eater who now wears balloon-bottom trousers ought in justice to forgive his sons anything.

The average male is not concerned about woman's invasion of man's sphere until he finds her sitting in his barber's chair.

A baker who has worked 56 years in one shop is still in perfect physical condition, which looks like a boost for the daily dozen.

Criticism will not help discourteous drivers. The help comes automatically when two of them meet at high speed on a narrow road.

Paper money wears out too rapidly, complains a Treasury department official. It sounds reasonable—someone's always breaking it.

Bridge Grafting Saves Trees Injured by Mice

Trees injured by rabbits, mice and collar rot can often be saved by bridge grafting. The injured surface of the tree should first be trimmed to a clean, smooth edge at both the top and bottom. Select scion wood of the same variety that is of sufficient length to bridge the area. The base of the scion should be cut straight across and beveled edges about one and one-half inch long should be made. After measuring the scion against the injured surface to determine the length of scion required, trim the top in the same manner. The bark of the tree above and below the wound is split and the edges are loosened. The beveled ends of the scion should then be inserted in the slits, with the beveled edges on the inside, against the wood of the tree. After being pushed into place, the scion should lay reasonably close to the trunk. Following this it is well to tack both ends of the scion to the tree with a slender brad. Additional scions should be set at intervals of about one and one-half inches until the girdled portion is entirely covered. Both ends of the scions should be thoroughly waxed to prevent drying out.

ORCHARD GLEANINGS

SPRAY SOLUTION FOR EACH TREE VARIES

How much spray solution is required to spray an apple tree? Of course the answer to this question depends very largely upon the opinion of the operator. Some one has said that the orchardists who obtain best results from spraying are those who "waste" material. In other words best results are obtained by putting on the solution until the tree is thoroughly covered and dripping quite heavily.

In keeping a record of the cost of spraying at the Ohio experiment station, a record of the amount of material required for bearing trees of various ages has been kept through two seasons.

Factors that make the amounts vary in addition to the opinion of the operator are the wind, material used, and whether gun or nozzle is used to discharge the solution.

Naturally when the wind is high, material will be used in excess of that actually required on a calm day. One cannot always wait for ideal days to spray, especially during the time of applying the pink spray.

Oil sprays require less solution than other sprays because of their "creeping" qualities. No doubt less material would be required by using a rod and nozzle rather than the gun but the time element is so much in favor of the gun that the gun has more to recommend it than the rod and nozzle, especially if the gun is in the hand of a careful operator.

Most of the orchards on which spraying records have been kept at the experiment station have been sprayed either five or six times each season.

The petal fall spray usually requires more solution than any other spray although there is not much difference in the amounts used on any of the summer sprays. The pre-pink and pink applications usually require less. This is partly because it is not necessary to drench the body of the tree quite so heavily as on the dormant spray and there is no foliage to cover at this period.

There is no difference in the amounts required of bordeaux or lime sulphur, which are the two main sprays used.

Baldwin Apple Has Been Grown for Many Years

According to the New York state experiment station, the Baldwin apple is probably more generally distributed throughout the United States than is any other one variety of apple.

This variety has been grown for a great many years, and under a wide range of soil and climatic conditions. As a result of this, perhaps there will be some difference in the size and quality of the fruit, as it is grown under the different conditions, and many fruit growers have advanced the theory that when Baldwins are grown for a long period of time under different conditions, new strains of the variety are developed.

Some thirteen years ago the horticulturists at the experiment station at Geneva determined to try out the theory. They purchased 84 Baldwin apple trees from 40 different locations in the United States. These were set out on the trial grounds to determine definitely as to whether the distinct strains of this variety had developed under these widely different environments. These trees are now in full bearing, and every one of the 84 trees produces fruit similar in size, color, season and quality to the fruit produced by the others.

The results of this experiment will be quite interesting to those who like to inquire into some of the theoretical side of plant growth, and so far as this experiment is concerned, it seems rather certain that no strains of this variety have originated because of differences in environment, but if there are strains of the variety in different sections of the country, they have originated probably for some other reason.

Horticulture Hints

Strawberry plants are usually put up in bunches of 25 plants to the bunch.

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Look up the latest control measures for insect pests and plan for them beforehand.

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Fertilize the home orchard. Prune and spray fruit trees before the buds begin to swell, if this was not done earlier.

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Every home garden should have its strawberry patch. The early part of May is the most desirable time to set out the plants.

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Orchard trees made their principal growth and demand on the soil for both water and plant food during May and June. This early cultivation conserves moisture and increases the supply of available food.

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Keep the strawberries cultivated and select now the ground for a new planting. It is a good plan to plant each year a third of the home patch and after the crop is gathered in the spring plow up the old third. This keeps an unfailing [illegible]

Berlin wants to know if bob-haired women should tip their hats to each other. No; it takes too long to remove the modern feminine top piece.

The police have found that half of the automobiles have poor brakes, but maybe some of the cars were driven by people who didn't know about the brakes.

The Germans may figure out with statistics that traveling in a Zeppelin is safer than traveling in a street car, but it will take something more than statistics to convince most strap hangers.

Don't Forget the Dates, Sept. 28th-Oct. 3, 1925

The greatest event of the year to the residents and farmers of HILLSDALE COUNTY should be the HILLSDALE COUNTY FAIR that will be held at Hillsdale, September 28 to Oct. 3.

Not only from a pleasure but from and educational standpoint, should the HILLSDALE COUNTY FAIR be attended by every one and their entire family. More so this year than any other the country needs every acre planted so as to produce more than ever before and there is no institution that gives the farmer more real practical experience and universal information than the machine and farm appliances that are exhibited and the high grade products that are shown and produced on Michigan soil.

The Superintendents of the different departments are going to do their part this year in making the fair the best from an educational standpoint and should receive the full support of every resident of Hillsdale County.

It's your fair and for your benefit. Look over your corn-crib, take an invoice of your stock. You may have some extra fine vegetables or your wife may be an exceptionally good butter maker, or does she have some excellent canned fruit? See if you cannot find a display that will beat the other fellows. You should hold your head up, push out your chest and let everybody see by both your actions and your boasting that "this is my fair and I am proud of it." The Advocate is swelled up over the fair and the editor is glad that he lives in Hillsdale county and we know you are too.

A half-mile track which is one of the best in the state, with a good grand-stand and bleachers offers to the lovers of racing the best there is for speed and comfort. Good honest race events are carried out, the association receiving a state-wide reputation for being one place where all receive a "Square Deal."

Every Exhibiting Department Indicates that it will be filled to the limit which will insure the largest and most interesting fair to be held this year in Southern Michigan

Mr. Terwilliger, the Secretary believes in looking out for the comfort and pleasure of the fair's patrons. One of these real little comforts are the large number of seats which are distributed throughout the grounds for the tired visitors who can rest and visit friends, look at the crowd, listen to the band music, or watch the races and ball games. Another convenience that is generally appreciated by those who drive to the fair is the ample room for parking automobiles upon the grounds which is very easy to get to and there is plenty of room for all.

We feel that due credit should be given C. W. Terwilliger and his associates whose untiring efforts have been the means of placing in the front ranks of fairs, the HILLSDALE COUNTY FAIR.

Refreshing and Delicious

The HILLSDALE BOTTLING WORK'S plant at Hillsdale is a model of its kind and is one of the best to be found in Southern Michigan. It is equipped with all the necessary appliances for the manufacture of "BON TON ICE CREAM" and all kinds of "CARBONATED BEVERAGES" in the preparation of which only the "Purest and Most Wholesome Ingredients" are used.

The management of the HILLSDALE BOTTLING WORKS exercises the greatest care in the preparation of their popular "BON TON ICE CREAM" and CARBONATED BEVERAGES, which from every standpoint are the best to be had in this section for their Purity is Unquestioned and no more refreshing and delicious Ice Cream and beverages could be asked for than their celebrated "BON TON ICE CREAM" and CARBONATED BEVERAGES, as all who have partaken of these dainties can testify, while they are no dearer than those of much inferior makes, a fact that is worthy of due consideration by all who partake of Ice Cream and Beverages in any form.

The plant of the HILLSDALE BOTTLING WORKS is a credit to the community and is open at all times to the inspection of the public.

The HILLSDALE BOTTLING WORKS operate several trucks which are continually on the go supplying the wants of their many customers, in Hillsdale and vicinity and all and telephone orders receive prompt and careful attention. In North Adams their products are sold by E. C. WILLIAMS, REX NORTHRUP, E. J. BENGE, R. A. BARBER, and E. J. BLACKMAN.

Because of the general excellence of "BON TON ICE CREAM" and the other High Grade Delicious Products turned out under their direction the HILLSDALE BOTTLING WORKS plant at Hillsdale, is one of the busy centers of this section

We wish to say to those who desire the best there is in Ice Cream and Beverages should always ask for "BON TON ICE CREAM and CARBONATED BEVERAGES which is manufactured by the HILLSDALE BOTTLING WORKS and you will not be disappointed. The management are gentlemen with whom it is a pleasure to do business and stand ready at all times to assist any proposition for the betterment of their home community.

High Class Work of Quality

At the E. P. REFNER GRANITE WORKS 65, Hillsdale St., Hillsdale, Phone 659, the public has at its disposal the services of men who possess the "know how" and who obtained their manufacturing and business education in the "School of Practical Experience."

From the inception of the enterprise, "Quality" has been the aim and the standard of excelence has been maintained from the beginning.

They are equipped with the latest of scientific machinery for the production of "High-Class" Work. The name of the E. P. REFNER GRANITE Works, stands for Quality, Reliability, Progress in the Monumental Line of this section of the country and as the advances of the period have marked improvvements in the Monument Makers art. This Company have adopted these late scientific products as rapidly as they were approved by the trade.

That Mr. E. P. Refner, the Manager, has been especially active along these lines is evidenced by the Most Modern and Up-To-Date Plant in this section in which ideas originating with them in machinery and the artistic production of the various lines in vogue.

The large number of Monument Markers and Cemetery Supplies placed in cemeteries of this community show in what appreciation the people hold the E. P. REFNER GRANITE WORKS.

The Universal Beauty of Design of their Monuments and Markers stands as examples of their "Expert Designing and Workmanship" and are the admiration of all who see them.

The E. P. REFNER GRANITE WORKS have won a reputation as being among the leading Monument Dealers in Michigan and their work is considered by experts as the best that can be produced in the "Monumental Line."

It is a pleasure to mention the E. P. REFNER GRANITE WORKS, and their modern plant at Hillsdale and assure our readers that they will receive the best treatment at their hands and you will find them most fair in their business dealings.

Stage Scrub-Bull Trial at Farm Bureau Meeting

The trial of a scrub bull in which every part of the proceedings—except of course, the prisoner—was taken by boys' and girls' club members, recently occurred at a farm bureau meeting in Lincoln county, Oregon. The event took place during a picnic and was the chief attraction of the day. The bull was found guilty. The 200 spectators rendered an additional verdict, unanimously, that the work of the boys and girls was extremely creditable.

In reporting the event to the United States Department of Agriculture J. R. Beck, county agent of Lincoln county, Oregon, described a scrub-bull exchange plan recently inaugurated. Under this plan the owners of pure bred cattle list their surplus bull crop to scrub-bull owners at a flat price of $30 each if taken by the time the bull calves are six weeks old. The purchaser must agree to butcher his scrub bulls as soon as the pure bred calf is old enough for service.

Cause of Lumpy Milk

The usual cause of a cow giving lumpy milk is the inflammation of that quarter of the udder from which the bad milk comes. Ordinarily this condition will not continue for a very long time. Incomplete milking is often the cause. The application of turpentine and lard, or camphorated lubricant will aid materially in restoring the udder to its normal condition. The administration of epsom salts is also advisable, as the bowels are apt to be sluggish.

Transferring Pigs

If another sow, with a small litter farrowed about the same time as the large litter, is available, some of the pigs from the large litter can often be transferred to the sow with the small litter. Seldom will any sow raise more than one pig to each teat successfully if all are allowed to remain with her. Attempting to raise little pigs on cow's milk right from the start is of doubtful economy, as it requires more work than the pig is worth.

Live Stock Squibs

Cull out inferior animals.

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Dock and castrate lambs when seven to fourteen days old.

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Get the sow accustomed to handling before farrowing time.

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Keep ewes with young lambs separate from the regular flock.

Jonesville Commercial Bank

JONESVILLE, MICH.

BACKED BY OVER HALF A MILLION DOLLARS.

Saving cultivates habits of thrift and a safe place to get the habit is to start an account with the JONESVILLE COMMERCIAL BANK at Jonesville.

Start a small account and deposit each week and you will be agreeably surprised at the end of the year at what you have saved. Parents should encourage their children to open accounts here.

The JONESVILLE COMMERCIAL BANK does a large amount of business by mail, and if you do not happen to have an account with this, one of the strongest financial institutions of Southern Michigan, you should get in touch with the management either by mail or in person and they will explain the whole proposition to you.

The JONESVILLE COMMERCIAL BANK offers a safe and profitable investment to all, and for those who wish to save something each week from their earnings it is especially recommended.

Go to this bank when you want advice. Test its service, and know the free welcome atmosphere so appreciated by its score of patrons and friends. Its officers are men who through the seasoning process of time and experience, have grown and developed until today this bank stands out as a "Financial Rock" of the community.

The officers of the bank are HARRY GODFREY, Pres.; A. G. HOUSENECHT, Vice Pres.; A. H. RODLAN, Cashier.

We are glad in our first Farm Edition to point with pride to this strong financial institution that is responsible for building up the community of Jonesville and surrounding territory.

In This Gasoline Age "Red Crown" Is It

In this gasoline age where "Gasoline is King" there are many products which try to ascend the throne but through its high grade and service rendering qualities "RED CROWN" has become king.

When HERBERT PATTON started in the Gas and Oil business here in North Adams, he determined to sell "Goods of Merit," and how well he has succeeded is evidenced by the large demand for "RED CROWN" Gasoline and "POLARINE" MOTOR OIL.

The farmer appreciates the modern service delivering by truck, which supplies him Gasoline and Oil for Tractor, Farm Engine and Auto right at his door, which means the saving of many valuable hours in the busy season as well as assuring him of receiving the "Best There Is."

The marvelous success achieved by HERBERT PATTON reads like one of the tales of the famous Aladdin of the olden time. Not that there has been any magic lamp in his success for the only magic used, was hard work and wisdom and knowledge of selling "goods of quality" which always breeds success.

In buying gasoline and motor oils the public should not ask for just Gasoline and Oil but should demand the best and ask for those products by name and always say "RED CROWN" and "POLARINE." It only takes a minute of time to say it and it will save you hours of time in making your engine run smoothly and having no lost power.

Every person driving a car today knowns that the most of the gasoline sold along the way is inferior quality and the best is none too good. But if for his own protection the motorist would demand the best and ask for his gasoline and oil by name and always say "RED CROWN" and "POLARINE" he will get gasoline and oil of quality sold by a world-known firm with a world's reputation and represented by your neighbor, HERBERT PATTON, whose integrity and fair dealing has never been questioned.

WOMAN SO ILL WASHED DISHES SITTING DOWN

Mrs. Ashcroft's Remarkable Recovery After Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Covington, Ky.—"I was so weak and nervous I could hardly do my housework as I could not stand because of the bearing-down pains in my back and abdomen. I sat down most of the time and did what I could do in that way—as washing dishes, etc. One day a book describing Lydia E. Pinkham's medicines was put in my mail-box. I saw how the Vegetable Compound had helped others so I gave it a trial. I had to take about a dozen bottles before I gained my strength but I certainly praise this medicine. Then I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood medicine for poor blood. I was cold all the time. I would be so cold I could hardly sit still and in the palms of my hands there would be drops of sweat. I also used the Sanative Wash and I recommend it also. You may publish this letter and I will gladly answer letters from women and advise my neighbors about these medicines."—Mrs. HARRY ASHCROFT, 632 Beech Avenue, Covington, Kentucky.

Quintessence of Punctuality

Joseph Taylor, head of the stores department of the Middlesex hospital, London, has been on duty at 5:30 o'clock every morning for 37 years without being tardy, and has worked from 100 to 112 hours a week during that time.

Hunger might be defined as a necessary evil for the promotion of exercise.

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Police Autos

Mounted police in outlying parts of St. Louis are going to be replaced by auto police. The city has ordered seven speedy machines, each of which will have two policemen and will replace four horses and their riders.

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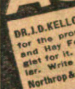

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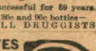

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King Tommy

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CHAPTER IX—Continued

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Janet Church, tired of standing by herself and very curious to know what was going on, edged slowly toward the table at which Tommy was sitting. The king, who has very sharp eyes, noticed her.

"By the way," he said, "why did you bring your aunt with you? Casimir tells me that she's your aunt. I suppose she is your aunt? I used to say cousin myself sometimes, and occasionally sister—not that any one ever believed me — but I never thought of aunt. I suppose now that she isn't—but she can't be, can't possibly be. But still some men have queer fancies. I suppose she isn't Miss Temple, is she?"

"No, she's not," said Tommy.

"That's almost a pity," said the king. "I don't think Calypso would have objected to her. I don't think even the patriarch would have minded. However, if she isn't—"

He had to drop his voice at the last words, for Janet had come quite close to them. The king greeted her in the most friendly manner.

"I'm just giving your nephew a little advice," he said. "I was talking about the financial position of Lystria. Low rate of exchange and all that, you know. But the worst of it is that the people simply won't pay their taxes. At least, they wouldn't in my time. Ever since I've been here I've been thinking things over and I see now that I went the wrong way about collecting taxes. All governments make the same mistake. They send 'round disagreeable men with large blue papers and threaten people who don't pay up. That's the wrong way to get money. As head waiter in the Mascotte I make more in a single month than I ever got out of Lystria in a year. I don't threaten any one. I don't ask any one for a tip. A good waiter can make a man feel like a worm if he orders anything cheaper than champagne, and without speaking a word can see to it that he gets a ten per cent tip at least on every bill that's paid. I take fifty per cent of what the waiters get. That's revenue, collected without the slightest difficulty. What I'm advising your nephew to do is to try the same plan in Lystria. Fire all the exisiting tax collectors. They're an utterly worthless lot, and their methods are antiquated. Hire a staff of waiters from some place like this. Employ them on a fifty-fifty basis, and just see what you get in. Now what do you think of that plan, Miss Temple?"

"My name isn't Temple," said Janet. "It's—"

"Of course not," said the king. "Norheys told me it wasn't."

"It's Church. Miss Janet Church."

She spoke stiffly. Her impression was that the king was a very drunk head waiter.

"Church," said the king. "How very ecclesiastical! And Norbeys says he's a curate. You ought to be able to handle the patriarch between you."

"I'm going to Lystria," said Janet, "to enlist the patriarch's sympathies in the cause of World Peace Through the Union of Christian Churches."

The king looked at her for a moment with a little puzzled frown on his forehead. Then he turned to Tommy.

"I must say you're managing this uncommonly well," he said. "If you can start the patriarch arguing about religion, he'll forget— It's an extraordinarily ingenious plan. I wish I'd thought of it in my time. But then I never had an aunt who could have done it. I wish I could be there, Miss Church. I'd like to hear you and the patriarch at it together. But I can't go. They'd never let me cross the frontier. Besides, I must hold on to my job here. It's all I have to live on."

Janet turned away. Drunken head waiters who babbled neither amused nor interested her. She left the room with great dignity. Half an hour later, after receiving a great deal more good advice, Tommy managed to get off and go back to his hotel.

CHAPTER X

I have had several talks with Tommy about what happened in Berlin. It was easy, or fairly easy to get at the facts. It was very much more difficult to find out what Tommy thought about it all.

"But didn't the whole thing strike you as odd?" I asked him.

"Of course it did," said Tommy. "Odd is hardly the word for it. It was simply mad."

"Still, you went on with it. I mean to say, you didn't try to clear things up."

"I did nothing else except try to clear things up," said Tommy. "I kept on trying. I told every one I met there'd been a mistake, that I wasn't the man they took me for; but they wouldn't believe me."

"So at last you made up your mind to take the goods the gods provided, a princess and a throne?"

"Well, of course, there was Calypso," said Tommy. "I didn't really think at first that I had much chance of getting her, marrying her, I mean. Well, I told you how I was feeling about her."

"Yes. I understand that. But all the same—what I'm trying to get at is this: what did you think was happening? How did you explain it all to yourself? Did you try to think it out?"

"I thought it out all that night," said Tommy, "at least as long as I stayed awake. I dare say I was awake for as much as an hour or an hour and a half after I got into bed, and I was thinking hard all the time, partly about Calypso, of course. But—"

"Mostly about Calypso, I expect."

"Well, you may say mostly," said Tommy. "Still, I did think about the others, Casimir and the king, and about the absurd way they were going on, insisting that I was some one I wasn't and all that."

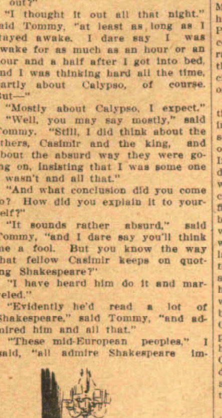
"And what conclusion did you come to? How did you explain it to yourself?"

"It sounds rather absurd," said Tommy, "and I dare say you'll think me a fool. But you know the way that fellow Casimir keeps on quoting Shakespeare?"

"I have heard him do it and marveled."

"Evidently he'd read a lot of Shakespeare," said Tommy, "and admired him and all that."

"These mid-European peoples," I said, "all admire Shakespeare immensely. They know him a great deal better than we do."



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"That's what I'm getting at," said Tommy. "Casimir admires Shakespeare tremendously, and I dare say the king does too. I don't profess myself to know all the plays off by heart. Still I've read them. At least, I've read most of them. Do you remember the beginning of one of the plays—I didn't remember which it was at the time, but I've looked it up since, and it's "The Taming of the Shrew." At the beginning of it there's a kind of little play which hasn't anything to do with the shrew, or the taming or anything else."

No more than Tommy am I a Shakespearean scholar. But I recollect that there was a kind of prologue to "The Taming of the Shrew."

"It's about a sort of spoof," said Tommy, "which a lot of people played off on a ragged beggar called Christopher Sly, pretending to believe that the poor man was a king or a great lord or something until they very nearly persuaded him that he was!"

I remembered the scene when Tommy described it. A certain lord, returning from hunting with his attendants, all of them in merry mood, found a beggar in a bed in an inn. And out of sheer gaiety of heart set to work to persuade him that he was a wealthy nobleman.

"My idea was," said Tommy, "that they were trying that trick on with me. I don't know how the game ended in Shakespeare. In fact I don't think it did end. But I thought I might just as well go through with it and see what happened. There was Calypso, you see."

"Yes," I said. "You've told me how you felt about her. Did you believe she was a princess?"

"Of course, I didn't," said Tommy. "At least not at first. I thought she was just a dancing girl. And I thought her father was a head waiter, and that Casimir was a silly ass who'd got Shakespeare on the brain. I'd have chucked the whole thing and kicked Casimir next time I saw him, only that I really did want to—"

"You wanted to marry Calypso?"

"Most frightfully," said Tommy, who is a very simple soul.

"Considering your position," I said, "and your profession, and—and my sister Emily, don't you think you ought to have hesitated about marrying a girl like that?"

"I suppose I ought," said Tommy. "But I didn't. A fellow doesn't, you know, when he's— I told you that Calypso laid me out, absolutely a gone man, the very moment I saw her."

That is all very well; but I still think Tommy ought to have thought what he was doing. If he married her, supposing her to be, as he thought, simply a German dancing girl, he would have had to take her home with him and she would have been the curate's wife in my sister Emily's parish. What sort of example was Calypso likely to set to members of the Girls' Friendly society? What would the members of the Mothers' union have thought about her? What would dear old Canon Pyke, simplest, gentlest, most innocent of men, have thought of a curate's wife who kicked her legs into the air on the platform of his parochial hall at the annual entertainment of the Temperance society?

And Emily herself? My imagination utterly failed when I tried to imagine Emily's reception of Calypso. She had not a very high opinion of Tommy before he went to Berlin. In her original letter to me about his disappearance she had said that he was not altogether suited to be a clergyman. She would have been confirmed in that opinion when he came back with Calypso for a wife. There was no real harm in the girl. She was as thoroughly respectable as Viola Temple was. But Edmund Troyte, who was a man of the world, shied at the idea of his nephew marrying her. Emily, who is a lady not of this world but of the next, would have been outraged and scandalized, if Canon Pyke's curate, a man who preached to her on Sundays, brought home Calypso as a wife. How would Calypso have taught a class in Sunday school? Emily would regard it as part of the duty of a curate's wife to teach a class in Sunday school.

There are things which Tommy certainly ought to have thought about; but did not. As he said, "a fellow doesn't" when he has fallen suddenly and violently in love. And, of course, there were other considerations. Calypso really was a princess. Tommy did not know that, at the time. Perhaps no one in the parish would have known it at first; but in the end it would have leaked out. What would have happened? My sister is no more a snob than the rest of us; but, like all decent people, she has a respect for royalty. She might severely condemn the manners, customs and morals of a Berlin cabaret dancer; but she is not the woman to do more than whisper nasty things about a princess. Her position would be really awkward. A curate's wife occupies a definite, quite humble place in a parish. But a princess in any well regulated church is received at the door by the clergy in full canonicals, has a gilt and crimson chair to sit on, instead of being herded into a pew like other people, and is often prayed for by name in the course of the service. What could be done about a princess who is also the curate's wife?

But these complicated problems did not trouble Tommy. He was able to go to sleep after little more than an hour's wakefulness, rest quietly and awake next morning prepared to play out to the end what he supposed to be Casimir's game.

When he came down next morning he went to the head clerk in the reception office and asked whether Count Casimir had called or sent any message. Casimir had done neither. But the head clerk, who felt it his duty to watch over his guests, told Tommy that he ought to go to the police office at once to show his passport and obtain permission to remain in Berlin. This, he said, was necessary in the case of all foreigners who wished to stay more than two days. The whole business, so he assured Tommy, was purely formal, tiresome, but nothing worse. Tommy had nothing to do except display his passport. He would immediately receive the necessary written permit. It was called—Tommy wrote down the word to make sure of remembering it—an Ausweis.

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Conscience Ruled Him

One of the witnesses at a royal commission appointed to inquire into a case of alleged bribery in an election stated that he had received $25 to vote Conservative, and in cross-examination it was elicited that he had also received $25 to vote Liberal.

Mr. Justice Matthew, in amazement, repeated:

"You say you received $25 to vote Conservative?"

"Yes, my lord."

"And you also received $25 to vote Liberal?"

"Yes, my lord."

"And for whom did you vote at the finish?" asked the astonished judge, throwing himself back in the chair.

And the witness, with injured dignity in every line of his face, answered with great earnestness:

"I voted, my lord, according to my conscience!"—Vancouver Province.

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No peace was ever won from fate by subterfuge or agreement; no peace is ever in store for any of us, but which we shall win by victory over shame or sin—victory over the sin that oppresses, as well as over that which corrupts.—Ruskin.

POULTRY FACTS

CURE BROODINESS IN OPEN YARD IS BEST

As the hatching season is ended the problem of broody hens will be confronting most poultry raisers for the following months.

Numerous methods have been advocated from time to time for handling broody hens. Almost every one in any neighborhood has a pet plan for breaking the hens of this condition, which is guaranteed to work. Many of these are founded on sense and will give results, while a good many are founded on abuse of the hens, which should not be practiced.

One favorite methods we used to have on the farm was to dip the hens in a tub filled with water, says a writer in the Michigan Farmer. We kept them under the water just as long as we dared without drowning them. This was supposed to scare the hen so badly that she forgot about wanting to set. Sometimes it worked and sometimes it didn't. When it didn't, something else had to be tried. The broody trait of hens is not a "notion" but a natural condition in response to natural laws. The longer the hens are tolerated in this condition, the longer it will be before they return to laying and the less the profit realized from the investment.

It is foolish to think that mistreatment and abuse which breaks up the tendency is a wise one. One idea sometimes used was to starve the hens when they became broody in order to break them up and get them back to laying. We now know that this was the exact opposite to what we should have done in order to encourage early laying. What is advisable is to feed the hens liberally on a good egg ration which would within a few days have induced the hens to lay. Once laying is resumed the broody trait will disappear.

The open-yard method of breaking up broody hens is one of the most humane treatments we can give the fowls and is also most productive of results. The method is simple. A small area is fenced off in a grassy and shady corner in which a box is placed for protection in bad weather. The hens are turned loose in this yard and plenty of fresh water and feed is given, and as a rule the broodiness ceases in a short time.

Slatted and wire mesh coops indoors or out work fairly well when the bird is caught in time, but in warm weather do not give satisfaction. According to my judgment, the best method for curing broodiness is the open yard. There is less expense, work and trouble involved in this plan than in any other tried. It breaks up the birds more quickly and thus gets them back into the laying class with a minimum loss of time.

Prevent Limberneck by Removal of Carcasses

If poultrymen would spend a little time in looking over their range during the summer months to keep it free from dead carcasses they would undoubtedly prevent a great many outbreaks of so-called "limberneck," or botulism, in poultry.

This is the advice of Dr. F. R. Beaudette, poultry pathologist of the New Jersey agricultural experiment station, who says:

"At this time of the year decomposition takes place quite rapidly. Flies are attracted to carcasses and there lay the eggs which later hatch forth maggots. If these maggots are eaten by a fowl an outbreak of botulism is very apt to occur. The outstanding symptom is the limberneck, and generally the affected bird shows a bright red comb. The temperature of such a bird is usually always subnormal. This is of considerable importance in making a diagnosis. The disease is not spread from one fowl to another, and therefore can easily be controlled by eliminating the source of poisoning. It is still a question whether the maggots themselves are responsible or whether the poisoning is due to the botulinus toxin which the maggot mechanically carries.

"Ranges which are overrun with weeds or with anything that would obscure a dead carcass are more dangerous than a range relatively free from tall vegetation; hence, it is a good practice to keep weeds mowed during the summer months. Of course there is no danger of botulism in flocks that are confined to runs.

"The disease cannot be cured after marked symptoms have made their appearance, though mild cases will often make a spontaneous recovery. Epsom salts in the usual dose aids in early cases. Confinement in a cool dark place seems to give good results."

Green Feed for Fowls

If possible, rest the poultry yards for a month and grow a green crop to purify the soil. A certain amount of green food is essential to the health of the poultry. When in addition to the food value, we can have the service of purifying the soil, it is thrifty to sow oats, or wheat, or rye in the poultry yard. Even when the yards cannot be spared, and the chickens must have their usual run, by heavy seeding there will be growth enough to benefit the soil.

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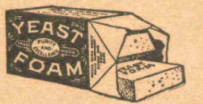

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Gallant Rebuff

Benny, aged seven, was always mixed up in fist fights with other youngsters of his town. His mother made several futile attempts to get him to stop. Finally, she told him that whenever he felt an inclination to fight it was the devil tempting him, and that he should say: "Get thee behind me, Satan."

A few days later the little boy rushed into the house and said breathlessly: "Mamma, them boys down there tried to get me to fight, but I just said: 'Get from behind me, Satan,' and then ran home to you."—Indianapolis News.

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Clasping Hands in Prayer

Holding out the hands is an attitude naturally and instinctively assumed by a weak person begging a favor of a superior. It seems to be one of the primitive instincts of the human race. Clasping the hands in prayer is merely a conventional form of this natural attitude.

British Coal Survey

Great Britain's coal industry must be improved, say mine owners, and a survey to that end is being made by committee composed of employers and workers.

Up to Them

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Herman Taylor of Albion was elected president and Mrs. Bert Taylor of North Adams was elected secretary and treasurer. There were 49 present from Toledo, Jackson Constantine, Mendon, Homer and North Adams. The reunion will be held next year at Devils Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Orson Taylor hosts.

Local News

—Carceli and Silhouettes at Wertz'.

Misses Gladys, Ilah and Leta Lister of Hillsdale spent a part of last week with Ione Young.

Ernest Bauman, wife and niece Miss Clara Burt, were business visitors in Detroit the first of the week.

Miss Clara Gamble of Hillsdale spent a part of last week at the home of her niece, Mrs. Glenn Mercer.

—Geraniums for 10c at Wertz.'

—Edison Phonographs and records at Wertz'

Dean Williams, Keith Williams Herbert Holkins and Harold Shults left on Thursday for Madison, Kentucky, where they will work on a road contract for A. J. Hoffman.

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West Hoxie

Iris Sutton is spending the week end at Jackson.

Margaret and Muriel Shambaugh spent Friday at Manitou Beach.

Mrs. Burl Shambaugh who has been ill for two weeks is better.

May Kiel and Etta Welker were in Hillsdale Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Pendell entertained her sister and family of Montgomery Sunday.

Don Sutton is on the road to health after having his tonsils removed.

George Hayhoe and wife spent Wednesday afternoon at the Sprague home.

Fred Reasoner and family of Frontier called on the Shambaugh family Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Oberlander entertained the Larkin club. The hostess served ice cream and cake.

Mrs. Relyea, Mrs. Scovill and Edgar Purcell and family ate dinner with George Hayhoe and wife, recently.

Ellsworth Sprague and family and Wm Bloemker spent Sunday with Charles Sprague and family at Tontogany Ohio.

Iris Sutton and children and Mrs Bloemker attended the Sunday school picnic at Manitou Beach. Everyone had a good time.

East Hoxie

Herbert Kiel and family visited J. G. Kiel and family Sunday.

George Oaks and wife of Jackson spent Monday with LaVerne Cox and wife.

B. Gates of Jackson spent the week end with his sister Mrs. Harry Hayhoe and family.

Dr. Cox and wife of Jackson and Roy Powers and family of Addison were callers at the Chas Cox home Sunday.

Grace Smith is assisting in the care of the postal duties during the absence of Claude VanWert, Post master at North Adams.

Nelson Moore and family and his sister of Haviland Ohio spent Monday night with L. O. Spratt and family. Mr. Moore's people are on their way to Chase, Michigan to visit friends.

Mrs. Ray Reynolds and children came Thursday to visit her sister Mrs. Chas Cox and family. Mrs. Reynolds has been spending the summer at Put In Bay and Detroit. Mr. Reynolds, Mrs. Lydia Homan, Mrs. Laura Kelley of Battle Creek spent Sunday with the family.

Jonesville

Arlington Rodlam spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Addie Leeson is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Milton Ward is entertaining his father from Kalamazoo.

George Ewing and Fred Dryer are at Houghton Lake for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Corbett of Ann Arbor is spending a few days with friends here.

Roy Howard and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Pleasant Lake Ind.

Mary Alice Powers spent last week at the Fred Ryan home near Litchfield.

Raymond Pierce and family were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs McKercher.

C. O. Alverson was confined to his home last week on account of broken ribs.

Charles Oppel and wife are visiting relatives in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

Earnest Howard and wife of Chicago are here for a visit with their mother Mrs. C. V. Burnett.

Wm T. Wallace left last week for Seattle, Washington to spend the remainder of the vacation.

Mrs. Anne Voorhess of North Adams spent the week end at the Rodlam home on West street.

A. L. Massey and wife of this place and George Gilchrist and wife of Quincy spent the week end in Toledo.

Mrs. Oliver Smith and son Waln and daughter Lucille spent the week end at the Hugh Smith home in Jackson.

Rev. M. N. Wood is spending the week in Lansing. Mrs. Wood and daughter Carol are visiting relatives in Howe Indiana.

George Howard and family of Chicago came Monday for a visit with his brother Roy Howard and family Reading Avenue.

Jerome

H. Lane was in North Adams Monday.

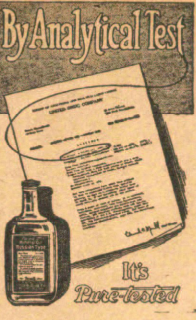
H. Sawdey was in Ann Arbor Monday.

W. W. Ostrom was in Cadmus Tuesday.

Mrs. Rowene Tower is quite ill at present.

Martin VanTassell is harvesting some fine parsnip seed.

Lewis Long and Bert Hall of Hillsdale were in town Monday.



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Leon Anderson and Milton Turnley were in Jonesville Friday.

George Morehouse and wife moved to Vandercook Lake last week.

Ed Balsinger of Jackson called at the Murl Morehead home Wednesday.

T. W. Tryon and wife entertained George Smith and wife of Adrian Sunday.

Thomas and Howard Burch of Liberty called at the Tom Lane home Wednesday.

Erwin Jenkins and the Misses Grace and Lily Moore of Jackson visited Sunday with R. R. Frantz and family.

Several professors were recently fired from the Ohio State University because they supported a third party last Fall, couldn't have happened in any civilized country in the world but America appears to be only at the stage of higher barbarism.

We made a mistake last week concerning M. Morehead's purchase of a new auto, but the blame must be placed upon some Hillsdale garage men who said something like this in our hearing "Morehead will have a new auto before Sept. 1st" so when we saw Murl driving around in his newly painted car we thought that the garage men's predictions had been fulfilled.

The Boy Scouts of the Eagle Patrol had charge of the services at the church Sunday evening. Donald Frantz leader of the patrol directed the services and talks were given by Robert Baker, Norman Burr, Herbert Anson and Glenn Kane of the Scouts. Mrs. Morehead directed an orchestra composed of Robert Baker, Geraldine Carpenter Lewis McGee, Mrs. Wm Anson, Beatrice Morton. Mrs. C. W. McGregor and W. W. Ostrom also assisted with the music.

Center Adams

Will Keith and wife were guests of George Lauder and wife at Pittsford on Sunday.

Isaac Eldridge and wife of Detroit visited at the Will Keith home on Wednesday.

Nathan Webster and family visited at the Malen Moore home near Lickley's Corners on Sunday.

Will McVicker and wife of Ann Arbor were guests of R. H. Wyman and wife from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks is nursing a sprained ankle which she received while visiting at the home of a nephew at Coldwater during the past week.

C. N. Williams and wife entertained his brother E. C. Williams and family and mother Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams for dinner on Sunday.

Carl Shull and family were called to Topeka, Indiana Saturday by the serious illness of Mrs. Shull's father Henry Marchand. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foust and little son Elmer were at Ann Arbor the first of the week to see their son Howard who is there for treatment at the State Hospital.

Mrs. L. E. Chase spent last week with her daughter at Concord while convalescing from a fall which she had while picking cherries at the J. R. Wright place in Hillsdale. She is much improved but still suffers considerable pain in chest and back.

There is to be a Home coming of the Teachers and pupils of the Mud Lake school district to be held at the school grounds on Tuesday August the 18th. It is hoped that each one who knows of the whereabouts of any of the old time teachers or pupils will take pains to let them know of the affair and extend them an invitation to be present.

M. C. Church and family had the misfortune to have their car go into a ditch when they were on their way to Devils Lake on Sunday Mr. Church and son Merlin were quite seriously hurt while the others escaped with a few broken ribs and a few minor bruises.

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New Store At Jonesville

Our enterprising and genial townsman O. D. Dellinger who about three years ago went to Jonesville and established himself in the trucking business there has forged steadily ahead and with his sterling business judgment he has built up a mighty good trade through the surrounding country. O. D. Dellinger is known from far and near as a man of square deal and always with an eye out for the best interests of the country. Sometime ago he purchased a nice home in Jonesville where he expects to spend a number of years of his busy life. Recently he decided that his part of the town needed a farmers trading point and so has erected a commodious store building where he will enter the mercantile business and will make the lowest possible prices on all kinds of goods needed by the average farmer and home keeper. He is inviting ever dweller within ten miles of Jonesville to come into town on Saturday August 1, 1925 and enjoy his hospitality. On the lawn adjacent to his house he has provided seating capacity and plenty of room for every one who will be in attendance and to say he will be expecting a large number of his business associates and friends to be present is superfluous. They'll be there anyhow. Mr. Dellinger will show them a real good time and a gala day. Refreshments will be served, free tickets to the shows will be distributed and a good band has been engaged to entertain the crowd. He wishes to say right here if there is a person who hasn't met him or his family or who has never traded with him that person is more than welcome to the opening. He will endeavor to show his customers some of the best bargains in groceries and all round supplies for the home they have ever known If you don't quite believe that —a trial will convince you at once. Mr. Dellinger has labored among us and we are pretty positive he expects to use all his friends—present and to be—in such a way they will continue their patronage. Come along over to Jonesville next Saturday and enjoy yourself at O. D.'s expense. If he can't fill you up on good bargains and someting to refresh the inner man—it simply can't be done. You know him, he's just that kind of a chap. His motto is "Square Deal and More to Follow."

Why They Leave the Farm

We received the following article from the Industrial News at Detreit and you can take it for what it is worth. Some of it is downright truth but a lot more is doped up rather fanciful, as if the writer had filled his pipe with opium or some other similar elixir. before he began:

"Young and old leave the farm because they think city life is more attractive but the same agency which has given attractions to the city is now turning its energy toward the farm. Electricity will revolutionize farm life just as it has the city. Light is the great civilizer. When a farmer's wife can press a button and flood the house with light, wash her dishes pump and heat water, run the churn, sewing machine, washing machine, ironing machine, and vacuum cleaner, make ice in the refrigerator, curl her hair and do innumerable things with electricity, how much more attractive will be the farm homes. Electric road lamps will begin to appear at cross road corners; the telephone and radio will give the same universal communication facilities that are enjoyed in the city. Thus as electricity takes light to the farm it will emphasize the advantages of farm life over crowded city life and draw the people from the thickly populated districts back to the rural districts."

While it is true that the beautiful electric current which we get here by spells is an inspiration, it is also likely the guy who wrote the above sloberino is a swivel chair tenderfoot who never tilled a foot of soil his life. We should judge he was a dreamer. and it is a fact the young folks down on the farm don't care a whoop concerning the electric juice. and they quite cheerfully leave the old place as soon as they develop If it were possible to stage a fire each week, bring along a dago a monkey and a hand organ, put up a few street fights, two or three shooting scrapes, several large hippodromes and a bunch of chinks at the farm, we presume the young folks would remain there.

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Clyde S. Wertz

Chiggers

The barefoot boy who tramps the fields, woodlands, and brushy country from June to September in his search for birds' nests, ground hog holes, snake skins and other summer trophy, often falls prey himself to a host of invisible insects commonly known as chiggers or harvest mites.

This parasitic insect is native to the West Indies and tropical America, but allied species are very common in other parts of the world, with Michigan no exception. A species of sand flea, the mite has for its habitat the beaches of lakes and the grass and brush of wooded land, where it feeds luxuriously on the bodies of other insects snakes and animals, and when opportunity avails, on the flesh of man. Children are particularly susceptible and adults whose skin is thin and delicate. Persons accustomed to exposure or who perspire freely are often immune.

Burrowing beneath the skin, the mite gorges itself with blood with an intemperance which leads to its hasty death. The death bed area becomes congested, causing swelling and inflammation. It is at this stage of the disease, occurring from one to several hours after exposure and lasting for two days or more, that acute irritation or a sharp tingling sensation apprises the victim of the presence of the mites imbedded in his flesh. The inflammation subsides after a few days and a small scab forms which upon falling away disposes of the remains of the deceased pest.

The young people of Rev. Hunt's S. S. class enjoyed a steak roast and automobile party at Geneva last Tuesday night. There was a good crowd and the young people all had a good time.

Fred Noll and family of Montgomery were Sunday guests of Ben Pendell and wife.

Buck School Reunion

The sixth annual reunion and Home coming of the Bert Buck school was held at the school house with very good weather and a large attendance on Tuesday July 28. The number of ex-pupils, exteachers and patrons reached sixty and a right royal good time is reported. At noon the tables groaned under the weight of eatables served potluck after which the program was in order.

Previous to the noon hour a business meeting was held and officers as follows chosen to conduct the home coming next year: President Lillian Hawley; vice president, Mrs. Mayte Brown; secretary and treasurer, Leslie Stevens. Committees were appointed as follows: Program, Ivy Coon Riggs, Crystal Denning, Emma McMullen Hall, Bion I. Lynch. Refreshments, Mollie Lynch Bleech, Mary Sawdey, Addie Jones Taylor, Etta Buck Zorman, Anah Travis Kimball. After the dinner hour Hetty Lawrence gave a solo and the whole assembly engaged in an old fashioned spelling school, the sides being chosen by Misses Donna Lynch and Bessie Vickers.

The intricacies of numerous words and tongue twisters proved amusing but Miss Donna Lynch was able to out spell the bunch. Three former teachers were present Mrs. Jennie Kellog Shaffer of Somerset, Lois Gray David of Jackson and Maud Coon Tripp of Horton Jackson county of whom the first Mrs. Shaffer wielded the rod in this district 42 years ago.

As a final windup refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and the crowd said their farewells and wended their homeward way feeling that the affair was a social privilege second to none in importance and hoping to meet again all intact the last Tuesday in July 1926.

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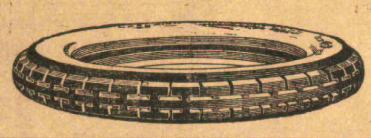

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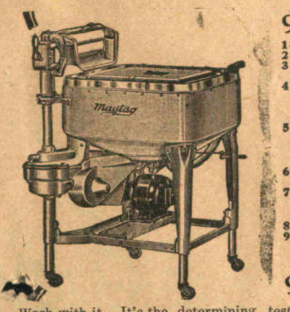

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Local News

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—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Dr. Fred B. Fisk of Jonesville was in North Adams on business Tuesday.

Frank G. Carrel of Chicago is the guest of his brother M. D. here this week.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter No. 288, next Tuesday evening, August 11th.

Dr. O. G. McFarland was in Sturgis to attend a State Medical Clinic on Thursday.

Mrs. M. L. Fitzgerald and daughter, Ruth, are spending the week with relatives in this village.

L. B. North and wife of Somerset were guests of their daughter Mrs. James Jones on Thursday.

Bert Tripp now has a popcorn house mounted on a chassis and can drive most any place he desires.

Mrs. Lloyd Globenski and daughter, Bettie, called on Mrs. Jenette Collins at Mrs. Lamb's on Saturday

Fred and Frank Sheets of Marion Indiana were guests at the home of Will Parish in this village on Tuesday.

R. C. Young and wife returned on Tuesday from a weeks trip to Jackson, Pontiac and other places where they visited friends and relatives.

C. I. Knapp and wife and their guests Chas Wilbur and wife of Los Angeles California motored to Adrian on Wednesday to visit the Knapp's daughter Mrs. W. M. Stoner.

August 1st being Mrs. Lavina J. Lamb's birthday, a few friends surprised her by walking in with well filled baskets about 5:00 p. m. Among the rest was a beautiful birthday cake.

Miss Fisher a returned missionary of India gave a very interesting talk at the Womans Foreign Missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. Lois Holcomb on Thursday. A good attendance was given the meeting.

Jonesville Gravel Company is now opening a new pit on the Holt farm and a side track is being built to the pit where washed gravel will be loaded directly onto cars and shipped. Pipes have been laid to the river to convey water for washing purposes. This company started with considerable capital sometime ago to market gravel for road building purposes.

O. D. Dellinger reports that his opening sale on Saturday last at the home store in Jonesville proved to be a surprising success. He estimates that altogether 2,000 people were present to partake of his hospitality and $1,900 worth of goods were disposed of. It is a fact that a new stock will have to be purchased before business can be resumed. Pretty good for one day's work we should say.

We have printed invitation cards for the Crapser family reunion to be held at Durga's Landing, Farewell Lake on Sunday, August 8, 1925; and the Clement family reunion to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Culbert, east of Pittsford on Thursday, August 20. Eliznbeth Loveless is president and Ethel Clement is secretary of the Clement family association. Carrie Crapser is secretary of the Crapser family association.

W. M. Jardine, Secretary of Agriculture, entered Walter Reed Hospital this morning for a brief rest according to an announcement made from his office in the United States Department of Agriculture today. Secretary Jardine has been uffering from a slight disorder for a number of years and although it has responded satisfactorily under reatment he felt it advisable to take a rest for a short time in order to completely restore his health. There is nothing disturbing about his condition and plans have been made for him to handle his official duties during his stay in ths hospital.

Three distinct kinds of cattle are used in the Chicago Roundup—Brahmas for riding, black "muley" calves for roping and longhorn Texas steers for "bulldogging" or steer wrestling. Herds of each kind are picked from the best breeds and these are now on grass in Wyoming awaiting the world's championship roundup. The harses used in the riding contests are the "outlaws" who have never let themselves be fully conquered. The "outlaw" is selected by the Western horse breeders from their herds and saved for cowboy sports. When he has shown his determination to resist the saddle by vanquishing the best riders in his section, he becomes eligible for the world's championship rodeo, such as Chicago will witness this August.

Miss Sarah Frederick who is attending summer school at Ypsilanti was home over Sunday.

Dr. McFarland attended a Clinic of the State Medical Society at Klinger Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Knapp spent Sunday with relatives near Rome Center, Lenawee County.

Frank Foster and son Cleo who are working in Detroit are home for a few days' vacation.

Robert Overley wife and daughter, Frances, were in Wauseon, O., on Sunday to visit friends.

Mrs. Alvin Parish and daughter of Detroit, spent last week at the home of Mrs. Nate Parish.

Mrs. Delcie Shufelt and son, Wayne, are visiting her brother, F. E. Densmore, at Ottawa Lake.

Maurice Fullerton and lady friend of Plymouth were in North Adams the first of the week visiting friends.

B. F. Lisher of South Bend, Indiana, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. George Taylor, for a few days past.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Huff and Mrs. A. T. Davis and daughters of Hillsdale, wrre Sunday visitors at J. Jones.'

Bert Taylor, wife and children were in Concord, Mich., Sunday to attend the Jones family reunion at the Wilbur Williams home.

Otto Crapser and family of Chicago, Illinois, have been visiting friends, and this week are at Farewell Lake for a camping vacation.

The family of Dr. McFarland are spending the week at Round Lake camping. The doctor will join them there if he can leave his practice here.

Charles Quick and wife of Allendale, Michigan are visiting at the homes of Mrs. Quick's sisters Mrs. Carrie Scovel and Mrs. Emma Relyea, in this village.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt left on Monday for a two weeks' vacation, motoring to northern Michigan, and returning by the way of Wisconsin and Chicago, Illinois.

Archie Bleech, Floyd Wilcox, Glenn Mercer and Herbert Patton and their families returned home Sunday from a week's outing at Durga's Landing, Farewell Lake.

Next Tuesday evening the regular cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Montie Shults and on Sunday evening next prayer meeting will be held at the Baptist church.

George Rock, who is employed by the North Western Electrical Co at Chicago, Illinois, came Saturday night for a two weeks' vacation at North Adams with his family. He expects to remove his family to Chicago before the opening of school.

Charles Lamb who resides north and east of Hillsdale reports that dogs have been killing his sheep and the same complaint is also made by Mr. Moore a farmer near Mr. Lamb. Dogs in Hillsdale were the attackers and have been disposed of. Altogether 12 sheep have been killed in this manner.

The Camp Meeting at Pleasant Ridge was quite well attended on Sunday. Among those from the vicinity present were Montie Shults, the editor, Cleve Crater and family Jay North and family, Herbert Wells, wife and son, Henry Porter and wife, Clyde Wertz and family, George Walworth ahd family, Elda Rock, George A. Lynch, Anna Lawrence, Jay Knowles and wife, John Haskell and wife, John Duguid and wife, Will Wattles wife and son, Ione Young, Homer Densmore, Jess Dewey and family.

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Misses McRae and Churchill of El Cajon California are spending a few days at the home of their friend Margray Hayhoe.

F. D. Hunt and wife of Morenci visited Sanford Green and Fred Payne in this village on Thursday. Mr. Hunt is a nephew of Mr. Green.

Will Jackson formerly of North Adams but late of Boston Massachusetts passed away at a sanitarium near Boston recently. He had been ailing for some time. Telegram received here announced that his remains will be brought here on Saturday for interment in the local cemetery at 2:00 p. m., under Masonic auspices. Funeral services were held Friday morning at Boston. He is survived by his wife and one sister, Mrs. Edna Collins,

Somerset Centre Home Coming

The annual Home Coming at Somerset Centre will be held August 12. 1925, with the following program: Song, "America"; prayer Rev. Parkhurst; election of officers; violin solo, Fred Alley; address, Rev. Scott; special music; recitation Margaret Densmore; vocal solo, Beatrice Morton; musical recitation, Helen Lent: violin solo, Fred Alley; resolutions; special music: song "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" Three solid hours of greetings and sociability. Don't forget to pay your dues. Every person who has been a resident of the Centre and all the friends and acquaintances are most cordially invited.

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Guy Osborn, Detroit -	27
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Harvey Rank, Auburn, Ind.	45
Beulah M. Bailey, same	26
Cecil G. Havens, Hillsdale	28
Edna A. Harris, same	21
Cecil G. F5uty, Ssmerset twp.	36
Mabel A. Laux, Lansing	31
Nelson S. Miller, Defiance, O.,	21
Grace A. Kinner, same	18
Harold Hinkle, Hillsdale	20
Gladys M. Osmun, Ransom	22

SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the Township of Adams at the Town Hall in the village of North Adams in said township. county of Hillsdale. state of Michigan on Tuesday, August 18th, A. D. 1925, for the purpose of electing a Representative in Congress from the Third Congressional District of Michigan to fill vacancy caused by the death of Arthur B. Williams whose term of office expired on the 4th day of March, A. D., 1927. The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and shall remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon, for one hour.

Dated July 16, A. D. 1925
F. W. HOLCOMB, Clerk of
9t3 Adams Township

Death of J. Culver Riggs

J. Culver Riggs, prosecuting attorney of Hillsdale county, dropped dead in the office of his physician. Dr. Sawyer, in Hillsdale on Friday afternoon. The only forerunner he had was a severe headache which had bothered him during the day. Mr. Riggs was born in Pittsford, Hillsdale county, June 22, 1882, and before coming to Hillsdale, made his home there. He is survived by his wife, two brothers, one sister, his mother and daughter. He was a Republican politically, and a member of the F. & A. M. and Knight Templars.

Funeral services were conducted from the Presbyterian church on Monday, at 4:00 p. m., and the active pall bearers were Fred H. Stone Guy M. Chester, Edgar Galloway, Orville Cornell, Paul Chase, and Arthur Guernsey: honorary pall bearers, Ed Dibble, E. T. Prideaux, H. A. Higley, Melvin White, Ferman Scott, W. H. Chesley, Carl Bailey, Will O"Meara, Carl May, Ed Veeder, Charles McKee and F. O. Hancock. Interment was in Oak Grove cemetery.

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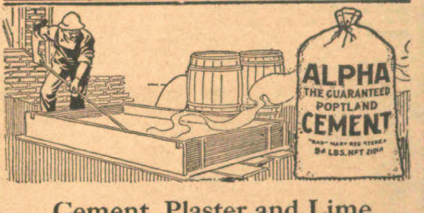

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W. J. BRYAN DIES SUDDENLY; IS VICTIM OF APOPLEXY

End Comes at Dayton, Tenn., While Great Commoner Was Preparing for Important Religious Campaign.

Daytop, Tenn.—William Jennings Bryan died suddenly while he slept in the afternoon at the residence of Richard Rogers here. Apoplexy, probably aggravated by indigestion, is said to have been the cause of death. Bryan was sixty-five years of age.

Apparently in perfect health, full of plans to make a nationwide fight for laws protecting the Bible against the teaching of evolution, Mr. Bryan went to his room for a nap after a hearty meal.

Mrs. Bryan sent the family chauffeur, who also acted as companion to Mr. Bryan, to awaken him.

Found Dead in Bed.

The chauffeur found Mr. Bryan lying in an awkward position on the bed, as if he had fallen while trying to rise. There was no sign of heart action.

Physicians were then summoned. They found that Mr. Bryan had been dead for some minutes.

Mrs. Bryan was in a wheel chair on the porch when she learned that her husband was dead. She was overcome with grief. According to their intimates, no more devoted couple ever lived.

Devoted Couple.

Up to the time of her illness Mrs. Bryan had made her one object in life the comfort and care of her husband, and since she has been an invalid Mr. Bryan's tenderness toward her has been most striking.

Her consolation in his sudden death was that it took place at a time when he was happiest.

"I am glad that he died without pain," she said.

Mr. Bryan was to have left Dayton shortly for Knoxville, where he was to make two addresses on the Scopes trial and to outline his idea of a national campaign to arouse the people to the danger in which he believed the Christian religion stands today.

Last Triumphal Tour.

Less than twenty-four hours before his death the Commoner spoke to a great crowd at Winchester, Tenn. He was in fine form. He delivered a stirring speech and took delight in the applause and in the evident affection and admiration in which the crowd held him.

Returning from Winchester, Mr. Bryan's train was like his famous election special of 1896. From the rear platform he made speech after speech at each stop, and the crowds cheered him wildly and kept the train until its schedule was thoroughly disjointed.

Thrice Named for Highest Honor in the Nation's Gift

When he electrified the Democratic national convention of 1896 and won its nomination for the Presidency of the United States with his "crown of thorns" and "cross of gold" speech against the single standard of monetary value, William Jennings Bryan was but little known to the bulk of the American nation. He was at that time only thirty-six years old, the youngest man ever nominated for the Presidency. He was born at Salem, Marion county, Ill., on March 19, 1860.

Young Bryan attended the local public schools and at the age of fifteen entered the Whipple academy at Jacksonville, Ill., to prepare for college. Two years later he entered the freshman class of Illinois college, a small institution at Jacksonville.

Entered Politics Early.

In the political campaign of 1872, when he was only twelve years old, his father put him forward to address a Democratic convention, and although he was greeted with derisive laughter, he closed his speech amid hearty and appreciative applause.

Upon leaving college he began the study of law in the Union law college at Chicago and, at the same time, as a student clerk in the office of the eminent jurist and statesman, Lyman Trumbull, of whom Mr. Bryan said in later years: "Any distinction I have gained I owe in great part to him."

A year after his admission to the bar he married Miss Mary Elizabeth Baird, the only daughter of a prosperous merchant of Perry, Ill., whom he had known and courted in his college days. Soon after their marriage Mr. Bryan went to the Union Law college, pursued the full course, and then, when they removed to Nebraska, was admitted to practice at the bar of that state. The removal to Lincoln, Neb., was made in 1887, on the invitation of Mr. Bryan's former chum at college, Adolphus R. Talbot, with whom a law partnership was formed under the style of Talbot and Bryan.

The next year, 1888, saw the young man's entry into practical politics. He was sent as a delegate to the Democratic state convention at Omaha.

In Congress in 1890.

Mr. Bryan was first elected to congress in 1890. In 1892 he was re-elected to congress by the narrow majority of 140. During that congress, the Fifty-third, he was a conspicuous lieutenant of Richard P. Bland—of "Bland Dollar" fame—in his campaign for remonetization and free coinage of silver at the 16-to-1 ratio, distinguishing himself with a three-hours' speech against the repeal of the silver purchase act. He was, of course, in strong opposition to the monetary policy of the Cleveland administration.

At the end of that second term, in 1894, he declined renomination and in the fall of that year became editor of the World-Herald of Omaha, purposing to conduct a journalistic campaign against the Cleveland administration in favor of free coinage of silver and in favor of his own election as United States senator. But his plans went soon a-glimmering. The Republican state committee had some time before secured by contract the use of two columns of the editorial page of that paper to fill with any matter they pleased; and they filled it daily with matter squarely and aggressively opposed to Mr. Bryan's policies. He retired from the editorship in disgust. Then John M. Thurston was elected United States senator and Mr. Bryan was left in private life.

He re-emergence came in 1896, when he was sent as a delegate to the Democratic national convention.

First Nominated for President.

David B. Hill, the veteran Democratic leader and United States senator from New York advocated maintenance of the existing gold standard.

Bryan replied to him in an impassioned speech against the "money power" and in favor of free silver; closing with the almost hysterical peroration: "You shall not press down upon the brow of labor this crown of thorns; you shall not crucify mankind upon a cross of gold."

That utterance stampeded the convention. Mr. Bryan was nominated for the Presidency upon a platform demanding the immediate remonetization of silver and its free coinage at the ration of sixteen to one; and Arthur Sewall of Maine, a believer in the single gold standard, was named for Vice-President.

The Populists also nominated Bryan for President with Thomas E. Watson of Georgia for Vice-President. A considerable faction of "Gold Democrats" bolted and nominated John M. Palmer for President and S. B. Buckner for Vice-President. The Republicans on a gold standard platform, nominated William McKinley and Garrett A. Hobart.

Defeated by McKinley.

The campaign which followed was one of the most exciting in American history. Mr. Bryan made a whirlwind campaign, speaking in as many places as possible and rousing much enthusiasm by his remarkable oratorical powers.

The election of 1896 resulted in Mr. Bryan's defeat, but it did not destroy his political ambition; rather it stimulated it. In December, 1897, he visited Mexico, returning home before the outbreak of the war with Spain.

Although a pronounced pacifist, he entered the army and was commissioned as colonel of the Third Nebraska infantry but had no active service at the front.

Nominated Again in 1900.

In December, 1898, he resigned his commission and resumed his campaigning, making not free silver but "anti-imperialism" his leading issue.

On that issue, which principally meant American abandonment of the Philippines he secured the Presidential nomination in 1900 from the Democratic, Populist and Silver Republican parties. After another exciting campaign he was again defeated by William McKinley.

He then re-entered journalism, founding at Lincoln, Neb., a weekly political paper called The Commoner.

The Democratic convention of 1904 passed him by and nominated for the Presidency, Judge Alton B. Parker. Judge Parker was defeated by Theodore Roosevelt. Mr. Bryan's return to party leadership was effected in 1908 after he had made a tour around the world and had done a vast amount of newspaper writing.

Defeated for Third Time.

He had his third Presidential nomination in 1908 and suffered at the hands of William H. Taft, his third and worst defeat.

In 1912 when the convention met at Baltimore, he was its dominant figure. He bitterly opposed Champ Clark, the leading candidate and it was probably because of his course that Woodrow Wilson was finally nominated. Because of the schism in the Republican party, Mr. Wilson was elected and in recognition of his work at the convention and in the campaign and of his undoubted popular following in the Democratic party he made Mr. Bryan his secretary of state.

In that office one of Mr. Bryan's accomplishments was the negotiation of treaties with 30 countries providing for investigation of disputes before going to war.

The World war began in 1914. Mr. Bryan's pacifist views were well known. On numerous occasions his views and those of President Wilson did not coincide. On June 9, 1915, he felt constrained to resign his office.

Active in Later Years.

In 1921-23 he became deeply interested in evolution, the theories of which he discredited. He delivered many lectures and addresses against "Darwinism" and published a book on the subject, entitled "In His Image," in which he argued for a literal interpretation of the Biblical cosmogony. If man must choose, he said, between being descended from a monkey and being made out of mud, he preferred the mud.

He had already published several volumes: "The First Battle," 1897, a review of the campaign of the preceding year; "Under Other Flags," 1904, and "The Old World and Its Ways," 1907, based on his foreign travels, and "Heart-to-Heart Appeals," 1917.

He received the degree of LL.D. from the Universities of Nebraska and Arizona.

In 1925 he was the leading figure in a world-famous trial in which he defended the Bible against the theory of evolution of man.

HIS LIFE

1860—Born at Salem, Ill., March 19.

1881—Was graduated from Illinois college, Jacksonville, Ill.

1883—Was graduated from Union College of Law, Chicago, and began practice in Jacksonville.

1884—Married Mary E. Bair at Perry, Ill.

1887—Moved to Lincoln, Neb.

1890—Elected to congress.

1892—Attracted attention by his tariff speech.

1893—Opposed the repeal of the Sherman silver purchase act.

1896—Editor of the Omaha World-Herald.

1896—Nominated for President.

1898—Colonel of Nebraska volunteers.

1900—Nominated for President.

1905-06—Made tour of the world.

1908—Nominated for President.

1913—Secretary of state for President Wilson.

1915—Retired from Wilson cabinet.

1925—Leader in prosecution in Scopes evolution case.

Bryan's Death Great Shock to President

Swampscott. — President Coolidge was profoundly shocked at the news of the death of William Jennings Bryan. While carefully making no comment on the legal controversy which marked the last phase of the picturesque and spectacular life of the Commoner, the President has been following it with profound interest.

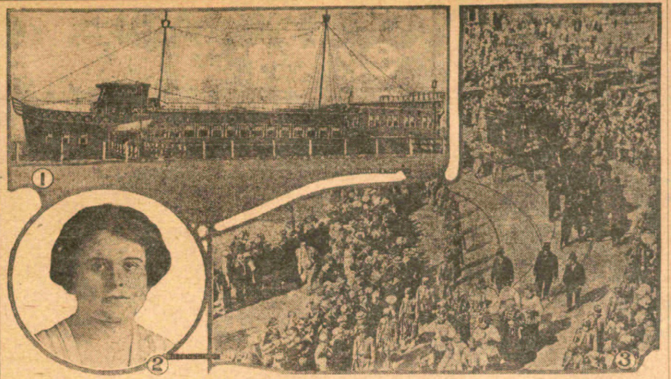
Mr. Coolidge has always been keenly interested in Mr. Bryan. Just two months ago, when Mr. Bryan was passing through Washington, the President had him to lunch. Though different in almost every conceivable respect, the two men seemed to have what seemed sometimes to observers to amount to an attraction for each other.

Mr. Coolidge could stand for the high tariff or any other issue which Bryan thought pernicious, without creating in Bryan's mind any thought of criticism. In the same way Mr. Coolidge was always very soft spoken when it came to speaking of Bryan.

Bryan's death, it is believed here, will have a profound effect on the course of American politics in the next few years.

Man of Integrity

There is nothing so delightful as the hearing or the speaking of truth, says Plato. For this reason there is no conversation so agreeable as that of the man of integrity who hears without any intention to betray and speaks without any intention to deceive.



1—Fish Fans' club of Chicago, political organization, the raiding of which by dry agents promises to bring on a finish fight against methods of the prohibition officials. 2—Miss Dorothy Schurman, daughter of the ambassador to Berlin, who is assisting her mother as hostess of the embassy in Berlin. 3—Funeral cortege of Cardinal Begin in Quebec, headed by Cardinal Hayes of New York.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Sudden Death of W. J. Bryan Shocks the Country—His Burial in Arlington.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN, one of the most notable figures in American public life, has passed on to another world, and his body now lies in Arlington National cemetery—a consistent disciple of peace surrounded by the tombs of those who died in the armed service of their country. But he belongs there, for he was not a "pacificist" in the objectionable sense of the term, and when the nation went to war with Spain he held a commission as colonel and raised a regiment in Nebraska.

The sudden death of Mr. Bryan in Dayton, Tenn., where he had just won a temporary battle against the theory of evolution, came as a shock to the country, and indeed to the world, for he was known in all lands. He died while he slept, of apoplexy aggravated by indigestion. He was sixty-five years old. After the holding of memorial services in Dayton the body was transported in a special train to Washington. There, in the New York Avenue Presbyterian church, the funeral rites were celebrated on Friday, and the casket on an artillery caisson and escorted by a military detail, was taken to Arlington where the War department officials had selected for the burial a fine site near the Admiral Dewey tomb. It was in this most beautiful cemetery in the world that Mr. Bryan had expressed his desire to be interred.

It would be presumptuous to undertake to characterize Bryan. There can be but few Americans who have not formed their own opinion of his character and his work. He had a devoted following of hundreds of thousands; a host of persons knew him personally and loved him; and everyone was familiar with his life record and his views on all manner of topics. Thrice nominated by the Democratic party for the Presidency, he virtually controlled that party for years, and though he lost that control in 1920 he was still the leader of a powerful faction. Outside of politics his influence on the life of the people was immense—an emotional rather than an intellectual influence. From President Coolidge's telegram of condolence to Mrs. Bryan may well be quoted these phrases:

"Mr. Bryan has been a prominent figure in public affairs for a third of a century. He has been a leader in the advocacy of many moral reforms and was representative of the effort for purity in our political life. He was endowed with the great gift of eloquence.

"The sincerity of his motives was beyond dispute. He was three times chosen the head of a great political party and held the exalted office of secretary of state. His career is another example of what American opportunity affords to those who have the will industriously to apply themselves.

"It would be difficult to find among his contemporaries any one with so large a circle of friends and acquaintances who had so generously bestowed upon him their esteem and confidence."

By direction of the President, Secretary of State Kellogg announced Mr. Bryan's death, and the flag was displayed at half staff on all public buildings in Washington on the day of the funeral.

DEATH took another eminent American last week—Edgar A. Bancroft, our ambassador to Japan. He had been ill for several weeks and died at Karulzawa, a health resort. Throughout Japan the mourning for Mr. Bancroft was general and sincere, for he had endeared himself to the Japanese people and was held in the highest esteem by the officials there. Our own State department feels his loss deeply, as do his many friends and admirers in the United States. Mr. Bancroft, who was born in Galesburg, Ill., in 1857, had achieved distinction as an attorney, a business man, a railroad official and a civic leader, and was appointed to the Japanese post last August. He went to Tokio in November and already had done much to smooth out the difficulties between the United States and Japan arising from the immigrant exclusion law.

THOUGH compelled to postpone his reorganization of prohibition enforcement machinery, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews is carrying on the government's enforcement campaign most vigorously. Just now he is devoting especial attention to stopping leaks along the Canadian border and in the South, particularly in Florida, for he is determined to check the entry of illegal liquor into the country. It is the plan of the federal authorities to build up a working patrol of prohibition forces at the borders to co-operate with agents working in the interior so that any shipments that slip through may be traced to their destination. In this way the prohibition chiefs hope to obtain evidence for wholesale arrests and prosecutions against organized bands violating the Volstead act.

Considerable excitement, which was more than local, was caused by the raiding by dry agents of the Fish Fans' club, a political organization in Chicago, and the seizure of liquor found in members' lockers. There was promise that the club would lead in a fight against the present methods of the prohibition officials. At Swampscott the information was given out that President Coolidge takes the position that the federal government, while specializing in national enforcement, holds itself in readiness to step in wherever local enforcement lapses, and he assumes that in such cases as the Chicago raid there were special reasons for the action of the federal agents.

BELGIUM'S debt commission, consisting of Former Premier Theunis, Baron Cartier de Marchienne, ambassador to the United States; Emil Francqui and Felician Cattier, is expected in Washington on August 4, and a meeting of the American debt funding commission has been called for August 6. All the members of the latter body except Congressman Crisp will be present and it is believed the negotiations with the Belgians will not require more than ten days.

Meanwhile the Belgian newspapers are saying mighty mean things about the United States for claiming the war debt, asserting the late President Wilson promised the Brussels government that Germany should defray all of Belgium's foreign indebtedness. The papers accuse America of imperialism and of an ambition to exploit Europe, citing the large American colony and the American newspapers in Paris.

French delegates are now in London negotiating an agreement on the French debt to Great Britain. Until their business is settled the make-up of France's mission to Washington will not be formally announced. It is understood, however, that it will be headed by Henri Bergener and will include M. Franklin-Bouillon and Joseph Simon, and that it will come over in September. M. Caillaux, finance minister, will follow later.

JOHN HAYS HAMMOND, chairman of the fact finding commission created during the coal mine strike of 1923, has visited Swampscott several times to discuss with Mr. Coolidge the danger of another strike this summer. Mr. Hammond holds that the right of consumers to a continuous supply of fuel is paramount to the rights of operators and miners, and that as a last resort the government would be justified in assuming control of the mines.

"The President's position, as I interpret it," Mr. Hammond said, "is that it would be premature to assume that the dispute is not going to be settled. He has advocated repeatedly a policy of the minimum amount of government interference with industrial affairs. The public should grant with patience every opportunity to the parties at interest to settle the controversy themselves.

"If by any chance, however, occasion should arise for President Coolidge to exert his influence, I believe he could rally public support as have few other Presidents. He will find all political parties united behind him."

Premier Baldwin has had personal charge of the efforts to avert the threatened strike of the British coal miners, but at this writing his success is problematical. A mine strike in England would be backed by the British transport workers and by the miners' organizations of the continent and of the United States. An economic crisis in Europe would result.

ENERGETIC action by the French forces in Morocco resulted in the retreat of the Riffians from the center of the Ouerga river line northward to the foot of the Atlas mountains. But Abd-el-Krim's troops stood fast at both ends of the valley and their leader was reported to be preparing for an offensive against Ouezzan, in the west. His activities north of Taza were regarded as a diversion intended to reduce the French reserves in the west sector where a successful drive would take him to the rich Charband plains and also would separate the French and the Spanish. Marshal Lyautey has turned over to General Naulin all military and political responsibility in the zone of operations, and the latter has established his headquarters in Fez.

The reorganized Lafayette escadrille of American aviators who have offered their services to the sultan of Morocco was expected to fly from France to Morocco early this week.

MUSSOLINI'S government in Italy has promulgated a new law which provides in effect that when a hostile newspaper is not subdued by repeated seizures of editions, the director shall receive two summonses, after which the publisher is no longer recognized, which means the paper is suppressed. This has happened in the case of the Popalo, and the directors of several other great journals have received the first summons. The Corriere della Serra has arranged to continue publication abroad when it receives its second summons. Last week George Seldes, correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, was expelled from Italy because his dispatches did not please the government.

IT IS rumored in Washington that Secretary of the Treasury Mellon will retire from the cabinet next spring, by which time he hopes a tax revision bill, embodying most of his ideas will have been passed. He believes, also, that satisfactory progress will have been made toward the funding of the debts owed the United States by foreign nations and that the time will be favorable for his retirement. Mr. Mellon's private secretary, however, declared there was no foundation for the report.

The main points of the treasury's tax program are set forth quite definitely in a letter written by Undersecretary of the Treasury Winston in response to an invitation to a meeting of the Iowa tax clubs. It carries the inference that the treasury will not be content merely with a reduction in federal estate tax rates, but will insist on their complete repeal. Without qualification the treasury says that the maximum surtax should be cut from 40 per cent to at least 20 per cent and that the combined surtax and normal tax should not be more than 25 per cent.

"It should be possible from a revenue standpoint to have a maximum normal and surtax combined of 25 per cent," Mr. Winston's letter said. "The treasury thinks, therefore, that 20 per cent is the highest surtax rate which should be in the law.

"An income tax on corporations graduated on the amount of income has no logical basis. The theory of a graduated income tax is that it is related to the capacity of the taxpayer to pay. A man with $100,000 can spare a larger proportion of his income than a man with $10,000.

"This reasoning has no relation whatsoever to corporations. A large corporation having a large income may be owned by a great number of small stockholders who cannot afford to have their dividends cut down; whereas another corporation, having a moderate income may be owned entirely by one man who can well afford to pay a larger proportion of his income to the government."

Treasury officials, it was learned, have evidences of widespread support of the treasury surtax and estate tax program by Southern Democrats.

Free City of Danzig Monte Carlo's Rival

Zoppot, Free City of Danzig.—This fashionable watering place on the Baltic is rapidly acquiring the name of "Monte Carlo of the North." From all over Europe, especially from Danzig, Poland and Germany, people bent on playing roulette or baccarat flock hither to indulge in games of chance, though, of course, they claim they come for their health.

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Every attempt to get at the actual revenue obtained from the casino meets with an evasive reply on the part of Danzig's officials. One is merely told that the proceeds cannot be used for general purposes, but must be devoted to social welfare. That the profit must be considerable, however, may be judged from the fact that the company which runs the casino is investing its share of the net profits in a magnificent new hotel facing the ocean and located a short distance from the villa formerly inhabited by the German crown prince.

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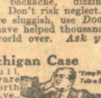
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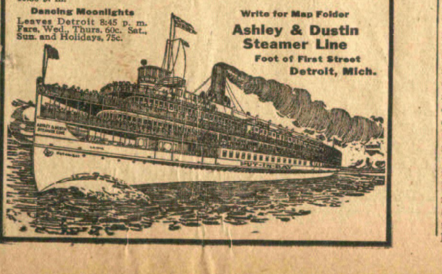


The Canadian-Detroit Border Bridge

Plans are afoot now to construct an enormous suspension bridge across the Detroit River between Detroit and Windsor which will out class anything else in the United States.

The towers instead of being masonry will be constructed of steel and trussed together so as to withstand all the strains of an increasing traffic. Some years ago it was deemed necessary to build such a bridge but the Detroit Council treated the matter with contempt and eventually turned it down. When built the bridge will consist of two decks or levels, one for railroad tracks and below three separated causeways for autos and pedestrians. The expense of the new bridge will be borne jointly by Canada and United States.

However, before the thing can be begun it will be necessary to take a voice of the people in all the suburban towns or outlying districts near the city who will be taxed according to the proximity of their zones, similar to the levying for a public road. The preliminary work of getting the consent of the people will take some time and at least a bond of three million dollars must be in sight to start. The Canadian Government at present is working out the scheme and as soon as they have completed plans our government will act.

An Editorial Opinion

Fred Rock handed us a copy of the DeFuniack Springs (Florida) Herald the other day and we have for some time been much interested in the editorials of Editor Larkin Cleveland. Among other things we noted an article headed "Nothing Doing" It seems some one has handed Editor Cleveland some kind of a dissertation on the new evolutionists who are troubling the country of late. This is part of the article which Mr. Cleveland publishes: "Occasionally we are asked to champion a given cause, or to condemn another, and where there is no conflict with our conscience or what we conceive to be our duty in the premises, we are always willing to oblige. With reference to jacking up the young folks. We are not so bad about jumping on people about their opinions as we once were. If some other fellow has a religion different from ours, and is making an honest to goodness effort to live up to it, then he's doing a lot better than a whole thundering lot of people we could mention including ourselves. If it comforts the heart of the evolutionist to know his grand daddy was a monkey or a fish or a polecat or a populist, then let him hop to it. His family relationship is nothing to us, and we have no desire to meddle with his family affairs. The young people are all right. When the last war ended it left the whole blooming world suffering from shell shock, or something of that nature and anybody who felt any inclination to dabble in prophecy hopped up and "foretold" another great war immediately following. People seemed to lose their grip on themselves and many gave themselves up to gloomy forebodings. To them everything looked bad. Their roses changed into bull nettles on the tempestuous sea of life, the only flag visible was the grinning skull and cross bones of the pirate; the thrill of the mocking bird gave place to the omnious croaking of the raven. And all of us held our breath as we saw (or we thought we saw) this old world headed straight to the demonition Bow wows on account of the way our boys and girls were going. We say so because we kinder' felt that way ourselves. Next the Catholics were suspected of conspiracy to capture the United States and hand it over to "His Holiness" and "His Royal Jiblets" the Pope. Then the Jew came under suspicion of conniving at something mean—nobody seemed to know exactly why or wherefore, but Henry said so, and then every fellow who owned a Lizzie became convinced that every Jew was up to some sort of "devilment."

Now it is evolution. Brethren: "In your patience possess ye your soul" Quit thinking and worrying over the other fellow and his sins. Its none of your business what he thinks, and none of his business what you think. If he wants to run a heresy and go to the devil let him do it. Cut out worrying. Go fishing once in a while, and think of the other fellow at his best—not his worst."

The Constitution

Last week we mentioned the United States Frigate "Constitution" which now lies at the dock in Boston Navy Yard in a rotten condition, and we also mentioned she was once manned by a gallant crew. Below we wish to mention just briefly some of her history.

After the engagement with the Gueriere and the Java "Old Ironsides" had been completely equipped with new clean sails, repainted and refitted an operation which required seven months—some different from the re-fittings of today when a battleship can be made ready to put to sea in seven weeks. When she left the harbor at Boston that afternoon Sunday December 18, 1814, she was as trim and rakish a frigate as you would wish to see and the best ordered ship that ever answered the helm. On her quarter deck stood Captain Charles Stewart, a salt horse since he was a lad of thirteen when he went to sea as a cabin boy on a merchant ship. At the early age of twenty he was in command of a trading ship of the merchant marine and such was his ability that he was offered a commission in the United States Navy. It was considered a great bonanza in those days to be thus honored, and so we find Stewart at the age of thirty four, commander of the Constitution. We were in error last week in stating the Constitution was a hundred gun ship. She carried 36 guns and was classed as a frigate.

The captures made by the Constitution read like fairy tales since ship after ship were met and captured and sent home under prize crews. Stewart kept a daily diary and in it recorded the incidents of fights which he had, and today this is handed down as one of the best histories being written in a clear legible hand almost like copper plate. It has been one hundred and eleven years since the episodes of this log were enacted but their memory stands out as clear as day. On one occasion just before going into battle, the crew of the Constitution complained they had not had their regular ration of heavy grog. The grog sat on the tables in the cabin ready to be served out to the crew. An old quarter master hearing the crew grumbling about this oversight exclaimed "Shame. Shipmates we need no Dutch courage on this ship" and springing to the place he kicked the buckets into the scuppers of the ship. This made hard feelings among the crew but the battle was won just the same.

Captain Stewart took the captains of the antagonists boats prisoners, but he never mistreated them in the least. These officers were guests at his private table in the cabin of the Constitution and it is related that they used violent and profane language at times among themselves, blaming each other for the defeat. Captain Stewart endured this as long as he thought practicable then he arose and gravely said; "Gentlemen there is only one way that I see to decide this question—to put you back on your ships again, give you back your crews, and try it over."

When peace was declared it was several days before Stewart heard the news, and when he did, he sailed for New York Harbor without delay having been absent about six months and captured property valued at $1,500,000. While the exploits of "Old Ironsides" compared to the battles of the present day seem infantile, yet considering the means used and the grit necessary to fight in the days of wooden ships, one would have to admit the valor and the management certainly showed a preponderence for the latter. While the Elks are about to raise the necessary funds to refit the old relic it is hoped we won't lose sight of the fact that she is washed with the blood of the best American citizenship—a shrine worthy of rehabilitation.

Be Careful What You Buy

Not so long ago we received from a brokerage firm in New York City a letter importuning the buying of Ford Motor (Canada) stock. We of course thought it good practice to look into the matter as we did not think any Ford stock was for sale in this neck of the woods, We took a few minutes to write to R. G. Dun & Co., concerning the soundness of Ford shares sold by this particular brokerage firm and found that the company had been enjoined by law not to sell these shares in either Ohio or Missouri and probably other states likewise. In addition to this Dun & Co., were of the opinion no brokerage firm had any right to sell this stock.

The above information did not seem quite complete so we wrote the manager of the Ford company at Dearborn and received the following from W. R. Campbell vice president of the company:

"Dear Sir:—Your letter of the 25th addressed to the Ford Motor Company, Detroit has been referred to me for attention.. We know nothing whatsoever of the integrity of the brokerage firm you mention in New York City. We might explain the so-called banker's shares of our stock that they seemed to have issued without our permission and are being offered the public at exorbitant prices. Our attorney investigated the condition thoroughly, but inasmuch as the lew permitted a practice of this kind, we were powerless to legally prevent it. We have authorized no broker to issue or offer for sale these fractional or bankers' shares. The state of New York has recently restrained brokers in that state from trading in these shares on the grounds that the literature they were putting out was calculated to deceive. Our stock is quoted on various exchanges at around $500 for the full share. Purchased on these fellows' basis it would cost $750. Fractional shares as far as we can see, have no market value as there is no provision for representation at the shareholder's meeting. We emphatically recommend against the purchase of these shares."

So, it will be seen that neither of the authorities can recommend buying anything of the brokers, and furthermore the parts of shares are absolutely worthless as they would bring no dividends, altho' they might be genuine Ford stock. We had heard considerable about the value of Ford stock, yet you must bear in mind its value depends upon the shape it is offered to you. When it is possible for a bunch of crooks to so manipulate good stock like the Ford, and put it out in clothed in silks to deceive the public, what could you expect of worthless oil and mining stocks which are not as valuable as the paper they are written on. It is a fact that up to two years ago bogus sharks were putting out oil stock on wells that had not been drilled and finding a large crop of suckers. A few years ago there was an offering of Durant motor stock on the market and we have heard it was snapped up pretty quick. Have you ever heard of this stock since?

You who have money to invest had much better leave the stock proposition alone; you don't want that kind of junk. Just adopt the one concise rule and you will find it serves for every bogus stock on the curb anywhere in existence.

It is this: There is no real legitimate worth-while stock in any enterprise whatever, be it mine, oil well, or factory, which is not taken at once and over-subscribed before it gets to the public, and often before the enterprise is started. But a thousand and one fake concerns spring up in Texas, Oklahoma, California or some other far-off section and they all have a plausible story to tell the public. Alas and Alack! They always find a crop of suckers even if they lie like pirates usually cleaning up a large bunch of coin from uninformed people all over the land. Don't touch it! It's rotten!

Highlights of Radio Broadcasting

(First Installment of a Series of Twenty-one Articles by Dr. Goldsmith.)

PICKING UP BROADCAST MUSIC

By ALFRED N. GOLDSMITH, B. S., Ph. D., Fellow, I. R. E., Chief Broadcast Engineer, Radio Corporation of America.

The human ear is a truly marvellous instrument. Few people recognize all the amazing feats which the ear and brain in combination can perform, and therefore how difficult is the task of the broadcast device which aims to hear and pick-up for the listening radio audience exactly what is happening in a concert hall or studio.

To begin with, the ear hears a tremendous range of differently pitched sounds from the lowest notes to the highest. The deep boom of an organ pipe lies at one end of the gamut of notes which the listener wishes to have reproduced. At the other end of the long range lie the overtones of the violin and piccolo in all their interesting and tart shrillness, and the high pitched overtones which alone make the spoken consonants "s" and "f" sound natural. Actually the necessary frequencies range all the way from the ponderous tone of about 30 vibrations in a second to the keen and piercing sound of 10,000 or more vibrations per second. If the lower frequencies are not correctly picked up, the piano sounds "tinny," the baritone voice becomes a tenor, and the speaking voice, while understandable, sounds thin and unnatural. On the other hand, if the high frequencies are left out or partly lost, the violin sounds like a flute, orchestras give a jumbled and incomplete impression, and the voice particularly of the feminine speaker, sounds muffled and indistinct.

DR. A. N. GOLDSMITH

The ear is also capable of hearing and appreciating a wide range of loudness in a sound. One can hear and understand a faint whisper and also an almost deafening shout. In broadcasting, so extreme a range of loudness is hardly required, yet it is necessary that the expression of a piece of music be preserved by subduing appropriately the softer parts, and accentuating fully the more forceful portions. It is not easy to find a suitable telephone transmitter and vacuum tube amplifier for the broadcasting station that will preserve the relative loudness of tones accurately. It becomes necessary to use vacuum tubes in somewhat extravagant fashion, most of the time working them far below the maximum output they will give in less critical service in order to avoid distortion when really loud notes are to be correctly reproduced. If this is not done, loud notes "crack" and one gets the unpleasant effect known as "blasting."

Ear and Mind Follow Melody

Another characteristic of the human ear, or it may be, of the brain, is the ability to concentrate on a strain of melody or a particular part of a musical composition. This is particularly noticeable in connection with orchestral compositions. It is well known that the ear and mind can pick up and follow the melody played by the violins of an orchestra, although the remainder of the orchestra is also contributing its full quota to the total of sound. To some extent this can be imitated in broadcasting by properly placing the pick-up transmitter so that the instrument carrying the melody is nearest to the transmitter and thus is accentuated in the resulting broadcast music. This, however, is always done at the risk of exaggerating this instrument unduly, or of suppressing other important instruments, and thus doing what is known as "throwing the orchestra out of balance." In fact, a good musical critic is a necessary element in every broadcasting station that has any pretensions of sending out really artistic productions.

Having mentioned the problems in picking up music for broadcasting, it may be desirable to give some of the various solutions for them which have been found. The telephone transmitter which is used must be a very different device from the ordinary transmitter used for the usual wire telephone system. While the ordinary transmitter suffices for speech under comparatively uncritical conditions, it would not do at all for broadcasting. In the first place, it would be far too noisy. That is, the average transmitter produces a certain amount of continuous hiss and crackle which would be intolerable in high-grade broadcasting. So that, when carbon grain transmitters are used, it is necessary to fill them with a special grade of carbon and to use very small currents through the carbon so that they—the transmitters—will produce a minimum of such objectionable noise. Otherwise the desired velvety silence when the artists are not singing will be missing and the audience will be distracted and annoyed by the hiss of the transmitter.

A second objection to ordinary telephone transmitters is that they exaggerate certain frequencies of the voice or music very markedly because the vibrating diaphragm or metal sheet of the telephone transmitter against which one speaks responds most vigorously or "resonates," at certain frequencies or pitches. This is not acceptable in sending out music. Particularly dangerous would be the effect of such partiality for certain notes if the transmitters were used for sending out an orchestral selection. Some instruments would be partly suppressed and others exaggerated, thus spoiling the effect. So that it becomes necessary to use a telephone transmitter which has a diaphragm which responds as evenly as possible to notes of all pitches. One way of doing this is to use a thin and powerfully stretched diaphragm of steel or some other strong material which will respond equally to all usual tones. Another way is to use the so-called "glow microphone" where the vibrating element is a small column of glowing gas through which a small electric current is passing. Yet other methods are available, but most of them not particularly simple.

Microphone Picks Up Sounds in Studio

The telephone transmitter used for pick-up in the studio has to be suitably mounted and wired up to the rest of the equipment.

The amount of power which it is possible to get from these high-grade telephone transmitters is nearly always very small, and it becomes necessary to amplify it by means of a powerful amplifier. This amplifier must also be free from noise-producing tendencies and must amplify notes of all pitches equally. Both these requirements are very difficult to meet. Either resistance-coupled amplifiers have to be used, or else the greatest care has to be taken in the design of the special transformers used in a transformer-coupled amplifier for this work. Ordinary amplifiers would not serve at all, as is sometimes evident when listening to the "music" emanating from a badly designed broadcasting station.

A suitably designed amplifier of elaborate construction is found in the control room of Broadcast Central, Stations WJY and WJZ of the Radio Corporation of America at Aeolian Hall, New York City. This amplifier is really two amplifiers, one at the top of the case, and the other at the bottom. Special relays permit either amplifier to be used at will so that there is always a spare amplifier available in case a tube burns out or some other defect develops in one of the amplifiers. The control room engineering attendant at these amplifiers is perforce chained to his post during the entire performance listening to every note that goes out through special "monitoring sets" and maintaining loudness and quality of the music by the suitable controls which are provided. He also has a number of special colored signaling lamps before him on the control room amplifier so that he knows just what is going on in the studio and whether the transmitter which he controls is actually "on the air" (that is, transmitting) or not.

Clearly carelessness and simplicity have no place in either the design or the supervision of the pick-up transmitter and control room amplifier of a satisfactory broadcasting station. The broadcast listener would do well when he is especially pleased by the clarity and excellence of an evening's performance to remember something of what has been done by "brain and brawn" in reproducing in his home the intricate and yet delightful melodies and sounds which make up the broadcast program.

(To be continued)

INCREASE IN FIVE YEARS

While still in its infancy, the radio industry has taken on tremendous proportions since the first public broadcast service was inaugurated less than five years ago. The rate of growth of the industry is illustrated in the following annual sales figures for the past five years:

Sales of Sets and Parts

Sales in 1920............	$ 2,000,000
Sales in 1921............	5,000,000
Sales in 1922............	60,000,000
Sales in 1923..	120,000,000
Sales in 1924 (estimated).	250,000,000

Annual Meeting of Jerome Schools

Minutes of Annual Meeting of Jerome Public Schools July 13, 1925.

Meeting called to order by President Mrs. Fred Randolph. Minutes of last annual meeting read and approved. Secretary's report for past year made and accepted.

Treasurer's report for the past year made and accepted.

Next in order was the election of two trustees for the full term of three years President Mrs. Chandler appointed as tellers Mrs. Leon Walworth and Grant Sawdey who were sworn in by Notary L. D. Walworth. The first ballot taken was to elect tcustee to fill the vacsncy of H. Voorhees whose term expired. Total votes cast were 38 of which Mrs. J. Chandler received 32; Stan Murrey 4 and Marion Hart 2; Mrs. Chandler was elected Next ballot was 39 votes cast: of whicu Mr. Hart received 22; R. J. Moreland 7; W. W. Ostrom 7; Stan Murrey 3. Mr. Hart was declared elected. There being no other business to come before the meeting a motion was made and supported to adjourn.

C. W. McGregor
Secretary

Following is the annual report of the treasurer:

MONEYS RECEIVED

Cash on hand	$1,00[illegible] 2[illegible]
Primary money	1,330 00
Library money	16 32
Tuition	1,280 00
Loan Citizens Bank	500 00
Voted Tax	3,500 00
Mill Tax	321 64
Teachers Retire ment fund	32 33
1925 Class -	6 98
Books - -	11 38
Total received	$8,000 88

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

Mr. Wertenberger, salary	$1450 00
Mr. Gray, salary	1215 00
Mrs. Rynex, salary	900 00
Miss Olney, salary	855 00
Mrs. Morehead, salary	810 00
Harley Lane, janitor	380 00
Coal. freight, unloading	262 33
Secretary's salary	35 00
Encyclopedias -	159 60
Books - -	83 30
Manual Training Dept Lumber and Tools	90 34
Advocate, printing an. report	1 80
Two Gas Lanterns -	8 00
Freight and express	8 19
Magazines - -	9 25
Blackboard and Supplies	134 51
Expense on old ram	14 50
T. J. Lane, janitor	2 00
Note and Interest -	502 14
Vaccination and Candles	11 65
New Ram -	25 73
W. L. Bickford, labor, sup.	22 15
Twelve Chairs -	71 40
Cleaning cess pool	25 00
Tuning piano -	4 00
Teachers retirement fund	32 33
Graduating Class -	20 00
Premium on fire policy Five yrs.	341 62
Cash on hand -	526 04
Total expenditures with amt. on hand	$8,000 88

C. W. McGregor, Sec'y

Mortgage Sale

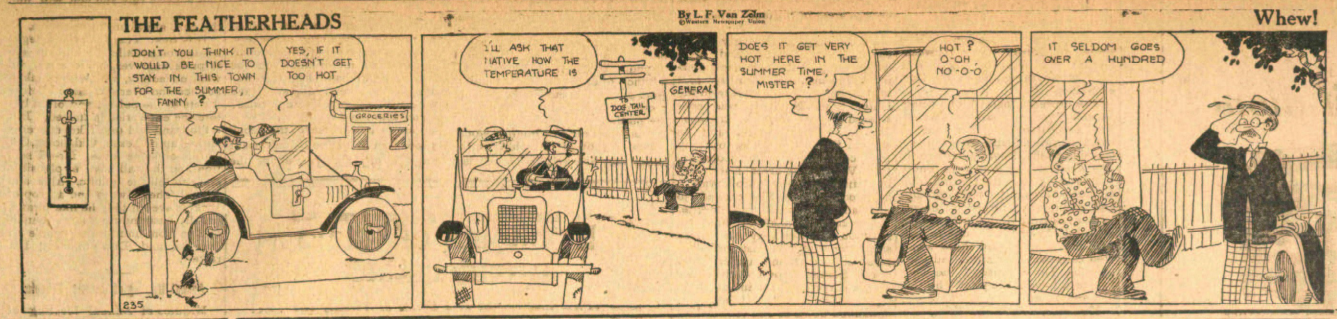
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of October, 1910, executed by Eri B. Sabin and Ida M. Sabin, his wife, as parties of the first part, mortgagors, to Boies State Savings Bank, a banking corporation organized, then existing, and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Hudson, Michigan as party of the second part, mortgagee, which said mortgage was on the 20th day of October 1910 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, in Liber 141 of mortgages on page 224, which said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Boies State Savings Bank to the Hudson State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, which, said assignment of said mortgage has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale aforesaid, the said default consisting in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the principal and interest in manner and time provided by said mortgage, and in the payment of taxes levied against the premises described in said mortgage for the year 1924, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at this date the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty-Eight and Fifteen Hundredths ($1238.15) Dollars, for principal, interest and taxes paid by the mortgagee, and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and by the terms of said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned, will on the 27th day of July, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Central Standard Time, at the front door of courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, (said courthouse being the place for holding the circuit court in said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the taxes paid by mortgagee, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute, and by said mortgage; the property described in said mortgage, which is to be sold by virtue of this notice, is as follows, to-wit; all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan described as the west one-half of the north-west one quarter of Sec. No. 26, in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, excepting two acres of land out of the southwest corner and one acre out of the north west corner thereof, containing in all seventy seven acres of land more or less.

Dated, April 27, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage,
usiness Address; Hudson, Mich.
48-13
July, 24, 1925.


THE FEATHERHEADS
By L. F. Van Zelm
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Whew!
DON'T YOU THINK IT WOULD BE NICE TO STAY IN THIS TOWN FOR THE SUMMER, FANNY ?
YES, IF IT DOESN'T GET TOO HOT
GROCERIES
I'LL ASK THAT NATIVE HOW THE TEMPERATURE IS
TO DOG TAIL CENTER
GENERAL
DOES IT GET VERY HOT HERE IN THE SUMMER TIME, MISTER ?
HOT ? O-OH NO-O-O
IT SELDOM GOES OVER A HUNDRED
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R U Superstitious

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Town Crier
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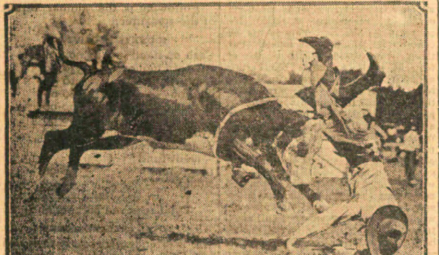

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Riding a wild steer is anything but a "pink tea" sport and if you don't believe it, ask any of the many cowboys who will try to stay on these chunks of living dynamite during the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, beginning August 15. The Brahma steer, a cross between the Mexican longhorn and the Brahma, or sacred cattle of India, is a fighter from the word "go," according to the boys who have tackled them, and after throwing a rider they'll frequently try to muss him up.

Steer riding, calling for an excess of skill and daring, is one of the features of the Chicago Roundup, which will be held under the auspices of the Chicago Association of Commerce for nine days. The competitions are under the direction of Tex Austin, who has managed the largest and most successful of rodeos. More than $30,000 in cash prizes will go to the winners of the events, together with the world's championship titles.

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An animated tornado on four legs, 1,200 pounds of living dynamite—such is the "outlaw" bronk, scores of which will provide the chief thrills of the Chicago Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, to be held for nine days, beginning August 15. Wiry and daring, coolest when facing almost certain injury—such is the buckaroo, standard type of the men who will fight it out with the "bad" horses in the Chicago contests.

Broncho busting calls forth all the courage that is traditional on the western ranges and a great part of the $30,000 in prizes appropriated by the Chicago Association of Commerce, under whose auspices the rodeo will be presented, will go to the men who will fight to stay for a few seconds on the hurricane decks of the "sunfishing," "skyscraping," squealing, fighting cayuses. When the courage of the buckaroo clashes with the lawless spirit of the broncho, the ride is always to a sensational finish. Tex Austin, famous through his many successful rodeos and who will manage the Chicago spectacle, already has contracted for the top bronks from the three greatest strings of bucking horses in the West.

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Committee Of Fifty

Never was there a time when we needed to stir the community as we do now. Have you read about the "Committee of Fifty?" It is an organization of the "wets'—the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment. They are sending out a circular carrying a picture of each member urging those who receive it "in the name of patriotism" to become members of this association. Among these names we find four United States Senators and seventeen members of the Lower House of Congress. Their object is to induce Congress to nullify the Eighteenth Amendment by modifying the Volstead law. The circular says "No such important committee to deal with so grave a crisis has been formed since the declaration of Independence was signed by a similar committee of representative citizens and statesmen in 1775." They say that the prohibitionists have created an illicit liquor business "which knows no restraint and pays no tax to the Government" but which is "directly responsible for poisonous liquor fatalities, debauchery of youth, corruption of politics and governmental machinery and much lawlessness and contempt for law in our national life." Their United States Senators who have signed this statement are Bayare, of Delaware; Bruce, of Maryland; Edge of New Jersey, and Wadsworth of New York, all from the east, you see. We find that one half of the seventeen members of the Lower House who have signed the circular come from New York and New Jersey. The Cleveland Plain Dealer, in speaking of this situation, says editorally that "The United States is to remain dry, we have no shadow of doubt." Many eminent, upright citizens seem to be enlisted in the movement to undermine the 18th amendment and their sincerity is not to be questioned. They dwell largely in certain wet centers and their vision is clouded by the evidences of law enforcement. "It would be folly to belittle their capacity for mischief; the situation is serious enough, indeed, to demand a united resistance on the part of all the friends of prohibition everywhere. The latter cannot afford now to relax effort."

When we can read such a "call to arms" as that from a paper like the Cleveland Plain Dealer we ought to redouble our diligence F. L. Dustman, editor of the "American Issue", says in referring to this Committee of Fifty:

"They are not manly and womanly enough to go straight to the point and declare for the repeal of the 18th Amendment, but content themselves with working for its nullification. To compare these members of this wet committee to the patriots who signed the Declaration of Independence would be like comparing Benedict Arnold to George Washington."

Prohibition was won over —not "put over"—and is in the Constitution to stay. The Volstead Act will not be amended by its foes. Prohibition is the will of America today.—Ohio Messenger.

Liberty Enlightening the World

This colossal work, the masterpiece of Bartholdi the French Sculptor, is the largest statue in the world. Forty persons can stand erect in the head, and fifteen can sit around the flame of the torch in the uplifted hand which is reached by a spiral staircase running up the outstretched arm. A six foot man standing on the level of the lips only reaches to the eyebrows. The weight of this giant statue is 440,000 pounds of which 176,000 pounds is copper sheets and the remaining is wrought iron. The statue was designed by Bartholdi for the French government as a gift to the United States of America in honor of the establishment of a Republic in France and stands on Bedloe's Island in New York Harbor. When the statue was bro't here to be put up, the people of America were asked to raise a fund to build a suitable pedestal. The figure is over 500 feet from the ground to highest point and serves as a lighthouse to guide boats into the harbor at night, being brightly illuminated by electricity and also having spot lights concealed in the surrounding walls which are constantly focussed on the statue itself. This great figure being built entirely of metal is indestructible, and it is figured will stand for centuries. The copper which went into its sides if sold by the pound right now would produce a tidy sum and as we understand it there is no paint on the figure but it is bronze and supposed to be kept reasonably bright altho the salt breezes from the ocean are probably working chemical changes.

The writer had the privilege, Sunday, of driving over newly finished sections of M-23 and we will say that it is indeed a pleasure to see the construction work on this great highway. The country right now is beautiful and rolling along over hills and dales past lakes and scenery that is not surpassed in any other section of Michigan is sure to make this highway one of the most popular roadways for the tourist. The road is open for several miles east of the Walker tavern and from two miles west of Clinton clear to Saline. Several construction gangs are rapidly pushing the remainder of the road to completion.—Hudson Gazette.

Farmers' Day Is Big Success

Although a heavy rain fell all day, the eighth annual Farmers' Day held at the M. S. C. on Friday, July 31st, was acclaimed a huge success. Eight thousand Michigan farmers and their families attended the program which was carried out as scheduled.

While the visitation to college experimental fields and plots was curtailed when the heavy downpour came, inspection of the new college buildings and their equipment furnished a way of keeping the campus visitors out of the rain, at the same time, utilizing their time to advantage. The dynamometer horse pulling contest was held indoors directed by Wayne Dinsmore, Secretary of the Horse Association of America.

In the over 3,000 pound class, the team owned by J. C. Poskins, Lansing, won the $85 leather harness. The team had a tractional pull of 2750 pounds which was drawn the required 27 and one half feet. Second prize in this class was won by the team owned by S. Miller, Lansing; third, M. T. Davis, who came 70 miles from near Mount Pleasant; and fourth, George R. Petter, Lansing.

In the lighter class of under 3000 pound class, the second $85 harness was won by W. O'Conner, Lansing. Owners of other prize winners in order were M. Foster of East Lansing; Ed Drumheller, Bath; and Albert Hodge, Lansing $100 in cash prizes were divided among the second to fourth prize winners in each class.

Woodland Methodist church choir won the first prize of $100 in the Town and Country Church choir singing contest. Mason Baptist choir placed second, winning the $60 prize; Urbandale Methodist won the third prize of $30 and Orleans Methodist, the fourth prize of $20.

President Butterfield of the college made his first address before a summer farm gathering. He welcomed the many visitors and then briefly outlined the work the college experimental station is doing in the field of crop marketing and economics.

A farm is worth just what it produces, but what is it worth as a home? asked Samuel R. McKelvie former governor of Nebraska, who spoke in the college gymnasium. In his work for the material things in life the farmer often overlooks the value of his home, which compared with city standards, the former governor said, is worth $200 a month. He pointed out three primary essentials of modern efficient farming, the maintaining of money reserve, diversity in farming, and good marketing.

Call Meeting For Market Gardeners

Michigan market gardeners will gather at M. S. C. on Wednesday July 26 for the second annual gardeners day, according to announcement made this week by George Starr, specialist in charge of vegetable work at the college.

After inspection of the extensive experimental work being carried on in the college horticultural plats the visiting gardeners will meet in round table conference in the afternoon. Problems of the market gardener will be taken up, with members of the horticultural staff at M. S. C. leading discussion.

Varietal work to develop better strains of vegetables for the market gardener is expected to prove of particular interest. The commercial growers themselves join in the planning of these test programs, in order that the most practical phases of experimental work may be included.

Marl Digging Itinerary Dates Are Announced

With "white gold" digging demonstrations now completed in seven counties, the two teams of M. S. C. marl digging demonstrators will continue their work in counties listed below.

The demonstrations, according to Larry Livingston, extension specialist with the college agricultural engineering department are being well attended.

Crew Number 1 will carry out the following schedule in counties listed: Cass, Aug. 3, 4, 6; Berrien, Aug. 7, 8, 10; Allegan, Aug. 12, 13, 14; 17, 18, 19; 21, 22, 24; 26, 27, 28. Newago, Aug. 31, Sept, 1, 2; Sept. 4, 5, 7; 9, 10, 11. Oceana, Sept. 14, 15, 16; 18, 19, 21; 23, 24, 25. Crew Number 2 has the following schedule: Hillsdale county, Aug. 5, 6. 7; Kent, Aug. 10, 11, 12; 14, 15, 17; 18, 20 21. Montcalm Aug. 24, 25, 26; 28, 29, 31. Mecosta, Sept. 2, 3, 4; 7, 8, 9. Wexford, Sept. 11, 12, 14; 16, 17, 18; 21, 22, 23; Grand Traverse, Sept. 25, 26, 28.

Hooper Is Optimistic

Having won the republican congressional nomination at the special primary on July 21, by a plurality of more than 2,800 over his nearest competitor, Joseph L. Hooper of Battle Creek, is now actively campaigning for the election which occurrs on August 18.

"Although this is the 'off year' election and also a special election Mr. Hooper says, "I think it may be looked upon as being of extraordinary interest and importance, not only to our district but throughout the country. There have been many signs already that the whole country will be watching what the third district does, since this is one of the very few congressional elections held this year, and the result here will be judged as an evidence of whether or not the public opinion is supporting the administration and President Coolidge.

"And that is, in fact, the issue since the district makes its choice in election, between a republican and a democrat as its representative in congress. "I believe there should be a full realization of the importance of this election and that every citizen should go to the polls."

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LEAPS OFF FAST TRAIN TO CATCH ESCAPING MAN

Michigan State Detective Risks Life To Capture and Bring Back Giant Negro.

This true story is just as good as fiction. It hinges around a policeman, jumping off a fast moving train right on the heels of a prisoner who had gotten away, how he chased him down the track, caught him and safely put him in irons for the remainder of the journey

Arthur Trease, a detective of the Michigan State Police, whose duty is to transfer prisoners, i. the hero, and Clarence Hicks, a parole violator from Jackson prison is the villain, as it were.

Hicks was arrested by the police at Reno, Nev., being identified as the Michigan parole violator from photographs and fingerprints mailed to all police departments by the bureau of identification of the Michigan State Police Trease was sent after him.

Hicks is a big negro, much larger than Trease Trease took the Southern Pacific route from Reno to Chicago. He had handcuffs on Hicks at all times except when they were in the dining car. when he took them off so that his prisoner could eat. After a meal just before the train reached Chicago, Trease was just in the business of replacing the cuffs on his prisoner's wrists when in one jump Hicks left the train through a door that had been left open.

Train Was Held

The train was going 40 miles an hour, but tha did not stop Trease who jumped right after his man. He took a spill upon hitting the ground, but suffered no more injury than to tear a heel from his shoe. He chased Hicks down the track for a mile before he was close enough to grab hold of his shirt and stop him. A fight followed but the negro received much the worst of it. The conductor stopped the train for 30 minutes until Trease returned with his man, who is now safely behind the bars in Jackson prison Most of the passengers on the train knew what was going on and were witnesses to the escape, the chase and capture.

Hicks was the first man to ever even nearly get away from Trease who has had a lot of police experience, serving with the Pennsylvania State Police before coming to Michigan.

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King Tommy

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CHAPTER X—Continued

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Janet Church was watching about the central hall looking out for some one in whose business she could interfere, helpfully of course. Janet always wants to be helpful. When she saw Tommy at the desk of the reception office she walked over and joined him. She agreed with the head clerk that an Ausweis was necessary, and showed the one which the Berlin police had granted to her. Then she offered to take a look at Tommy's passport just to see that it was in order. It was. Tommy's mouth, nose, eyes and hair were described in the usual official style. His photograph, not in the least like him, was stuck in the proper place and duly stamped by the Foreign office. All the visas were there, as illegible as usual. But Janet raised her eyebrows in surprise. Taking Tommy by the arm she led him away from the desk.

"You'd better be careful with that passport," she said. "The German police know more than you'd think."

"But it's all right, isn't it?"

"Oh, it's all right, of course, for the Rev. T. A. Norreys, an Irish clergyman."

"And that's who I am."

"I don't see what good you expect to do by keeping up that pretense with me," said Janet.

"I assure you—"

"And I assure you," said Janet, "that no ordinary Irish clergyman—that's what you profess to be, isn't it?—"

"Quite ordinary," said Tommy, "not even an archdeacon."

"No ordinary clergyman, English, Scotch or Irish, would have Count Casimir calling on him the moment he arrived in Berlin. Everybody knows that Casimir is up to his neck in international plots. What would he want with an ordinary clergyman? And if you're nothing but a curate, how do you account for the way you were received at the Mascotte last night? I was there when you arrived. The whole staff simply bowed down to you and you were given the best table in the room. Everybody turned round and stared at you when you came in. The head waiter, who was drunk later on, served you himself. And that's a thing head waiters don't do in the case of ordinary curates."

"I know it looks odd," said Tommy, "but, all the same, I really am—"

"I hope for your sake," said Janet, "that the police will believe you. I don't know who you really are, and it isn't my business to find out; but if the police believe that curate story I shall be surprised. Don't you be under any mistake about the Berlin police. They'll know exactly what happened last night at the Mascotte, and in all probability they know, what I don't, exactly who you are and what you're doing in Berlin."

This made Tommy a little uneasy, but he was not seriously anxious. His passport was in perfect order. He had papers in his pocket, a check book and some letters, which ought to be enough to establish his identity. He took a cab to the police office.

He found his way after some trouble, into a small, grimy, badly overheated room. It was filled with shabby looking people, men and women of various nationalities who stood in an irregular ill-formed queue. Tommy took his place behind a smelly Polish Jew and waited. After about half an hour he found himself standing opposite a desk at which a young man in plain clothes was writing. This man was smoking a bedraggled cigarette, which looked as if he had licked it all over before lighting it. He was very badly shaved and nearly as grimy as his office. His temper, like the atmosphere of his room, was overheated.

He asked Tommy a number of questions rapidly. Tommy did not understand a word that was said to him and shook his head amiably. The young man asked his questions over again more loudly. Tommy did not understand any better than before, but he tried the experiment of saying "ja" in an agreeable tone to each question. This merely irritated the young man, so Tommy, who was beginning to learn a little German, said, "Ja, bitte schoen." Even this appeared to be unsatisfactory, and the young man was getting seriously annoyed. Tommy tried "nein," and then, aiming at politeness, "nein, danke." The young man repeated his questions in a very loud and threatening tone.

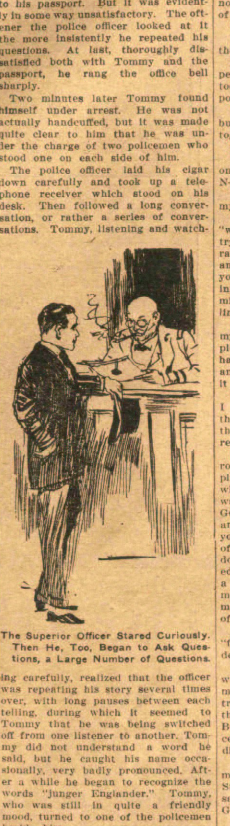
Tommy, still confident that everything must go well in the end, got out his passport and handed it across the table. It contained all the information which even the most inquisitive policeman could desire, his name, his profession, the date and place of his birth were all there. His height was stated, and the color of his eyes and the shape of his mouth and a large number of other things. It certainly seemed as if every possible question was answered.

The police officer opened the passport with a jerk of his hand and allowed the ash of his cigarette to fall on the paper in order to show his disdain of everything English. There was really very little of it he could read or understand, nor he knew no English; but he pretended to study it with a sort of contemptuous attention. Suddenly he became really alert. His eye had lit on Tommy's name, which happened to be written very legibly. He stared at it, looked at Tommy, and then began searching through a pile of documents at the side of his desk. He came on the one he wanted, opened it out beside Tommy's passport and compared the two. He took the cigarette out of his mouth and looked at Tommy with a smile of malicious triumph. He made a remark in a tone which was evidently meant to be insulting. Then he gave an order to a couple of men in uniform who stood at the door of the room. The men stepped forward, touched Tommy on the arm and motioned him to follow.

Tommy, puzzled and rather suspicious, followed the constable into an inner office. There he found himself in the presence of another police officer, evidently a man of superior rank, for he was smoking a cigar. The constable made a short report and handed over Tommy's passport. The superior officer stared curiously, then he, too, began to ask questions, a large number of questions. Tommy could neither understand nor answer. All he could do was to point to his passport. But it was evidently in some way unsatisfactory. The oftener the police officer looked at it the more insistently he repeated his questions. At last, thoroughly dissatisfied both with Tommy and the passport, he rang the office bell sharply.

Two minutes later Tommy found himself under arrest. He was not actually handcuffed, but it was made quite clear to him that he was under the charge of two policemen who stood one on each side of him.

The police officer laid his cigar down carefully and took up a telephone receiver which stood on his desk. Then followed a long conversation, or rather a series of conversations. Tommy, listening and watching carefully, realized that the officer was repeating his story several times over, with long pauses between each telling, during which it seemed to Tommy that he was being switched off from one listener to another. Tommy did not understand a word he said, but he caught his name occasionally, very badly pronounced. After a while he began to recognize the words "junger Englander." Tommy, who was still in quite a friendly mood, turned to one of the policemen beside him.



The Superior Officer Stared Curiously. Then He, Too, Began to Ask Questions, a Large Number of Questions.

"It's a pity," he said, "that he doesn't try broadcasting. That must be the fifth time he's told his story."

After the police officer had talked into his telephone for half an hour, he gave an order to his two men and Tommy was led off. They shut him up in a small inner room and left him there. Tommy began to feel slightly annoyed, but was not in the least frightened. It was evident that the hotel clerk had been wrong in saying that the police proceedings are merely formal, and Janet Church right when she warned him that he was likely to have a great deal of trouble before he got permission to stay in Berlin.

When Tommy had been incarcerated for about an hour he was taken out and put in a taxi. His two guards went with him. They were perfectly civil, but they never took their eyes off him for an instant.

The cab stopped opposite an immense, floridly decorated doorway. Tommy was led through it, into what seemed to be a public office. He was conducted along a corridor, taken up an elevator, led along two other corridors and finally with immense ceremony, ushered into a very handsomely furnished office.

A tall, fierce-looking man, elderly, grizzled and most imperfectly shaved, sat at a large table covered with papers. He was evidently a person of great importance and Tommy took a good look at him. His short gray hair stood upright on his head like the bristles of a brush. There were large rolls of fat on his neck. Tommy did not know it till afterward, but he was in the presence of the Prince von Steinveldt, head of the German ministry for the control of aliens.

"You speak not German good," said Von Steinveldt stiffly.

"I don't speak it at all," said Tommy, "except 'ja,' 'nein,' 'heisz wasser' and 'bitte schoen,' I don't believe I know a single word. It's a great relief to me to hear you talk English. You can't imagine how I've been worried all the morning by people asking me questions which I couldn't understand. If there's anything you *really* want to know, I'll be delighted to tell you provided you ask in English."

"Your name?"

"Norreys," said Tommy, "Rev. Thomas A. Norreys, M. A. T. C. D."

"Ach, so?"

"Yes," said Tommy pleasantly, "just so. I see you've got my passport there. If you look at it you'll see my photograph. My nose is of normal size, my face oval, my eyes of a bluish color—"

"So?"

"Exactly so," said Tommy, and then waited.

The German referred to some papers which lay before him and then took another look at Tommy's passport.

"Your name," he said, "is Norreys, but it is here in the passport not altogether rightly spelled."

"N-o-r-r-e-y-s," said Tommy.

"Here," said the German, tapping one of his own papers, "I your name N-o-r-h-e-y-s spelled find. Not true?"

"Not in the least true," said Tommy.

"Herr Marquis," said the German, "we are of your coming to this country and of your plan for the restoration of the monarchy of Lystria and of the so-deep-gripping plots of your minister of Balkan affairs good informed. The police Ausweis permitting you longer to remain in Berlin will not ge-granted be."

"I suppose you know," said Tommy, "that all that rigmarole about plots and monarchies and marquises has nothing whatever to do with me, and my name is spelled exactly as it is on my passport."

"The in English so-called bluff do I most perfectly understand," said the German. "Within the borders of the German state may you no longer remain."

"That," said Tommy, "is a bit rough on me. I came over here simply to get rid of a lot of your money which I happened to have. I don't want to say anything insulting to Germany or to hurt your feelings in any way, but you must know that your money isn't very highly thought of anywhere else in the world. I don't suppose the most unsophisticated South Sea islander would give you a coconut for a whole sackful of marks. If you turn me out of Germany I don't see how I am to get rid of that money at all."

"In Germany," said Von Steinveldt, "for you to remain is strongly forbidden."

Tommy had begun to feel irritated with the ridiculously pompous old man who sat before him. He had tried to annoy him by speaking of the worthlessness of German marks. But the attempt had not been a success. He tried again. This time a different taunt.

"Very well," he said, "if you expel me from Germany, I shall go to Strasburg and make a tour of Alsace and Lorraine. They're not in Germany any longer, you know."

"To cross the frontier," said Von Steinveldt, "is without the police Ausweis entirely impossible."

Tommy thought this over carefully for a minute and then realized the absurdity of the position.

"You say I can't stay in Berlin?" he said.

"Anywhere in Germany," said Von Steinveldt, "is for you strongly forbidden."

"And at the same time you say I can't go."

"To cross the frontier without the police Ausweis impossible is."

"So far as I can see," said Tommy, "the only thing left for me to do is to fade away gradually like the Cheshire cat in "Alice in Wonderland," and I can't do that. The only kind of man I ever heard of who could do that is a Mahatma, with an astral body, and I'm not one. But I dare say you're simply making what you believe to be a joke. I always heard that German jokes are a bit difficult to see."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Made Lonely Journey

A woman farmer in a lonely part of South Africa, Mrs. Ida Francis, has just shown that in luck and endurance British women settlers are not behind the men.

About two months ago a cyclone devastated her farm, which lies beyond the western fringe of the desolate Kalahari desert; and then came floods which destroyed the food and shelter for her cattle. The only way to save her animals was to drive them 400 miles across the desert to her son's farm, and this she did, unaided.

She found that many of the water holes in the desert had dried up, and sometimes she had to ward off attacks by lions with her rifle; but she kept steadily on, and in the end brought nearly all her charges through safely.—Family Herald.

Safe Bet That Answer Didn't Win the Prize

The kindly old squire was giving a little treat to the village school children. After tea he stepped onto the platform and announced with a beaming smile:

"Now, I am going to perform certain actions, and you must guess what proverb they represent. The boy or girl who succeeds first will receive a shilling."

That did it. Instantly every eye was fixed on him. First of all, the old gentleman lay down on the platform. Then one man came forward and tried to lift him. Two others came to his aid and between them they raised the squire, who was rather portly.

The actions were meant to represent the motto, "Union is strength."

When they had finished the squire stepped forward and asked if any child had solved the puzzle.

At once a grubby hand shot up and an eager voice squeaked: "Let sleeping dogs lie."—Pearson's Weekly.

Not a Bad Ambition

A minor ambition of mine is to pass a whole day without thinking an unkind thought about anybody.—Arnold Bennett.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Cadillac—The gift of 2,000 acres near the city for development and use as a municipal forest preserve, recently offered by the Cummer Diggins Lumber Company, has been accepted by the city commission.

Lansing—Plans are under way for the construction of a 10-foot fence, topped with overhanging barbed wire, on the walls of the state's branch penitentiary at Marquette as a precaution against prison breaks.

Muskegon—The Muskegon Traction & Lighting Co. has purchased the property of the Muskegon Heights Gas Co. The price is understood to have been $100,000. The one plant will serve both Muskegon and Muskegon Heights in the future.

Jackson—W. A. Castle, a farmer living near Horton, is a virtual millionaire following the discovery of a bed of marl testing 96 per cent, covering an area of 35 acres on his farm. The value of the deposit which is 15 feet deep, is estimated at over a $1,000,000.

Kalamazoo—Two well-dressed boy bandits held up the Dixie oil station on East Main street and escaped with cash amounting to $48.62. William Sturn, the attendant, was alone at the time. The youth covered him with their revolvers, grabbed all cash in sight and disappeared in the darkness.

Clawson—A new bank, to serve the communities of Clawson, Big Beaver, and other places along the Rochester road, is being organized in Clawson with $25,000 capital stock subscribed and a $2,500 surplus. It is to be called the Clawson State Savings bank and will be located in a new building in the heart of Clawson.

Pontiac—Pontiac's school census, just completed, reveals 9,651 persons of school age in the city, an increase of 941 over last year. Although a junior high school, new grade school and additions on two other grade schools have been completed this year, a congestion is anticipated in September and temporary school buildings will be used.

Lansing—Laxity of methods used by the Detroit Police Traffic school, in issuing automobile drivers' licenses, was scored by Charles J. DeLand, secretary of state, who said it was too easy to obtain licenses in Detroit. Secretary DeLand urged uniform traffic laws throughout the state and vigorous prosecution of drunken and reckless drivers.

Mt. Clemens—H. Stevens, a visitor here from Chicago, was killed by a bolt of lightning on the golf links of the Clinton Valley Golf club, seven miles south of the city. He was playing the game with several friends when a sudden downpour of rain caused him to seek shelter under a tree and the lightning struck the tree, killing Stevens instantly.

Monroe—Orva Jackson, sergeant of the state police, who since March has been stationed at the South Rockwood barracks, will take charge of the Clinton river district, to be located near Mt. Clemens. Corporal William Katka, now at Dundee, together with two troopers, will be transferred to South Rockwood. The Dundee post is to be abandoned, though two men will be detailed daily to that place.

Albion—The Albion Bolt Company, which recently paid the maximum fine of $100 for polluting the Kalamazoo River, will not be permitted to continue its alleged practice of dumping acid into the river, according to the state department of conservation. John Baird, director, stated that an injunction would be sought, not only against the Albion Bolt Company but other concerns in similar practices if the offense was repeated.

Lansing—Convinced after reading a transcript of the testimony taken at the trial of James Allen, a lifer at the State Branch prison at Marquette, convicted in the Recorders' Court, June, 1919, of first degree murder, that his conviction was not justified by the evidence, Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck has decided to give him an unconditional release. Allen will leave the prison a free man as soon as papers for his discharge reach Warden Corgan.

Owosso—Employes of Osborn & Sons store are to receive a total of $17,497 left them by the late James L. Osburn, successful merchant, following the filing of an unusual will, written on a piece of note paper, in Probate Court here. Osburn wrote the will while at Mt. Clemens, six days before his death in Memorial Hospital here. It was witnessed by his nurse and another person and has been declared by Judge Matthew Bush to be a legal will.

Lansing—Receipts from the two cent gasoline tax enacted by the 1925 legislature set a new high mark for the month of June when they reached $934,347, according to figures made public by the department of state. Of the $934,347, some $55,769 represents tax which will be rebated, leaving a net revenue for the month of $868,578. The previous high figure was reached in June, when $779,000 was the net total. The income from the tax has gained steadily since its enactment early in February.

Clare—One man was instantly killed, another probably fatally injured, and about 12 others were shaken up and bruised when a northbound Ann Arbor Railroad passenger train ran into a south-bound freight train at the Lake George station, 18 miles northwest of here. The passenger train was derailed and both locomotives were demolished. Martin M. Ensfield, 65 years old, of Cadillac, roadmaster, who was riding in the engine of the passenger train, was crushed in the wreckage and died instantly.

Pontiac—Gasoline car service on the Grand Trunk railroad between Pontiac and Richmond will be started as an experiment August 17, it was announced here.

Lansing—Arthur Rogers, a restaurant keeper, was shot and killed by one of two bandits, who escaped in a large motor car. Report of the tragedy was received at police headquarters from a patrolman on his beat.

Hastings—Aiming a pistol at a turtle he saw beside the road, Eric Finstrom pulled the trigger and fired, but the bullet struck his companion, Edward Benedict, 48 years old, barber, of this city. Benedict is in a serious condition.

Manistee—Arnold T. Graves, 29 year old, the missing treasurer of Manistee County, in whose office a shortage was found, has returned to Manistee. He is expected to turn in his resignation. No warrant has been issued for his arrest.

Monroe—Between 4,500 and 5,000 persons, many from Detroit, attended the festival given for the benefit of the Old Folks Home Association, connected with the Misouri Lutheran Synod, held on the grounds of the institution in Monroetown.

Detroit—While making an inspection tour of his mining properties in Mexico, John A. Broad, Detroit civil and mining engineer, was killed near Guadalajara in an accident, according to word received by his family here. He was 40 years old.

Sturgis—Pending settlement as to which one of them is city attorney, J. Paul Wait and Roy H. Hagerman are preparing to take care of the city interests in a suit filed by an engineering company for money due them on a storm sewer they laid here this summer.

Lansing—Presentation of a regimental flag to the 119th field artillery was made by the Lansing Kiwanis club. The presentation speech was made by Charles H. Hayden and the flag was received by Colonel Joseph Lewis, commander of of the organization.

Muskegon—The Muskegon Chamber of Commerce and the Muskegon Employers' Association announced that a joint meeting of Muskegon manufacturers and merchants would be held in the near future to discuss plans for providing further safeguards against bandits. The action follows the $32,900 payroll robbery at the Lakey Foundry Co. plant here recently.

Detroit—A bride, a child and an aviator burned to death when the airplane in which they were flying crashed to earth a mile east of Mt. Clemens road, near Town Hall road, just outside Packard flying field. They were Mrs. Violet Fleming, 20 years old, married just seven months ago to John Fleming, real estate operator and former army aviator; Evelyn Herzog, 10 years old, and Milton Stein, 24 years old, pilot of the plane.

Port Huron—"Collie," a big collie dog, owned by Bruce Harris, who keeps a general store in Lakeport, 10 miles north of Port Huron, has joined the ranks of the dog heroes. When two men entered the store and held up Mrs. Harris at the point of a pistol, they failed to notice Collie. They were about to help themselves to the contents of the cash drawer when Collie made an assault. The men escaped, minus a portion of their clothing.

Centerville—Arrested on a charge of impersonating an officer, Gordon Pierce, of Jones, was fined $35 after being allowed to plead guilty to misconduct. Pierce arrested a number of motorists at White Pigeon pending negotiations with the village council for his appointment as a traffic officer. Sheriff Guy Clipfel refused to appoint him as a deputy. Pierce told the court members of the White Pigeon council said it would be all right for him to act pending the appoinmtent.

Lansing — Criminal investigation may be started in a number of instances as a result of the investigation by the Attorney-General's office of the alleged high-handed methods of a number of petty officials throughout the state in dealing with motorists. The work and money being expended by state and tourist bureaus to exploit Michigan as a "summer playground" is a losing race against the tactics of many minor law officers, E. C. Converse, of the state's legal department, said.

Marshall—Brown hospital here has been opened after 19 years of tedious litigation and work on the part of 15 women constituting the Ella M. Brown Charitable Circle, organized after the death of Charles P. Brown as a memorial to his wife. Brown left an estate of $42,000 and specified the income was to be used in maintaining the hospital. Charles L. Dibble, an attorney, donated the mansion of his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. William J. Dibble, an old landmark of historical nature, for the hospital.

Port Huron—Sanilac county people, residing along the line of the Detroit, Sandusky & Caro railroad, are jubilant over the prospect of mail service on this railroad as the result of a visit which E. C. Jeffries, chief clerk of the railway mail service, Detroit division, has promised to make over this line. Service has been refused on the grounds that the railroad provides no express or passenger service, but the officials of the railroad have promised to put on that service if mail contracts can be obtained also.

Sault Ste. Marie—Sending $3,000 in $20 bills to his mother in this city, A. Kingsley Harris, absconding teller of the Central Savings bank at Sault Ste. Marie, declared in a letter that "I now realize what a fool I was," and vowed to repay to the last cent the $4,100 which he took from his cage at the bank July 21 and walked out, escaping in the automobile of an innocent friend who was making a trip to Milwaukee. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Harris, parents of the young man left by motor for Boston in an effort to locate him and bring him back.

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Delve Into Secrets of Mound Builders

Secrets of the prehistoric race of mound builders, whose culture is declared to be distinct from that of any other type hitherto investigated in Oklahoma, will be plumbed by an archeological expedition to Grove, Delaware county.

The contents of the mound can only be conjectured, but an indication of what might be found in the cave was given in the discovery of remnants of prehistoric life in an outer chamber that has been explored. The mouth of the cave apparently was sealed after its abandonment many centuries ago. It was reopened and a large deposit of wood ashes, charcoal, bones of game animals, mussel shells and other kitchen refuse was found on the floor near the entrance. An extensive collection of bone and flint implements also was discovered, together with many fragments of pottery.—Detroit News.

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Copy American Methods

In Mandalay the first agricultural college of Burma was opened last December. It has a farm of 600 acres. There will be instruction for 84 students in a four-year course. Practical work will include the selecting of seed, especially rice, beans, cotton and sugar cane, the study of plant diseases, the improvement of silk culture and the building up of a pure pedigreed herd of Burmese cattle. At the opening the minister of agriculture said: "We cannot in Burma aspire to the gigantic farm activities of America, but we can in a humble way imitate their methods and endeavor to achieve in some measure their results."

Great Temperance Apostle

Father Mathew was Theobald Mathew, apostle of temperance, born in Tipperary, Ireland, studied for the Catholic priesthood, but joined the Capuchin Minorites; was in 1814 ordained a priest and located in Cork, where at sight of the cruel effects of drunkenness on the mass of the people he resolved on a crusade to stamp it out; he started on this enterprise in 1827, but it took a year and a half before his mission bore any fruit, and then it was accompanied with marvelous success wherever he went. He lived from 1790 to 1856.

His Probable Fate

"The mules run away yiste'dy and throwed my baby, Rowdy, out, and the wheel run smack over his head," in the crossroads store announced Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge.

"Hurt him much?" asked an acquaintance.

"Only just tollable, but it widened his mouth out right sharply and like to have squanched his head plumb out of shape. I swear, I believe he's dead shore to go to the legislature when he grows up."—Kansas City Times.

Census of Insects

A census of insects resident in and visiting the United States has been undertaken by the Department of Agriculture. It is to include the careers, habits, and conditions of life of foreign-born, naturalized, and indigenous species in the hope that accurate forecasts may be made of what experts term "entomological cycles."

Correct Answer

Waggish Diner (with menu)—Chicken croquets, eh? I say, waiter, what part of a chicken is the croquet?

Waiter—That part that's left over from the day before, sir.—Boston Transcript.

Summer Campaign

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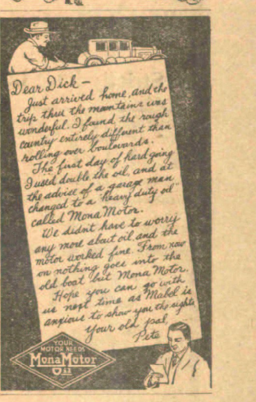

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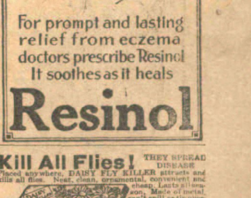

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LOCAL OFFICERS USE FINGERPRINT EXPERTS

Sheriffs and other local officials are using the services of the state's fingerprint experts from the Department of Public Safety at Lansing more and more. In June there were 25 requests for men to be sent out to assist criminal investigations.

An unusual case was one where burglars had entered a clergyman's residence, stolen the communion wine and drank it in the yard. Their finger prints were found on the bottles.

An average of more than 300 identifications a month is made by the identification bureau at Lansing. Under a new law all local officials making requests are required to send fingerprints to the state bureau. It often develops that persons arrested in one county are wanted for crime in another.

PRESIDENT GIVES PRAISE

President Coolidge has expressed his commendation of the work of the Maryland State Police who have formed his escort on several occasions while traversing that state. It will be recalled that President Roosevelt was also an active friend of the State Police idea.

"The aid received from the Michigan Department of Public Safety saved Iron county thousands of dollars, which would have been required to bring this prosecution to a successful termination," said Prosecutor A. J. Waffen following the conviction of Axel Nygard for the murder of Z[illegible]und Zyskowski, Iron River pool room proprietor.

The Michigan State Police, under the direction of Lieut. Fred Bedard, took an active part in the investigation which resulted in Nygard's arrest and subsequent confession.

The murder case was one of the most eventful and spectacular in the annals of Iron county circuit court. It was 13 months after the pool room was entered, five men held up, and the proprietor shot, before the slayer was caught.

Proof of the old saying that a guilty conscience will betray itself was present in the trial, for Nygard contributed heavily to his own conviction. When cross-examined over crucial matters by the prosecution he collapsed and was assisted from the stand, a development, that in the minds of the jurors, was translated into the result of the burden of guilt.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Town Line

Miss Gail Giddings came home for the week end.

Mrs. Orpha Wells has had company from Haviland Ohio of late.

Mrs. H. Powers will go Friday to Bryan Ohio for a visit with relatives.

Eugene Culbert and wife attended the Bundy reunion at Ella Sharp park Jackson.

Fern Jennings and son Raymond visited relatives in Jackson Tuesday and Wednesday.

Abner Jennings and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday with Jay Chandler and wife.

Fred Southard and wife of Addison were callers at the A. Jennings home Wednesday.

Mrs. Melissa Moffat of Toledo Ohio visited her niece Mrs. Belle Jennings last week.

Mr. Fast of Haviland Ohio spent Monday and Tuesday with his son Ray Fast of Town Line.

The Womans Improvement club of Wheatland and Somerset met with good success at the bake good sale in Addison Saturday.

Mrs. Cleve Westcott returned from Illinois last week. Her mother Mrs. Guerney accompanied her home for an indefinite sojourn.

Marshall Smith of Eaton Rapids visited his cousin Abner Jennings and family and other relatives and friends in this locality last week.

Jonesville

Mrs. Ida Dohner spent Sunday at Duck Lake.

L. V. Wirick and family were in Toledo over Sunday.

Richard Varnum Jr. is spending the week in Hillsdale.

Charles Eslow and wife of Gerard spent Sunday with J. T. Reed and wife.

Clare Boyer is here from Kentucky for a visit with his father Henry Boyer.

Bert Smith and family of Lansing spent the week end at the Oliver Smith home here.

Miss Koerting of Holland Michigan was a visitor last week at the home of Catherine Riggs.

The Presbyterians Thimble was held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Geo B. Clark.

The Lyons Spencer reunion will be held Wednesday August 12 at the Spencer home in this village.

Roy B. Howard and family are at the C. H. Kempton cottage Wilson's Lake for a two weeks vacation

W. M. Gregory and family of Cleveland will occupy the Spencer cottage this week at Farewell Lake.

W. M. Wetmore Grand Vice Chancellor, delivered the address at the Knights of Pythias picnic at Devils Lake Thursday of last week.

Arthur Wells and family attended the Collins-Gowdy family Reunion at the home of Percy Wells near North Adams Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Minnie Rooney and Miss Ida Fay of Long Beach California were here the first of the week for a visit with their cousins Geo and Ed McKercher and Frank Storms.

Center Adams

Carl Vincent and family of Frontier visited Sunday with James Post and wife.

Floyd Fenwick and wife of Jackson spent Sunday at the George Bates home.

Mrs. L. E. Chase is spending the week at the George Lapham home at Frontier.

Robert Wymam and wife attended the Lyons family reunion at Farewell Lake on Sunday.

Robert Bates and family of Hillsdale and Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams visited at the C. N. Williams home on Sunday.

Herchal Turner and wife and James McCorkel and wife of Wauseon Ohio were visitors at the J. H. Gordon home on Sunday.

Dorothy and Eloise Curtis returned to their home at Jackson on Monday after spending two weeks with their grandparents George Bates and wife.

Chauncey Bennett, wife and daughter Frances and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and son Henry of Kalamazoo were Sunday guests of Eugene McBain and wife.

The Misses Edna McRae and Jeanette Churchill, teachers in the schools at El-Cajon, California were guests over the week end of C. N. Williams and wife.

R. E. Caskey and family of Mishawaka Indiana are staying this week with E. S. Gray and wife and are visiting among their old neighbors in this vicinity.

T. H. Tierney and two friends of Toledo were luncheon guests at the E. McBain home. Anna Tierney who had been with her grandparents over Saturday night returned home with her father Sunday.

Miss Grace Sabin and brother Lee entertained the I. C. E. club on Saturday evening. Dancing to the music of the Victrola and other amusements made a very pleasant evening. Ice cream and cake were served.

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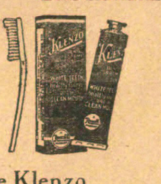

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Jerome

Murl Morehead is ditching at Mason.

Herbert Rutan of Liberty was in town Sunday.

C. W. McGregor and wife were in Jonesville Saturday.

Harley Lane visited Thursday with relatives at Pittsford.

The community ladies cleared $11 at their dinner Thursday.

Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson visited Mrs. M. H. Morris Monday.

Mrs. Mary Hammons has returned from a visit with relatives in Adrian.

Florence Hammons has been employed for several weeks at the home of Harry Alley.

Jay Chandler and wife are entertaining their grand daughter Gertrude Chandler of Jackson.

Lee Parks who captured a buzzard sometime ago has sold the bird to the Tower keepers at Bundy Hill.

Mr. Cavanaugh of Jackson and the writer of this intend to call upon several people in this section next Wednesday.

Chas Crawford and family of Jackson visited Monday at the homes of C. E. Depue and Mrs. M. H. Morris. Mrs. Crawford is school commissioner of Jackson county.

Recent guests of R. O. Sawdey and wife: Arthur Hart and family of Jackson, Ed Sawdey and wife of North Adams, Mrs. Harley Voorhees, Vivian Voorhees and Hilda Sawdey of Hanover.

A few years ago, Beloit College, Wisconsin had a talented professor named M. H. Hedges who wrote a true to life novel called "The Iron City." The monied men of Beloit didn't like the book and in spite of the protests of President Brannon of the college, Hedges lost his job. Mr. Morse of the Fairbanks-Morse Scale Co is the head of the trustees of Beloit college and some of the other trustees are the head of Montgomery Ward & Co., a large paper manufacturer; Mr. Tyrrell head of a great knitting works and Mr. Salmon, director of the Beloit Water, Gas and Electric Co. Money is power at Beloit.

Clayton McGregor, Robert McGregor, Donald Frantz, Lawrence Walworth and Chas Miller of the Boy Scouts spoke at the M. E. church Sunday evening. W. W. Ostrom, Leon Scott, Madeline Bull and the orchestra furnished music. Lawrence Walworth and Robert Mc Gregor were presented with medals in token of their swimming and quoit playing abilities. Next Saturday evening, John Spinta, Toledo magician will furnish the program at the church while on Sunday evening, the Horton chorus of thirty members will be a special attraction. The chorus has a mens' and a ladies' quartet also a trio and furnishes A 1 music. A good crowd is desired.

Local News

Rev. Hutton and family were in Flint again this week.

Rev. Virgil Hunt has been retained as pastor of the Congregational church for another year.

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G. Forest Lewis of Hillsdale has been appointed to fill out the unexpired term of J. Culver Riggs deceased as prosecuting attorney of this county. The appointment was made by Judge Guy M. Chester of the circuit court.

Rev. Hutton wishes to announce there will be no services at the Methodist church Sunday August 9th on account of the Quincy camp meeting but Sunday August 16th services will be resumed as usual at the church.

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The reunion of the Hutton family was held last week at Lapeer with six brothers and their families present. The brothers from the west have returned home. The family consists of the following: C. A. Hutton of San Francisco, who is manager of a flour company on the coast E. J. Hutton of Quincy Washington, whom eastern folks have not seen for 38 years; A. P. Hutton of Kellog, Idaho; one sister Mrs. Crossman of Ohio; A. C. Hutton of Flint S. A. Hutton of Lapeer.

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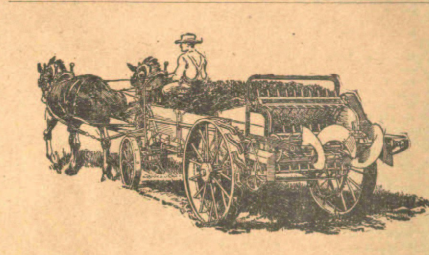

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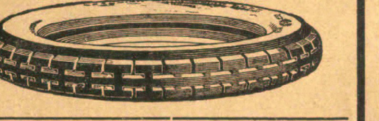

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Local News

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Merritt Shaw is quite ill west of this village.

John Hollister is visiting his daughter at Elyria, Ohio.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Mrs. A. Dietz who has been so seriously ill is now able to sit on the porch.

Bert Losey of Cleveland was a guest of B. I. Lynch and family on Wednesday.

Mable Roberts and Merle Ackley and daughter, June, were in town on Sunday.

Will Owen and family of Detroit are visiting his parents, John Owen and wife in this village.

Born to W. M. Woodby and wife near Churches Corners Wednesday morning August 12th, a son.

Art Calhoun and family are on a motor camping trip to various lakes in Northern Michigan for two weeks.

Rev. Louis Blanchet and family of Litchfield were callers at the home of Oray Holcomb and wife on Sunday.

Lawyer Chadwick and wife of Detroit were in this village calling on the latter's son, Dean Williams last Saturday.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will hold an ice cream social on Cleve Crater's lawn August 22. in the evening.

E. P. Lamont of Hanover was in this village on Tuesday in the interests of the Consumers Power Co. of Jackson.

We have secured a new stock of carbon paper cut 8½ x 11 inches at 2c per sheet. Also have large size sheets at 15c each.

The Friendship Club and their families will have a picnic at Durga's Landing, Farewell Lake, on Friday, August 21st.

Manassah Kempton and wife report a very enjoyable visit to Mt. Vernon, Ohio, where the visited their son, Lawrence, and family.

Those who attended the Pioneer picnic from this village at Hanover on Wednesday were Zelma Sharp, Mrs. Norman Sharp and Mrs. Harvey.

Mrs. Frank Miller spent the past two weeks with her son Ralph Miller and wife of Jackson. They brought her home and spent the week end with her.

Rev. E. O. Mather and family who have been spending their vacation at the home of Arthur Westcott and calling upon friends and relatives in this vicinity, have returned to their home at Lyons,

Will VanAken and wife motored to Pioneer, Ohio, Sunday to take Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilbur of Los Angeles, Cal., to visit Ohio friends. The Wilburs have been visiting C. J. Knapp and family and others.

North Adams now has a real "steeple Jack" in the person of Will Parish who is painting the tower of the school building. The entire woodwork will be painted outside and everything put in shape for the winter.

The first annual reunion of the Mud Lake school will be held at the school house lawn on Tuesday August 18th with potluck. Each bring your own dishes for potluck dinner and oblige. It's going to be a worth while affair and don't you forget it. Come one come all.

The exceedingly rainy day on Wednesday interfered with Somerset Centre Home Coming considerably, but nevertheless there was a good attendance at the church where a pot-luck dinner was served at noon to a happy gathering. A program of music and recitations was carried out.

Officials of the Lenawee county fair wish to announce that 1925 Adrian Fair will be held September 21 to 25, four days and two nights. There are several special features and the best of them will be the $100 baby contest. Free vaudeville and fireworks of the highest class. Adrian has good grounds and no doubt will be able to offer a good exhibition this year.

Among those who attended the Camp Meeting at Quincy on Sunday were Jack Barber, wife and daughter, Mrs. Wattles; Montie Shults; Mrs. Sarah Shults; Wellington Lawrence and children; R. C. Young and family; the editor; C. L. Begel of Hanover; Clyde Wertz and family; H. G. Wells and family; C. M. Bross of Washington, D. C.; M. L. Fitzgerald and family of Adrian; A. G. Morehouse; Fred Allen and family. Some very good talks were listened to during the sessions and all will agree the get-together has been exceedingly profitable.

Ralph Wolcott of Detroit was home last Sunday from his work.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church will meet at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 19th.

Miss Lula Churchill and sister Mrs. W. Hampton, both of Pontiac were guests at the Carrel home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haskell of Toledo were guests of Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel over the week end and Sunday.

Dr. Graves of Cleveland, Ohio has been visiting at the home of her nephew, Lester Ford, and she will be there several weeks.

The Hoxie Ladies Aid will conduct a picnic at Manitou Beach Devils Lake Thursday, Aug. 20th and will elect officers at that time. Pot luck dinner, and all invited.

Mrs. Amy Gregg, Russell Thurlby, wife and son of Tecumseh, Mr. and Mrs. Gannett Gregg and son of Toledo were dinner guests Sunday at the Frank Painter home.

The second reunion of the Nethaway school in District No. 8 of Adams will be held August 20th at the home of Miss Ida French. A pot luck dinner will be served at noon. All former teachers and pupils and their families are cordially invited to attend.

A company of relatives to the number of 21 were entertained at the home of Jay North and family on Sunday, mostly members of the Purcell family, relatives of Mr. North's mother. A very nice social time was enjoyed and those present were: Charles Pullman and wife of Burlington; Charles Quick and wife of Allendale; Edgar Purcell wife and son; Geo. Hayhoe, wife and son Jay of this vicinity also Mesdames Emma Relyea and Carrie Scoville of this village. Pot-luck dinner was served.

Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So hereafter the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25. Please bear in mind this is final and cancel all other announcements. To those who subscribe for McCall's let us say don't be alarmed it it takes a couple of weeks to get the magazine coming. Of late the publishers assure us the volume of business coming in requires time to straighten out, so if you fail to receive McCall's the next day don't get nervous. It'll come in due time.

The annual Farmers Picnic will occur this season at Riley and Keffus Landing Devils Lake Thursday August 27 and a fine band will furnish music. Hon. Joseph Hooper of Battle Creek, Republican nominee for representative from this district and C. A. Rinehart, Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction of Michigan will give addresses of the day. This is the greatest of them all and you just ought to go. Here you will see all the folks from far and near whom you have not seen previously in years. Come along with your well filled lunch basket and prepare to enjoy the last picnic of the year before fair time.

The famous old Reading Girl's Cornet Band one of the most notable organizations of southern Michigan held their sixth reunion at Reading Thursday July 30th with eighteen of the girls and their leader Frank Marsh, present. Just to prove that music has not been a lost art with them they brought their instruments and rendered a number of old time selections with great gusto. These women are all married off but two lonesome old maids and of course scattered to the four winds, residing in various parts of the state and in Indiana. At the business meeting it was voted to meet next year with Mrs. Dell Hakes and Mrs. Will Schall the first Thursday in August at Reading we suppose.

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Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

C. L. Begel of Hanover was the guest of relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Harry Reed is reported quite ill at the home of her son, Clifford, south-east of town.

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Remember the annual Home-Coming of the Knowles district in Moscow which occurs Thursday, August 20th and an invitation is extended to every patron, teacher or pupil past or present, to be present.

Mr. Patrick an old man living west of Churches corners, fell from the hay mow in the barn on Monday August 10 and broke his shoulder blade and some ribs. Dr. McFarland was called and made the sufferer as comfortable as possible. He is doing as well as could be expected.

Keith Williams who went to Kentucky to work for Contractor Hoffman on road construction, met with a painful accident the first of the week. The gang was unloading a tractor when Mr. Williams foot was caught and crushed under the heavy machine. He was obliged to return home and is being treated by Dr. McFarland.

The New Jackson Electric Line

The new electric line being projected by the Consumers Power Company of Jackson by the way of Cement City, North Adams and Hillsdale, is well on its way, the line being surveyed clear through and the work of setting poles is rapidly nearing North Adams on the line of the New York Central tracks The railroad will be followed to the B. I. Lynch property north of the village, thence across the lands of George Walworth just east of the corporate limits of this village, thence south to the end of the road, and west by south into Hillsdale.

Poles, cable and insulators are at present on the ground in this village, and judging from all appearances this will be a first-class line. The poles are heavy, the terra cotta vitreous insulators remind one of spittoons, and the cable is half inch braided copper.

The voltage will run into the thousands and Avis & Son report that no stepping down will be done except on long term contracts. At last Hillsdale county is to be electrified!

SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the Township of Adams at the Town Hall in the village of North Adams in said township, county of Hillsdale, state of Michigan on Tuesday, August 18th, A. D. 1925, for the purpose of electing a Representative in Congress from the Third Congressional District of Michigan to fill vacancy caused by the death of Arthur B. Williams whose term of office expired on the 4th day of March, A. D., 1927. The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and shall remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon, for one hour.

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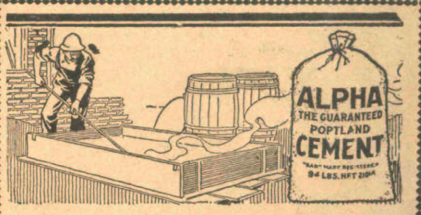

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Flint—Although she drank a pint of gasoline 20-months-old Helen Parthra will recover, it was predicted. A stomach pump was used to save her life.

Grand Rapids—Dr. P. M. Olin, state health commissioner, has notified city officials he will object to any delay in completion of the municipal sewage disposal project now under way.

Cadillac—A woman's auxiliary to the Michigan Rural Carriers' Association, with Mrs. Fannie Coons, of Lowell, as president, was formed here during the carriers' annual convention.

Houghton—The village of Hubbell, with its principal street almost on the banks of Portage Lake, has an acute water shortage. The village gets its drinking water from wells which were discovered to be almost dry.

Kalamazoo—It took nearly five years for the Postoffice Department to deliver to William Tisdale, now county clerk of Allegan county, a letter that was mailed from this city to his home in Saugatuck, Dec. 21, 1921.

Jackson—Aug. 13, 14 and 15 will mark the passing of the teachers' examinations in Michigan, as the last examinations will be held on these dates, under a law passed some time ago, which does away with such examinations Sept. 1 of this year and requires a year of professional training instead.

Port Huron—J. A. MacTaggart and Newton company, accountants and auditors, who just have completed the audit of the city accounts, report that there would have been a deficit in the city's general fund at the close of the fiscal year if current bills and temporary loans amounting to more than $60,000 had been paid.

Grand Rapids—Reports of 21 automobile accidents in Grand Rapids in one day, together with the fact that there have been 18 fatalities in automobile accidents since Jan. 1, and more than 3,000 accidents recorded during that time, caused City Manager Fred H. Locke, to issue orders to Superintendent of Police A. A. Carroll to strictly enforce the speed laws in the loop district.

Jackson—Police have arrested 18 boys ranging in age from 11 to 15 years, alleging that in the last several months the boys have caused damage amounting to hundreds of dollars to the property of the New York Central Railway and the Cincinnati Northern. It is alleged that the boys have been shooting insulators from telegraph and telephone poles, breaking lights, and attempting to wreck trains by placing ties, chains and iron bars on the tracks.

Jackson—J. N. Hemphill, of Kansas City, Mo., who had been driving continuously for 60 hours on his way to attend a convention in Detroit, accompanied by his wife and baby, went to sleep at the wheel of his car on M-17, east of Jackson, and the car plunged through a guard rail and into a six-foot ditch. Mrs. Hemphill and the baby were hurled through the windshield and were cut and bruised, but were not seriously injured and the driver escaped injury entirely.

Grand Rapids—Department of Justice investigations in the district of Western Michigan now are being handled entirely out of Chicago, it was disclosed by District Attorney Edward J. Bowman. So far as local government authorities are aware this means the abolition of the bureau of the Department of Justice maintained in this city for years. Under the new arrangements Bowman is obliged to appeal to the Chicago office each time he desires an investigation in connection with a Federal case.

Jackson—Affidavits said to contain damaging evidence against several local city officials were in possession of James Frank, former newspaper publisher, for presentation to the the grand jury. Prosecuting Attorney John Simpson demanded the affidavits from Frank. He says he is the proper person to present them but Frank refused to surrender them. Malfeasance and misconduct in office and several other serious charges are to be brought against officials and private individuals, it was reported.

Jackson—The purchase by the Jackson county board of supervisors of five parcels of land as lake sites for parks, adds to the chain of county parks planned, a total area of 31 1-2 acres with a shore line of more than 2,000 feet. A site at Clark lake, purchased several weeks ago, was the first step made in the plan for a chain of lake parks. A 12-acre tract on Vineyard lake, six acres at Clear lake, eight acres at Pleasant lake, two and one-half acres on Big Wolf lake, and three acres on Gillett's lake will be the new park sites.

Detroit—The purchase of the Stout Metal Airplane company by the Ford Motor company has been officially announced. The action is in harmony with the company's policy of playing a lone hand. The way is now opened for the Fords to push their aeronautical research as they see fit, without being retarded by a variety of opinions on the necessity of explaining their point of view to committees or stockholders. The financial consideration was not made known, but it is estimated that the amount involved will reach $1,000,000.

Lansing—Fred B. Perry, secretary of the State Administrative Board, has been sent to Washington to negotiate with the United States Shipping Board for the purchase of a Government steamer of a type suitable for reconstruction into an automobile ferry like the two vessels which the state is now operating between Mackinaw City and St. Ignace. Traffic across the Straits has grown so fast during the past month, it was reported that the two units of the State's ferry squadron have been unable to meet the demands.

Iron Mountain—Deer are so plentiful in this section of the state this year that farmers of the upper peninsula have complained of damage to crops.

L'Anse—The village treasury is richer by $36,000 following payment of that amount in taxes by the Ford Motor Company. A portion of the amount was for a sewer tax levy. Ford pays two-thirds of the taxes here.

Bay City—Theodore VanWert, 18, was killed instantly, his brother Arthur, 15, was paralyzed and sister, Loretta, 17, was temporarily blinded by a bolt of lightning that struck them while they were working in a potato field.

Kalamazoo—A robber who held a revolver against her side while he attempted to take her purse was routed by the screams of Miss Terva Hope. The police were unable to find a trace of the young man, apparently about 20 years old and fashionably dressed.

Lawton—Grape prices will be higher this year than at any time since 1920, it is announced at the local plant of the Welch Grape Juice Co. With the crop estimated at only about 25 per cent of normal, growers expect the quotation will rise to $100 a ton, almost double the price paid last fall.

Benton Harbor—Clarence Darrow, Chicago criminal lawyer and counsel for the defense in the recent Scopes evolution case at Dayton, Tenn., was elected president of the Michicago Field Club at a meeting of the directors here. The Michicago Field Club is a golf club organized by Benton Harbor and Chicago men.

Jackson—Circuit Judge James A. Parkinson has announced he would call a grand jury of 24 persons, at a later date to inquire into alleged criminal acts and mis-carriages of justice within the county. The decision of Judge Parkinson followed several weeks of study of allegations contained in numerous affidavits.

Lansing—Arrests in Lansing for the month of July showed a large increase over the same month last year, the monthly report revealed. During the month just closed 567 arrests were made, as against only 382 last year. More than 200 of the arrests were for traffic violations, and of these 159 were made in one night, when a surprise drive was launched.

Muskegon — The Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Muskegon Railway Co., the one interurban line in Michigan not in the hands of a receiver, is carrying the fight to the bus lines. In an effort to compete with the bus lines, which the company officials say is driving the interurban out of business, rates have been slashed and special inducements made to obtain patrons.

Port Huron—The city of Port Huron has protested officially to the federal sanitary authorities at Chicago against the government dredges, at work in the channel near the lighthouse, of dumping earth into the river channel above the intake pipe of the city water works. The practice has roiled the city water and has made it necessary to use an unusual amount of chlorine, it is claimed.

Jackson—Having discovered some of the property of her late husband, as well as $1,500 which he had deposited in a Pittsburgh, Pa., bank, Mrs. Christian Neilson of this city awaited information from Iowa, where she believes her husband had vast estates. According to stories that her husband told her, he had property valued at from $300,000 to $500,000 in Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota.

Flint — Immediately after having been informed that a Port Huron relative had bequeathed him a gasoline station as a legacy, Earl Brooks, a Flint traffic policeman, drove his machine to police headquarters and there left a note to Inspector John MacDonald, head of the traffic bureau, informing the latter he had resigned. The ex-officer then hurried from the station to go to Port Huron to take charge of his new business.

Otisville—The Otisville State Bank which was closed by the State Banking Commission following a discovery of a shortage of $52,000 in the accounts of Arthur Prosser, cashier, has re-opened its doors for business again. G. Knickerbocker, state bank examiner, and W. W. Lyons, of Armada, a stockholder, were in charge when the bank re-opened. No successor has yet been named to succeed Prosser, who is now serving a term in Jackson prison.

Ann Arbor—Michigan's new university hospital will be opened officially August 10, when the "out patient" service will be moved from the old buildings into the new structures, according to an announcement by Dr. Harley A. Haynes, director. Patients also will be admitted from the "out patient" service to the wards beginning on that date, Dr. Haynes said, and other patients will be moved within the following few days, at which time operating room service will be established.

Battle Creek—Intimation that Battle Creek college has in mind an expansion program that will make the school "second only to the University of Michigan," was given the community by Dr. Paul F. Voelker, president of the college, in a talk to the Rotary club. At present the school is a combination of the Kellogg School of Physical Education, the Sanitarium School for Nurses and the School of Home Economics. Dr. Voelker suggested that it would become one of the finest schools of liberal arts in the country.

Port Huron—The first radio fog-signal station to be installed on the Great Lakes has been placed on the Lake Huron Lightship, at a point immediately north of Port Huron. This radio beacon, a measure of safety for navigation, is the fore-runner of five other like installations that are to be made on the Great Lakes by the lighthouse service of the United States Department of Commerce. The station, second of its kind to use a vacuum-tube transmitter, has been assigned the signal characteristic of a group of three telegraphic dashes.

BELGIANS IN U. S. TO DISCUSS DEBT

Former Premier and Three Other Delegates Reach New York.

New York.—Former Premier Theunis of Belgium, and three other delegates, appointed by the Belgian government to settle the problem of the debt consolidation with the World war foreign debt commission, arrived here on the Olympic.

They declined to be interviewed until they had communicated with the debt-funding commission at Washington, with whom they will negotiate for a settlement of Belgium's war debt to the United States. They were accompanied by four financial experts and a secretary general.

In addition to former Premier Theunis, the delegates were Baron de Cartier, Belgian ambassador to the United States; Emile Francqui and Felicien Cattier. The accompanying experts are Messrs. Vincent, Warland, Boet and Baron Terlinden; also Robert Silvercruys, who served at the Belgian embassy at Washington for several years and is the secretary general of the delegation.

The commission left for Washington. It was accompanied by William Phillips, American ambassador to Belgium, and Garrard Winston, assistant secretary of the Treasury, whose special province is war debts.

Envoy of U. S. Lies in State in Tokyo

Tokyo.—Hundreds of Japanese and American friends of the late Ambassador Edgar A. Bancroft viewed the body here as it lay in the procathedral, after having arrived by special train from Karuizawa, where the ambassador died on July 28.

The body was brought here on a special train provided by the Japanese government and was escorted by military and naval attaches from the United States embassy.

The body, which will sail for the United States on the Japanese cruiser Tama, will be accompanied by Lieutenant-Commander H. R. Hein, naval attache at the embassy.

"United States Highways" Will Span the Nation

Washington.—Fifty thousand miles of roads, honeycombing the United States from the Canadian border to the Gulf coast and from the Atlantic to the Pacific, were selected by the joint board of interstate highways as "United States highways" to be designated with uniform road markers.

Actual grouping of these roads into main arterial highways was abandoned by the full committee and turned over to a subcommitte, which, after making tentative designations, will submit recommendations to the various states for approval.

Rhode Island's Richest Girl Calls Off Wedding

Providence, R. I.—Announcement was made by Mrs. Frank A. Sayles of Pawtucket, mother of Miss Nancy Sayles, Rhode Island's richest girl, that the marriage of her daughter to Lieut. Ernesto Ladinelli Becci of Rome, Italy's assistant secretary of the interior, has been postponed indefinitely.

U. of W. Regents Bar Gifts From Rockefeller

Madison, Wis.—University of Wisconsin regents went on record 9 to 6 against acceptance in the future of any special gifts or endowments from the Carnegie or Rockefeller interests or similar foundations. Money now in hand from both sources will be used.

Official Call for Legion Meet in Omaha Is Issued

Indianapolis.—The official call for the seventh annual national convention of the American Legion at Omaha, Neb., October 5-9, was issued here by James A. Drain, national commander.

Steel Heads Resign to Halt Labor Wage Cut

New York.—The New York World says that the Bethlehem Steel corporation has announced resignations of three chief officials to avoid necessity of reducing wages of its 10,000 laborers.

Nine-Power Treaty Ratifications Signed

Washington.—Formal ratification of the two nine-power treaties affecting China that were signed at the Washington arms limitation conference were exchanged and the treaties immediately became effective.

Murdock Not to Be Retained

Washington.—It has been decided not to retain Major W. G. Murdock, now prohibition director of Pennsylvania, as one of the twenty-two zone administrators, it was announced at the Treasury on Wednesday.

Flaherty Elected by K. of C.

Duluth, Minn.—The forty-third supreme annual convention of the Knights of Columbus on Wednesday re-elected James A. Flaherty of Philadelphia supreme knight.

Gotham's Population Cut

New York.—New York city's population on July 1 was less than 6,000,000, according to unofficial estimates. The borough of Manhattan since the last census lost 250,000, the loss being attributed mainly to restriction on immigration.

Chinese Raid Hospital

Peking. — The Church Missionary hospital at Hangchow was raided by a Chinese mob, according to dispatches reaching here.

IN CHARGE AT TOKYO

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Edward L. Neville, first secretary of the American embassy in Tokyo, is now the United States charge d'affaires in Japan, carrying on in place of Edgar Addison Bancroft, the American ambassador who died suddenly July 28. Mr. Neville, formerly in the State department in Washington, went to Tokyo only last fall.

FRENCH FIND FOE IN ANCIENT FORT

Stronghold Used by Riffs as Base for Raids.

Fez, French Morocco.—A gigantic fortress from which the minions of Abd-el-Krim, rebel chieftain, issue forth to murder and lay waste hostile villages has been discovered by French troops.

This stronghold is midway between Fez and Ouezzan. It is approximately 300 feet high and the walls are extremely thick and in a wonderful state of preservation. The interior is about 300x600 feet. The fortification has sheltered as many as 800 Riffian warriors, who organize there for raids.

It was built in the Seventeenth century by the Portuguese when that nation was a power in North Africa. Small artillery would be useless against it and to take it by assault would prove a costly operation.

The French army threw a squadron of tanks into the battle area in the north and northwest sections and in the Asejen range completely routed the Riffian enemy from a strongly fortified position.

At Asejen the enemy were completely taken aback by the sight of the tanks and after a brief resistance fled, leaving sixty of their dead upon the ground.

Several planes are reported to be operating from the Riffian bases, which makes good the threat of Abd-el-Krim that he would soon be in possession of aircraft.

Spanish Dictator Offers Peace Terms to Riffians

Madrid. — The Spanish dictator, Primo de Rivera, has offered peace terms to Abd-el Krim, it became known here. The dictator is acting for both the Spanish and French governments. Krim sent two envoys from Tangier to the Spanish headquarters to receive the peace terms, and thes terms were sent from Tangier to Krim's capital, Adjir.

Biggest Still in Gotham Raided by Federal Agents

New York.—Police and federal authorities raided the largest illicit whisky-making plant discovered here since prohibition. In a subterranean cave many feet beneath a garage in Mulberry street, the raiders found a plant having a daily capacity of 12,000 gallons. Four alcohol stills, five costly delivery cars and other accessories taken in the raid are valued at more than $100,000.

U. S. Accepts Ford Bid of $1,706,000 for 200 Ships

Washington.—Formal announcement was made by the shipping board of the acceptance of the cash bid of $1,706,000 submitted by Henry Ford for 200 steel vessels to be dismantled and scrapped. The scrapping will include all engines, boilers and auxiliaries.

France Pays $10,000,000 to U. S. for War Goods

Washington.—The French government has paid to the United States another $10,000,000 interest on the $400,000,000 owed for war supplies, it was announced here.

The payment has no connection with the war debt owed to the United States by France.

Work on Quake Detector

Pasadena, Cal.—Construction of the new seismological laboratory and earthquake recording plant at the California Institute of Technology has been started. It has been announced as the most complete in the West.

U. S. Has Fewer Employees

Washington.—There are now 63,756 government employees in Washington, the smallest number since the war, it was announced. In June the total was reduced 855.

Fire Causes $100,000 Loss

Sioux City, Iowa.—Ten locomotives were virtually ruined in a fire which destroyed a section of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad roundhouse at North Riverside. The fire was started by the explosion of a "fire-up" gun.

Secretary Jardine in Hospital

Washington.—Secretary Jardine entered a hospital here. He is ill with a stomach disorder, but his condition is said not to be serious.

MINERS PREPARE TO STRIKE SEPT. 1

Operators Refuse to Concede Wage Raise—Workers Won't Arbitrate.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Authority to call out 158,000 anthracite miners if no agreement with the operators is reached by midnight, August 31, was vested in the subcommittee which failed to negotiate an agreement with the operators at sessions terminating here.

The action was taken by the full scale committee, composed of 40 members.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Refusal of the anthracite operators to concede a wage increase and the check-off caused the coal miners to break off negotiations for a new contract.

This action was taken in advance of the operators' submission of their formal reply to the demands of the miners, who had not quite finished presenting their case.

With federal intervention, as reported from Swampscott, out of the question until after the present agreement expires on September 1, and with a reluctance on both sides to submit their case to Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania, a strike of 158,000 anthracite mine workers appears certain.

Persistent rumors here link a walkout in the bituminous fields to be timed simultaneously with the expected anthracite strike on September 1

Basis of the break in negotiations over the anthracite scale, which began on July 9, was the demand by President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers, on July 31, that Samuel D. Warriner, president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company, and W. B. Richards, president of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal company, take part in the conferences. Lewis alleged that the operators' subcommittee is composed of minor heads and that it was without power.

The operators asked two questions, the first was whether, in view of the operators' opposition to a wage increase and the check-off, the miners refused to continue negotiations. This evoked an affirmative reply.

The second question was a request to submit matters in dispute to arbitration. In reply the miners pointed to Mr. Lewis' letter, alleging that in a previous arbitration the mine workers lost $60,000,000 in the two years to acquire the knowledge that they now possess concerning the anthracite operators' well-known policy of "keeping close to an arbitrator."

Daughter of Immigrant Adopted by Millionaire

New York.—Before the dazzled eyes of sixteen-year-old Mary Louise Spas, only daughter of illiterate Bohemian parents, was unveiled a vision of a modern fairyland.

The Aladdin who rubbed the occult lamp for Mary was Edward A. Browning, millionaire realtor, who saw in her the ideal girl he sought for adoption into his palatial home at Kew Gardens, L. I., as sister-companion for his other adopted daughter, Dorothy Sunshine Browning.

His three weeks' quest ended when he filed adoption papers in the Queens Surrogate court. Her new name is Mary Louise Browning.

James J. Hill's Home at St. Paul Brings $90,000

St. Paul, Minn.—The James J. Hill home here, one of the "show places" of St. Paul, and a major contention in the division of the $11,250,000 Hill estate among nine contesting heirs, was sold at public auction for $90,300. The brownstone residence, which cost more than $200,000 in 1889, was appraised at $189,000. Almon A. Greenman, Minneapolis banker, bought the home, but declined to say whom he represented.

U. S. Finds Bumper Crops Will Cut Vegetable Prices

Chicago.—Fruit and vegetables, due to large crops, will be much lower in price in August than in July, according to a federal bureau of agriculture economics report issued here. In some cases the drop will be 50 per cent. Cantaloupes in particular will be cheap. Indiana, New Mexico and Maryland shipping twice as many as last year, and Rocky Ford, Colo., giving promise of a bumper crop.

Virginia Puts Byrd in Lead for Governor

Richmond, Va.—Harry Flood Byrd of Winchester led G. Walter Mapp of Accomac by almost 20,000 votes for the gubernatorial nomination in the Democratic primary in 727 of the 846 precincts in the state.

Campus Two Square Miles

Columbus, Ohio.—The campus of Ohio State university now is approximately two square miles in extent, it was announced on Wednesday, coincident with an announcement of the further acquisition of property by the university.

Conductors Elect Judge

Jacksonville, Fla.—The Order of Railway Conductors of the Southeastern states on Wednesday elected Judge J. J. Beckham chairman.

Predicts Mountain Dams

Raleigh, N. C.—It is predicted that as a result of a United States army survey, hydro-electric plants to develop 1,500,000 horsepower and to cost $150,000,000 will be built in western North Carolina.

Ingalls Joins Senate Race

Milwaukee.—Wallace Ingalls of Racine, state assemblyman, announced that he was a candidate for the United States senate seat of the late Senator LaFollette.

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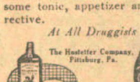

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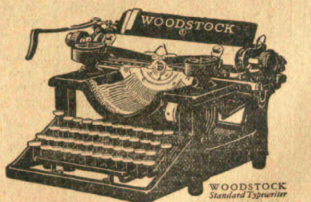

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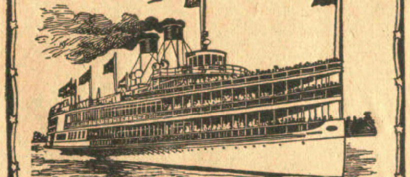

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Cedar Point and Sandusky, Ohio

After leaving Put-In-Bay Island the steamer sails on through the narrow channels among the delightful Lake Erie Islands to Sandusky and Cedar Point, Ohio.

Cedar Point, just across the bay from Sandusky, is known as the Atlantic City of the West. With its huge hotels, electric park, magnificent bathing beach and board walk it is easily the Queen of the Great Lakes Summer resorts.

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The Latest Science in Warfare

If you read the signs of the times you will not be particularly pleased to note some of the changes that are taking place in modes of warfare which the next struggle will be staged with. It means death, death by wholesale and entirely in the most savage form. Large numbers of devices are at this minute being tried out by the military authorities of this and other counties which are bound to prove more or less practical and which there is no report of. The whole business is kept under strict censorship and the few matters which do leak out are merely secondary,

Most in the lime light to-day is the much talked-of "death ray" upon which inventors have been busy for three years or more. The first man who tried to demonstrate this ray was in England. Not much was gained however, at the time, in fact the experiment was reported as a failure.

Now American scientists are coming forward with claims of startling nature which it is up to the government to investigate. Assistance of the navy department will be asked by Dr. Edwin Scott of San Francisco in testing what he calls the "death stroke" in the form of "canned lightning" which the doctor contends will revolutionize war tactics.

Dr. Scott said he wishes to convince Government officials of the efficiency of his invention as a death dealing agency. He plans to make the test off the coast of California some time in September with an old battleship and a pilotless aeroplane which he wants the government to donate. A few of the possibilities attributed to the invention by Dr. Scott may be realized. This is what he claims:

Destruction of all life on land or sea or in the air, within a radius of 20 miles; disabling of all radio apparatus within the same area, destruction of the superstructures of battleships ten miles or more away bringing down aeroplanes from any heighth possible for the machine to attain and disabling of fortifications at long distances. The doctor claims that he has already burned holes fn 2-inch steel plates at a distance of one mile, dead trees have been fired at a distance of one mile and animals killed at a distance of 5 to 7 miles. Dummy aeroplanes have been destroyed in actual tests. The inventor has the parts of his machine ready for assembling, packed away in the fire proof vault, and he is jealously secreting the same.

It is hoped these inventions will serve to make such havoc among nations that they will refuse to engage in war, for God only knows what the awful results would be if these things all come to pass. Aeroplanes and aerial bombs have attained such precision that attacks from the air will be the coming method, and as far as known there is nothing, not even concrete "pill boxes" which will resist such onslaughts. Poison gases are sure to be the key note in the next war and with the wide use of such destructive agencies a war could only exist a few days. It is possible to cross the Atlantic Ocean and spread a poison gas blanket over New York, Boston and Philadelphia in three days, so what manner of use could be made of the ponderous battleships upon which untold millions of the tax-payers' dollars have been squandered?

The magazine called "Science and Invention" published in New York City, recently came out with the statement that there was nothing in the "death ray" theory and it simply could not be done. They claimed that to date no ray hot enough to burn anything more than a few feet away was now known, so the claims of Dr. Scott will be investigated with eagerness by the Government. It is presumed Scott is just one more nut who wants to gain notoriety at Government expense, and if so, he should be dumped on the scrap heap.

Politics in the Third District

Up to date politics in the third congressional district of Michigan do no promise any great thrills. The two candidates nominated at the primaries Mr. Carney, Democrat and Mr. Hooper, Republican, are democratic and republican in name only—the real struggle is between principles and not party. There is constant anxiety among party whips lest a lot of Republicans may desert the standard and vote for an opposing candidate and likewise a raft of Democrats are likely to lose their loyalty at the last minute at the polls and do the traitorous act. The old axiom of "Democrat or Republican or Bust" don't go any longer in political circles. In other words the tail no longer wags the dog and party managers have been so confounded flabbergasted trying to locate the wheel horses they are well nigh demented They question the moon, the sun and the stars, and at times swear by the beard of the Prophet, but its all in vain. Good red blood patriotic voters or all parties have been reading about this and that stunt which has been pulled off at Washington under different administrations and they have come to logical conclusions—they arise to inquire "Why Is?" and well they may.

The people's money has been lavishly used by the law-makers up at the Nation's capitol for purposes which at times looked shady in fact from a novice's standpoint it looked considerable like boy's play—building air castles only to tear them down like small boys playing in the sand,

We don't presume to know why these representatives and senators dip so deeply into the national exchequer for uses which they seem to think are necessary, but they do

Just to give an illustration. Representative Arthur B. Williams splendid man that he was—said right from the beginning he was going to help the farming contingent of this country. He was elected and went about framing a bill at once in company with Senator Capper which would put a sort of guardianship on the produce market. A number of fat seekers would be given jobs at Washington at good salaries to look after something which did not exist. But it all went into the wash just the same. As time wore on it occurred to the farmers that Representative Williams' bill was a wonderful up lift in salaries—but not much of an uplifter of prices—in fact the experts on farming concluded Mr. Williams was a wonderfully benevolent salary raiser and job creator

When the day comes that we can send men to Congress who are four square to the world, (and right here let us say we never expect to find any such men) then we shall be happy. Until an award of rom $250 to $1,000 daintily extended upon the end of a beautiful stick of candy for just one vote can be reckoned as salt of the earth, we shall be fixed politically same as now, only a little more so. Now that isn't saying a Representative would accept emoluments for his opinions—far from it. So we want to say to every voter. "Vote early and often," and we wouldn't be surprised if somebody would be elected, but as to how to pick them well, you may toss a coin and if it heads or tails, vote accordingly.

Hooper For Congress

That there is a strong sentiment throughout the third Congressional district to send President Coolidge a supporter at the coming special election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Arthur B. Williams has been made manifest to the committee in charge of the campaign of Joseph L. Hooper, the republican nominee.

Reports to the committee from all parts of the district indicate that this sentiment is substantial and will be expressed at the polls on Tuesday next. While the election occurs at a busy season for the farmer, it is anticipated the vote from the agricultural sections is to be heavy.

Attention is called to the fact that the republican majority in the lower house is very small, and the re-placing of a republican member from this district by a Democrat would be a distinct loss. In view of the announced policy of the present administration for economy and tax-reduction, it is hoped the President will be helped and not hindered by the result of the special election in this district next Tuesday.—Advertisement.

George B. Smith on Federal Loans

George Burr Smith has done as much as any other man in Southern Michigan to help the farmers who were asked to borrow and give until it hurt to help win the war and were later betrayed by the Congress elected in 1918 by methods well illustrated by the Newberry campaign in Michigan that year

This congress not only succeeded in thwarting President Wilson's greatest achievement for humanity but also repudiated the promises made the farmers when they bought Liberty Bonds that under the Federal Reserve System their needs for credit would be taken care of.

The despicable resolution passed by that Congress which compelled the Federal Reserve Board to call loans to the member banks in the face of figures presented by the Comptroller of the Currency (appointed by President Wilson) that the currency could still be expended to the extent of $2,500,000,000.00 under the Federal Reserve Act, brought ruin and bankruptcy to the farmers from one end of the land to the other. Mr. Smith has been called upon to assist in the bond sales in three counties, and had organized the Tri-County National Farm Loan Association under the recently passed Farm Loan Act.

This Congress was not satisfied however, with the resolution which crippled the Federal Reserve Act, but restricted the operation of the Farm Loan Act as well. Mr. Smith did not give up the fight, however, and succeeded in having Hillsdale County approved for loans by several large life insurance companies which he is now representing as agent,

The work in connection with abstracts in preparation for mortgage loans, has made it necessary for him to spend much of his time at the county seat. The good roads enable him to make the trip thru North Adams every day. Since the war when he started the work he has loaned more than half a million dollars to farmers in Hillsdale county alone.—Advertisement.

Cosmopolitan Host With 101

When the big Miller Brothers 101 Ranch Real Wild West and Great Far East comes to Jackson Friday, August 21st you'll see the most cosmopolitan and picturesque host of people in all the wide world A tour among the 1,400 folks with the show is an education in itself, and that's why the world's largest street parade (Miller Brothers scorn to adopt the retrenchment policy of the circuses, so they retain the greatest of all free shows—the parade) is so enthralling. Famous Indian chiefs, cowboys, cowgirls, Indian warriors, Mexican rurales, South American vaqueros, Chinese irregular horse, Manchu pony soldiers, French Zouaves from Indo-China, hard riding Cossacks, Turkestan cavalry—these and many others, to the number of six hundred, ride in the parade and performances. European nationalities are represented, of course, in native garb, and there are six bands all sorts of historical and allegorical floats, elephants, camels, buffalo and longhorns in a street pageant. Then too, Ezra Meeker, only living person who crossed the continent as an adult, on the old Oregon trail of covered wagon fame, will drive a prairie schooner and oxen just as he did seventy-four years ago.—Advertisement.

Radio—The New Champion For a Universal Language

By GENERAL J. G. HARBORD
President, Radio Corporation of America.

Gen. J. G. Harbord

Broadcasting is still in its radiant youth, but its effects on American life may already be seen in several directions. There is a well-marked trend toward a universal language, a considerable broadening of the horizon at home, and this year promises innovations that may almost revolutionize our old political methods.

In the last few years but little interest has been shown in a Universal Language. The subject has merited more attention than it has received, for its potential influence on international culture and commerce and above all on international peace might easily change the course of human history. There now appears, however, a new champion for a Universal Language, a huge powerful giant whose influence envelops the earth and pervades the surrounding ether—Radio.

The United States, because of its geographical situation, has not yet felt the need for a common medium of international broadcasting, though in all forms of telegraphic communication a universal language would be exceedingly useful. Such broadcasting as may be carried on by our restless neighbor to the south has no place in our radio picture. Canadian broadcasting offers no stimulus to a study of the subject because that country speaks our own tongue.

International Broadcast

Some day international broadcast communication will be an every-day occurrence with Europe, South America and the Asiatic shores of the Pacific. It will not be for entertainment only, but for the more important considerations of our commercial and political life. Will Radio, peculiarly the instantaneous method of communication, wait while messages are being translated in the same way that dots and dashes are now deciphered into language and then interpreted into native tongue?

Esperanto and Ido have already received an impetus through the air. Associations for their promotion exist. But it is doubtful if any synthetic language can ever overtake in the race for universality our own English. It will probably never displace existing languages, but with radio as a carrier it promises to become a common means of international expression.

English Speaking People Lead in Radio

America, an English-speaking land, leads the world today in broadcasting. Several of its nearly six hundred broadcasting stations reach out to Europe and South America and at no distant day will cross the Pacific. The British Isles, Australia, New Zealand and the remainder of the British dominions, speaking the same tongue, stand next to us in broadcast development. The stations of these widely flung states are heard by adjacent nations, who will be listening constantly to English programs. It is inevitable that such listeners will seek to understand the more frequently recurring expressions of the broadcaster. Curiosity and a desire for knowledge, spurred by the fascination which Radio exerts over all of us, its disciples, will bring the wish to learn the language most frequently heard over the ether.

The commerce of English-speaking nations touches in a hundred ways every worth while country in the world. English is the best language today for foreign nations who need to borrow money. Improved communications break down language barriers. The differences in speech that still linger—for example, between New England and Virginia—are evidences of a day when they were a month apart. Today in China, Japan, India and the Near East and in the major countries of Europe, English instruction is being eagerly sought. The World War spread English. Two millions of Americans and other millions from the British Isles and the imperial dominions for several years taught English and English customs in French, German, Belgian and Italian territory. There is hardly an individual in those countries who cannot boast of at least a few words of English. With the added force of radio broadcasting crossing the seas, with programs and announcers in English, our language will reach understanding ears whether they belong to Germans, French, Italians, Dutch, Spanish or the ancient races of Asia. Some day the Siamese coolie and the Malay rajah may enjoy entertainment broadcasted from our Pacific coast; the student in Constantinople may receive instruction by radio from Columbia University; the Burmese maiden, "looking eastward to the sea" may listen to a station on the old Moulmein Pagoda broadcasting "On the Road to Mandalay" in the tongue of the Bard of Avon.

Power Must Help Seller and Buyer

In a careful study of the economic side of electrifying the farms of America. J. C. Martin, western editor of the Electrical World, finds two general facts which must be recognized The first of these is that the seller must make a profit, if he is to continue in business. The other is that the buyer must make a profit from the use of the things he buys.

In the case of farm electrification the seller would be the power company, if power is to be obtained in that manner, and the buyer, of course, would be the farmer. The product, electric power, must bring a profit to the seller, the electric power company, and must give the buyer, (the farmer) a profit from its use.

"In the case of the buyer," says Mr. Martin, who coincides with what General Electric specialists also contend, "the profit does not always come in the form of a money balance. It may come in the form of better living conditions or better health, or in numerous other ways. However, if he is using the things he buys in a producing business from which he derives an income, then he must be able to turn those things into more cash than he pays for them, including the labor and process costs through which he must put his raw materials."

FARM EFFICIENCY

Iowa State College President Thus Speaks of the Present Trend.

Addressing a conference at Ames, Ia., called to consider what electricity can do for agriculture, President R. A. Pearson, of Iowa State College, said that agriculture is now passing through its third period of development, typified by the desire for efficiency.

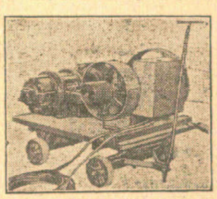
In the first two periods, he pointed out, direct delivery from farmer to consumer and quantity production for big crops were the characteristics, respectively.

"The new era," he said, "must be one of permanent industry and characterized by business methods, low cost of production, highly intelligent methods of marketing and maintenance of soil fertility. In this period the highest efficiency will be necessary to compete with foreign agriculture."

He then introduced representatives of electrical farm investigations from several states, who briefly sketched what they hope to find out regarding the contribution which electricity may make to efficiency in agriculture.

New Farm Motor On a Hand Truck

Looking forward to the time when electric farms will be more or less general in this country, the General Electric Company has developed a farm chore motor in four different horsepower sizes. Wherever electric service is already available on farms, either through power company's lines or independent farm power plants, this motor can serve as a hired man of tireless energy, unlimited capacity for work and utmost reliability.



New Farm Motor

The motor outfit consists of the motor itself, with its control equipment, and a countershaft which carries four driven pulleys of different sizes. The complete set-up is mounted on a four-wheel truck. The countershaft and pulleys provide four possible speeds for every driven machine, according to requirements.

This motor operates at 110 or 220 volts, single phase or three phase. It is manufactured in 1½, 3, 5 and 7½ horsepower sizes. A control cable of sufficient length to reach the driven machine is provided, and a start-and stop push button is located at the end of this cable. A belt-tightener is mounted on the motor.

Europe Well Along in Farm Electrification

Experimental work in farm electrification has been going on in Europe for a somewhat longer period than in this country. The four European countries which, from available reports, appear to have done the most in this work are Sweden, Germany, France and Italy, in about the order named. Government financial assistance has been given to some extent.

In Sweden about one-third of the farms are electrified thus far, owing to the abundant hydro-electric resources, and even threshing and plowing are done electrically. Electric plowing has been the subject of experiments in France and Germany since as long ago as 1908.

Expect Large Attendance At Gardeners' Field Day

Commercial garden truck growers from the Detroit, Grand Rapids and Bay City sections as well as gardeners from smaller sections have already sent word to Prof. George E. Starr, of the M. S. C. horticultural department, that they will attend the second annual Gardeners' Field Day to be held here, Wednesday, August 26.

From a successful experiment of last year, the field day plans this year will take in much the same inspection of experimental plats and discussion, but greater attention will be devoted to greenhouse exhibits, according to Professor Starr, who is in charge of the program.

At 10 o'clock, the gardeners will begin their tour of the station grounds. Numerous examples of the better as well as the poorer varieties of vegetables will be shown, forming the basis for discussion upon vegetables varieties. The college greenhouses have been completed since last year's meeting, and a visit to these is included in the morning tour.

One of the most extensive experiments ever undertaken in the culture of the early tomato is certain to interest the gardeners. Another experiment, among the many conducted, is that with cucumber pickles. The object in this experiment is to produce a better and more uniform type of cucumber pickle.

The short afternoon program of speaking has been planned to discuss subject of vital interest, and also to permit the gardeners from widely separated sections to get together, and exchange ideas.

M. S. C. Soils Train Ends Unique Tour

The movable soils laboratory from the M. S. C. said to be one of the most unusual demonstration trains ever assembled in Michigan has just completed an extended tour through the southern part of the State covering a total of 500 miles and reaching 4,641 people.

Outstanding feature of the train according to Dr. M. M. McCool head of the college soils department, was that in this way the individual problems of the farmers could be reached through personal contact.

During the trip, which lasted two weeks, 1,809 samples of soil were tested, and each farmer was advised as to the lime or fertilizer necessary to bring this soil to the best efficiency. In addition, 76 samples of marl were analyzed.

Consisting of a laboratory, personnel and demonstration car, the train made stops at intervals of from 15 to 20 miles along the itinerary, this giving the farmers from each locality a chance to visit the demonstration train. Members of the soils department gave each farmer a separate interview.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
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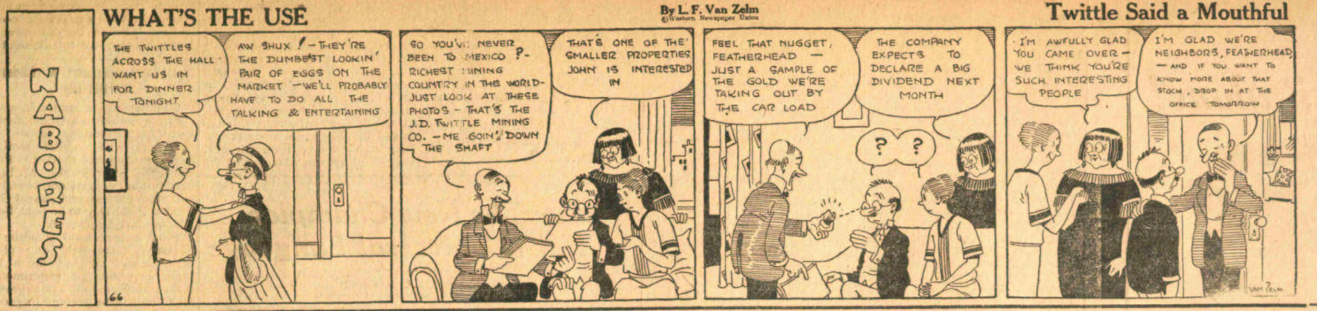
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State Rids Itself of Stock Accumulated in Raids.

The finest collection of liquor in the central part of the United States was destroyed recently at East Lansing. It was the accumulation of confiscated beverages taken by the State Police since the Michigan prohibition constitutional amendment went into effect and amounted to thousands of quarts of whiskies, wines and other liquors. The work of breaking it up required several days and was supervised by Commissioner Alan G. Straight in person and by a representative of the attorney-general's office.

This hoard of liquor was kept for a time in a basement downtown in Lansing but for the past two years had been stored in a building at State Police headquarters where it was a source of considerable worry as well as some expense since it had to be guarded. Withdrawals from it were made for the use of hospitals and public institutions, under proper inspection.

There had been no additions to the stock in a long time as it has been the practice of the department to break up liquor as seized and condemned. Just how much of a task this is may be deduced from the fact that the routine work for June included the destruction of 21,228 quarts of whisky,

BANKERS HELP

Mason County, Mich., bankers are backing the county move to replace scrub stock with purebred cattle. The plan as outlined by the county agent is to purchase young purebred sires and place them wherever a farmer is found who is willing to undertake the proposition. The bankers will advance the purchase price and take a note for one year without interest. The idea is to make it as easy as possible for the farmers to procure thoroughbreds.

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Concerning General Andrews, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury in Charge of Prohibition Enforcement

Many inquiries have come to the Washington Headquarters as to General Andrews, who is directing the United States Government drive for enforcement of the prohibition law. I have in a previous article referred to the military record of General Andrews and in this will give excerpts from his first public address and some comments by the Methodist Board of Temperance and Public Morals.

General Andrews made his first public address since going into office in a campus speech to Trinity College students on June 14. He told the students what he regarded as their obligations as citizens, deplored what he described as boring from within by wilful violators, and denounced hypocrites in whatever cause they may be found. He urged the students to heed the fundamental duties of law and Government, consideration for others, team work in life, and general obedience to law, and spoke particularly of the prohibition law, He said "The Government recently took a daring and determined step in the matter of regulating community life for the benefit of the economic interest of individuals, and made it a crime against the state to furnish intoxicating beverages to those individuals who were determined to drink them." "For one reason or another thousands of citizens are opposed to this law. Hundreds of thousands are willfully violating it. With the latter I take serious issue. They are perhaps quite unconsciously doing a dangerous thing to the community. Their demand for liquor has necessarily built up the business of supplying it.

"Every unlawful drink taken today means an enormous percent of profit for the use of this pernicious industry. The consumers of bootleg liquors, and there is none other to be bought, are feeding fat on what has become a monster business in spreading its operations over the nation, into communities and homes, into business and society and Government—an outlaw business that exists and can only exist through bribery and corruption, a business that must sneak into many phases of industry and into many phases of Government, and by bribery corrupt the honest souls of their agents."

The clipsheet of the Methodist Board of Temperance has the following to say of Mr. Andrews: "The opportunity and the man were brought together when General Lincoln Andrews was made Assistant Secretary of the Treasury in charge of Prohibition, Customs and Coast Guard. Such a job demands ability and devotion: ability to organize, ability to judge men, ability to use them; devotion to the country, to truth and honesty and efficiency. General Andrews has the ability. His career proves that. Ninety nine times out of a hundred it would be highly important because he is a gentleman in the old sense of absolute loyalty to his duty And as this man is new, so the opportunity is new. No other person connected with prohibition enforcement has ever had a real opportunity to enforce the law satisfactorily. As General Andrews took office, more than three hundred new Coast Guard vessels of a highly effective type were added to the Coast Guard. Measures advocated by the Cramton bill, killed by filibuster during the last session of Congress, were put into effect by executive action. Andrews was given freedom and responsibiiity."

We believe that Mr. Andrews should have the support and cooperation of the prohibition groups His work should be judged only by the results, after a reasonable time of experiment.

DRY STRAW

In more than one state are to be seen dry straws indicating growth of sentiment for prohibition enforcement. The victory of the drys in New Jersey, the state Senator Edwards once boasted he would "make as wet as the Atlantic Ocean" is not without its significance. Senator Arthur Whitney, backed by the drys in the primaries, recently defeated the liberal candidate backed by Senator Edge for the Republican nomination for Governor. The drys have a special cause for rejoicing in view of the frank declaration of Senator Edge on the eve of the primaries, that the campaign had developed into the old fight between the wets and drys. The big test for the state will come in the election, when Senator Whitney, the avowed dry, will contest with the Democratic nominee, who is reported wet.

FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO AID DRUG ADDICTS PROPOSED

Steps looking to the introduction in the next Congress of a bill providing for Federal aid to any state which will meet the Government halfway in establishing treatments for drug addicts are being considered. State Senator Sanborn Young, of California, recently conferred with Government authorities regarding the establishment of a farm for addicts in his home state, where drug users would be given some hard labor and furnished wholesome food instead of being treated with gradually reduced quantities of drugs. It is believed that this method would be proper for rehabilitating some classes of drug users.

(Continued next week)

Washingtonia

It is said we are about to engage in a foolish propaganda to repair the old birthplace of the father of his country George Washington, at Wakefield Westmoreland county Virginia. All these years the citizens of this nation have felt satisfied to let well enough alone and not expend too much for recapitulation of ancient shrines connected with our early forefathers such as Washington, Franklin, Jefferson and Patrick Henry. It is proposed to expend $12,600 in fixing up the ancient birthplace of Washington which has evidently been neglected (so some seem to think.)

It is proposed to enlist the aid of archaeologists and architects in an effort to determine the exact location of the Washington homes Study has revealed that John Washington, great grand father of George Washington built two homes there One is believed to have stood on a little knoll overlooking the Potomac. It was not as elaborate a mansion as Stratford, seven miles south on the Potomac, the home of the Lee family.

Here John Washington, who was a Colonel and member of the House of Burgesses, lived for some years until his first wife died. Shortly afterward he married Ann daughter of Thomas Pope, who gave name to Popes Creek, which is a mile south of wakefield,

The Second house was on Popes Creek, where John's children grew up. In the years that followed the place came into the hands of Augustine Washington.

Augustine first married Jane Butler by whom he had three sons and a daughter. His second wife was Mary Ball, to whom he was married in 1730. By her he had six children. The first born was George.

According to the old style calendars George Washington was born February 11, 1732. In 1815 the first monumental stone to the memory of Washington was laid at Wakefield to mark the birthplace. The stone bore the words, "Here, the 11th of February, '1732, George Washington was born." Little care was taken of it and it cracked from the effects of the elements. The place was desolate amid the ruins of the old house.

Wakefield was, during the Revolution, known as "The Athens of America," because the great number of distinguished men that it gave to the country. Congress in 1881 appropriated money to erect a monument to mark the birthplace of George Washington. The monument was completed in 1896 and it still stands.

Cow Testing Associaton Records Are Accurate

Yearly milk and butterfat production as determined in cow testing associations by weighing and testing one day's production each month is accurate within a small percent, says the United States Department of Agriculture. To determine the accuracy of the cow testing association method of calculating yearly production, the department made a study of the actual yearly production records of 70 cows of the Minnesota Experiment Station. These Minnesota records gave the production of milk and butterfat for each milking throughout the year.

By systematically picking out the weights and tests for one day each month as they would have been obtained by cow testing association methods and thus calculating the yearly production it was found that the association method was accurate within 2 percent on milk production and within 3 percent on production of butterfat.

A tabulation was also made of 100 yearly individual cow records from the department farm at Beltsville, Md. These records gave only the milk production night and morning of each day in the year. A yearly total, calculated from one day's record each month, when compared with the actual milk production showed an accuracy within 1.99 percent. These comparisons indicate that method used in cow testing association work gives a very accurate record of production.

He Is Optimistic

W. D. Jamieson, a Democratic lawyer in Washington, D. C., is authority for the following statement which for a Democrat we should calculate was going some. If he means it he can't be a real inside politician of the party, or else Democracy has somehow get metamorpuosed in the last two years. This is how he hits it up;

"Speaking about prohibition—it's about the liveliest thing in politics to-day, so far as the general interest is concerned—no matter whether you are for prohibition or the Volstead Act or not, you can just make up your mind it is here to stay. Aside from the women, and the moral forces with them, Business is for prohibition, and Business is following its habit of running things. Coolidge, who minds big business is going after the enforcement of prohibition because Bnsiness says so. Business gets a better class of work done in its shops because of prohibition, and Business makes more money than without prohibition, Ergo. Was asking one of the prominent lawyers of the country the other day who financed the Anti-Saloon League and he said Judge Gary, of U. S. Steel, young Rockafeller and other big business men—they need it in their business."

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

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Every one knows that money alone cannot make good dishes, however good the raw material may be.

SOMETHING GOOD

A choice chicken salad which will be cherished in any family is the following:

Radio Chicken Salad.—Take four pounds of chicken, reserving one pound of the white meat for a garnish. Dice the three pounds with two pounds of diced cooked veal, one small head of cabbage chopped, two bunches of celery, one can of pimentoes, two large green peppers, six small sweet pickles, all chopped; one teaspoonful of salt and onion juice, and a pint of mayonnaise. Add the finely cut white meat (with a few roses of mayonnaise to decorate) to top of the salad.

Dutch Dish.—Add to one pound of veal or fish leftovers a quarter of a pound of bread soaked in beef extract and water or beef tea, one slice of onion chopped fine, one-fourth of a teaspoonful each of salt and cloves, three tablespoonfuls of melted butter, peel, grated from half a lemon and the well beaten yolks of three eggs. Mix well then cut and fold in the well-beaten whites and bake three-quarters of an hour.

Spinach Masked With Eggs.—Steam two quarts of well-washed spinach until tender, then drain and chop fine. Season with one-half teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of butter and one cupful of medium-thick white sauce. Place the spinach in a buttered glass baking dish, cover with three hard-cooked eggs, sliced or quartered, and pour over one cupful of medium-thick white sauce. Sprinkle the top with half a cupful of grated cheese and bake in a hot oven for twelve minutes.

Beef a la Mode.—Take a thick piece from the under part of the round, let stand a day in a marinade, using half vinegar and half olive oil, a chopped onion, eight peppercorns, a bay leaf and a little chopped parsley. Baste often, turning occasionally so that every part of the meat is seasoned. When ready to cook, drain and sear on all sides in a hot kettle, then half cover with boiling water and simmer for four to seven hours. Some may like a sauce made from the marinade, thickening with flour.

Nellie Maxwell

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Seek Bankers' Advice on Foreign Bonds, Says Department of Commerce.

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"There have recently been several flagrant cases of securities being advertised in American journals at prices from 10 to 100 times the price quoted on the same date in the markets of the countries where the concerns are located. Some of these cases have even attracted the attention of foreign newspapers. This is not a safe kind of speculation for uninformed Americans, but the would-be investor can easily protect himself by asking the advice of his regular banker."

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King Tommy

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CHAPTER X—Continued

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"For entering Germany with a false passport," said Von Steinveldt, "you shall in prison forthwith enclosed be."

"Do try not to be quite so cocksure that you're always right," said Tommy. "As a matter of fact, my passport isn't false, as you call it, in any single particular. My face is oval, my nose is of normal shape, and my mouth is more or less round when open, which is just what the passport says. If you don't believe me and can't bear to look me in the face—which I can understand you don't care to do after sticking me with your marks in the way you did—just take a glance at the photo on the passport."

This apparently struck Von Steinveldt as a thing which he ought to do. He took a long look at the photograph, which indeed bore very little resemblance to Tommy. Then, instead of comparing it with Tommy's face, he rapidly turned over the pile of papers on the desk in front of him. From among them he drew out another photograph and looked carefully at it. He placed both photographs side by side and stared at them. Then, suddenly, he looked up at Tommy.

"Of what height are you?" he asked.

"Five foot, ten and a half inches, see passport," said Tommy, "forehead broad, eyes blue, nose normal, face oval. Mouth round when opened. It's all there."

For the first time during the interview Von Steinveldt smiled. It was a grim smile, with more than a suggestion of malice in it; but Tommy was glad to see a smile of any kind.

"I think," said Von Steinveldt, "that there has a mistake been."

"I've thought so all along," said Tommy.

"That d—d fool Count Casimir has this time himself a mistake made."

"I don't know that Casimir is more of a fool than any one else," said Tommy. "You made the same mistake yourself. I don't even now profess to understand what it is. But you made it. So did two of your police officers."

"But I," said Von Steinveldt, "the mistake discovered have."

"You can't take much credit for that," said Tommy. "You'd have discovered it long ago, in fact, you'd never have made it if you'd listened to me and believed what I said."

"Soon," said Von Steinveldt, "the d—d Casimir will the mistake also discover. Then you can say to him and your Lord Troyte, and to Herr Cable that another bridegroom for the fair Calypso arranged has been."

He sat up straight in his chair, pulled his bristly white mustache and looked so pleased that Tommy began to think that he must himself be the "arranged" bridegroom. The thought of Calypso being married against her will—Tommy felt certain it would be against her will—to this bristly-headed German made Tommy seriously angry.

"Do you mean to tell me," he said, "that you have the nerve to think of marrying her yourself?"

"So," said Von Steinveldt. "Her equal in birth I certainly am."

"Well, just listen to me for a minute," said Tommy. "You've swindled me with these beastly marks of yours in a way that a third-rate money-lender would have been ashamed of. You've set on nasty, slimy police officers to arrest me. You've dragged me about Berlin in a taxicab. You've kept me standing here for half an hour with nothing but your face to look at. Very well. I'm not going to ask for compensation, though I ought to get it. I'm not even going to demand an apology, though if you had as much decent feeling as a Hottentot you'd apologize without being asked. But I'll just tell you one thing before I go. I mean to marry Calypso myself."

Von Steinveldt was genuinely astonished. He had been brought up to regard royal persons of all kinds and members of aristocracies as sacred. A pastor—he now quite believed that Tommy was a curate—belongs to the rank of the bourgeoisie, is burgerlich. For such a one to marry—

"But she is a princess," he said.

"I don't know anything about that," said Tommy, "but whether she is or not, I mean to marry her if she will have me. And I may say that if it's a choice between you and me, I expect to have the better chance."

"So, Herr Pastor," said Von Steinveldt.

He had sufficiently recovered from his first surprise to realize that Tommy's threat was absurd. No princess could possibly marry a curate. Such a thing would be worse than a wave of Bolshevism. Central European society would be shaken to its foundations. Wladislaws, as Von Steinveldt knew, was a disreputable wreck of a king. Calypso was highly unconventional in her manner of life. But even they could not contemplate an alliance with a curate. The sneer on Von Steinveldt's face became quite unmistakable.

"Ach so, Herr English pastor," he said.

"And even if she won't marry me," said Tommy, "and I mean to have a pretty good try at persuading her, I feel pretty certain she won't marry you. No girl would. Good-by. Or perhaps I ought to say, 'Ach so, Herr Bridegroom arranged.'"

CHAPTER XI

It was at half past ten that Casimir entered the Adlon hotel the morning after the party at the Mascotte. He did not find Tommy, who by that time had gone off to the police office. He did find Janet Church, whom he rather wished to avoid. She at once attached herself to Casimir and reminded him of his promise to arrange for her visit to Lystria.

Casimir was quite civil to her. He is the kind of man who is civil to any woman anywhere and at any time. He had a reason for treating Janet with special politeness. He believed her to be Tommy's or rather Norrey's, aunt.

"Certainly," he said. "Everything will be settled about your journey. There will be no difficulty at all. I shall get you a passport."

In talking to Janet he spoke German and was therefore able to express himself without quoting Shakespeare.

"I don't see how you can get me a passport," said Janet. "The consul here, and the passport officer, and the people at the embassy refuse to allow me to have one. If I travel at all, it must be without a passport. That's what I expect you to manage for me."

"You shall have an excellent passport," said Casimir, "a British passport, which no one will question."

"You can't get me that," said Janet. "It's impossible."

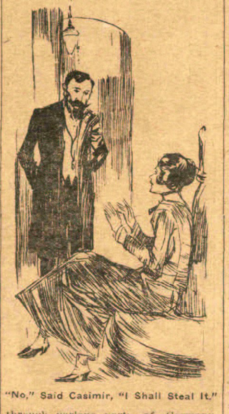
Casimir smiled indulgently.

They were sitting together near the door of the hall. A lady, middle-aged, very neatly dressed, unmistakably English, passed them, going toward the swinging door.

"That," said Casimir, "is Miss Gisborne. Miss May Gisborne. She is the secretary of Colonel Heard, who is the head of the British Graves Registration commission."

Janet looked without particular interest at Miss May Gisborne.

"In seeking for British graves," said Casimir, "Colonel Heard, who is sometimes accompanied by his wife, goes through various parts of Germany, and beyond Germany into all the countries of eastern Europe. Miss Gisborne often goes with him, in order, I suppose, to register the graves which are found. Colonel Heard has a diplomatic passport. So has Miss Gisborne. I propose that you should use Miss Gisborne's passport."



"No," Said Casimir, "I Shall Steal It."

I do not suppose that Janet Church has any particular scruples about traveling with a false passport. For the sake of a noble excuse—and what could be nobler than world peace?—she would willingly do far worse things than that. But she was startled at the cool way in which Casimir assumed that Miss Gisborne's passport would be at her disposal.

"But she isn't in the least likely to lend it to me," said Janet.

"No," said Casimir. "I shall steal it."

Even Janet shied a little at that. The word "steal" used in that way has a very nasty sound, and I suppose, as a worker in the cause of Christian unity, Janet felt herself more or less committed to the Ten Commandments.

"Steal!" said Janet. "But I couldn't agree—"

"Even Shakespeare," said Casimir, "is occasionally wrong. You recollect—?" He gave his quotation in English. "'who steals my purse steals trash; 'tis something, nothing; 'twas mine, 'tis his, and has been slave to thousands, but he that filches from me my good name robs me of that which not enriches him and makes me poor indeed.' There Shakespeare was mistaken. If I took the purse of Miss Gisborne I should make her poorer. But if I take her name, that is to say, the passport of the gracious fraulein, I do her no harm, for she gets another one at once—another passport, you understand, not another name. Whereas I make you rich in what you want. With the passport of Miss Gisborne you can travel anywhere."

I do not know whether that line of reasoning quieted Janet's scruples, or whether the joy of being able to go to Lystria smothered the cries of her conscience. She ceased to object to the stealing of the passport, and became exceedingly curious to know how it was to be done.

"That," said Casimir, "is easy. The English seldom lock up anything. In England, I suppose, it is not necessary to lock things up. No doubt all the English are so rich that they do not want to take what is not theirs. Why should they when they have all they want? So here in Berlin Colonel Heard does not lock up his own passport or Miss Gisborne's. If sometimes, by chance, he does lock them up, he always leaves the key in the pocket of the trousers he wore the day before, for the English are a truly great nation, and the English gentleman is so noble he suspects no one. He would not himself steal anything, ever. Therefore he leaves his keys in the pockets of his yesterday's trousers.

"All the same," said Janet, "he'll lock the door of his bedroom. We all do that."

"That," said Casimir, "is nothing."

Then he went on to explain to Janet how the theft was to be effected, and the explanation left her gasping.

The Countess Olga, Casimir's only sister, was at that time a housemaid in the Adlon hotel. As a housemaid she had, of course, a master key which opened all the doors on the floor on which she served. The room occupied by Colonel and Mrs. Heard and that of Miss Gisborne were under her care. She could enter them at any time she chose, stay in them as long as she chose and not excite the smallest suspicion. She was familiar with Colonel Heard's habit of leaving his keys in his trousers pockets.

The first feeling which this frank confession aroused in Janet's mind was pity for the countess. It must be a dreadful thing for a highborn lady, no doubt a delicately nurtured lady, to be reduced to earning her living as a housemaid in a hotel. Casimir explained that her pity was wasted.

"It is not for the sake of wages that Olga is a housemaid," he said. "She has money enough to live otherwise, and if she had not, I would give it to her. We Lystrian nobles are not rich, but we would not allow our sisters to earn wages as servants. No. Olga is a patriot. She is a housemaid just as I was a soldier in the war for the sake of our beloved land, ours for fifteen hundred years, now taken from us. I fought, but it was no use. Olga collects information, letters, documents, telegrams—"

"From people who leave their keys about," said Janet.

"And, if necessary, passports," said Casimir, smiling.

Janet is not, I suppose, an entirely unscrupulous woman. There are things she would not do, though very few, for the sake of a cause she had at heart. She made no further protest against the theft of Miss Gisborne's passport; but she did not want to go on talking about it. She changed the subject.

"By the way," she said, "talking of passports. That young friend of yours who was with you last night in the Mascotte—"

"Your nephew," said Casimir.

Janet recollected herself.

"My nephew, yes. I am afraid he is likely to get into trouble with his passport."

"But how?" said Casimir. "Surely in London they gave him a correct passport."

"On his passport he is described as the Reverend Thomas A. Norreys. Now, he's not that."

"He is certainly not that," said Casimir.

"I thought not."

"It was foolish," said Casimir, "to put that on his passport, and quite unnecessary."

"If the police suspect anything wrong—"

"The police will not see that passport."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Early Adding Machines

That the ancient Inca civilization in Peru possessed an adding and calculating machine has been revealed in the recent discovery by excavators of a knotted cord, or "quipl," in the ruins of a prehistoric tomb. The cord is sixteen yards long and contains 100 knots. Divided into ten unequal sections these knots represent the odd numbers from one to nineteen. The sections are of different colors, including red, brown, yellow, blue and green, and are separated by silver beads, which represent the even numbers from two to twenty. By using this simple way of counting, based on the decimal system, rapid calculations can be made.—Montreal Star.

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Saved From Death by Knowledge of Morse

Two employees of a telegraph company sent to repair a burglar alarm in a financial institution at Boston were accidentally locked in the vault. Bank employees in vain tried to open the massive door. It was equipped with a time lock which was set to open the following morning. The police, fire department and safe experts could do nothing. There was a safety device inside the vault which, if the prisoners knew about, would have released them but there seemed to be no way to make them acquainted with the fact.

Finally someone thought of the Morse telegraph code. With huge sledges the words were sounded to the imprisoned men. Then the anxious throng waited. There was no answer. Suddenly the door swung open and the two men tottered out. They had heard the message and found the lock. They were on the point of collapse after being in the air-tight compartment for an hour.

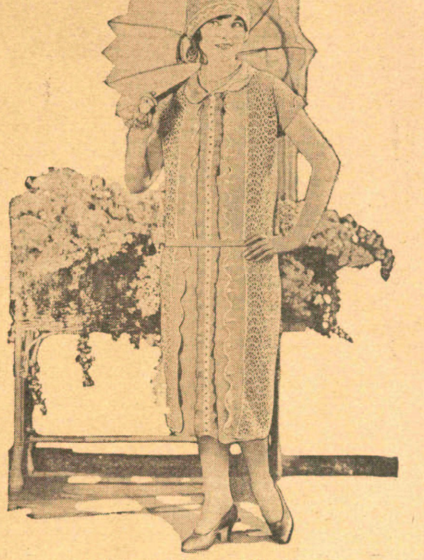
Britons Eat More Raisins

People of Great Britain are eating more raisins and the reported shortage of Smyrna and Greek crops is expected to cause the British to consume the fruit from America.

STYLES FOR LATE SUMMER; SHEER, COLORFUL LINGERIE

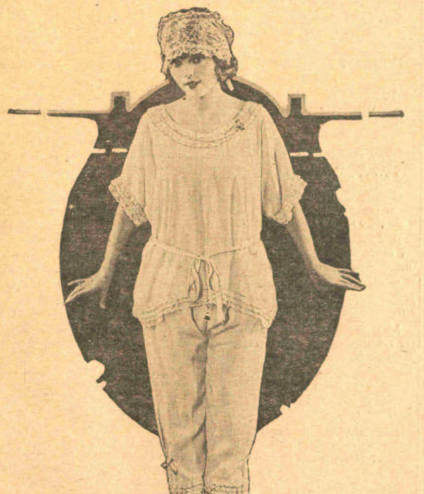
WHEN August comes leading in the burning sun of late summer, women demand clothes that are cool and comfortable—and that look all of that. In fact, they insist more upon a cool appearance than upon actual cool quality in their apparel, as witness those small, white felt or white kid hats that are popular. Felt hats are not cool, but they are soft and comfortable and light ones look cool—which combination of good points has spelled success for them.

Plain linen is a time-honored fabric that has maintained its place because



Cool Comfort Is Keynote of This Costume.

it looks cool in summer frocks, and because it launders perfectly. But openwork linen looks cool and is cool and a frock of it is presented herewith, as an ideal garment for the hottest weather. The picture shows it to be simple in design, bordered with scalloped pieces of plain linen down the front, each scallop serving to carry a pearl button and simulated buttonhole. A front panel of crepe de chine has a neck-to-hem plaiting at each side of a strip of plain linen down the front, adorned also with small pearl buttons. Plain and openwork linen in any light color, with white linen in bindings and accessories, will develop this frock successfully.



From the Fall Line of Lingerie.

The small hat of silk with sectional crown and narrow turned-up brim, is of the collapsible kind that can be folded or flattened, to put in a suitcase. The last chapter in millinery's summer story deals with the career of this bit of practical and beautiful headwear, which is so accommodating and becoming. It is as light and cool as it is pretty. As to the footwear that supports this hot weather costume, it plays its important role perfectly—white silk stockings, light brown or gray kid pumps—nothing could be more cool and comfortable.

Designers and makers of lingerie are presenting their new fall lines and it is evident that in their summery minds there is no connection whatever between cold weather and underthings. The responsibility of keeping the feminine world warm in cold weather is blithely switched over to outer garments—let sweaters, frocks, coats and heating apparatus do it, appears to be their motto. The several types of undergarments, except for athletics, concern themselves with beauty of color, daintiness of fabric, easy adjustment to the figure and a general prettiness—which last item seems to be most important of all.

For making this irresponsible but fascinating underwear, light or sheer silk and cotton fabrics are demanded and the call for colored voiles has increased. The limit of delicacy is reached in georgette crepe or chiffon and new garments made of it are shown with one color posed over another—that is, they are double. Voile is not so nearly transparent, and two colors are managed in it by using one for yokes and borders hemstitched to the body of the garment in another color; pastel shades are used and a tailored finish. But crepe de chine and ninon crepe take precedence in the minds of most women over other fabrics and new rivals of these old favorites find it hard to dislodge them. The laces most used for trimming are filet, alencon and val, with embroidered net and net footing in their company.

The picture given here shows a pajama set made of flesh-colored crepe de chine and trimmed with frills of cream-colored val lace. A narrow ribbon girdle and little chiffon rosebuds at the neck finish it. It has the popular slip-on jacket and is a model that may be developed in radium silk, soisette, wash satin, checked nainsook or cotton crepes.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Formal Riding Hat

The derby is still the formal riding hat and usually is made in hatter's plush, felt or velvet. The tricorn type, which is less formal, enjoys widest popularity among the devotees of the cross-saddle.

New Versions of the Choker

The newest choker is a two-strand affair, each strand composed of smoke and flesh-colored pearls arranged in half-and-half effect.

Little Velvet Hats

Descat, Agnes and Reboux, it is said, will introduce little hats of velvet in vivid colors ornamented by intricate stitching, and hats of similar type are shown by Cora Marson.

Flowers for the Lapel

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Mining Men in Alaska Make Use of Airplane

It is becoming a common occurrence for mining men to use the airplane for trips between mining camps in the interior of Alaska and also in northwestern Canada. Norman L. Wimmler, placer mining engineer of the United States bureau of mines, recently flew from Fairbanks, Alaska, to Eagle, an airline distance of about two hundred miles, in less than three hours, says Compressed Air Magazine.

Two modern airships now make regular trips out of Fairbanks—thus bringing that center within a few hours' travel of Tolovana, Kantishna, Salaha, Circle City and other mining districts on the Yukon.

Cuticura for Sore Hands.
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Shoes for Bird Dogs

As part of the equipment of bird hunters using dogs, an eastern sportsman recommends wool-lined, sole-leather boots be laced upon the four feet of the dog. "This saves many nasty briar cuts, stubble bruises and sheds sand burrs. The dog soon becomes quite willing that they should be placed upon his feet, for he realizes after his first hunt that his feet are not tender and cut up as is usual when hunting rough and weed-ladened country," says this gunner.

At the Grocer's

Grocer—"What size cabbage head, sir?" Nuwed—"About six and seven-eighths."

Some men are like phonographs—they say a great deal, but never say anything original.

The Way of Authors

George Doran, the publisher, cracked a joke about authors at a farewell dinner that was given him in New York on the occasion of his departure for Europe.

"Authors," he said, "never think about money, and, every blessed book they write, they expect a royalty big enough to keep them from thinking about money for the rest of their born days."

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Neat Slogan

Some bright westerner has twisted a phrase into a slogan so pat that it has been adopted by an Oklahoma farmers' organization. The slogan is one we commend to gardeners everywhere: "Weed 'em and reap."—Boston Transcript.

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He Does And He Don't

Editor Dwight Blackmer of the Memphis Bee arises to remark as follows:

"Yes, we expected we would be accused of owning the thing and such is the case. No, that ancient Ford that is parked daily on the front porch of the Bee Office is not our property but we find it there every morning when we come to work. We are certainly not guilty. Now if it were a Buick, Lincoln or Packard but,—oh well, what's the use?"

Evidently Editor Blackmer has done something he shouldn't, or he has contracted the dangerous malady automobilitis which is sure death to any man unless he happens to be a millionaire. Now what else would you make from his remarks? Has he or has he not? We'll bet Bro. Blackmer has fell for it—and it's too bad since never before has he strayed from the straight and narrow path of propriety.

That's just the way it takes a man—all at once and he becomes raving within a few hours. Seeing he has waited so long Brother Blackmer could just as well put it off a few short years more and then invested in a "flivver aeroplane" and enjoyed himself. Now he has gone and did it—and of course as everybody knows, it is impossible to wear out a Henry so what's he going to do when he follows the styles?

Death of Rev. Churchill

Rev. Churchill of Pontiac, formerly pastor of the Baptist church in this village, passed away at the home of his daughter Mrs. Hampton, Sunday, August 9, at the ripe age of 80 years. He had been in poor health for some time but his last illness was of short duration. He served the Baptist church here about 20 years ago. Rev. Ketcham of the First Baptist church officiated at the funeral at Pontiac.

Rev. Churchill was born at Moose River, Maine, Feb. 2, 1845. He married Lydia E. Pratt of Emden Maine Jan. 13, 1870, She died in 1915. In the fall of 1872 he came to Michigan where for several years he taught in the public schools. In 1878 he entered the ministry and had several pastorates, the last one being at Carson City 7 years ago. He has held pastorates in Ohio, Illinois; and in Michigan at Rochester Clinton and Cedar Springs, North Adams and other points. He was a veteran of the Civil War, a member of the G. A. R. and the Maccabees, and a keen bible student.

He is survived by five daughters, Mrs. M. H. Huntwork; Miss Lula Churchill; Mrs. L. P. Hampton; Mrs Geo. Higdon and Mrs. W. Pittman of California and 18 grand-children

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jerome

Bert Hall of Hillsdale was in town Monday.

I. W. Wertenberger and family were in Jackson Saturday.

Lillian Moore of Jackson is spending the week at the home of R. R. Frantz and family.

Murl Morehead and wife entertained Chas Potter and family and Mr. and Mrs. Palmerton, of Toledo Sunday.

Dorothy Linsday has been visiting her sisters Mrs. Glenn Marriott at Osseo and Mrs. R. L. Talmage in Hillsdale.

Garfield Sawdey and wife and Elmer Ward called on J. Burke and wife at Manitou beach Wednesday evening.

Walter and Benjamin Bruen of Buffalo N. Y. have been visiting their sister Mrs. Robert Frantz. The Bruens have also been travelling in the northwest.

Medical scientists say that men between 48 and 52 years of age are hard to manage because they may be afflicted with nervous ills between those ages. But after a fellow is 52 they say that he is very easy to handle. Well men are only grown up babies anyway and ought to be humored once in a while.

John S. Kinta and son George of Toledo who are magicians of the amateur type presented a program at the church Sunday evening which would have done credit to professionals. The band supervised by Ira Wertenberger assisted in the program while Mrs. Wm Anson and Bessie VanAllen furnished vocal music. About $35 were cleared. On Sunday evening, a choir of 25 voices from the Horton churches carried off the high honors. Charles Reynolds is the director while the other members are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Eddy, LaVerne Hatch and wife, Harley Voorhees and wife, Wm Richardson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Tripp, Mr. Green, Mr. Schuyler, Harlow Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Leon Mitchell, Mrs. Anson, Mrs. Laughlin, Mrs. Crosswaite, Mrs. Velma Strait, Mrs. Marion Worth and Helen Hatch. All of the people who took part in the programs donated their services.

Jonesville

Mrs. Geo B. Clark is visiting her parents in Jackson.

Mrs. Frank Tiffany of Jackson is visiting friends here.

Harry Godfrey and family are spending the week in Cleveland.

The M. E. Sunday school picnic was held Tuesday at Wilson's Lake

Frank E. Howland expects to leave for Florida sometime this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Garrett Walcott and Catherine Riggs spent Sunday in Ypsilanti.

The residence of Dr. W. M. Ditmars is being improved by building a fine new porch.

Clara Jacobs of Toledo is visiting her sister Mrs. Fred Curtiss and other relatives here.

George Godfrey has purchased a lot at Lake Wilson and will build a cottage in the near future.

R. M. Powers, wife and daughter Mary Alice spent from Friday until Tuesday at Monison Lake.

Wm Welden and wife of Chicago are here for a visit with their parents Rev. and Mrs. I. T. Welden.

Mrs. Winifred Marvin and daughter Loraine are at home from attending Summer school in Ypsilanti.

May Foote who has been in Kalamazoo for a three weeks visit returned to her home here last Saturday.

Rev. E. O. Mather and family of Lyons Mich. were visitors at the Arthur Wells home the first of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Fisk left Monday morning for a three weeks trip through Canada and the New England states.

Mrs. Winnifred Gaige of California is at the Ralph Powers home for a visit with her sister Mrs. Dingfelder.

Mrs. Frederick Wetmore and daughter Eleanor June of Scovia New York are here for a months visit at the W. M. Wetmore home on Maumee street.

Robert Curtis and Floyd Grill are away for a two weeks vacation will visit Mackinac Island and other points of interest in Northern Michigan and Wisconsin.

East Hoxie

D. W. Hoxie and wife have been visiting at F. M. Thompson's.

Dorothy Young of Jackson spent over Sunday with Grace Smith.

Mrs. Will Steveson visited Mrs. John Hicks at North Adams Tuesday.

Ruth Steveson is spending the week with Rev. Gray and wife at Mulliken.

Irene Donihue of Jackson was an over Sunday guest of her father Walter Donnihue.

F. M. Thompson and wife spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. Dick McBain and family of Moscow.

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L. O. Spratt and wife spent Sunday at Manitou.

LaVerne Cox is having his house shingled with white asphalt.

LaVerne Cox and family spent Sunday with Bert Othoudt and family.

Margray Hayhoe and Mae Anson are home from attending State Normal at Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Will Smith and daughter Grace were in Jonesville having dental work done Wednesday.

Sunday callers at the Chas Cox home were Glenn Baker and family and George Oaks and wife of Jackson.

Mrs. LaVerne Cox expects to leave Thursday for Coldwater where she will assist in caring for her sister who is very ill.

Corwin Cox and wife, Mrs. George Oaks and Mrs. Chas Cox and sons LaVerne Jr. and Chas Jr. were shoppers in Hudson Tuesday.

Floyd Smith and wife of Detroit took Sunday dinner with his parents Will Smith and wife. Mrs. Floyd Smith is assisting in caring for her mother Mrs. H. Reed who is very ill at the home of her son Clifford Reed.

Center Adams

Nathan Webster and family visited at the home of his brother Clarence Webster in Ransom on Sunday.

C. M. Rockwood and wife of Hillsdale were callers at the home of Eugene McBain Monday afternoon.

Harold Gordon was at Quincy on Sunday and attended the camp meeting at Pleasant Ridge in the evening.

Harry Foust and wife were in Ann Arbor on Sunday to see their son Howard who is there for medical treatment.

Will Driscoll of Toledo and sister Mrs. Florence Davis of Clayton were callers at the John Gordon home on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Teeter of Toledo brought Bernice Keith home Sunday evening. Miss Keith has been spending some time in Toledo.

James Post and wife are visiting places of interest through the eastern states. They are making the trip by auto and expect to be gone a week or ten days.

Smith Binkley and family returned to their home at Miamisburg Ohio on Wednesday after visiting his brother Lawrence Binkley and family since Saturday.

Mrs. Alzina Foote of Jerome is spending sometime with Mrs. Addie Wyman. She was a former teacher at the Mud Lake school and will attend the reunion to be held there August 18th.

The Maple Leaf Sewing club held a picnic on the lawn at the Ambler home Monday afternoon. Members of the club with their mothers and sisters attended making a company of twenty three. A good program was given and a pot luck supper was served.

Central Moscow

Mrs. Lee Kies visited Mrs. John Adams Monday.

Mrs. Len Dewey's grandmother visited her Tuesday.

Mrs. L. L. Sloan visited in Wheatland Saturday last.

George Brayton and wife were in Jonesville one day last week on business.

Howard Adams and family visited his parents John Adams and wife Sunday.

John Crapser and family attended the Crapser reunion at Farewell Lake Sunday.

Mrs. John Adams and granddaughter Ruth VanCamp returned home from a visit of two weeks with her son Vern at Pontiac.

Mrs. Frank Wiswasser and Bergel and Victor visited Mrs. John Adams Friday last.

Allen Kies and wife were home Sunday to visit his parents Chas Kies and family.

Fred Brooks and wife and her sister and family of Lawton were at Moscow Sunday.

Andrew Richards and family were in Hillsdale Saturday to attend the Richards reunion at Orin Stone's.

Mrs. John Adams was in North Adams to see her sick grandchild Herbert Sturdevant who has been very ill.

E. S. Northrup and wife of Reading visited Rex Northrup and family last week and William Wilson and wife of Detroit were Sunday guests at the same place.

In Memoriam

The remains of William Jackson of Brookline, Massachusetts arrived in North Adams on Saturday last, Short services were conducted at Young's undertaking parlors at 2:00 p. m. by Rev. E. O. Mather of Lyons Michigan.

William Wallace Jackson youngest son of Cyrus and Marietta Jackson, was born May 19, 1870, on the Jackson farm east of North Adams Mich., and passed on at the Christian Science Sanitorium at Boston, Mass., August 4, 1925. He was united in marriage to Miss Cressie Worth at Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1910.

His early life was spent near and in North Adams, attended school at North Adams high and in business life became a locomotive engineer until associated with insurance and became superintendent of the Railroad Department with The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co. of California with offices at Cincinnati, and later at Richmond, Va., and Boston Mass.

He was always of a cheerful mind with the ability to make and keep friends, always kind and very generous to those about him, who will remember him in kindness and love. He became a member of the Christian Science church and was a devoted follower, and always an inspiration to those around him, even to the very last day—always hopeful and never complaining.

Science services were held at the Chapel at Boston, many friends being present. Remains were brought panied to North Adams for burial, accompanied by his wife and C. M. Bross of Washington, D. C.

The interment took place in the family lot in North Adams cemetery with beautiful services under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge of which he was a member; he was also a member of Cincinnati Shrine and Elks Lodge 5.

He is survived by his wife Mrs. Cressie M. Jackson, a nephew, Carrel A. Bross of Seattle, Washington and a half sister, Mrs. Edna Collins of Jackson, Michigan, a number of relatives and a multitude of friends to mourn his death.

Notice To Hunters

Game wardens in this vicinity wish to call your attention to an error which was made in the printing of the game law for this state. It should have mentioned that four male Pheasants is the limit to any one hunter for the entire season. No more must be taken under heavy penalties.

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Rock Family Reunion

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rock on Sunday, August 9, occured the reunion of the family and forty were present to partake of the bounteous dinner and enjoy the social features of the hour. The company consisted of Fred Rock and family, Ed and Charles Rock and families, all of Toledo, Carl A. Rock and family of Jonesville Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Rock and Mr. and Mrs. George Rock and Claude Reed and families.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

North Adams, Aug. 11, 1925

Meeting called to order by President Wolcott; trustees present Eggleston, Carney, Mercer and Fry. absent Baker and Taylor.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the several bills be allowed and orders drawn as follows:

L. V. Harvey postals, pntg.	$ 8 97
South Mich. light power	217 80
J. W. Losey work on sign	1 96
Ray Walters, trip to Hillsdale	2 00

Following were paid in July:

Harley Fry, team work	$ 5 10
A. J. Hoffman, drg cinders	6 00
L. V. Harvey, postals, ptg.	5 50
J. W. Losey, work on streets	15 88
South. Mich. light and pow.	209 55
Graves & Ford LumberCo cmt	3 00
Will Frederick, serv switching	26 90

Motion made by Trustee Eggleston and seconded by Trustee Carney that the village of North Adams permit the Southern Michigan Light & Power Company to furnish a power rate to F. I. Williams & Son and any others who desire such rate, with electric current at the rate of $1.00 per month per horse power, and 4c per kilowatt over and above the horse power rate, further said Southern Michigan Light and Power Co. to stand all losses from transformers and expense incidental to the installation of power equipment during the life of the contract between said Village of North Adams and Southern Michigan Light and Power Company.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the meeting stand adjourned sine die. H. A. Williams
Village Clerk

The three young ladies, Ethel Bohn, Pauline Wells and Genevieve Roberts have returned from summer school at Kalamazoo. The Roberts girl will teach in the Pease district, Miss Wells in the J. L. Buck and Miss Bohn don't yet know whether it's teach or be taught.

—Made-to-Measure Suits and Overcoats guaranteed to fit made by "Golden Rule Nash" sold by Frank Dunnavan, agent for Hillsdale county. At North Adams every six weeks. 44tf
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Week-end Special for
Friday, Saturday and Monday

6½ Pound Box Crackers special 89c
Two pounds Ginger snaps 25c
Macaroni 2 lbs special 25c
El Vampirio Fly Powder, 3 pkgs. 25c
50c Broom Each 43c
$3.75 Men's Dress Pants $2.89
$1.00 Naco Corsets each 79c
50c Milk of Magnesia Tooth Paste 39c
25c Tooth Paste Milk of Magnesia 19c
25c and 30c Ginghams special, per yard 22c
$1.65 Men's Overshoes per pair $1.43
35c Organdies per yard 23c

20 per cent off on all Curtain Goods

Clyde S. Wertz

FARM
LOANS

George B. Smith will call at your farm on request to the editor of the Advocate.

Coolidge Plans Another Big Tax Reduction. Do You Want to Help or Hinder?

There is a geueral feeling that Coolidge and the administration are doing mighty well—that things are RIGHT with the country.

Do you want Coolidge to go ahead and do you want to KEEP things right with the country?

Answer with your vote for Congressman August 18th

A Republican Cong;essman will help Coolidge. A Democratic Congressman will hinder him. In this Republican district your FAILURE TO VOTE may be half a vote for the Democrat.

The margin of Coolidge support in Congress is close, Democrat2c national leaders are in this district now, saying that with a light vote they have a chance to elect their man—and that they have a chance to set up a majority against Coolidge in the lower house of Congress.

What do YOU say?

Joseph L. Hooper, Republican nominee for Congress, is a brilliant, experienced, clear thinking Republican who stands with Coolidge and for Congress,

The election is Tuesday, August 18th. SAY IT AT THE POLLS.

Hooper for Congress and
HOOPER FOR COOLIDGE

Special Congressional Election August 18

HOOPER FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE

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Will Pay Cash for Good Cream
North Adams, :: Michigan

Benge's Shoe Store
Has been Closed Out

We invite the Public to Come in and inspect our up-to-date Grocery Stock, and we can supply your table with the best cuts of Meat.

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Special Prices on
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Ford Overland Chevrolet $12.95 exchange
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25 per Cent DISCOUNT
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This discount will give you a chance to secure various patterns while they last, cheap.
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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

Helen Sheldon of Flint is visiting her friend, Frances Overley.

Will Driscoll, son of George Driscoll, was calling on friends in town this week.

Dr. McFarland attended a medical meeting in Coldwater on Friday evening.

E. C. Williams and wife were business callers in Detroit Saturday evening.

Mrs. Cora Pruyne and daughter Marion of Quincy were Friday visitors at the Carrel home.

C. H. Kempton and wife of Hillsdale were guests of Beecher Speer and family Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Stoner of Adrian were Sunday guests of her parents, C. J. Knapp and wife.

Mrs. Frank Holcomb, Mrs. C. W. Bleech, Mrs. B. A. Losey, Mrs. B. I. Lynch and Donna Lynch spent Saturday in Jackson.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will hold an ice cream social on Cleve Craters lawn Saturday evening August 22nd.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel spent Tuesday in Fayette Ohio where they attended the funeral services of his brother Frank G. Carrel.

The Misses Isabel and Frances Sears left on Wednesday for Sycamore, Illinois, to spend several days visiting their brother, Lucius Sears and family.

Jay Boone of Jackson and Toledo was a guest of his parents, Frank Boone and wife, west of town this week. Mr. Boone expects to return to Jackson to work.

C. J. Alpaugh and family and O. E. Hammond and family of Jefferson and Isabel and Frances Sears of Hillsdale were guests on Sunday of their mother, Mrs. May Sears,

Robert Overley and family with their guests. Mrs. Overley's parenets, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Maze of Chicago, Ill., motored to Pontiac to visit relatives over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward (nee Charlotte Bowditch) of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowditch, and daughter, Caroline of Allen spent Sunday at the home of Beecher Speer and family.

B. A. Losey and wife of Toledo spent last week visiting B. I. Lynch and family and J. W. Losey and wife. A picnic supper was held at Wilson Lake on Tuesday in their honor with 21 in attendance.

The S. P. I. class of the M. E. church will hold the August meeting on Friday the 28th at the home of Mrs. R. C. Young, A feature of the afternoon entertainment will be a "White Elephant" Exchange. Potluck supper.

The Nethaway district held their annual reunion on Thursday, August 20th at the school house with about 65 present and a nice programme. Pot-luck dinner was served at noon and Mrs. Frank Sears elected president of the association.

Mrs. Charles Carney and daughter Patricia Ann of Pawhuska Oklahoma who are visiting among Michigan relatives spent Tuesday with Mr. Carney's parents Darwin Carney and wife. Mrs. Carney will be remembered as Miss Rose Anton a visiting nurse in the village and vicinity.

The annual reunion of the patrons, teachers and pupils of the Knowles district was held on Thursday with an attendance ef about 80. Pot-luck dinner and a short program were features of the day. A splendid social time was the outcome. Hubert Haight of Detroit and Alma Kies Taylor of Florida were present. also B. E. Kies of Bankers. At the business meeting officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Pres., Jay Knowles: sec., D. B. Shepard; treas., Harve Shepard

S. E. Driscoll of Ypsilanti spent some time this week at his old home in Center Adams and attended the annual Home Coming of the Mud Lake district where his youthful instruction was received. Mr. Driscoll reports to us that it has been indeed a long time since he has had as pleasant a day as on Tuesday visiting with old friends and acquaintances. He notes with regret many changes among faces and places but says it does the heart good to get back occasionally. He is at present a resident of Ypsilanti where he is the whole works of a firm known as Maxwell M. Hite and son Auctioneers and is engaged in selling small fruit farms in the suburbs. A large tract has already been disposed of to speculators which the company guarantees to furnish all set out with apples, pears cherries, and other small fruit. Mr. Driscoll reports a prosperous business.

Ralph Wolcott of Detroit was home last Sunday from his work.

Clyde S. Wertz has a change of ad in this issue. Read his prices

William Hard of Jackson is the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Owens, this week.

Leland Foster of Lansing was home over Sunday, having attended the Burger family reunion.

Roy Johnston an employee of the Peninsular Cement Co. at Cement City, was home for Sunday.

Class of 1912 Picnic

The class of 1912 of the North Adams High School held their annual reunion at Farewell Lake on Sunday, August 9th. Members of the class and their families present were: Howard Williams: Rena Knowles; Gurn Baker, Hazel Dryer Baker; Inez Sears Alpaugh of North Adams; Gila Baker of Addison; Emmet Denning of Toledo: Leland Foster of Lansing and Julia Barker Moore of Detroit. A pot-luck dinner was served at noon.

Guests were Ross Scrivens and family, Wilbur Blackmer, Ervie Raymond and family of Jackson, Percy Owens and family, Mrs. Minnie Barker of Detroit, Glen Baker and family.

Distressing Auto Accident

On Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock an accident took place on the gravel road east of North Addams corporation when a Star car driven by Sam Colif, representing the Bertsch Shoe Company of Grand Rapids, collided with the rear of the heavy road grader, The car suffered several contusions of its front had the left hand side frame piece bent almost double, the spring ruined, radiator torn loose and hood damaged. Miss Edith Westcott who was riding with Colif had her head rammed through the windshield and she was quite badly cut by flying glass. Sam was not injured beyond a severe shaking up.

Mr. Bob Trumbull who was driving the grader was thrown into the top by the impact and would have landed in the road but for the same and the grader's heavy rear bumper was considerably bent. Sam's car is covered by insurance but whether Sam himself is covered we did not learn. Miss Westcott was covered —with blood, and was taken to Dr. McFarland's office and had her wounds dressed. No serious results are anticipated. Excessive road dust and considerable speed is given as the cause.

Marriage of Miss Vera Crapser

Friends are in receipt of announcements stating that Miss Vera Crapser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orson Crapser of Moscow township was united in marriage to DeWitt B. Sawyer of Addison at the Methodist church in Addison on Saturday afternoon. August 15th by Revs. James and Gordon, the beautiful ring ceremony being used.

The ceremony was solemnized in the presence of a few immediate relatives. The bride has always resided in Moscow township and graduated from the North Adams High School in 1921, and for the past two years has been the efficient teacher in the Knowles district, the home school.

The groom is also a teacher, having graduated from the Addison High School with the class of 1922 and later he became a student at the State Normal at Ypsilanti and the Ferris Institute at Big Rapids. They have a host of friends in the community who wish them a long prosperous voyage through life.

Directly after the ceremony the couple left for Niagara Falls and Rochester, New York, to visit relatives, and a trip up the Great Lakes to Northern Michigan. Upon returning they will be at home for the present in West Moscow where the groom will teach the coming season.

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Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methotdist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

The church will hold its regular services Sunday.

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will speak on the theme, "Impressions and Expressions". A large crowd is hoped for after our vacation period. Come! Let us start in where we left off August 2nd and make the rest of this year count.

Sunday school immediately following the church services.

Wanted

Plain Sewing, Tatting and Crocheting. Mrs. C. J. Alpaugh
10t3 North Adams, Mich.

For Sale—Single open buggy in good shape. A. C. Haight
Phone 720 North Adams 11t3

—Ruby Sewing Machine for sale as good as new. Drop head. Same attachments as used by New Home sewing machine. Price reasonable
Martin VanTassel
Jerome, Michigan 11t3

Wanted—A man to work on the farm for a few days at team work. Anyone wishing this work notify Fred Rock. North Adams Mich. 12t3

Barn for sale—Size 26x30. Graves and Ford. North Adams Mich. 12t3

Lester Daniels and family, Mrs Addie Schilling and George Holcomb and wife went to Ohio on Friday to attend the funeral of Stanbury Schilling, a brother of Mesdames Holcomb and Daniels.

Mud Lake School Reunion

The Reunion of the Mud Lake school was a rousing success.

About 180 people gathered on the shady lawn of Mud Lake school on Tuesday to help make the day a success.

There were nine old time pupils present, who attended school there during the year of 1860-61, viz: Mrs. Julia Gregory Straw of Adrian Eliza Post Williams and Hattie Bagley Kempton of North Adams, Willard Wyman and Albert Edwards of Hillsdale and Israel Post, Will Sabin, and Melise Welper of Center Adams.

The oldest teacher present was Mrs. Alzina Lane Foote of Jerome who taught here fifty five years ago and she had the pleasure of meeting eight of her pupils at this time.

A bountiful potluck dinner was served at noon, and an interesting program was given.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected for 1926. President, J. I. Post, Secretary Mrs. Alice Williams, Ass't, Secretary, Mrs. Sadie Gray, Treasurer, C. N. Williams. People were present from Toledo, Adrian, Milan, Battle Creek, Ypsilanti, Clayton, Hillsdale Bankers, Allen, Jerome, North Adams.

Rev. M. D. Carrel received the sad news Sunday of the death of his brother Frank G. Carrel of Chicago which occurred at the Coldwater Hospital early Sunday morning. Mr. Carrel with his daughter and family have been camping at Mattison Lake near Bronson this summer and but a few days ago were guests for a time of his brother Rev. and Mrs. Carrel here. On Tuesday last the family started for Fayette Ohio, Mr. Carrel's old home. Near Allen their car struck loose gravel, darted across a ditch and hit a tree. The force of the impact threw Mr. Carrel who was riding in the back seat, backward with great force. He was rushed to the Coldwater Hospital where an X ray examination showed two vertebraes of the neck dislocated and three ribs broken. The other occupants of the car escaped with minor bruises. The car in which they were riding, a Willis St. Clair sedan was badly damaged. Mr. Carrel is survived by three sons, Morton D. of New York City; Gray of Ferguson Missouri; Guy of Western Springs Illinois, and two daughters, Mrs. Olney Dean of Western Springs and Miss Carrie Carrel of Chicago and two brothers, Morton D. of this village and Moses O. of Cleveland Ohio. The body was taken to Fayette Ohio on Tuesday, where funeral services were held at the M. E. church of which Mr. Carrel was formerly a member and burial took place in the beautiful Fayette cemetery beside his wife who passed away several years ago. Deceased was 74 years of age and was born in Hillsdale.

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Winterproof Roofs
It takes a roof of real quality to live through many winters of the sort enjoyed along our northern border. From December to March these roofs are subjected to high winds, snow, sleet, hail, with an occasional thaw to make matters worse.
It is for this reason that so many homes in this section are covered with Ruberoid Shingles and Roofing. The illustrations above—taken from actual photographs—especially the close-up of the dormer, show what these roofs have to put up with. Yet Ruberoid Shingles and Roofing thrive under just such punishment.
On many a building there are Ruberoid Roofs, 20, 25, and 30 years old with the limit of their endurance still to be determined. They have withstood the wear and tear of the elements in all parts of the world—in the Tropics and beyond the Arctic Circle.
Among the Ruberoid Products there is one which will fully meet your requirements, whether it be for a twenty-room residence or a three-room bungalow, a schoolhouse or a factory, a church or a theatre.
Come in or phone us today for samples and descriptive folders.
There is but one Ruberoid. Look for the Man on the Label.
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SUFFERED AFTER BIRTH OF BABY

Trouble Caused by Getting Up Too Soon. Relieved by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Talcville, New York.—"I thought it would interest you to know what benefit I have derived from taking your medicine. A few days after the birth of my third child I got up too quick. Then just before my fifth child was born I had inflammation of the bladder and displacement. Seeing your advertisement in a Liverpool (England) paper I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and that was the best confinement I had. Whenever I feel rundown I always take the Vegetable Compound as a tonic. We have just removed from Brockville (Canada) so I was pleased when the store ordered the medicine for me and I got it today. I would not be without it for any price and I recommend it to ladies around here because I feel so sure it will benefit any woman who takes it."—Mrs. AGNES WIGNALL, Talcville, New York.

Women can depend upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve them from ills peculiar to their sex. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Country's Manufactures

The last biennial census of manufacturers shows that in 1923 the value of the output of the United States establishments making canned products their primary or secondary business, amounted to $522,763,008. Peas, corn, tomatoes and baked beans are canned in about equal proportion, between 14,000,000 and 15,000,000 cases of each. Peaches head the canned fruits with 7,089,334 cases and raisins, the dried fruits, with 380,068,441 pounds.

For Two Score Years and Ten She Has Taken Beecham's Pills

"I was just 18 when I commenced to take Beecham's Pills. They have been of great benefit to me in relieving sick-headache, constipation, and biliousness. Next March I will be 68 years old so you see I have lived to a good old age."

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For FREE SAMPLE—write
B. F. Allen Co., 417 Canal Street, New York
Buy from your druggist in 25 and 50c boxes
For biliousness, sick headaches and constipation take

Beecham's Pills

Police Arrest Rooster

After a vicious rooster had attacked Miss Lela Hanthorn of Lansing, Mich., as she was walking on the street, the police were called and impounded it on the grounds that its size and disposition made it a public menace as well as a nuisance.

Bones discovered in sediments of volcanic ash in Townsend valley, Montana, show that tapirs and rhinoceroses once inhabited that region.

Why Risk Neglect?

Are you lame and achy; weak and nervous? Do you suffer backache, sharp pains, disturbing bladder irregularities? This condition is often due to a slowing up of the kidneys. The kidneys, you know, are constantly filtering the blood. Once they fall behind in their work, poisons accumulate and undermine one's health. Serious troubles may follow. If you have reason to suspect faulty kidney elimination, try *Doan's Pills*. *Doan's* are a tested diuretic, recommended by thousands. *Ask your neighbor!*

A Michigan Case

"Every Picture Tells a Story"

Mrs. A. Hansan, Water Street, Hart, Mich., says: "Sharp pains took me across my kidneys whenever I bent over. Mornings my back was stiff and lame. I had rheumatic pains through my limbs, too. I was tired and nervous and dizzy spells came on, too. My kidneys were disordered and acted too often. After using Doan's Pills, I was soon rid of the trouble."

DOAN'S PILLS 60c

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Beauty Of Hair and Skin Preserved By Cuticura

Soap to Cleanse
Ointment to Heal

BATHE TIRED EYES
with Dr. Thompson's Eyewater
Buy at your druggist's or
169 River, Troy, N. Y. Booklet.

Dublin Dock Extension

Alexandra dock at Dublin is to be extended by 150 feet, with a depth of 35 feet to low water. The chairman of the harbor board said that it was very important that the public should know that there was accommodation in the port of Dublin for vessels of the largest draught. The sooner the work was completed the better.—Family Herald.

DON'T BROOD OVER STOMACH DISTRESS

Don't lay awake nights and feel miserable all day—there's one right way to fix up your gassy, rebellious disordered stomach in such a short time that your heart will be gladdened.

Today Dare's Mentha Pepsin is the one remedy supremely efficient where acute or chronic indigestion or gastritis is making your days and nights miserable.

Reports of its mighty power to overcome unbearable, near suffocating stomach agony have swept the land until today its sales are marvelous.

Get one bottle of this pleasant speedy acting medicine today with the distinct understanding that if it doesn't help you—your money will be returned.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Marquette—Vance Hardy, escaped Marquette Branch Prison lifer, is back in a cell. In company with two members of the State Police, Hardy was returned here and immediately was placed in a detention cell after being outfitted with prison clothes.

Monroe—That Henry Ford intends to complete a double track spur connecting the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railroad, three miles south of Maybee this year, was shown when 150 men arrived and are now quartered on a farm east of the village of Petersburg, 20 miles west of Monroe. Many of these will be engaged in erecting culverts, bridges, and laying rails.

Owosso—A delegation of Corunna avenue residents has notified the city commission that they would tear up the tracks of the Michigan Electric Railway company, on Corunna avenue, if something was not done to abate the nuisance created by dust from between the tracks. The street is paved, but not between the tracks. The commission could promise no relief.

Muskegon—The State Administrative Board has approved plans for a double highway project over Muskegon River, it became known here. Local civic bodies have been working on the plan for several months. The estimated cost is $249,527.65. The present highway, a portion of the West Michigan Pike, is too narrow to carry the increasing traffic. The new highways will be 40 feet in width.

Grand Rapids—An allowance of 2 or 3 per cent for collection of the gasoline tax is said to be desired by the Independent Oil Men's association to provide for shrinkage, and this proposal will be placed before Secretary of State Charles J. Deland. The oil men, it is stated, desire to establish definitely the plan of collecting taxes on receipts, that the checking of invoices by auditors may be facilitated.

Flint—A report charging that Glen Williams, sheriff of Genesee County, since Jan. 1, has been guilty of immoral and improper conduct in office by his associations with prisoners in his charge and by padding his expense accounts, has been signed by Circuit Judge James S. Parker, who for the last month has been sitting as a grand jury to hear charges against Williams. The report was sent to Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck.

Manistee—The Federal Government is investigating the practicability of establishing a national forest of 40,000 to 150,000 acres between the Big and Little Manistee Rivers in southeast Manistee and southwest Wexford counties, according to Charles J. Dovel, secretary of the Isaak Walton League here. An inspector recently visited this region with a view to acquiring the cut-over lands for re-forestation, it is said.

Lansing—Notice of a hearing before the interstate commerce commission to untangle the rate mix-up on freight between Toledo and Detroit has been filed before the public utilities commission. The Hanna Furnace company, a Detroit concern operating on Zug island, is the complainant. State freight traffic men believe the suit is an attempt to block rate decreases recently put into effect by Henry Ford on his Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railroad.

Negaunee—Following the recent strike of employes of the Mary Charlotte mine, workmen at the Rolling Mill Mine, south of here, walked out asking for a return of the wage scale which was in effect when the mine was shut down late last year. At the resumption of operations on May 1, a 15 per cent reduction in wages was put into effect, but the property was worked six instead of five days, a schedule now in effect at the other mines in the district.

Mt. Clemens—A proposal to increase the local tax rate from $7.50 a thousand to a sum adequate to discontinue the necessity for small bond issues to take care of public improvements, is being considered by the local business men's association, which plans to have the project submitted to the voters at a special election. A resolution was adopted by the association urging the Grand Trunk railroad to put on a sleeping car service between Mt. Clemens and New York and Chicago.

Port Huron—Officials of the Detroit United Railway, which owns the City Electric Railway Co., has requested permission of the city commission to increase street car fares here to meet the existing deficit. The railway officials said that they would improve the service and repair streets between the rails if granted a temporary fare increase of seven cents for straight fares, four tickets for 25 cents and 17 tickets for $1, and 10-cent straight fares on buses. The city commission took the request under advisement.

Manistique—Mrs. Mary Labrasseur, of this city, was picking berries on the plains north of the city when she became tired and looked about for a stump on which to sit and rest. A short distance away she saw what appeared to be a good sized stump. Looking at it more closely she found that she had almost sat down on a live bear, just awakening from its slumbers. With a shriek she leaped from her seat. The bear raised itself, blinked its eyes, stretched out its paws, and then lumbered rapidly away in the opposite direction.

Ann Arbor—Jesse Lynch Williams, graduate of Princeton and a journalist and novelist of note, will hold the Michigan Fellowship in Creative Art, it is announced by University of Michigan officials. He will spend most of the coming college year in Ann Arbor, occupying the place formerly held by Robert Frost and later by Robert Bridges, poet laureate of England. Mr. Williams is the author of the first version of "Why Marry," which won the Pulitzer prize for the best American play of the year. He was president of the Author's League.

Caro—William Ward, 65 years old, a pioneer of Tuscola county, is dead at his farm home near Millington from injuries suffered when he was gored by a bull which he was leading. He leaves his widow and five children.

Port Huron—Many farmers in the Thumb district, warned by recent hail storms, which have done thousands of dollars of damage in a limited area, are hastening to take out hail insurance on their crops, especially beans.

Allegan—The Allegan Postoffice was robbed and approximately $800 was taken from one of the safes. Entrance was effected through a basement window and two other doors were jimmied before the main floor was reached.

Albion—The Calhoun County Highway Commission at its regular weekly meeting decided to purchase gasoline in the wholesale market. It is estimated that a saving of 3 1-2 cents a gallon will be the result, with a saving of about $210 a month.

Grand Rapids—At a recent election the village of East Grand Rapids annexed 485 acres of Paris Township lying south of the present village limits. Although the township voted 36 to 18 against the annexation, the favorable majority in the village overcame the township vote.

Marcellus—The life of James Stevens, a farmer of Violina township, Cass county, was saved by his dog, which gave battle to a bull that had attacked Stevens, hurled him to the ground and was goring him. Stevens was injured severely. Neighbors, who owned the bull, shot the animal.

Grand Rapids—County jail prisoners will be employed by City Manager Fred H. Locke to remove shrubs and weeds growing luxuriously in the bed of Grand River, north of the Bridge street bridge. The low water period a month ago permitted the weeds to virtually cover the river bed.

Mt. Pleasant—A log cabin will soon be placed on the campus of the Central Michigan Normal college as a memorial to the early settlers of central Michigan. Funds for the project have been raised by student entertainments and faculty. A cabin near Mt. Pleasant will be torn down and rebuilt on the campus in a cluster of trees.

Grayling—The state of Michigan is to receive a gift valued at more than $500,000 in the form of World War trophies to be distributed to the various legion posts, military and patriotic organizations throughout the state, Lieutenant Colonel Leroy Pearson, United States property officer and quartermaster general for the state, announced here.

Ann Arbor—The Mack Trucks, Inc., of New York City, has established a fellowship in highway transport to be devoted to investigations during 1925-1926 under the direction of the division of highway engineering and highway transport at the University of Michigan, covering an approved subject relative to highway transport.

Jackson—The raid made by State Police on the home of Henry Hayden, "gentleman farmer," seven miles northeast of Jackson, has created a sensation in Jackson County. Hayden is a former mayor of Jackson, a former police commission and at one time a deputy United States marshal. He is one of the wealthiest men in central Michigan and 20 years ago had one of the finest racing stables of trotters and pacers in the country.

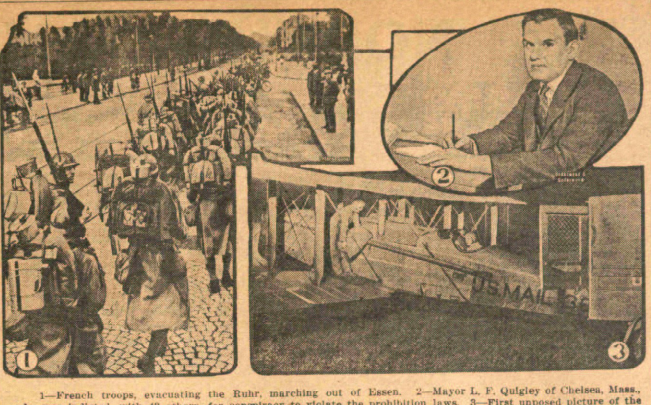
Battle Creek—While Mrs. Minnie Jones, 57 years old, watched the casket of her husband being lowered into a grave in the Marengo Township cemetery, Sheriff George Colby stepped forward and informed her that she was under arrest for the murder of the man she was mourning. William Jones, former wealthy Marengo farmer, died under suspicious circumstances. An analysis of his stomach showed traces of arsenic.

Detroit—Leo Sauerman, recently pardoned by Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck after serving two years of a life sentence for the murder of Alex Dombrowski in a highjacking raid, is in the toils again. He is accused with "Whitey" Hayes of robbing the near-beer saloon of "Buck" Porter at 2012 West Fort street. At police headquarters Sauerman gave the name of Albert Gordon, but he afterwards was recognized by a detective. He abused the officer for revealing his identity.

Ann Arbor—Gains in liberal arts, pharmacy, education and the graduate school of the summer session of the University of Michigan offset losses in the engineering, medical and law schools to allow the present school to record the highest attendance of any summer session, a total of 3,205. Liberal arts had a gain of 83 and the graduate school 72 to offset losses of 71 and 73 in the engineering and medical schools. The previous high record, set at year ago, was 3,147.

Muskegon—William R. Rumler, member of the Chicago Yacht club, his wife, three sons and two daughters were rescued here when their 38-foot yawl, Seacall, went ashore in heavy seas on Lake Michigan beach, 7 miles south of here. Hugo Kanitz, Jr., star Muskegon High school football player for the last three years, aided the Coast Guards by swimming from the stranded ship and retrieving a line when the Coast Guards, due to the heavy seas, were unable to get it aboard.

Flint—An attempt on the part of an inmate of the Michigan Home and Training school at Lapeer to wreck one or more passenger trains on the Grand Trunk Railway near Davison, was unsuccessful, when the International Flier, westbound from Port Huron to Chicago, cut in two a telephone pole that had been placed across the tracks. The train was not derailed. Henry Bush, 42 years old, an inmate of the home, found on the tracks some distance away, was arrested and confessed that he placed the poles, according to officers.



1—French troops, evacuating the Ruhr, marching out of Essen. 2—Mayor L. F. Quigley of Chelsea, Mass., who was indicted, with 43 others, for conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws. 3—First unposed picture of the night air mail, showing a plane being loaded at Hadley field, New Brunswick, N. J.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

France and Britain Agree on Reply to Germany —Crop Report of Government.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

FRANCE and Great Britain, in the persons of Foreign Minister Briand and Foreign Secretary Austen Chamberlain, have reached complete agreement as to the reply which the allies are to make to Germany's latest note on a security pact for Europe. The text will not be made public until it has been submitted to Italy, Belgium and Japan, and then delivered to Berlin. However, enough of its nature has leaked out to show that it is cordial in tone and calculated to persuade Germany of the friendly intentions of the other nations. Dealing with only a few points specifically, it suggests that the time is ripe for getting down to business, which presumably will take the form first of conversations among the ambassadors and foreign offices. It is hoped the foreign ministers can get together for the final arrangements in September, when the League of Nations is in session.

France still insists on preserving her leadership over central Europe and therefore still demands that the eastern boundaries of Germany, as well as the western, be guaranteed. This is not acceptable to Great Britain, any more than it is to Germany. France also clings to her claim to the right to send troops through Germany to help Poland in case the Poles are attacked by Russia. Germany doesn't concede this and the British are loath to insist on it.

The allies probably will insist that Germany first of all enter the League of Nations. This Berlin is willing to do only with special treatment in respect to Article 16 of the covenant. Also, the Germans will demand that they be given mandates over at least some of their former African colonies. In the reichstag last week the government was attacked for "making concessions to the whole world that fail to take into account Germany's national honor." In replying, Foreign Minister Stresemann said:

"As to our right to have colonies I can only state that the first time the question of our entering the League of Nations was debated Germany took the stand that as long as the league distributes colonies and accepts the principle that fully civilized nations have the right to control the less progressive nations, the Germans have the right to be counted among the civilized nations. On this point, too, Germany demands full equality and rights."

BARON VON MALTZAN, German ambassador to Washington, has handed to Secretary of State Kellogg the formal request of his government that the United States return the German properties seized during the war and now in the custody of the alien property custodian. The State department's reply must be that it is necessary to await the action of congress on the matter. The properties were seized by act of congress and that body stipulated that they could be disposed of only under congressional authority. Those yet retained are valued at about $300,000,000.

That Germany would make this claim was expected, but it is probable that it will reopen the whole matter of the collection of American claims on Germany for payment for damages sustained by American citizens during the war, including the Lusitania claims, and for the expenses of maintaining the American army of occupation in the Rhine country. There are many advocates of the proposition that the seized properties should be kept to liquidate these debts, in part. The entire matter is up to congress.

NEGOTIATIONS for the funding of the Belgian debt, now in progress in Washington, were not especially satisfactory last week. Each side put forward a proposition which the other side rejected, so it was necessary to seek new ground. Evidently, the two commissions were rather far apart in their views on Belgium's capacity to pay, which is the crucial point. There was still no doubt expressed that they would finally come come to an agreement. It has been decided that Belgium shall be granted a brief moratorium, but the problems of the interest rate, the annual payments on account of principal and the number of years in which the whole debt is to be retired are yet unsettled.

According to the government press of Rome, Italy hopes the total of her American debt will be made a variable sum, somewhat like the German reparations under the Dawes plan. Ambassador de Martino will soon return to Washington with the proposition that Italy is ready to pay to the limit of her capacity, but that the matter should be considered in the light of possible participation of American capital in Italian private and public industrial enterprises.

UNCLE SAM made public last week his guess at the total of crops that the American farmer will raise this year. At current prices the wheat and corn crops, as forecast, will be worth close to $4,000,000,000. The Department of Agriculture places the wheat crop at 679,000,000 bushels and that of corn at 2,956,000,000.

The 1,387,000,000 bushels of oats, at farm prices, is estimated at $416,000,000, the 214,000,000 bushels of barley at $128,000,000, and the 52,000,000 bushels of rye at $47,000,000. This would make the five grain crops at close to $4,500,000,000.

Total for the five grains—wheat, corn, rye, oats and barley—was 5,285,000,000 bushels, or 183,000,000 more than harvested last year and 67,000,000 less than suggested by the report August 1 last year.

The most striking feature in the winter wheat report is the smallness of the Kansas crop, 66,000,000 bushels, the poorest showing with three exceptions in the last 20 years. Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma combined have 121,735,000 bushels, a drop of more than 10,000,000 bushels last month and of 141,000,000 bushels from last year.

A spring wheat crop of 268,000,000 bushels decreased 13,000,000 from July and 20,000,000 from last year. Minnesota, the Dakotas, and Montana have 187,000,000 bushels, a loss of 12,000,000 from last month and 56,000,000 from last year.

A corn crop estimate of 2,956,000,000 bushels represented a loss of 139,000,000 as a result of heat and drought last month, yet the promise is 22,000,000 above the average and a gain of 519,000,000 bushels over last year. The nine big states where the surplus corn is raised have 1,995,000,000 bushels, a loss of 85,000,000 from last month and a gain of 454,000,000 compared with a year ago.

One of the big surprises of the report was the showing in oats, 1,387,000,000 bushels, or 95,000,000 bushels more than last month and compared with 1,542,000,000 bushels last year. The five-year average is 1,328,000,000 bushels.

CHICAGO and the region round about was much stirred last week by the arrest of Col. Will Gray Beach, chief narcotic agent there, and three of his aids, on charges of trafficking in drugs. This action followed close upon a raid in which Kitty Gilhooley, "queen of the dope peddlers," was arrested and a great quantity of dope seized. Later many opium joints in Chicago were raided, and there were fears that a new tong war would break out because members of one tong accused those of another tong of being informers. In the apartment of Colonel Beach were found many Oriental treasures, some radio sets and other articles of value which it was suspected he had obtained in trade for seized narcotics. He asserts they were legitimately purchased by him from addicts. It is alleged that the activities of the government agents in Chicago have smashed a dope ring that operated throughout the country, and that the subsequent revelations will involve politicians, lawyers and policemen in various cities.

ON THE northwest part of the fighting line in Morocco the French, moving northward from the Ouezzan sector, and the Spanish, moving down from the El Arish region, have effected a junction and started a joint offensive with the purpose of rolling up the right wing of Abd-el-Krim's army and pushing it toward Chechouan. This movement, according to dispatches from Fez, is going far toward destroying the power of the Riff leader, for some of the tribes have told him they will fight no longer outside of their own territory, and others have opened negotiations for peace with the French. It is announced in Paris that Marshal Petain, the defender of Verdun, is being sent to Morocco to take the supreme command there and to direct a great offensive planned for September. The army of 200,000 has been reorganized by General Naulin, commander in the field, and most of the infantry are being supplied with the new Chattellerault automatic rifles.

The revolting Druses in Syria, after killing or capturing 817 French soldiers, are now on the defensive, having been driven out of Suediah.

OFFICIALS of the United Mine Workers announce that if the government interferes with the proposed anthracite strike, the union will ask that the authorities first consider alleged wage-cutting in the soft coal fields. In the background is the implied threat to call out the bituminous coal miners.

W. W. Inglis of Scranton, chairman of the scale committee of the anthracite operators, said: "We have feared that, as in the past, the anthracite industry would become the victim of soft coal necessities. Our industry is relatively a small part of the coal industry as a whole. The mine workers' union is dominant in both hard and soft coal fields, and however it may affect the feelings of hard coal producers and consumers, they have always come in for secondary consideration whenever there has been a conflict of interests between hard and soft coal."

PARDON for Warren T. McCray, former governor of Indiana, is urged on Attorney General Sargent in a petition signed by 14 governors of states, seven of the jurors who convicted him and 30 bankers who were victims of his fraudulent transactions. Many other persons also signed the petition. McCray was sentenced to ten years in prison and has served but a year and three months. His long career of service to his state is cited in his favor.

THERE is now little doubt that John W. Weeks will soon resign his post as secretary of war because of his continued ill health. He visited President Coolidge at the White House last week, and while it was denied that he already had resigned, administration officials said there were small chance for his ever resuming his duties in the cabinet. Indeed, Mr. Weeks himself said that because of the condition of his health following his operation last spring he was doubtful whether he would be able to return to Washington this fall, and that it was possible he might not take up his cabinet work again.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE is said to be considering several men for the place of ambassador to Japan, made vacant by the death of Edgar A. Bancroft. Among those mentioned as possibilities are Frank W. Mondell, William C. Boyden, a Chicago attorney, and William M. Bullitt, who was solicitor general for a time under President Taft.

NEW YORK'S mayoralty campaign is interesting the whole country. Mayor Hylan, backed by Hearst, is out after re-election and Tammany has selected State Senator James J. Walker to oppose Hylan in the Democratic primaries. A Republican-Fusion ticket has been made up, headed by Frank D. Waterman, but W. M. Bennett, a frequent Republican candidate in the primaries, announces that he will again try to get the nomination.

MUSTAPHA KEMAL PASHA, president of Turkey, has divorced his wife, Latife Hanoum, who was one of the foremost feminists of Turkey. At the same time Kemal issued another presidential decree abolishing all the old regulations governing the dress of Turkish women.

Religious Groups Will Discuss Secular Issues

Stockholm.—Leaders in religious work from all parts of the world will attend the Universal Christian conference on life and work, which will begin August 19, and continue through August 30. The conference is unique in that, although most of the conferees are clergymen, it will discuss practical problems of everyday life.

The American delegates, numbering about 150, expect to take home information which will be distributed to churches throughout the United States, bearing upon leading questions of the day.

The program of the conference has been so arranged that certain periods will be devoted to the discussion of these topics. These discussions will be opened by the presentation of reports prepared by special commissions in the United States, Great Britain and continental Europe. The American commissions started work on their reports more than a year ago under the leadership of some of the country's most distinguished clergymen, representing all denominations.

One of the most interesting reports will be presented by the commission on "The Church and Christian Education," of which the Rev. William Adams Brown of Union Theological seminary, New York, is chairman. This topic has aroused unusual interest on account of the present movement in the United States to bring about religious education through the public school system.

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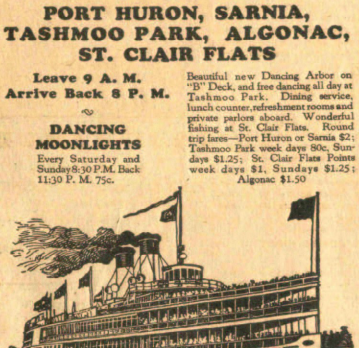

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After leaving Put-In-Bay Island the steamer sails on through the narrow channels among the delightful Lake Erie Islands to Sandusky and Cedar Point, Ohio. Cedar Point, just across the bay from Sandusky, is known as the Atlantic City of the West. With its huge hotels, electric park, magnificent bathing beach and board walk it is easily the Queen of the Great Lakes Summer resorts.

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The Final Result Shows For Itself

At the late election held on Tuesday it is evident the various elements got busy and cut up seriously with the Republican program as Mr. Carney carried Hillsdale county by a substantial majority. We imagine that conditions here were governed largely by the fact that reports have been spread concerning Mr. Hooper's stand on the temperance question. Some of the female voters became panic struck at the last moment and flew the coop, at least it looks as if they had did something of the sort.

We fail to understand why anyone who had announced their intention previously of voting for Mr Hooper should so suddenly change their mind. The condition between Primary and general election have not changed one iota no matter what is said. Mr. Hooper stands for law enforcement and always will. The results in this county do not justify the efforts of political or church workers. While Mr. Carney is no doubt sincere in his claims yet for a mere bagatelle. Mr. Hooper has been thrown down in a republican county. We sincerely believe that never before have party lines in this county been so thoroughly obliterated as in the recent election. Genuine honest-to goodness Republicans have no doubt gone to the polls and deliberately voted for Mr. Carney and a number of old-line Democrats likewise supported Mr. Hooper, so that to-day it is very hard to estimate the real Republican or Democratic strength. Perhaps the old-line parties will cease to exist and we shall have in their places a couple of pros and cons (name unknown.) If it should come to pass then the country will be better off than it was. When thinking men and women awake to the fact that there is an issue more vital than party lines, and take advantage of such conditions to rid the country of certain conditions, then we'll say the country is saved. Hoop'er for Hooper!

Put In Bay

The steamer Put In Bay, which operates daily between Detroit, Put In Bay and Sandusky, Ohio, will close the season with an excursion to these Lake Erie ports on Labor Day. Practically only two weeks remain to enjoy an all day lake and river trip on this wonderful day excursion steamer.

Put In Bay island is one of the most attractive summer resorts in the vicinity of Detroit, and is visited daily by hundreds of excursionists not only from Detroit, but from Toledo, Cleveland and Sandusky. The island offers every opportunity for a delightful day in the open. The bass fishing is especially fine at the present time; the bathing beach is one of the most attractive in the lake region, and the Pike is a source of unfailing interest. Considerable time is needed to explore the caves on the island, and of course the outstanding feature of a visit to Put In Bay is the Perry battle monument 350 feet high. A magnificent view of Lake Erie and the islands is obtained from the top of the monument.

Cedar Point, Ohio, which is reached by the steamer Put In Bay after a delightful run among the islands in Lake Erie. Huge hotels famous for their accommodations, and every entertainment feature immaginable including the seven mile bathing beach and board walk make this resort a rival of Atlantic City, and a delightful spot to spend a vacation.

The steamer Put In Bay sails from the dock at the foot of First street, Detroit every morning at 9 a. m. and returns at 8 p. m. except Friday when a longer stay is permitted at Put In Bay and Cedar Point, and the boat returns to Detroit at 10:30 p. m.

The Proposed Detroit River Bridge

It begins to look as if there were a chance for the building of a highway bridge across the Detroit river between Detroit and Windsor or some adjacent border city. For the first time since such a project has been suggested, it appears to have excited the interest of real money, although the McClintic Marshall Company has been nibbling at it as a big construction job for several years, first through Pittsburgh financial backing, and now through a New York trust company.

There are not so many international bridges where the boundary between this country and Canada is a waterway that there may not be a good deal of interest in this project, or even in the picture that is being offered at this time. The railroads have made a pretty useful highway across Canada from the Niagara frontier to the Detroit river frontier, and with the development of good roadways the motorists have become pretty well used to it as a route. The highway over the Niagara river is a well used one but even it does not lie so near a large center of population as the proposed Detroit river bridge is proposed to serve. With a million and a half people in Southeastern Michigan and another million with in easy travel distance thereof, it would seem that a highway bridge across the Detroit river would create a tremendous lane of motorist travel, which cannot fail to do two things. One of these would be a substantial increase of motor car use, which means more motor cars The other would seem to be a great sight seeing and tourist trade of much value to Southeastern Michigan, now quite off direct routes.

The engineering proposition relating to this bridge was developed a few years ago by Charles E. Fowler, an eminent bridge engineer, to be a very simple one, in connection with the project of the unlucky and ill fated Russell Scott whose recent appearances in the public eye have not been creditable It involves only enough money—in the present instance an amount stated to be 12 millions. This will have to produce at least a million and a quarter dollars a year gross to pay interest on the investment and provide operation and maintenance for the structure. At the present ferrying price across the Detroit river two and a half million crossings by individual cars will earn the income. This number is only a daily average of 7,000 crossings one way. There are that many cars passing given points in Detroit in an hour.

Ford And Flying

Be it Henry Ford or Edsel Ford who has become the "daddy" of aviation in these parts, it makes little difference. The father has given the credit to the son as the representative of an on coming rather than a going generation. But the fact that the Ford interests have taken over the Stout aviation program means that for the first time in America aviation has ample capital behind it; and capital is what it has needed all the time. Those who take an interest in the subject will recall that heretofore the resources of governments have been required to promote experiments in aviation; and so far as the resources of some governments are concerned nowadays the Fords could buy and sell half a dozen of them.

The climax of the Ford interest in aviation has been reached by patient and painful stages in Michigan; but the stages show how patriotic and pushing men can put an idea on the map of fact. First of all was Mr. Stout, with what has been proved to be his very good engineering. Next was the bunch of sporty fellows who put their money behind him, not a whole lot for any, but a lot for all. None of them foresaw profit, but modest profit has come. Meantime they nursed their baby, and the baby has been adopted by a competent and amiable foster father.

The Ford investment in aviation means much to Michigan, in prestige, profit and manufacturing advance. Mr. Ford will not be permitted to be the only beneficiary. If there is money in it he will have competitors. He takes that chance and can afford it. Meantime the world gains.—The Manufacturer.

Agricultural Exhibits in The United States

In 1810, one fair; in 1925, two thousand fairs. In 1810, an attendance of about five thousand; in 1925 an estimated attendance of approximately twenty five million.

These figures, in a nutshell, tell the story of the marvelous growth of the American fair from the humblest beginning to its present day status as an important factor in agricultural education. They are of especial interest here in view of the approaching Hillsdale fair which will be held September 28 to October 3.

While the fair idea has been taken hold of tremendously in the United States, it is not native to this country. Fairs run back to ancient days, but in the olden times they were more after the manner of a bazaar on market, only held with less frequency, very much like the fairs in vogue in Germany and other European countries today. The American fair traces its ancestry back only to about the middle of the eighteenth century, when a group of progressive farmers in the Tees River valley in northeastern Britian joined to bring their livestock together for comparison. It has been termed the first agricultural fair and was the model after which were patterned the hundreds of county fairs both here and in England.

Great Leaders Passing

The sudden and untimely passing of William Jennings Bryan, idol and leader for over thirty years of the Democratic party, recalls the fact that during recent years many great leaders in politics, industry and finance have passed to their final accounting. Death has been no respector to either of the two great national parties, both having lost in Wilson, Bryan and Roosevelt their foremost national characters, while the so-called 3rd party was practically stripped of every vestige of leadership in the death of LaFollette. Labor suffered a great and unsurmountable loss in the demise of Gompers, who for years had reigned supreme in the world of labor. Living, we may have differed with these men, but dead we have only respect for their integrity, their patriotism and their high purpose of perpetuating in America our great ideals of representative government. We can only hope that the leaders who arise to take their places will measure up to the same high standards of citizenship that the dead leaders possessed.

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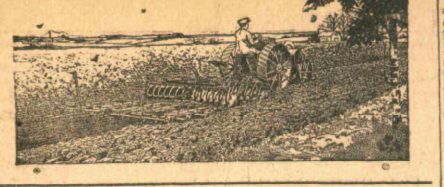


DEATH TAXES AS BUSINESS KILLERS

Assistant Treasury Secretary Tells Fable of Fate of Two Successful Men.

Men cannot be expected to continue to work, day after day, increasing the productiveness of this country and benefiting others, if they know that on death the major portion of their earnings will be dissipated in Federal estate and state inheritance taxes, declares Charles S. Dewey, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, in the American Bankers Association Journal. He says:

"I am going to relate a fable in terms of modern business conditions. John Henry and Walter Brown were aggressive, hard-working men, and each had started business for himself.

"At the time this history opens, John Henry had just died, leaving his entire estate to his son, John Henry, Jr., and had appointed his old friend, Walter Brown, as executor. Prior to his death John Henry had moved to California, leaving his business in the hands of his son under whom it had continued to make excellent headway. The father had been doing a little speculating in oil. This venture had not proved successful and he was indebted in the sum of $500,000.

"Executor Walter Brown, on examination of the estate, found the following situation:

Capital stock of Henry & Co., Inc., a Michigan Corpn.	$5,000,000
Personal debts due banks	500,000

"Walter Brown soon made the unpleasant discovery that in addition to the personal indebtedness of $500,000; and administration expenses of $250,000, the following death duties must be paid:

Federal estate tax	$497,500
California inheritance tax	585,700
Michigan inheritance tax	122,000
Total	$1,205,200

"Added to the personal debt and administration expenses, this made a grand total liability of $1,955,200. The year was 1920. Money was tight. Other manufacturing companies in the same line which might have been interested in a purchase had no money for extensions nor were the banks in a position to handle a loan of this type. Here was a most successful business, built up from small beginnings by one man and carried on to further successes by his son, about to be placed under the hammer.

"Is there any justice in taxation that may force a man and his family to lose the fruits of his entire life's labor, and permit others to benefit? As a last resort, Henry, Jr., was forced into a bond issue. A loan, to settle the debts, administration expenses and death duties, of $2,250,000 was negotiated, upon the following basis:

"The capital stock of the company was left at $5,000,000 represented by 50,000 shares. First mortgage 8 per cent bonds were offered the public with a bonus of two shares of stock with each $1,000 bond. The banker, to protect his bond customers, kept 30,000 shares to assure control of management, and John Henry, Jr., received the balance of 15,500 shares. John now has a good job as general manager of his father's old company, but they do not pay him very much.

"Now we must return to Walter Brown, executor of John Henry, Sr. Walter had always kept close to his own manufacturing business. The more he considered his own situation, the more closely it seemed to him to resemble that of his old friend.

"He therefore called a lawyer and made a complete schedule of his assets, requesting that an estimate of administration expenses and death duties be made. The schedule of assets was as follows:

Capital stock, Walter Brown Co., Mich. Corp.	$4,000,000
California real estate	1,000,000
Tax-exempt bonds, Minn., Mont. and Colo.	500,000
Total	$5,500,000

"Within a few days Mr. Brown's lawyer made the following report:

Debts and admin. expenses		$500,000
Fed. estate tax	$710,625	
Cal. inheritance tax	443,194	
Mich. inheritance tax	260,409	
Minn. inheritance tax	4,289	
Mont. inheritance tax	4,486	
Colo. inheritance tax	2,700	
Total death duties		1,425,703
Total expenses		$1,925,703

"On this basis the estate suffered a reduction from $5,500,000 to approximately $3,574,000, thus wiping out all assets except the corporate stock and placing a heavy loan on that. Mr. Brown had one son and, as he thought of John Henry, Jr., toiling away with little hope of opportunity he determined that he would not subject his own son to the same tribulations.

"Boom times having come, there was no difficulty obtaining a purchaser for Walter Brown & Co., and the California real estate was sold at a good price. The whole was invested in tax-exempt bonds which yielded a very safe return of about 4½ per cent. Walter Brown then moved his legal residence to the more friendly climate of Florida, where state inheritance and income taxes are forbidden.

"The country suffers by the loss of effort which Walter Brown might have continued to expend under a more intelligent system of taxation. We must reform the tax system in such a way that business and industry shall not be hampered. We must make sure that American citizens shall not be deprived of the incentive to work and accumulate and that this country shall not cease to be a land of opportunity. A tax system which discourages initiative cannot be the right system for America."

G MONEY rIT BUSINESS

When Times Are Active the Supply Increases—Contraction Follows Seasonal and Periodic Slackening.

New York. — Demonstration that complete elasticity has been imparted to the currency in the United States by the Federal Reserve System despite assertions to the contrary is given in the American Bankers Association Journal by W. Randolph Burgess, assistant agent at the New York Federal Reserve Bank.

"Of all the money in circulation in the United States, Federal Reserve notes now make up almost one-half," he says in part. "In 1920 they were 70 per cent. The increase in currency which the war and high world prices made necessary was provided almost wholly by Federal Reserve notes. Just as the increase was wholly through Federal Reserve notes, so again the decrease was altogether in Federal Reserve notes. Reserve notes in circulation decreased from $3,300,000,000 in November, 1920, to $1,700,000,000 in March, 1925. Between the same dates other currency increased from $1,500,000,000 to $2,300,000,000, due to an increase in gold certificates.

"There are still some few who produce theoretical arguments to show that for some reason the Federal Reserve note is not elastic. These various arguments raise interesting questions, but they make little headway against the facts, for the facts show that the Federal Reserve note has been elastic.

How Currency Changes Volume

"The amount of currency the country requires reflects changing prices, wage levels, employment and volume of trade. As an example, retail trade at Christmas time is always larger than at other times. This results in a considerable increase in the need for hand to hand currency. Currency withdrawals and receipts at the Federal Reserve Banks illustrate the way this special demand was met. Prior to Christmas there was paid out about $300,000,000 of currency, all of which was returned to the bank within the two or three weeks following Christmas.

"The mechanism is that when Federal Reserve member banks need currency for their customers they draw it from the Reserve Bank. Member banks can secure additional currency by borrowing at the Reserve Bank. Conversely, whenever currency in circulation becomes larger than is required by business it begins to return to the banks and they immediately utilize it to pay off indebtedness at the Reserve Banks, on which they are paying interest.

"The Federal Reserve System has made all types of currency, except national bank notes, elastic because all except those notes can be issued in amounts required and they all tend to flow back to the Reserve Bank when they are not required. There is another phase of currency elasticity. A $100 Federal Reserve note may represent only $40 in gold, because a gold reserve of only 40 per cent is required against Federal Reserve notes. On the other hand, a $100 gold certificate must represent $100 in gold. Thus the Federal Reserve Banks can issue, in response to commercial demand, two and one-half times as many Federal Reserve notes as gold certificates before the reserve ratio reaches the legal minimum.

Secondary Stretch

"This secondary elasticity was illustrated during the war, when in response to war demands Federal Reserve notes were issued to the amount of $3,405,000,000. The Federal Reserve System could have issued more than $800,000,000 additional without lowering the reserve against notes below 40 per cent, or the reserve against deposits below 35 per cent. In any emergency the power to issue these notes increases by 150 per cent the amount of cash which might be supplied to the country.

"Federal Reserve currency has proved itself flexible in war expansion and in post-war reductions. Since the establishment of the System the currency has been responsive to the seasonal and emergency needs of business. The Federal Reserve Act obtained currency elasticity by placing the country's reserve cash in institutions not organized for profit, from which currency might be withdrawn or to which it might be returned in response to the country's needs. While the existence of the Reserve System gives flexibility to almost all forms of currency, the Federal Reserve notes, secured in part by commercial paper, provides a possible secondary expansion in readiness for an emergency."

SUPPLYING THE NATION'S CHANGE

Supplying the wealthiest nation in the world with change is a job of tremendous proportions. During 1924 the United States mints struck off 89,394,000 one cent pieces and 28,315,000 nickels. The small change of the nation was enlarged by 37,940,000 dimes and 16,892,000 quarters. While a drive was started to popularize the silver dollar, only 13,539,000 of the "silver cartwheels" were coined. Singularly, the half-dollar is the most unpopular coin that the United States makes. During 1925 there were just 142,080 half-dollars struck off, and all of these were the commemorative Huguenot-Walloon coins. The mints coined [illegible] double eagles.

Bill Jones of Marshall went out and remarked to a neighbor the other day "Well, the cat and dog have been poisoned, I'm next." And just because Bill made these reckless breaks, officers are investigating his sudden demise on Tuesday of two weeks ago. Looks wormy from the outside. When Mrs. Jones returned from her husband's funeral obsequies they nabbed her and incarcerated her in the county jail. The boys took Bill's tummy and analyzed it only to find large quantities of arsenic. Mrs. Bill says its all a mistake and she will be found entirely innocent of anything wrong She is reported as a very nervy woman and ate an exceptionally hearty supper in jail and topped off with ice cream furnished by her neighbors who seem to also think she is a poor insulted woman. The world is living fast. The other day a lady in Chicago gave a man $400 to put her husband out of her way and he did, but the authorities got next. It does beat the Dutch how some women are "off with the old and on with the new."

President Coolidge took Arthur Brisbane in the little party for the Sunday boat ride down the river on the Mayflower last Sunday. (Remember it costs five hundred thousand a year to keep the Mayflower in trim for these boat rides and five thousand special for each trip in these days of paper economy.) Everybody knows, I reckon who Arthur Brisbane is—the special writer for the Hearst papers and the highest paid newspaper writer in the world, probably. He reaches more people every day than any other living mortal, and a little kindness to him goes a long ways, as it does with everybody else. I am going to watch the "To day" column with just a little more interest to see if Arthur "tempers the wind to the shorn lamb."

Work On M-23 and M-14 Going Ahead

Cement pouring by the state road makers on M-23 south of Brooklyn is now completed from the Irish Hills towers west to a point past Cambridge Junction and the Nixon farms west of the Smith Briggs place. The road makers have lately ayeraged about 600 feet a day with 716 feet as the highest amount of the 20 ft. pavement poured one day last week. Nearing the source of material supply only five instead of seven supply trains are now run to Cement City for gravel and cement.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Grading on M-14 is nearly completed from M-23 at Egbert Every's corner south to the Addison village limits north, and from the south limits to Hudson. The large 30 foot concrete bridge over Bean Creek south of town is progressing rapidly in construction and as soon as this is complete grading will probably be started through the village.—Addison Courier

Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So hereafter the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25. Please bear in mind this is final and cancel all other announcements. To those who subscribe for McCall's let us say 'don't be alarmed it it takes a couple of weeks to get the magazine coming. Of late the publishers assure us the volume of business coming in requires time to straighten out, so if you fail to receive McCall's the next day don't get nervous. It'll come in due time.

—Dr. C. J. H owe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Mortgage Sale

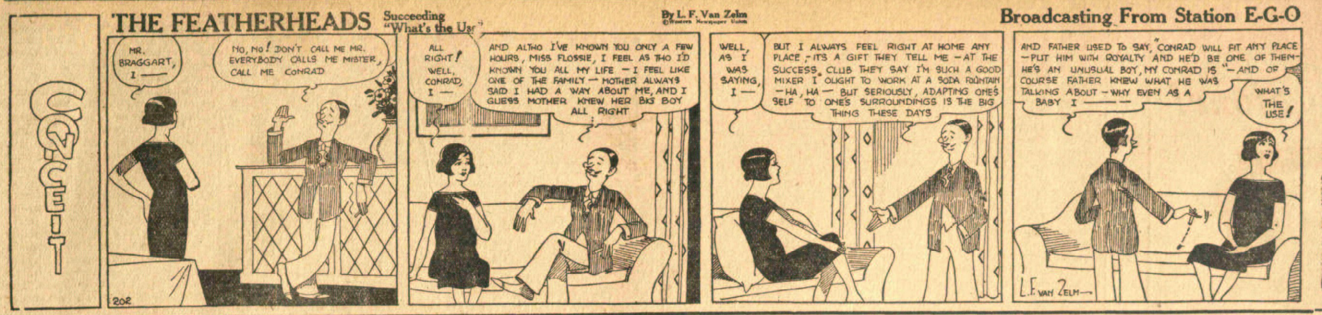
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
usiness Address; Hudson, Mich. [illegible]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ARSONIST CONFESSES, DRAWS STIFF SENTENCE

Russell Boyer, pool room owner, confessed to firing his place to secure insurance after evidence had been obtained against him by Lieutenant Joseph Kearney and Trooper Aldrich of the Michigan State Police. He was sentenced to Ionia reformatory. It was three months after the fire, and after other officers had failed to solve it, that the troopers secured the evidence. Boyer also confessed firing two other buildings in the vicinity.

CO-OPS

There are many small co-operatives throughout the United States, handling wool, peanuts, watermelons, strawberries, beans, syrup, and other products. The government reports that there are at least 10,000 local co-operative organizations in the United States. The Iowa Fleece and Wool Growers' Association does an annual business of $2,836,259; the Ohio Sheep and Wool Growers, $1,500,000; the Oregon wool growers, $500,000; while the New York, Texas and South Dakota Associations are said to be handling about a quarter of a million dollars' business each.

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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

(Continued from last week)

A Memorial To The Women Of Every Land

Recognizing that the world is but a larger home and that women in a large sense are conservators of home and family, the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union with affiliated societies in fifty one nations, hereby memorializes the women of every land:

1. To study the effects of alcohol which science finds to be a racial poison. 2. To unite with us in voluntary abstinence from all alcoholic beverages and in all well considered efforts to limit and prohibit their manufacture and sale. 3. To unite our efforts for the protection of the home, the promotion of purity and the end of all war. We confidently believe that united womanhood can win a world campaign for peace, purity and prohibition.

WORLD'S W. C. T. U. PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES 1925-1928

The World's W. C. T. U. whose object is to unify the efforts of the women of all nations for temperance and social welfare, announces the following program of activies:

1. To promote total abstinence through pledge signing and through the teaching in schools and elsewhere of the fact, based on science that alcohol is a racial poison.

2. To work in every country for the passage of laws seeking the annihilation of the trade in beverage alcohol.

3. To work for the establishment of world peace.

4. To advocate personal purity as equally binding for men and women, and to promote a constructive educational program for the young.

5. To promote programs of education for citizenship and to work for political equality in all countries where women do not yet have the ballot.

6. To carry on Membership Campaigns in every country with the definite goal of a doubled membership, and for the purpose of strengthening the forces against the liquor traffic through the enlistment of teachers, educators and leaders in church, social and civic life.

7. To co-operate with missionary and other welfare and temperance organizations.

M. S. C. Will Exhibit Work At State Fair

M. S. C. exhibits at the annual State Fair to be held in Detroit Sept. 4 to 13 include over a score of prize horses and cattle, over 50 heads of prize sheep, and special exhibits arranged by the college farm crops department, the soils, dairy, poultry, forestry, home economics and veterinary department.

Each departmental exhibit will demonstrate the effective work that has been carried on in its particular field. The farm crops exhibits is said to be exceptionally fine, having made use of the best crop results in constructing and interesting and constructive exhibit.

Work of the Soils section in manner of analysis and testing, Forestry nursery and other projects discoveries and best practices in Veterinary science, as well as method employed in modern dairying will be vividly portrayed. The Home Economics exhibit is planned particularly for the housewife.

Boys' and Girls' club champions will take part in dairy and beef judging. There will also be a health contest in which the healthiest boy and girl in Michigan will be chosen for national honors at the International show held in Chicago in December.

Honor Michigan Hort Men In New Building

When the M. S. C. horticultural department occupies its new building at the beginning of Fall term next September, ten bronze tablets will be placed in the corridors commemorating ten men who have done most for the development of horticulture in the state.

The men who have been elected to this honor by 75 prominent horticulturalists are the following: Charles W. Garfield, Grand Rapids former president of the horticultural society; Robert D. Graham, Grand Rapids, founder of the Graham experimental station; Eugene Davis, Grand Rapids, originator of the Grand Rapids lettuce; D. Smith, Adrian, noted florist; F. A. Farrand, Eaton Rapids, state horticultural leader; Charles J. Monroe South Haven, noted fruit grower; T. T. Lyon, Allegan, authority on fruit varieties; Judge J. G. Ramsdell, Traverse City, who stimulated the great fruit industry in Northern Michigan.

The $400,000 horticultural building said to be the best equipped in the country has a frontage of 132 feet and a depth of 104. It is of Gothic architectural design conforming with the type of other new buildings on the campus.

M. S. C. Dynamometer Contests Conducted at County Fair

Dynamometer contests which created such a great amount of interest at the college Farmers' Day will be staged at four Michigan fairs, according to H. J. Gallagher who is in charge.

The first county contest was at the Ionia Free Fair. Others on the list are West Michigan Fair, Sept. 4-7; Saginaw, Sept. 14 to 19; Mt. Pleasant, Sept. 18 to 22. $200 in prizes is being offered at each fair.

Panel campus views showing the work in the various college departments as well as methods of recreation are being shown at many other fairs. There are 50 large pictures in all. One complete panel will be taken to the county fairs at Ithaca, Bay City, West Branch, Saginaw; another to Holland, Allegan, Hastings, Kalamazoo and Centerville.

Contest Hens Begin Egg Production Again

After a drop for the previous three weeks, the trend of production showed some increase during the week ending July 31 in the International Egg Laying Contest which is being conducted by the Poultry department at M. S. C.

The 1,000 birds during the last seven days produced a total of 4,099 eggs. White Leghorns continued to lead other groups with an average production of 60.4 percent. Rhode Island Reds and Barred Rocks hit 53 percent each, which is an improvement for both groups over the previous week. The miscellaneous group moved from 43.3 to 48.5 percent.

Due to the cooler weather and too frequent showers, there has been considerably less broodiness during the week of this test, consequently greatly assisting in maintaining the production.

Five high pens of the week consisting of ten hens each were the Gravel Ridge Poultry Farm, Mears with 58 eggs, E. G. Stephenson. Erlanger, Ken,, 56; L. W. Aseltine, Grand Rapids, 55; Lakeview Poultry Farm, Holland, Michigan 54; and Bangor High school, 54. West Neck Poultry Farm, Hungtington, L. I., is leading the contest with a total of 1,935 eggs. Next in line is the Royal Hatchery, Zeeland, Michigan, with 1,928 eggs.

Why Is Hay Fever?

An eastern newspaper suggests that men of medicine turn their attention to hay fever. There is no doubt that a remedy for this disease would prove a great blessing to a large number of persons throughout the world. We call it mysterious because it is so. What is its cause and why must its victims suffer annually in spite of all they do to prevent its recurrence? Those upon whom it has laid its hold know almost to a day when they will be called upon to again endnre the agonies.

Because hay fever is more prevalent in August than in any other month, it is popularly supposed that pollen from flowers is the cause. Buy why pollen from August's flowers and not from those blooming in other months of the year? To answer that the adherants of the pollen theory pick on the golden rod. But hay fever claims its victims in places where there is no golden rod and residents of large cities who are never within miles of this popular flower at any time, often suffer the most severely. And if pollen is the cause of the disease why are not all who live in the country afflicted and all who live in the city immune

The writer who suggested that physicians turn their attention to hay fever may or may not be a sufferer from hay fever, but in any eveut he puts up to them a puzzle worthy of their fullest consideration.

Travis Reunion

The fifty third reunion of the Travis family was held Saturday August 8th at the home of Charles Travis, West street, Hillsdale. In spite of the threatening weather eighty people were present for the excellent chicken dinner.

After dinner, a business meeting was held. Jeptha Travis of Hudson was re-elected as president, and Leonora Blackmer as secretary and treasurer.

Other matters of business being attended to, the remainder of the day was devoted to quoits, visiting and a program of readings and music.

Relatives were present from Lakeland, Florida, Chicago, Elkhart, Jackson, Hudson and all parts of the county

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One day an inspector of a New York tenement house found four families living in one room, chalk lines drawn in such a manner as to mark out a quarter for each family

"How do you get along here?" inquired the inspector.

"Very well," was the reply; only the man in the farthest corner keeps boarders."

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STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

ON HAVING MONEY ON HAND

"Aunty, why is it such a good thing to have cash in the bank?" asked Jane of Aunt Emmy. "Mr. Wilkins was talking to father yesterday and he said that every one ought to have a certain amount of cash on hand."

"He meant that if you keep some of your money in the bank where it can be had any time you might be able to use it to excellent advantage," said Aunt Emmy. "Every now and then a good opportunity presents itself to make a nice profit in some business deal if you only have the cash on hand so you can act quickly. Don't you remember about that quarrel the Brown brothers had over their inheritance and to settle it sold that house in Center Street? Old Peter Haskins bought it in for $3,000 and the next week sold it for $4,200. If he hadn't had the cash on hand he never could have made that handsome profit."

"Yes, Aunty, that's all right for Mr. Haskins, but I'm never likely to have $3,000 or $4,000 on hand."

"Well there are other little ways to make a profit," said Aunt Emmy. "For instance, you can always benefit by cash discounts. That is, if some one asks you to pay, say $100 for a thing, you can usually get it for less, sometimes ten per cent less, if you pay at once in cash. You always should have some of your money in cash so that you can take advantage of golden opportunities and cash discounts."—A. B. Aymes.

INSPECTOR SHOT AT

Inspector William Watkins of the Michigan State Police, was recently ambushed and fired upon at night, near Mt. Clemens, several shots passing through his automobile The men escaped in a fast car. Watkins has been active in prosecuting liquor and graft cases and has been threatened.

DUTY COMES FIRST

On the day when a daughter was born to the wife of Lieut. Frank Walker, in command of the St. Clair post of the Michigan State Police, he made three arrests and one investigation. Lieut. Walker has made a splendid record against border smugglers.

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PITFALLS FOR THE UNWARY

Seek Bankers' Advice on Foreign Bonds, Says Department of Commerce.

American investors in securities of foreign companies and foreign governments should take care to purchase them only through reliable bankers or brokers, says Commerce Reports issued by the Department of Commerce. It adds:

"There have recently been several flagrant cases of securities being advertised in American journals at prices from 10 to 100 times the price quoted on the same date in the markets of the countries where the concerns are located. Some of these cases have even attracted the attention of foreign newspapers. This is not a safe kind of speculation for uninformed Americans, but the would-be investor can easily protect himself by asking the advice of his regular banker."

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King Tommy

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CHAPTER XI—Continued

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"They will," said Janet. "By this time I expect they have. He went off to the police office this morning to obtain his Ausweis, taking the passport with him."

"What?" said Casimir. "He has gone to the police office!"

"That's what I'm trying to tell you," said Janet, "and I'm very much afraid there'll be trouble."

"Trouble! They will imprison him. They will deport him. They will— But not even Von Steinveldt would dare shoot him. But— Excuse me. I must act at once or all is lost. The princess! My beloved country! But I have friends and I have money. The king has friends. Perhaps it is not yet too late."

He hurried across the hall toward the door. Janet hurried after him. Tommy was in serious trouble. Casimir was excited and frightened. She could not bear the thought of not being helpful in a crisis as desperate as this. She caught Casimir by the arm just as he reached the door.

"Shall I ring up the embassy?" she said. "The third secretary is a friend of mine. At least, I've often talked to him over the telephone. After all, your friend—I mean my nephew—is a British subject. The ambassador must do something. I shall insist on his moving in the matter."

Casimir turned on her. He must have felt extremely irritated, but his politeness did not fail him.

"Gracious lady," he said, "I can think of only one thing in the world which would make this affair worse than it is, and that is the interference of the British ambassador."

Janet says that his face was white, drawn and tragic when he spoke, and that beads of perspiration had gathered on his forehead. But Janet is inclined to exaggerate in the interests of the picturesque. I do not suppose that Casimir was in the state she described. He was upset about what had happened and foresaw a great deal of trouble. But he had no doubt that he could straighten things out even if the police had arrested Tommy.

When he left the hotel Casimir went straight to his bank and cashed a check for ten thousand marks. In Germany it takes a long time to cash a check and it was half an hour before Casimir actually got the money. Then he drove to the police office and walked into the room into which Tommy had gone that morning. There was still a long queue of Poles, Russians, Slavs, Ukrainians and other foreigners waiting to approach the police officer's desk. But Casimir did not take his place at the end of the line. He handed twenty marks to the policeman who kept watch at the door and was immediately placed at the head of the queue. In return for another twenty marks the policeman ordered all the other waiting people out of the room. They were allowed to draw a breath of fresh air in the passage until Casimir finished his business. This was good for them, but they did not like it.

For some months the German mark had been falling rapidly. Official salaries, from those of cabinet minister to those of simple policeman, had in March only about one-tenth of their supposed value and a large class of more or less deserving people found themselves starving. This, though disagreeable for them, was a great advantage to any one who controlled money in a stable currency. Casimir had Procopius Cable's English pounds to draw on. He felt confident of being able to persuade any official to do what he wanted done.

He began his interview with the police officer by laying a thousand marks on the table in front of him. Then he said he wanted an Ausweis, duly signed and in proper form, for an Englishman called Norheys. The police officer stood up and bowed respectfully to Casimir. Then he fixed his eyes, hopefully at first, sadly afterward, on the thousand marks. He began to apologize.

If he had known a little earlier that the highborn gentleman wished for an Ausweis— The young Englishman had been there, in that very office— There had been a trifling irregularity in his passport, very trifling, nothing that mattered. If he had known— Now, unfortunately, he could do nothing. The young Englishman had been passed on to his superior officer.

The poor man eyed the thousand marks hungrily. He had a wife and two children at home. They had very little food and no firing. A thousand marks would have made life a much pleasanter affair to him.

"Ach, most highborn sir," he said, "I cannot now issue the Ausweis, though how willingly I would do so if I could."

Casimir is not a man who pays for what he does not get. He picked up the thousand marks again.

Then he laid down a note for a hundred marks, and asked to see the superior officer who had taken charge of Tommy.

This time the young man, standing behind his desk, bowed gratefully. Certainly the highborn gentleman should see the superior officer at once. Casimir was shown into the inner room. The young man at the desk pocketed the hundred-mark note. Perhaps he spent half of it on a piece of soap. His face looked as if he had none at home.

Casimir dealt with the superior officer in much the same way, except that this time he laid down two thousand marks. He was received with almost groveling civility. This officer looked at money not so much hungrily as greedily. He had neither wife nor children and was not actually hungry. But he was a man who liked enjoying himself, and in the good old days before the mark fell he was accustomed to spend his evening in pleasure resorts less sumptuous and much less respectable than the Mascotte. From these delights he had been cut off for some months. With two thousand marks a man can buy a great deal of pleasure in Berlin. For two thousand marks most government officials would have done a great deal.

Casimir said what he wanted, an Ausweis for Tommy.

The officer, his eyes fixed on the money, cursed himself, his bad luck, his government, the late war, the French nation, the English nation, the Reparations commission and the International Military control. He cursed fluently, blasphemously and obscenely. At last he told Casimir that Tommy had been sent on to the Prince von Steinveldt. He himself could do nothing in the matter of the Ausweis.

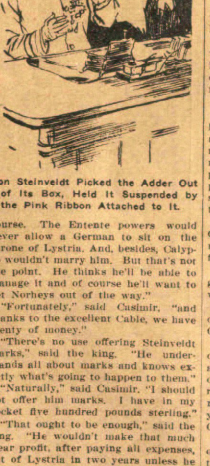
The information was worth something and Casimir paid for it.

Then he went back to his bank and drew out, not marks this time, but five hundred pounds sterling.

Even with that sum in his pocket he did not feel quite sure of being able to deal with Prince Von Steinveldt. He drove to the flat which King Wladislaws occupied and took counsel with him.

The king listened to the story.

"The difficulty is," said the king, "that Von Steinveldt wants to step into my shoes himself. He can't, of course. The Entente powers would never allow a German to sit on the throne of Lystria. And, besides, Calypso wouldn't marry him. But that's not the point. He thinks he'll be able to manage it and of course he'll want to get Norheys out of the way."



Von Steinveldt Picked the Adder Out of Its Box, Held It Suspended by the Pink Ribbon Attached to It.

"Fortunately," said Casimir, "and thanks to the excellent Cable, we have plenty of money."

"There's no use offering Steinveldt marks," said the king. "He understands all about marks and knows exactly what's going to happen to them."

"Naturally," said Casimir. "I should not offer him marks. I have in my pocket five hundred pounds sterling."

"That ought to be enough," said the king. "He wouldn't make that much clear profit, after paying all expenses, out of Lystria in two years unless he is a great deal cleverer than I am. But you'll have to be careful, Casimir. He'll take the money all right. But he's a prince. You must allow him to keep up his self-respect."

"I had thought," said Casimir, "of laying the money on his desk without saying anything about it."

"I should be rather inclined," said the king, "to hand it over to him openly, saying that I sent it as a donation to whatever charity in Berlin he thinks most worthy of support. Tell him at the same time that I want to remain anonymous and desire no receipt for the money."

The king, who had been lounging in a chair, got up, went over to his writing table and unlocked a drawer. He took from it a small case made of real morocco leather.

"You may as well offer him this at the same time," said the king.

He opened the box and displayed a small golden snake. It was curled up so that its tail was in its mouth. Its eyes, which had a fierce expression, were garnets. Casimir looked at it with reverence. It was the sign of "The Most Noble Order of the Golden Adder of Lystria," an order granted to very few people and worn by no Lystrian except the king himself.

"He may like to have it," said the king, "though I don't know why he should. It's only nine carat gold, and the creature's eyes aren't rubies. Still, he may like it. Try him, and you might say if at any time he wants a good table at the Mascotte, he has nothing to do but ring me up and I'll arrange it. What's more, I'll take fifty per cent off his bill, and he won't be expected to tip the waiters. Tell him all that, will you?"

Casimir went off to Von Steinveldt's office in good spirits and full of confidence. He did not expect that his interview would be pleasant, but he had no doubt that he would be successful in obtaining Tommy's release. Von Steinveldt would probably try to bully him. He usually did try to bully any one he met. He would certainly bargain and the haggling might be prolonged. Casimir expected bullying and bargaining; but he felt that no living German would resist the offer of five hundred pounds in English bank notes, a decoration to pin on his coat and the chance of supper at the Mascotte whenever he liked at half the usual price.

Never was any diplomatist, engaged in a demarche of an important kind, more surprised than Casimir was.

Von Steinveldt made no attempt to bully him. He received him with extreme politeness and showed every kind of courtesy and consideration. This made Casimir suspicious. He knew Von Steinveldt fairly well and had never seen him behave like a gentleman before.

"His majesty the king of Lystria—" Casimir began.

"Ah, poor King Wladislaws," said Von Steinveldt. "My heart bleeds for him. Such a position for one who has been a king. Tell me, how is he getting on?"

Casimir did not believe that Von Steinveldt's heart ever bled for anyone. He felt sure that he did not care whether King Wladislaws starved or not. His suspicions, already awakened by Von Steinveldt's politeness, became acute.

"His majesty," he said, "sent me to place a small sum of money in your excellency's hands. He knows little of the needs of the poor in Berlin and he hopes that your excellency will be kind enough to spend this money in the way that you think wisest."

He drew from his pocket his packet of English bank notes and laid it on the table. Von Steinveldt picked it up. There were fifty Bank of England notes for ten pounds each. Von Steinveldt hated and despised almost everything English. But he had a deep respect and a genuine liking for English bank notes. He became almost genial, certainly facetious, while counting the notes. The feel of the paper between his finger and thumb gave him a sense of physical pleasure.

"King Wladsilaws," he said, "seems to have been doing pretty well at the Mascotte."

"His majesty," said Casimir stiffly, "wishes his gift to be anonymous, and hopes that you will make no acknowledgment of the receipt of the money."

Von Steinveldt pocketed the notes.

"Among the German aristocracy," he said "there are many who have suffered severely by the fall of the mark. Their pride forbids them to make any public complaint of their poverty. I think, if your king approves, that this money would be well spent, perhaps best spent, in relieving their distress."

Casimir had little doubt that the German aristocracy—at all events one member of it—would benefit by the five hundred pounds.

"It is," said Von Steinveldt, "a most generous gift. I beg of you to convey to your king my warmest thanks."

Casimir took out of his pocket the crimson case which contained the Golden Adder of Lystria.

"His majesty," he said, "is deeply conscious of your kindness in acting as his almoner, and is not unmindful of the many services which you have rendered in the past to the unfortunate kingdom of Lystria. He begs your acceptance of the Order of the Golden Adder of Lystria."

Von Steinveldt picked the adder out of its box and held it suspended by the pink ribbon attached to it. Then, standing up and bowing deeply to Casimir, he pinned the decoration to the breast of his tunic. It hung there, the last in the second row of decorations which Von Steinveldt wore. There were twenty-nine of them and the Golden Adder made the thirtieth.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Might in the Jungle

The lion, noted as being the noblest of the jungle's beasts, is, of course, a mighty hunter. His ferocity is proverbial. All animals as well as man become its victims. The African buffalo, however, is often its master, and elephants sometimes are able to overpower both lions and all members of the tiger family.

Water Is Literally Their Staff of Life

The most amazing race of human beings is undoubtedly the El Molo, a tribe of "fishmen," who inhabit the desert wastes bordering Lake Rudolf, in Kenya colony, Africa. This tribe represents the only known specimens of semiamphibious people and it is a curious fact that any tribesman dies if he is kept without water for about three hours. As a rule they drink every hour during the day, for even an hour and a half without water causes cracking and bleeding of the lips, the Boston Transcript says.

The El Moro tribesmen spend their days swimming in the waters of Lake Rudolf and fishing from frail rafts constructed with palm branches. Fish is almost their only diet and they have no opportunity of varying their menu, unless they are fortunate enough to spear a hippopotamus. The water of Lake Rudolf is undrinkable to anyone but the El Moro, for it contains a large quantity of soda and has an objectionable taste. The proportion of soda in that lake increases yearly, and it is believed to be this fact that has caused the "fishermen" to become a deformed race.

It has been discovered that long continued working with radium tends to cause a form of anemia.

FALL MODES FOR SCHOOL WEAR; FLANNEL CHOICE FOR BLOUSES

FULLER skirts, higher necklines and long sleeves, are themes that have been under discussion for some weeks in the centers that originate styles. These new departures in the modes were well advertised before they were presented—the way paved for their success by making everyone familiar with them; for not every style becomes a fashion and stylists have to leave the success or failure of their best efforts mainly "in the lap of the gods."

All three of the new style features mentioned are shown in the pretty frock pictured and they have been managed faultlessly, even from the viewpoint of the most ardent standpatter for simple, straight lines. The long bodice, and neckline high at the back and "V" shaped in front are good on either slim or plump figures and that much disputed point—fulness in the skirt—has been adroitly managed by means of the obliging box plait, which effaces itself so far as interference with long lines is concerned. The narrow girdle, tied at the back, is of the material in the frock and little, round buttons, matching the dress in color, serve for its finishing touch. The picture shows clearly how trim, stylish and school-girlish this model is and it is recommended as a good example to follow in assembling clothes for the college or high school miss. No one will recognize more quickly than this competent and sometimes opinionated young person, that this dress is up-to-date. It may be made of any of the good wool fabrics for fall, flannels, plain, bordered or figured, twills, kasha and novelty weaves. Figured flannel is very effective and one can imagine it in red and black in this material, with either red or black buttons, or in two shades of brown or blue. Do not overlook the small convenient and boyish pockets which have to be discovered at each side. For afternoon wear, the dress pictured was made of olive crepe-backed satin and ornamented with pearl buttons, probably of the same color.

In matters pertaining to clothes, the eternal feminine may be counted on to change its mind as heretofore. Just when it seemed that all blouses, for whatever purpose, were to be made of silk, along came the soft flannel affair, in the loveliest shades of fashionable colors and immediately won its plea (for a place in the sun) before the tribunal of fashion. Nothing has proved a better medium than flannel for the mellow shades that distinguish this season and no fabric is better suited to smart, informal or sports blouses.

In the pretty late-summer blouse shown here, buff colored flannel is entirely sufficient unto itself for the blouse and its accessories. Flannel covered buttons and a flannel strap or half girdle across the front finish off a model that owes its distinction to cleverness in cut and beauty in color. It is a slip-on model but has almost invisible shoulder seams that give it a trim adjustment. With sleeves extended to the elbow or a little below, it is a good model for fall. But sleeves grow in importance, both in dresses and blouses, and the new fall models emphasize a variety of long-sleeved styles. The new figured flannels will lend themselves to long-sleeved tailored types in overblouses to be worn with plain or plaited skirts.

In dressier types for afternoon panne velvet and crepe satin are sponsored by the French usually in black or dark colors with embroidery and braidings in contrasting colors, but rich effects. Collars are often high, or a scarf is worn if the neckline is round. Overblouses and short tunic blouses make up the displays and much attention is given to plaitings as a trimming.

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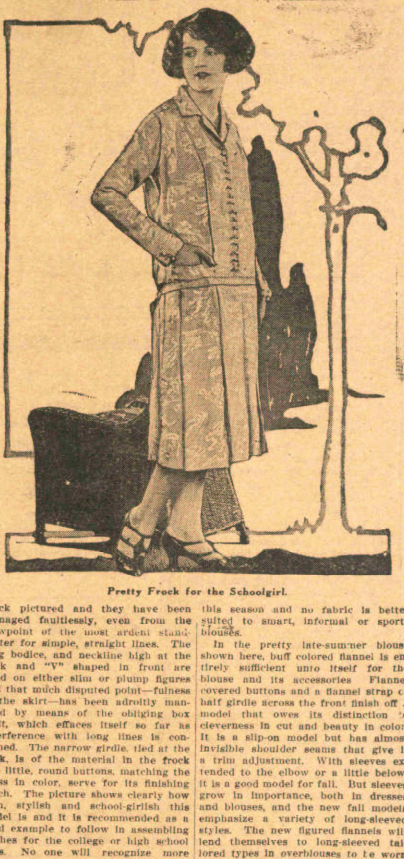
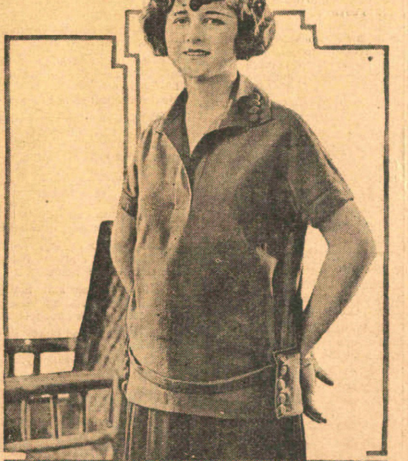


Pretty Frock for the Schoolgirl.



Pretty Late Summer Blouse.

Fashion a Repeater

Fashion has brought back the black mits of our grandmothers but the new hand coverings are of real lace posed on spider web net. The designs are worked out in point d'esprit through which the arm looks wonderfully dainty and attractive.

Hat Matches Frock

This season the hat usually matches the frock in color, and quite frequently the hosiery matches the frock, too.

Feather Parasols

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Finds Long Legs Are a Handicap

"If there is anything at all to this evolution business," remarked a tall, angular gentleman who was emerging from the baseball park, according to the Detroit News, "I think nature ought to make a few improvements on the human race to meet our changing conditions. A few years ago men had to walk about all the time, what with circus and lodge parades and things like that. Long legs were necessary, and I was the envy of all the neighborhood, for I could see over most people's heads. But now all that has changed. The world has stopped standing up and is sitting down. My long legs are an inconvenience at ball games, shows, in my flivver, and on street cars. They always have to be doubled up to keep them out of the way; then they become cramped and sore. Nature should help future generations by developing them downward—as far as legs are concerned, at least."

Rattlers Annoy Golfers

Rattlesnakes, basking in the sunlight on the Riverside university golf course, have made it advisable for golfers to carry permanganate of potash along with clubs and balls, says the Los Angeles Times. Mashies are being put to new use by professors at the citrus experiment station of the University of California—they make effective weapons against the reptiles.

Within recent days four rattlesnakes have been killed on the university course, which is at the base of Box Springs mountain.

Runs and Flies Both

Capable of flying in the air or running on the ground, an airplane-automobile recently was demonstrated in France. It differs from ordinary planes because it has folding wings and four wheels. A propeller shaft runs from the fuselage to a transmission which turns the rubber-tired front wheels with their brakes and steering mechanism. The power to drive the plane on land is furnished by a small auxiliary engine. Its conversion into an "auto" takes less than half an hour.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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Why He Worried

Sir Bertram Hayes, skipper of the Majestic, who has retired from the sea after 44 years of seafaring, said on his last visit to New York:

"I hope I am not going to be like the retired business man whose wife said to him on the first day of his retirement:

"'Father, what's the matter? You look worried.'

"'Well, no wonder I'm worried.' said he. 'I've never before had nothing to worry about.'"

SAYS THE OWL

Time is the surest sense of truth.

Experience either brings old age or is brought by it.

Many so-called singers' high notes wouldn't bear indorsing.

Fools try to convince a woman but wise men persuade her.

No jeweler has ever been able to improve on the setting of the sun.

It takes two to make a bargain, but only one of them gets it.

Gabriel himself will play the last trump in the game of life.

An old bachelor resembles a pair of scissors with only one blade.

Love levels all things—with the possible exception of the head.

It saves no money to laugh at other people's expense.

So long as he's on the level a man isn't apt to go down hill.

Some men owe their success to acting contrary to the advice of their friends.

Man likes to hug a delusion, especially if it comes in the form of a pretty woman.

A man in love is always blind until he finds it necessary to sew on his own buttons.

It's not what the baseball player does but what the umpire says that counts.

The style of beauty that a man prefers generally depends upon the girl he is with.

Comet With Two Tails

It is reported from Germany that photographs taken of the comet Orkisz show that it has now developed a second tail. This tail cannot be seen with a telescope. The primary tail also is, to all intents and purposes, merely a photographic object, only the vaguest indications of it being perceptible in a telescope.

A duplicity, or even a multiplicity, of tails is by no means an uncommon occurrence, although it is not often seen in objects so faint as the present comet.

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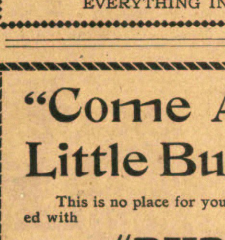

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Jerome

Lud Chandler was in Hillsdale Thursday.

Sam Long and wife of Moscow visited Mrs. M. H. Morris Sunday.

Donald Frantz spent part of last week with Rev. Scott near Hastings

Wesley Dunn and family of Plymouth were Sunday guests of Mrs. Julia Potter.

I. W. Wertenberger and family attended the United Brethren camp meeting at Hillsdale Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson of Jackson has been the guest of Mrs. Lanie Walworth and H. L. McGregor and family.

William Frantz and wife of Toledo also Thomas Brown and family visited Sunday with Robert Frantz and family.

Lemuel Kies and wife have had as guests the following: Mrs. Alma Taylor of Palm Beach, Florida and B. E. Kies of Bankers.

Lem Kies and wife accompanied by Frank Kies and family of Moscow visited old acquaintances in Charlotte the first of last week.

A hay stack belonging to Claude Greening burned the first of last week and a barn nearby was saved with difficulty. There was about $50 worth of hay in the stack.

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Sunday as follows: H. A. Voorhees and family of Hanover, Art Hart and family of Jackson, Mrs. Chas Harper and daughter of Marshall, Dan Sawdey and family of North Adams.

Charles Depue has sold his property including a house and lot, blacksmith shop etc to Grant Sawdey. Mr. Depue has lived here 26 years but from now on will make his home with relatives in Grand Rapids. During the past few years Mr. Depue's health has been impaired making blacksmithing difficult for him.

A Jerome Home Comin g set for September 12 has been decided upon by local people. The Boy Scout organization with the assistance of several adults forms the committee of preparation. Members of the committee besides the Scouts are Mrs. C. W. McGregor, Mrs. Cash Sawdey Mrs. Ira Wertenberger, Jay Pullen, Mrs. Otto Miller.

Three carloads of poles to be used by the Consumers Power Co. arrived here from the Northwest several days ago. There were about 110 poles in the lot and the freight bill alone was eleven hundred dollars or about ten dollars per pole. Much of the high freight bill is due to the notorious Esch Cummins law passed in 1920 by Congress with only a small number led by "Fighting Bob" opposing the bill. The annual increase in rates amounts to about fifteen hundreds millions or seventy five dollars increase for each family in the country. W. D. Hines former Director of the Roads of the nation estimates that the increase is multiplied three times by wholesalers and middlemen before it reaches the public. In other words the Esch Cummins law costs the average family $225 per year and helps roads like the Michigan Central to earn $75 per share. Mr. Coolidge believes in the Esch Cummins law and has used his influence to prevent its repeal, which shows that the President is more interested in helping to increase railroad profits than he is in helping the people who voted him into office.

Town Line

Mrs. Eugene Culbert is suffering from a fall, a rug on the floor caused the accident.

er's Monday. Mrs. Belle Jennings has been staying with her while Mrs. Powers was away.

Charles Bell and son Dorval of Devils Lake spent a few days last week at John Horton's.

Mrs. H. B. Powers who has been visiting relatives for ten days at Bryan Ohio returned to Mrs. Beech

F. Southard and wife of Addison and a young man from Chicago were callers at the J. Beecher home on Sunday.

Howard Wells and wife entertained company from Tekonsha Mich. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday friends from Ohio were guests.

Clarence Jennings and wife called on Dell Fuller and wife Tuesday night, they are spending the week at Farewell Lake. They will return home to Battle Creek Sunday.

Jonesville

W. T. Carr is ill at his home on West Chicago street.

John T. Reed is quite ill at his home in this village.

Alfred Lane and wife are visiting in Holland Michigan.

Milton Ward and wife are spending the week at Gull Lake.

Verne Chase and wife are in Chicago to attend the wedding of their son Harold.

Paul Wood who is working in Detroit spent the week end at his home here.

E. W. Merchant and wife and Andrew Mack and wife were in Toledo a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford of Kansas are here for a few days visit at the L. E. Swan home on Reading avenue.

Mrs. Gertrude Donahue and 3 children of Toledo are here for a two weeks visit with her parents A. L. Massey and wife.

J. H. Wickman and wife of Milwaukee Wis. are at the home of her parents Grove Varnum and wife for a few days visit.

Friends here have received the announcement of the marriage of Iay Deal, formerly of this place, to Miss Almina Ross of Chicago.

Richard Varnum and family are at the C. H. Kempton cottage Wilson's Lake for a two weeks vacation. Evria Tefft of Ypsilanti is a guest at the cottage.

Center Adams

Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks is in Milan spending some time with her sister.

Orren Lapham and family of Frontier were Sunday visitors at the L. E. Chase home.

Nathan Webster and family attended the U. B. Camp meeting at Rothfuss park on Sunday.

Harry Foust and family in company with other parties motored to the Irish Hills on Sunday.

Will Dey of Toledo spent from Saturday until Tuesday visiting at the Sabin and Gordon homes.

Alberta Worthing of Detroit is spending the week with her mother Mrs. M. C. Church and family.

The Misses Norene and Yvone O'Melay of Hudson are guests of Will Keith and family this week.

Frances Rumsey of North Adams was the guest of her aunt Mrs. Sadie Gray over Saturday night and Sunday.

T. H. Tierney and family of Toledo visited at the McBain home Sunday returning home Monday morning.

O. M. Keith and wife of Pittsford and grand daughter of Kansas City visited at the Will Keith home on Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Church and son Charles returned to their home in Detroit on Wednesday after spending several days at the home of M. C. Church and wife.

Elmer Gregory and wife and little grandson, Gregory Barrett of Milan spent a few hours with the Ambler family Wednesday morning. They were here to attend the reunion of the Mud Lake school.

Ernest Stevens and wife of West Adams, Carl Bleech and wife and Archie Bleech and family of North Adams were callers at the home of E. McBain and wife on Sunday.

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Mrs. Carrie Bryant is having her residence in this village re-painted,

Mrs. Nathan Parish returned on Sunday from her visit with her son, Alvin, in Royal Oak.

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12t2 Moscow or Jerome.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Baker of Hillsdale spent Sunday at the home of Fred Baker and family.

Miss Leota Hinkle of Hillsdale spent Sunday evening with her friend, Miss Rosene Baker, in this village.

—Car of Chestnut hard coal on the track here Buy from the car at a reduction. Graves & Ford
12t1 Lumber Co.

Miss Myrtle Scrivens of Ypsilanti is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Williams, and her brother, Will Scrivens.

Mrs. King of Somerset Centre died at her home on Saturday. Funeral obsequies were conducted on Tuesday and burial at the Centre.

The Rebekah Society will meet August 25th ot the home of Mrs. Richard Holkins for a picnic and pot-luck supper. Program. Each one bring table service.

Dean Williams who has been absent in Kentucky for some time where he has been employed by Contractor Hoffman on a road job was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Taylor ef Babson Park, Florida, who is visiting among Michigan friends, spent a part of last week with Mrs. F.W. Holcomb and Mrs. C. J, Knapp.

Miss Sarah Frederick has returned from summer school at Kalamazoo College, and will spend a few weeks at home before beginning her teaching duties at Davison.

Simpson & Simpson of Hillsdale Jonesville and Litchfield are making some very cheap prices on Chevrolet, Ford and Overland batteries (Exide) at $12.95. See their ad on front page. They are selling a good cord tire 30 x 3½ for $10.00.

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Wade-Wayman Reunion

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Third District Election

The election on Tuesdayfor representative to fill out the unexpired term of Arthur B. Williams resulted in a victory for Mr. Hooper by a majority of over 6,000. The affair in this township was extremely tame as only 135 ballots were cast of which Mr. Hooper received 63 and Mr. Carney 72, a majority of 9 which is very insignificant considering this is a Klan precinct. Mr. Carney carried Hillsdale county.

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The Guernsey Club will tour Hillsdale county on Friday and are due at the farm of John Williams west of North Adams on Friday at 9:30 a. m. thence to the farm of Frank Smith two miles east of Jonesville, thence to Delbert Patrick's one mile east of Camden. W. Burrington, state Guernsey field manager of the M. S. C., will accompany the party. Anybody interested is invited, whether they belong to the Club or not.

Mrs. Everett Williams entertained Tuesday in honor of her friend, Miss Saunders of Addison The guests were members of the young ladies' auxiliary and the faculty of the High school also former schoolmates of Miss Saunders to the number of 40. The house was decorated with garden flowers and the party met on the lawn. Ruth Rock, Helen Sheldon and Frances Overley of this village served the luncheon. The party was in the form of an announcement of the coming marriage of Miss Saunders which takes place in September.

The following teachers have been hired for the ensuing year in the surrounding districts: J. L. Buck, Pauline Wells; Bert Buck, Dorris Denning; Knowles, Edw. Bloemker; Jackson, Rosene Baker Pease, Genevieve Roberts; Nethaway, Groce Sabin; Mud Lake, Grace Smith; Guy, Frances Sears; Proper, Winnifred Marvin; Stone school, Milnes, Margaret Baker; Jerome, I. W. Wertenberger: Grubby Knoll, Ethel Brewer; Moscow, Mrs. Sherrard, Mrs. Helmick; Veihle, not hired; Gay, Stanley Gray; Hergert, Mrs. Bevear; Bross, Mrs. Alice Cook; Hoxie, Mrs. Rowland Randolph.

Death of Mrs. Edward Carter

Mrs. Edward Carter of Moscow township, who has been indisposed for some time, passed away at the home of Mrs. Frank Brown in Moscow on Wednesday about 10:00 a. m. the direct cause of her death being paralysis. She was past 74 years of age and had been a resident of the township for many years. She is survived by one brother, Augustus Borden of near Jonesville, also a number of more distant relatives.

Funeral services were conducted to-day at 2:00 p. m. from the Plains Methodist church, Rev. Virgil Hunt officiating, and interment in the Plains Cemetery. We expect to publish a more complete obituary next week.

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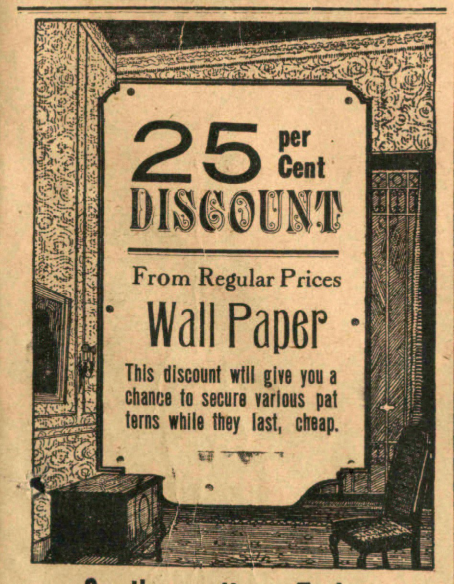

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Local News

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Donna Lynch spent a part of last week visiting Gladys Westcott.

A. J. Hoffman has treated his residence in the west end to a coat of paint.

James Voorhees and family of River Rouge were guests of relatives here this week.

B. I. Lynch and family spent Sunday with Harry Hawley and family of Churches Corners.

Mrs. Amanda Howe of Hillsdale is a guest at the home of Claude VanWert in this village this week.

Mrs. J. C. Garlinghouse of Napoleon Mich., and Mrs. L. L. Hill and son of Pioneer Ohio were guests of Daniel Garlinghouse this week.

A. J. Carpenter of Jonesville will open a repair shop in the basement of Clyde Wertz's store the first of next week. Harness and shoe work a specialty.

The regular Wednesday evening movies were well attended and highly satisfactory to all. We most earnestly invite you all to come out next Wednesday evening.

Homer Densmore has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives in and near Houghton Lake, Michigan, Roscommon county. He came home on Monday and reports old scenes much changed from former days, when he was a boy.

Jay D. Knowles and wife left here on Thursday for a tour of Northern Michigan by automobile. They will also visit relatives at different points and look after property owned by E. S. Knowles in northern counties.

Rev. Hunt desires to announce that the Congregational church expects to present a splendid picture Sunday evening September 6th "The Passion Play" one of the best films extant. Remember the date Sept. 6th. More about this next week.

T. E. Carrel, wife and sons, Orrington and Lloyd and daughter, Esther, of Grand Rapids spent the early part of the week with his father and wife, Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel, leaving Tuesday for Elmira, New York. by auto.

John Keefus whose leg was broken at Jackson on Sunday was at the Catholic hospital and getting along finely. C. W. Bleech and wife drove to Jackson on Wednesday and brought John home. Clarence Kane Jerome who was driving the motor cycle was unhurt.

—I will open a power equipped Shoe Repair Shop in North Adams on or about the 10th of September and can give you the best of service Also do your sewing and harness work. First door west of Barber's Store. Also Ladies rest room in connection. I. N. Starr. 13t3

On Sunday next August 30th, the Daniels' Sales Team of Detroit will engage the Horton crack team at Horton and it is expected a large crowd of spectators will be present from all points of the compass to see the game. There is six acres of parking space for autos free and admission is 35c per head.

The Missionary Union of the Congregational church will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon September 2. A public supper will be served from 5:30 to 6 o'clock. At this time we would like to fill a barrel for Trinity school Athens, Alabama. This school was started by Miss Mary Wells soon after the World War and we send something every year to help the colored children. Miss Wells was a member of this church.

It may interest our readers to know that Dorothy Ellingston 17 year old California girl who killed her mother deliberately because she was not allowed to dissipate, has been adjudged sane and the jury brought in the yerdict of "guilty" You will also be surprised to learn that the worst they can give her in California is from one to ten years in prison and an opportunity for parol at the end of a year. If this is all the punishment Dorothy has coming, she hasn't much to worry about. Pretty soft!

The fourth annual Jersey Cattle Club picnic of Hillsdale county was held at the William R. Montgomery farm near Hillsdale on Wednesday August 26th with a potluck dinner at noon. Before dinner the crowd engaged in a friendly baseball game between the Jersey breeders and the Calf club boys and the latter won out. The Club furnished lemonade and the Hillsdale Creamery supplied the ice cream for the occasion Prof. H. E. Dennison of the American Jersey Cattle Club gave a judging demonstration after which there was cattle judging by both breeders and Calf Club boys. Guessing contests followed and Morris Robb won first prize. The sports of the day were wound up by a tug of war. Jay North and family of this place were in attendance.

Born to Roy Tuttle and wife Monday, August 24, a daughter.

North Adams was well represented at the Farmers Picnic at Devils Lake on Thursday.

George Shafer and wife of Somerset were Sunday guests of F. Westcott and family.

Joseph Simmonds of Anderson, Indiana, has been a guest at the Wertz home this week in this village.

Bert Morehouse of Sterling, Ill. was in town the first of the week meeting old friends and visiting relatives.

John Hollister returned Wednesday from Coldwater where he has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Morelle Smith.

The S. E. Class of the Congregational Sunday school will meet at the church parlors Tuesday evening, Sept. 1. Refreshments and program.

Ronald Anderson, son of William Anderson and wife, underwent an operation for tonsils and adenoids last Saturday and is recovering nicely.

The belfry on the school building of this village has been judged unsafe and carpenters removed it this week. Some surprise was occasioned by the real condition of the belfry. It was found so rickety that it is a miracle the high winds did not carry it off the building.

The W. F. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Frantz Wednesday, September second, at Jerome. Pot-luck dinner followed by a program and business session. This is the annual meeting with election of officers and a good attendance is hoped for.

The Children's Division of the Methodist Sunday school gave a party Tuesday afternoon on the church lawn for Lillian, Floyd and Marian Rock who are soon to leave for Chicago. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The gathering was in charge of Mrs. Percy Wells, superintendent of children's division; Mrs. Walworth; Mrs. Ben Pendell and Miss Pauline Wells teacher. Plans are being made for Rally and Promotion Day in a few weeks. The teachers appreciate the co-operation of parents in helping children to be regular in attendance at Sunday school.

Death of Mrs. E. E. Carter

Mary Emily Borden was born in Allen township February 4, 1852. She was the youngest daughter of Joseph and Mary Armstrong Borden, pioneer residents of this vicinity. She was married to Edward E. Carter in October 1871, and their entire married life was passed in Moscow township.

Mr. Carter passed away March 4, 1925.

Mrs. Carter leaves to mourn one half-brother, one niece, one nephew and many friends in the neighborhood where she had resided for 54 years.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon, August 21st, at Moscow Plains church conducted by Rev. Virgil Hunt of the Congregational church at North Adams, and interment was in Plains cemetery.

North Adams School Begins August 31

For some time preparations have been in progress about the High school building for the opening of the year which occurs Monday, August 31. Prospects for a very good attendance in all departments and many foreign students are held out Owing to the necessity of removing the belfry the bell will be stationed on the pump house for the present. Teachers are as follows: Superintendent, Robert C. Young; principal, Theldon N. Lamb; English, Rev. Virgil Hunt; history and Latin, Genevieve Evans; intermediate, Mrs. R. C. Young; primary, Mrs. Etta Pray.

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Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time the pastor will deliver the first of a series of sermons of "Faith", the first being "Faith and God." Sunday school convenes at 11:45.

Notice! You will have an opportunity to see the original "Passion Play", Don't forget the date! Sunday evening September 6. at 7:30. Come and see the life of Christ portrayed on the Screen.

Choir practice Saturday evening at 7:30 at the home of H. C. Young Everybody is urged to be there. Help make the Church Choir a success.

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Flitz Walters and wife of Jackson were Sunday guests at the Bert Taylor and Forrest Weaver homes in this village.

Farewell Party

Miss Donna Lynch pleasantly entertained fifteen young ladies at her home Wednesday afternoon honoring Miss Elda Rock who is moving to Chicago soon. Miss Rock was given a beautiful boudoir lamp by her friends. Ethel Brewer presented the lamp. The afternoon was spent in playing games after which ice cream and cake were served to the guests. The color scheme of pink and yellow was carried out both in floral decorations and refreshments. Miss Rock received the best wishes of her many friends.

Hillsdale County Jersey Activities

For several years a bunch of enterprising farmers in this section have been endeavoring to build up the stock pedigrees of Hillsdale County by the introduction of only pure bred high grade stock. Among their number might be mentioned Jay North who is an official of the Hillsdale County Jersey Club and a hard worker for better breeding.

Jay went down to Montgomery recently and bought one of the best pedigreed bulls in this part of the state, and he considers himself indeed fortunate in getting such an animal. Throop's King Rioter (171827) was bred by W. S. Prickett of Saginaw: dropped August 28, 1918, and is a grandson of a cow at one time champion of the world in Jerseys with 18,783 pounds of milk, 962.8 pounds of butter fat in one year. Rioter's sire was the famous "King of Cloverland" owned by the great Roycroft Farms of Northern Michigan, and when the herd was sold at auction, King of Cloverland was purchased by Ex-Secretary of Agriculture, E. T. Meredith of Des Moines, Iowa, publisher of Successful Farming.

In procuring this excellent sire Mr. North has we trust, paved the way for a big up-lift in the Jersey pedigrees of the vicinity, and in fact the whole of Hillsdale county. It is a matter of general comment that the condensories in this country have gone into a different system of buying milk now and insist upon paying as per butter fat test, since which the big milk yielding breeds are not eagerly sought for. In fact there is an increasing demand right now for richer milk, even in smaller quantities, and the Jerseys are bound to have their good qualities fully appreciated.

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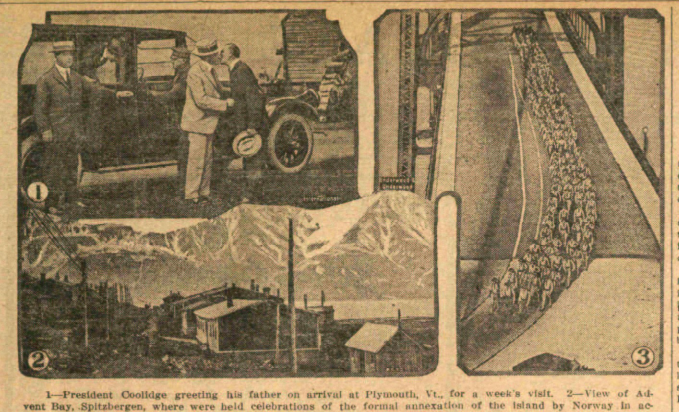

1—President Coolidge greeting his father on arrival at Plymouth, Vt., for a week's visit. 2—View of Advent Bay, Spitzbergen, where were held celebrations of the formal annexation of the island by Norway in accordance with international treaty. 3—Plebes of fourth class men of West Point marching across the Hudson for a week of field work.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Settlement of Belgian Debt Shows Leniency on Part of the United States.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PROVIDED congress is satisfied—and there is no reason to believe it will not be—the funding of Belgium's debt to the United States has been arranged. The agreement was signed by the members of the two commissions last week at a dinner given at the Belgian embassy by Ambassador Baron de Cartier de Marchienne. It is in accord with the advice given by President Coolidge when Secretary Mellon and Senator Smoot conferred with him, and the Brussels government authorized its representatives to accept it.

Belgium is highly pleased with the arrangement, and should be. In the first place, a distinction is made between the obligations incurred during the war and the sums borrowed after the armistice for purposes of relief work and reconstruction. The principal is all to be paid in a period of 62 years, but on the war debt of $171,780,000 Belgium is not required to pay any interest, either accrued or in the future. The interest rate on the post war debt is to be 3½ per cent after the first ten years. During the first decade arbitrary amounts have been fixed on the interest payments, graduated on an easy scale.

On the war debt account the first payment of capital, which will be due June 15, 1926, will be only $1,000,000, increasing gradually until it reaches $2,900,000 in 1932, the same amount to be paid each succeeding year until 1987. Then a final payment of $2,280,000 will be made.

For the first year on the post war debt the principal and interest payment will be $2,840,000, increasing somewhat each year to the eleventh year, when it will be $9,772,000. The annual payment each year thereafter for 51 years, or until 1987, will be approximately this amount—a little under 10,000,000 a year.

The Belgian debt has hitherto been regarded as totaling about $480,000,000, including accrued interest at a rate of 4¼ per cent. The settlement, however, fixes the actual amount at $417,780,000, as of June 15, 1925.

The American commission refused to accept Belgium's claim that the war debt should be shifted in any way to Germany, but explained the easy terms granted by saying that "while no legal obligation rests upon the United States in the matter, there does continue a weighty moral obligation as a result of assurances given which entirely differentiates this sum from all other debts due the United States from foreign countries." The allusion, of course, is to President Wilson's assurance that the German government would be substituted for Belgium as the debtor for the pre-armistice debts.

FRANCE naturally was immensely interested in the Belgian debt settlement and regarded it as a happy augury and as proof that America was ready to make generous concessions in the matter of the French obligations. Finance Minister Caillaux, declaring: "The future of European civilization depends on an immediate solution of the war debts," announced that the French mission headed by Senator Berenger would come to Washington in September and that he would follow it and hoped a funding agreement might be reached early in October. Meanwhile he went on Saturday to London for another conference with the English, expecting to bring about a rapid agreement regarding France's obligations to Great Britain.

Italy, too, was cheered by the Belgian settlement, hoping for similar and perhaps better terms when Ambassador de Martino returns to Washington and the parleys are resumed. The newspapers in Rome are presenting figures to show that Italy is receiving $80 per capita on her reparations account and the national wealth is only $586 per capita, while Belgium receives from Germany $324 per capita and the national wealth of Belgium is $1,377 per capita. The conclusion is drawn that Italy should receive proportionately better terms.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE spent nearly a week at Plymouth, Vt., visiting his father and enjoying the only real rest he has had since his vacation began. On Thursday he reluctantly started back to Swampscott by motor, stopping overnight at Northampton, Mass., with Mrs. Elmira Goodhue, mother of Mrs. Coolidge. Friday afternoon the President received Senator Edge of New Jersey and State Senator Whitney, the Republican gubernatorial nominee.

BESIDES the matter of the Belgian debt agreement, the President had one important conference while at Plymouth. It was about the proposed reduction of federal taxes, and those who talked it over with Mr. Coolidge were Secretary Mellon, Senator Smoot, chairman of the finance committee, and Representative Tillson of Connecticut, Republican floor leader of the house. They assured him that before payments for this year are due on March 15 next, congress will have made substantial reductions in federal income taxes. No definite figure could be proposed yet, because the treasury surplus and amount of the government budget are yet unknown, but the belief was expressed that a cut of at least $300,000,000 could be made.

Both Senator Smoot and Representative Tilson favor cutting the maximum surtax on incomes of $12,000 and more from 40 per cent to 20 per cent, or to 15 per cent if conditions warrant. They also favor making the normal tax on incomes of $4,000 or less 1 per cent instead of 2; 3 per cent instead of 4 for incomes between $4,000 and $8,000, and 5 instead of 6 per cent on incomes over $8,000.

Mr. Mellon feels that the financial condition of the government will permit of a reduction of the surtaxes to 25 per cent, and the cutting down of the normal taxes proportionately, with the lowest normal reduction from 2 to 1 per cent. He favors the federal government abandoning the inheritance taxes, but remarked that he could not attempt to say how far the general tax reduction program could go.

WITH two of its three navy planes out of commission and unusually severe weather prevailing, the MacMillan expedition has abandoned for this year any exploration of the polar sea by air. Instead the party will devote its efforts to the exploring of Norse ruins in Greenland and Labrador and to a survey of Baffin island. In sending word of his change of plans to Washington by radio, Commander MacMillan gave high praise to the navy flyers with him for their efforts to overcome insurmountable obstacles. In flying over Ellesmere island these aviators traversed a vast stretch of uncharted country and high mountain ranges never before seen by man.

PRESUMABLY with the aid and support of the Turks and the Egptian nationalities, the Senussi tribesmen in North Africa have risen against the Italian rule in Tripoli and Cyrenaica. Led by Sheik Ahmed, they waylaid and massacred a column of Italian troops south of Benghazi and occupied the main caravan route between Tripoli and Egypt. The Senussi, a great body of austerely religious Mohammedans, are good fighters and are well armed.

Marshal Petain has been sent to Morocco as supreme commander of the French forces and is directing the vigorous offensive which is driving the troops of Abd-el-Krim back northward to the Atlas mountains. In the Ouezzan region, where the French and Spanish armies are co-operating, wholesale submission of rebels is announced. Spain and France have called off all peace negotiations with the Riff chieftain as he failed to send any representative to Melilla.

MAX MASON, professor of mathematical physics in the University of Wisconsin, has been elected president of the University of Chicago to succeed the late Dr. Ernest De Witt Burton. The board of trustees has followed the recent example of other similar boards in selecting a comparatively young man, for Doctor Mason is only forty-eight years of age. He has accepted the appointment with enthusiasm for he has a vision of Chicago as the cultural and intellectual center of the world. Doctor Mason was born in Madison, Wis., and graduated from the state university, afterward getting his Ph. D. degree from the University of Gottingen, Germany. He taught at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and in Yale before returning in 1908 to the University of Wisconsin as professor of mathematical physics. During the war he was called to Washington to consider the matter of protection from submarines, and he invented the hydrophone by which the undersea vessels were detected and located. According to his associates, he has executive ability of a high order in addition to his academic training.

VICTOR F. LAWSON, editor and publisher of the Chicago Daily News and for many years one of the leading newspaper men of America, died on Wednesday of heart disease after an illness of three days. He was born in Chicago 75 years ago, the son of Norwegian immigrants. After working with his father on a Scandinavian paper there, he bought an interest in the newly established Daily News. Later he acquired Melville E. Stone's share and built the News up into one of the most valuable newspaper properties in the country. He was one of the founders of the Associated Press and always was prominent in its management.

ONE of the most distressing disasters on the Atlantic coast in recent years occurred in Narragansett bay off Newport Tuesday night when a boiler on the excursion steamer Mackinac exploded and more than two score men, women and children were scalded to death by steam. Many others were so badly injured that it was probable the death list would be extended. The boat was on its way from Newport to Pawtucket when the blast came. It was run aground and distress signals quickly brought many navy vessels and other boats to the rescue, but most of the damage already had been done. Federal and state inquiries into the disaster were begun at once. It was said the exploded boiler was an old one deteriorated by wear and thinned down in certain places.

ROY CHAPMAN ANDREWS and his expedition, after having made many valuable and interesting discoveries in Mongolia, have now been ordered to leave that country by the government at Urga. The Mongolian officials allege that Mr. Chapman has violated the terms of his agreement with Mongolian scientific organizations; that besides carrying on his investigations in paleontology, geology and zoology, he has engaged in topographical observation work and has employed a number of persons whom they consider suspicious in a military sense. Mr. Andrews is also accused of carrying on political propaganda against the Bolsheviki.

THE fourteenth Zionist congress opened in Vienna last week and the anti-Semites of the city promptly started a series of riotous demonstrations that kept the police busy for several days. Several members of the mobs were killed and scores were wounded. The rioters, who call themselves Fascists, finally were persuaded by the government to let the Jews meet in peace. The sessions of the congress were not at all harmonious, the delegates being split up into political groups.

IN STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, another world congress opened, the Universal Christian conference, the fundamental idea of which, according to its originators, is the formation of a united front among the Christian churches to face the great world problems that have arisen since the war. Questions of doctrine and faith are not being considered. The American delegates sought to have the conference go on record in favor of total abstinence from alcoholic liquors, but the Europeans told them plainly that this would not be permitted. King Gustave and Queen Victoria gave a state luncheon for the delegates and choice wines were served, but the Americans drank only water.

Unique Trail Found in Northern Alaska

Anchorage, Alaska.—One of the most remarkable instances of native ingenuity discovered in northern Alaska is a posted trail 500 miles long through an unusually desolate region of the Iliamna lake district.

The trail is marked for its entire length by posts made of willow trees, sunk deep into the ground. Nearly every post has sprouted out and grown into a large tree. Every now and then along the route native characters and English words denote distances from various camps and villages. The important cannery towns of Togiak and Nushagak are situated along this marked trail.

That other isolated regions in Alaska and other far northern sections did not think of this method is strange. Northwest Indians had a method of marking paths through timber by bending twigs or scarring tree trunks. Pioneers erected stone piles in the prairie and tacked up markers.

The willow guide highway was built somewhat after the poll tax system. Each summer any native traveling along the route was expected to set as many willow posts as possible. Often for small offenses natives were fined to set willow posts.

When the snow lies deep the dog sledges are always certain of the location by the silver-coated willow branches and the leader dogs instinctively know that to follow the tree lined trail means a sure and swift end of the journey.

King Tommy

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CHAPTER XI—Continued

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"I accept it," he said, "in recognition, not of the services I have rendered, but of those I hope to render to your native land. I think you understand me, Count Casimir."

Casimir did, or thought he did. No doubt Von Steinveldt was of opinion that he would render valuable services to Lystria by marrying the princess and ascending the throne.

"I am also charged by his majesty," he said, "to inform your excellenz that if at any time you should wish to visit the Mascotte a table will be reserved for you and a proper deduction, fifty per cent in fact, will be made to your bill."

"I shall certainly accept the invitation," said Von Steinveldt. "I have long wished to see the Princess Calypso dance. She is still dancing there, I hope."

"She danced last night."

"And tonight? No, tonight I am engaged, and the night after. Will the Princess Calypso be dancing next Monday night?"

Casimir sincerely hoped not. If his plans worked out as he wished, the princess would be well on her way to Lystria on Monday night. But he did not want to say that to Von Steinveldt. He made an effort to get away from the subject of the Princess Calypso.

"His majesty," he said, "hopes to engage an English dancer for the Mascotte. She is, I am told, well known and greatly appreciated in London. If your excellenz will come and see her when she arrives you will no doubt be pleased. Her name is Temple, Viola Temple."

"Ach," said Von Steinveldt. "I think I know the name. Let me see. I hear a little of the gossip of the London clubs, though I should no longer be admitted as a member of one of them. Is not that the lady to whom young Lord Norheys is so deeply attached?"

Casimir felt that the time had come for getting at the real object of his mission. This chance mention of Norheys' name gave him his opportunity.

"Speaking of Lord Norheys," he said, "reminds me that his majesty asked me to say to you—"

Von Steinveldt interrupted him.

"That Lord Norheys is in Berlin. But I know it already. I had a visit from him this morning. A very charming young man. Perhaps he is over here to take care of Miss Temple."

Casimir, who had been uneasy all through the interview, became actually uncomfortable. He did not understand what Von Steinveldt meant.

"Miss Temple," he said, "has not yet arrived in Berlin."

"Indeed. Then perhaps there is no truth in the rumor that he intends to marry Miss Temple. Indeed, I have heard it whispered that another and much more desirable marriage has been planned for that fortunate young man. The Princess Calypso is, I understand, a very beautiful young lady."

Casimir was not surprised to find that Von Steinveldt knew all about the scheme for the marriage of Calypso and Norheys, but he was startled, puzzled and frightened to hear the matter spoken of in this way.

"Lord Norheys is a rich man, I believe," Von Steinveldt went on. "He will no doubt make an excellent king of Lystria, a post which could hardly be accepted by a man without private means. And if your oil fields are developed, he will see to it that England obtains control of them. Well, England gets everything nowadays. To the victors the spoils. It is enough for us poor Germans that we are allowed to live. Pleas. tell the king that I do not grudge Lord Norheys his good fortune. I found him a most attractive young man. I have seldom enjoyed a chat more than the one I had with him this morning."

Casimir felt perfectly certain that Von Steinveldt would grudge the princess and the throne of Lystria to Lord Norheys or any one else except himself. He was equally sure that no German would be content to see England in control of the Lystrian oil. He felt that he was being played with, laughed at, and that some very disagreeable surprise awaited him. He began to be angry and to lose confidence in himself.

"What brought Lord Norheys here?" he asked abruptly.

"There was some trifling irregularity about his passport," said Von Steinveldt, "and he very properly brought it straight to me."

Casimir knew, or thought he knew, all about Tommy's passport and that the irregularity was anything but trifling. He also knew that Tommy had not gone to Von Steinveldt's office of his own free will. He had been arrested and taken there. He jumped to the conclusion that Von Steinveldt had already sent Lord Norheys back to England and was now enjoying his triumph in a disagreeble and spiteful manner.

"I was so glad to be able to set the matter right for him at once," said Von Steinveldt.

"I suppose," said Casimir, "that you have deported him."

Von Steinveldt raised his eyebrows in well-feigned surprise.

"My dear Count Casimir," he said. "Why should I deport Lord Norheys? That excellent young man is at present enjoying the sights of Berlin, in company, perhaps, with Miss Temple. Or did you say that she had not yet arrived? I suppose in any case he does not mean actually to marry her. It would be very awkward for you and King Wladislaws if any formal promise of marriage existed. It might be difficult to buy off Miss Temple. I imagine that you would have to pay her more than five hundred pounds. Perhaps the king might offer her the Gold Adder of Lystria."

He fingered the pink ribbon on his breast as he spoke.

"Or a table at the Mascotte and fifty per cent off her bill. But I forgot. She has already been engaged to dance there."

Casimir was by this time nervous as well as angry. Von Steinveldt would scarcely venture to laugh at him so openly unless he were very sure that he had the best of the game.

"I suppose," he said, "that you have imprisoned Lord Norheys if you haven't deported him."

"Even if I wished to imprison him," said Von Steinveldt, I daren't. We poor Germans lost the war, you know. The hand of the conqueror lies heavy on us. If I arrested an English nobleman in the streets of Berlin, I should probably be tried for my life by the League of Nations. My property would certainly be confiscated. But I need not talk of such things. Even if I could do so with impunity, I should not want to interfere with Lord Norheys or to curtail his liberty in any way."

Casimir has the temper of a healthy and therefore amiable child. But like most children and simple minded people, he is liable to sudden gusts of passion which he cannot control.

"You've just taken five hundred pounds of our money—" he said.

"For the impoverished German aristocracy," said Von Steinveldt, "and I assure it will be well spent."

"You have accepted the Order of the Golden Adder—"

"In return for services which you hoped I would render to your country. Is not that so, Count Casimir? Well, I have rendered them before you asked me. Three hours ago your friend Lord Norheys left this room entirely free to go where he chose and do what he liked."

"I don't believe you," said Casimir.

"If you will inquire at his hotel," said Von Steinveldt, "or Miss Temple's hotel— But I keep forgetting. You said she was not in Berlin. Or perhaps he has taken the princess out to luncheon somewhere. Or he may be making arrangements for his journey to Lystria. You will find him somewhere no doubt if you look for him. He is certainly at liberty."

Casimir rose from his chair and crossed the room.

"I don't know what you expect to gain," he said angrily, "by treating the king and myself as you have; but if you think that after this the Lystrians will ever accept you as a king, you are very badly mistaken."

He opened the door as he spoke. When he had finished speaking he passed through it and slammed it violently behind him.

I have no doubt that Von Steinveldt smiled. He probably chuckled when Casimir left him. The mistake about Tommy's identity was sure to be discovered sooner or later. When it was discovered every one concerned would feel so foolish that there would be no further talk about an English candidate for the throne of Lystria. Once Lord Norheys was out of the way, Von Steinveldt's own chances would be greatly improved.

CHAPTER XII

Casimir spent a harassed and trying time for the rest of the day.

He was convinced, and the king agreed with him, that Von Steinveldt meant to play a trick of some kind.

It was conceivable—indeed, likely enough—that the German would have accepted a bribe. That he had allowed Lord Norheys to go free before he was bribed was a thing which neither the king nor Casimir could believe. But they did not know and could not guess what kind of a trick Von Steinveldt meant to play, or what trick he could play. The simplest thing to do was to send the princess and Tommy off to Lystria at once.

Unfortunately, this was not possible.

The arrangements for crossing the frontier and their reception in the Schloss Ambray were not yet complete. The plan which Casimir had made was that the patriarch and the leading notables of Lystria should be waiting at the schloss to celebrate the wedding and the coronation immediately after the princess and Lord Norheys arrived. But the patriarch was not there, and nothing could be done without him. Only a few of the nobility were actually in the schloss. Casimir required three days to have everything ready.

But if Von Steinveldt had any card in his hand and meant to play it, it was plainly unwise to keep the princess and Lord Norheys in Berlin. He and the king decided to send them to Breslau. There they would be within easy reach of the frontier, and when they crossed it would, at once be among the mountains of Lystria. If they stayed there quietly, Von Steinveldt might not guess where they were, and they would, at worst, be farther out of his reach than if they stayed in Berlin.

Casimir's original plan had been that his sister, the Countess Olga, should accompany the princess as lady-in-waiting. Neither he nor the king could go with her. They would be closely watched and stopped at the frontier. But he had every hope that, with the passports he meant to provide, the princess, Lord Norheys and the Countess Olga would be able to get into Lystria.

That part of the plan was spoiled by the unexpected appearance of Janet Church. She insisted on going to Lystria, and, when he came to think it over, Casimir was not altogether sorry. The Countess Olga might be suspected. Janet Church, a wandering English spinster of a type perfectly well known all over Europe, was as safe a traveling companion as could be found for a pair of political conspirators.

Casimir and the king agreed that the party should start for Breslau next morning. Then Casimir's work began. He engaged seats in the train. He telegraphed for rooms at the best hotel in Breslau. He sent long telegrams in code to the patriarch, to his cousin Count Albert Casimir and to several other people in Lystria. He warned his sister that Colonel Heard's passports must be secured during the day. If by some unfortunate chance the Colonel had not left his keys lying about, the Countess Olga would have to cut open a suitcase or a dispatch box. If necessary she could go to prison for a while as a dishonest housemaid, but the passports must be got.

Then he tried to find Tommy in order to warn him to be ready. He came on Janet Church having her afternoon tea in the hall of the Adlon hotel, but she knew nothing about Tommy. She had not seen him since he left the hotel in the morning to go to the police office. She very willingly agreed to help Casimir to find him. They went out and searched Berlin. Janet made a round of all the picture galleries, museums and churches, a long business, and entirely futile. All public buildings in Berlin are shut in the afternoon and by six o'clock it is not possible to enter even a church. Casimir, who knew Berlin better than Janet did, rushed round the chief picture palaces and a number of likely restaurants. He failed to find Tommy.

I asked Tommy afterward how he spent that afternoon. He told me that after lunching comfortably in a restaurant, he determined to see the city in a simple and inexpensive way. He got into the first street car he saw, went in it till it stopped and came back again to the place from which he started. Then took another car and did the same thing. Altogether he seems to have worked over the course of fourteen different cars. I cannot imagine a better way of eluding a pursuer. I shall certainly try it if I ever want to keep out of the clutches of the police for a few hours. At nine o'clock Tommy went back to the hotel, changed his clothes and took a taxi to the Mascotte. He was determined to see Calypso again, and that was the only place he could think of where he was likely to meet her. He did not meet her there, for she was at home packing her clothes. He did not even meet the king, who had taken an evening's holiday, no doubt in order to give some final advice to his daughter. Tommy, seated by himself at a table in a corner of the great room, was glad to see Casimir when he came in. Casimir was tired after his long search through Berlin, and was so pleased at finding Tommy that he ordered two bottles of champagne.

I dare say he drank too much of it. Tommy did not. He remained perfectly clear-headed and he thoroughly understood what Casimir said to him. He agreed to go to Breslau and from there to Lystria. He would have promised quite as readily to go to Timbuctoo and thence to the Fiji islands in company with Calypso. But he insisted that he must explain to Calypso, to the king, and, at once, to Casimir, that he was not Lord Norheys. On that point he was absolutely determined. He refused to go adventuring under another man's name. If he was to marry Calypso, which he very much wanted to do, it must be as Rev. T. A. Norreys; not as a marquis or any one else.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Story of Elgin

We might use the glamorous words of childhood's fairy tales "Long ago and far away," to tell the tale of Elgin cathedral, whose seven hundredth birthday was celebrated last August 5 and 6. So long ago as the twilight time of the early Middle ages, so far away as Rome, must we go for the beginnings of the story of this hoary old pile, whose influence has been casting its spell upon the lives of the dwellers in the old province of Moray from that far-off time to the present. There is an old tradition that the Culdees founded the church to begin with just as they did that of Birnie. In any case, the site was already hallowed by many sacred associations when Bishop Andrew Moray, scion of the powerful house of De Moravia, moved the Cathedral of Spynie to the Church of Holy Trinity in Elgin.

Earth Nature's Tomb

The earth, that is nature's mother is her tomb.—Shakespeare.

Hope to Find Skeleton of Hippo in England

The caves of Torbryan, near Newton Abbot, in England, are being searched in the hope of finding the skeletonized remains of a hippopotamus. In the middle of last century a Teignmouth draper named Wedger spent most of his leisure time for twenty years searching nine of the natural caves and found the remains of bears, wolves, lions and hyenas. His most startling find was that of the tooth and part of the forehead of a hippopotamus. Experts have argued for years over the latter discovery, and a systematic search of the caves is being made in the hope that the rest of the bones of the river monster will be found. It is common knowledge in scientific circles that, in the different eras through which Great Britain passed, bears, wolves, lions and other wild animals ranged the country, but, in regard to the situation of the caves it is contended that there would be too little water to attract a hippopotamus. Beneath the natural floor of one of the caves signs of human habitation have been discovered.

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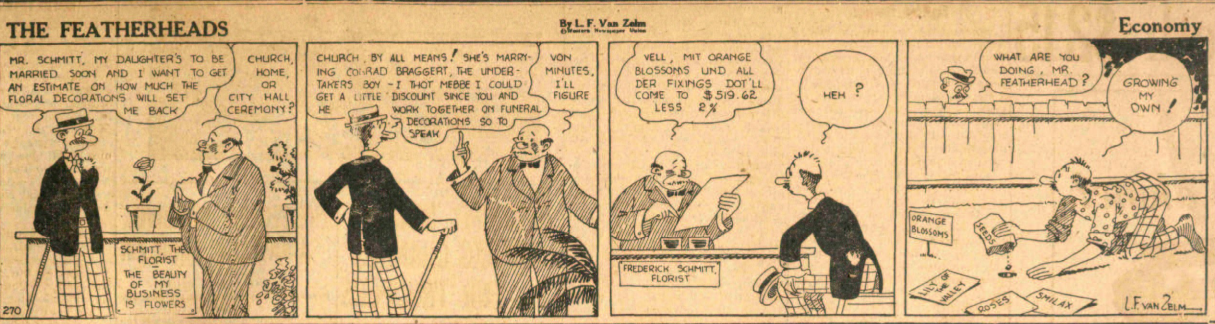
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STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

ON EASY MONEY

"An awfully interesting man came to see me today, Aunt Emmy. He had a list of stocks and bonds that look very favorable to me. Take this," said Helen, handing an alluring looking folder to Aunt Emmy. "This stock is pretty good. The man said it would be quoted at 20 on the exchange a month after it is put out. I can buy shares now at two dollars so I would make eighteen dollars for every two dollars I invest and all inside of four weeks." Helen paused for breath while Aunt Emmy looked at the folder.

"If I were to buy those White Leghorn chickens of yours," remarked Aunt Emmy, "would you promise me their eggs will sell for one dollar and a half a dozen a month from now?"

"Of course not, Aunty," laughed Helen. "The price of eggs depends entirely on the supply and demand in the market."

"Well, how about stocks? Why can this man promise you this stock will be selling for twenty dollars a month from now?"

"Well, I don't know exactly, but the listings on the stock exchange are different, aren't they?"

"The prices of stocks quoted on the stock exchange are influenced by supply and demand like the prices of eggs. No one can honestly guarantee the future price of any stock. A promoter who urges you to buy stock on any such guarantee is misinforming you. A stock salesman you could trust would never make such a statement. If you are going to listen to such talk you'd better put your money in the savings bank."

"But I wouldn't make so much on it!" objected Helen.

"Big profits mean big risks, and you cannot afford to take risks," said Aunt Emmy. "The house that gets out this booklet is unknown to you. Why don't you find out who you are dealing with?"

"How can I find out about the thousands of stock houses in the United States?"

"Well," said Aunt Emmy, "if you insist on considering making investments, you ought to at least take the trouble to go to your bank and find out about the people you are dealing with."

"I didn't know banks would bother with anything but actual banking," Helen said.

"They are glad to," Aunt Emmy said. "The more people that save and invest money wisely the better it is for the banks."—A. B. Aymes.

RESTRICTING LOANS ON UNECONOMIC FARMING

Bankers in many of the rural sections of the country are realizing as never before that they cannot afford to loan money for the conduct of farming enterprises where the odds are against that enterprise ever becoming a success. The risk is too great, and what is more it is doing the borrower an injury to encourage him in an unwarranted venture.

Some farmers may resent the idea of being questioned in regard to the use they expect to make of borrowed money. A false idea of their independence may lead them to feel that they can do as they please and follow any system of farming they desire; that it is nobody else's business whether that system is economic or not.

Experiences in certain sections during the past few years demonstrate the folly of such a position. The banker is loaning other people's money and he is duty bound to safeguard what has been entrusted to him. Further, the law holds him responsible. With this obligation resting on his shoulders he has a right to select his customers. If he is convinced that a one-crop system or any other particular type of farming is unsound and is likely to be uneconomic, he is doing an injustice to the borrower as well as the depositor to loan the farmer the money.

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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Helping "Bad" Children Go Right

Have you a child who plays truant or refuses to do his school work? Does one of your Sunday school pupils persist in kicking or fighting other members of the class? Are you troubled about a neighborhood boy who is caught in petty thefts from time to time?

One's acquaintance with children would be slight indeed if he did not know one or more children presenting some such behavior problem. Most of us have spent anxious hours struggling with such children and such problems. Sooner or later it must have become apparent that parental slipper effected no permanent cure; that stubborn cases were not corrected by sending them to a dark closet or a supperless sleep. Removal of adenoids and the services of a good dentist helped some children out of their anti-social behavior, but there remain countless cases to give anxiety to parents, teachers, welfare workers and police.

Students of behavior problems have found ways of getting at these so-called stubborn cases, and today in clinics all over the country these children and their parents and teachers are being helped to normal, happy lives. Juvenile court judges, social workers, and scientists met in Chicago recently to celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of the opening of the first of these clinics for child guidance. What started as an adjunct of the juvenile court of that great city has been adapted to the needs of all the children of the comunity, and has been copied in scores of cities over the land. Spread of this idea has saved countless children from lives of crime, has kept hundreds of children out of institutions for the feeble-minded, and has brought happiness to thousands of children harassed in body and mind.

No one claims to have gotten at the bottom of this question of behavior. Both children and adults still do things which the scientists can neither explain nor cure. But we do know the cause and the cure for many kinds of peculiar behavior, and some of the best minds of the country are grappling with the more puzzling manifestations of undesirable conduct. Childhood is coming into its own. It is being studied and treated sympathetically. The modern child is shown how to get rid of the fears that harass him, to overcome the shyness that makes him fail in his recitations, to adapt himself to short comings in his environment or his body. Equally important, his parents and teachers are being taught to understand his problems and to deal with them sympathetically in stead of in blind, repressive fashion which generally leads to worse misbehavior than ever before.

Child-guidance clinics are only incidentally concerned with helping a child to find what his lifework shall be. They originted with juvenile courts which wanted to help children get rid of the weaknesses which brought them into court time and again. Sponsors of the clinics were not long in discovering that children who never ran afoul of the juvenile court had quite as serious behavior problema and were quite as much in need of guidance as the wards of the court So the modern child guidance clinic is only incidentally interested in the juvenile court children of their age as well as of backward youngsters. The well-run clinic gives the child a thorough examination at the hands of a physician, a psychiatrist, and a psychologist. Then a trained social worker studies the home life of the child and the family history and characteristics to discover what part environment has in the creation of a peculiar behavior, and whether the child's heredity is responsible for misconduct.

Sugar pills have "cured" many a fancied illness, but the medical and criminal annals did not contain many cases of serious misconduct being cured by liberal helpings of sugar and jam until the child guidance clinics began treating children with behavior problems. The parents of Harry Scott, aged 11 will testify that that prescription, obtained at the Institute for Juvenile Research in Chicago, Chicago's name for its child-guidance clinic, worked a modern miracle with their boy.

Harry's father is a successful lawyer, his mother is active in civic enterprises, and his brothers and sisters do well at school, play normal games and lead wholesome lives. Yet for several years Harry repeatedly stole money, toys, fountain pens, watches and other articles from members of his family and neighbors. No punishment or lecturers or pleadings curbed his pilfering. No reward could prompt Harry to do his share of the chores around the house, such as raking the leaves, and no coaxing could enlist Harry in the games of the other children. He did fairly well in school when he attended, but he was a persistent truant. Had Harry been a slum child he would have been arrested and brought before the juvenile court, but his parents made good his depredations and struggled with him. In despair they brought him to the institute.

(Continued next week)

Fear Potato Blight Will Follow Rains

Possibility of a costly outbreak of late blight among Michigan potatoes is being pointed out by the crops department at the M. S. C., the wet weather of the last few weeks having provided ideal conditions for the appearance of the diseases.

The potato crop is already fairly short, says H. C. Moore, potato specialist with the college extension division, estimates by the United States Department of Agriculture placing the 1925 production at one hundred five million bushels less than last year. Loss from blight would be felt more seriously than usual, therefore, and added care should be taken in caring for the crop.

The best control measure is to spray with Bordeaux Mixture (4-4-50) every ten days or two weeks. When it is raining rather frequently it is even safer to spray every week. Use a good high pressure machine to get the spray on the under side of the leaves, where the usually starts.

The blight is one of the worst potato diseases in its effect upon the keeping quality of the tubers in storage. An outbreak would result in great damage. It has been twelve years since the last bad epidemic of blight in Michigan. Bordeaux Mixture is also said to be effective against the leaf hoppers, which seem to be present always.

Call Meeting To Start Poultry Certification

Final organization of poultry certification work in the state, under the auspices of the Michigan State Poultry Improvement Association and the M. S. C., will be effected at meetings to be held in Grand Rapids and Lansing early in September, according to officers of the association.

The new poultry organization will supervise certification of hatcheries, poultry flocks, and baby chicks, under college inspection, much after the plan of the state crop improvement association, being a purely cooperative venture The aim is a guaranteed supply of pure bred poultry products for the farmers and hatcherymen of the state.

All who raise poultry and are interested in the new plan for certification are invited to attend a meeting at Grand Rapids September 3 or one at Lansing September 4 according to J. A. Hannah, member of the M. S. C. poultry department and an officer of the association.

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Boy and girl members of dairy clubs in Michigan will compete for a free trip to the 1925 National Dairy Exposition at Indianapolis, October 10 to 17, offered by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute as a part of that organization's farm development work. The trip with all expenses paid is awarded to the champion dairy calf club member of the state selected by Nevels Pearson, Assistant State Club Leader under arrangements made by the National Committee on Boys and Girls' Club Work. In addition the Blue Valley organization will award one gold watch to each boy or girl owner of the grand champion calf of the Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Holstein-Friesian and Jersey breeds at the Exposition.

What They Ask

A "walking encyclopedia" of home economics is what most people expect a home demonstration agent to be. An extension worker in Bear Lake County, Idaho, who found the questions coming in thicker and faster than those asked by the proverbial small boy, decided to keep track of what the farm women with whom she worked wanted to know. She reported to the United States Department of Agriculture that at the end of three days she had been asked, and had answered to the best of her ability, the following questions, which do not include those connected with the regular home demonstration work or meetings:

"Some pickles recipes." "Will dill pickles spoil? How do you detect the spoilage, and what do you do?" "The best method of mitering corners." "How to remodel old hats." "How to remodel some old dresses." "How to make over a fur coat." "How to make over a cloth coat." "Some ways to use sugar and flour sacks." "Ideals for Christmas presents." "How do you dye a dress, and what colors give the best results?" "How do you cook wild fowl?" "A good style for a maternity dress." "Some ideas for making children's clothes "Help in making my own clothes" "How do you paint weeds for decorative purposes?" "How can I best patch a man's clothing when torn?" "Canning directions for peas, beans, corn, and tomatoes." "How do you know when meat is spoiled?" "A menu for a family reunion, including a color scheme and decorations." "A week's menus for a diabetic." "What colors can I dye tan wool?" "Some salad recipes." "Egg recipes." "A color scheme for a centerpiece," "Some recipes for cooking common vegetables so the meals won't be so monotonous." "What sort of a dress should I buy?" "Who should wear earrings?" "How do you clean silk?" "How do you dye shoes?' "How much fat should I use in pastry?" Questions which might be asked a canning club team. "A good practical kitchen apron pattern," "A list of good standard novels." "My dress draws to the back after being cut by a pattern I bought. Can I prevent that, or have I spoiled my dress material?"

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Don't try to work the stock market. If the public were to win, professional operators would soon shut up shop and quit.

Don't buy stock in mines you know nothing about. Many mines are holes where fools dump their money.

Don't buy oil stock.

Don't buy stock in new invention schemes.

Don't buy real estate unless you have seen it. It may be a swamp.

Don't buy from one who says, "Invest now or it will be too late."

Don't buy from one who says, "The price will soon be raised."

Don't buy from one who offers you a discount for cash.

Don't buy anything on "tips."

Have nothing to do with the "bucket shop."

Don't speculate. A rich man can afford to, but you can't.

A splendid rule is, before you buy a security take it to a conservative and disinterested banker and ask him how much he will lend on it alone as security.—*Banker-Farmer.*

Navy Launches a Big Electric Ship

Even the queen ships of the United States Navy, the group of electrically driven fighting vessels that includes the U. S. S. Maryland and West Virginia, most powerful battleships in the world, will be excelled in propulsion power, speed and length by the U. S. S. Saratoga, the first of two airplane carriers just launched at Camden, N. J.

The other airplane carrier, the U. S. S. Lexington, will be launched this fall at Quincy, Mass. Originally, these two vessels were to have been battle cruisers and as such would have been classed the mightiest men-o'-war possessed by Uncle Sam.

The Navy at present has but one airplane carrier, the U. S. S Langley, named after the scientist who made the first practical investigation of aeronautics. This ship was rebuilt from the old collier, Jupiter, the first vessel of the Navy to be equipped with turbine electric drive.

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A bank in Monrovia, Ind., tests seed corn for farmers. A basement room was fitted out last season for the purpose and 25,000 ears were tested for fifty-six farmers. One-fourth of the seed tested last year was unfit for seed. This year the percentage will run even higher. The work is done under the supervision of the high school agricultural teacher. He reports that the community will have a surplus of seed corn this year.

The banks of Conway, Ark., have offered prizes for the most marketable sweet potatoes produced on one acre of land. A first prize of $150 is offered, along with three district prizes of $50 each. The county agent and the banks are working out the details.

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Exploded Theories

Some of the modern scientists have claimed for some time back that they believed that any form of human or animal life could be frozen stiff instantly and so remain in a state of suspended animation for years and then be thawed out and come to life again, but of course they did not believe such a rejuvenated cadaver could last long after such an experiment.

This theory was generally exploited thirty years ago and amateur Izaak Waltons believed that fish became frozen in the ice of lakes in cold climates during winter months and in the spring came to life again when the ice thawed. We remember of reading a popular story founded on this principle. It was a sea tale written by the famous English author W. Clark Russell. Russell in his "The Frozen Pirate" cleverly led the reader through a long maze of occurrences of sailor life whereas a certain Englishman left his native port on a merchantman to round Cape Horn and when in southern latitudes the merchantman was wrecked by a terrific storm and dismasted, drifting southward into Anarctic regions One by one the crew died from exposure and hunger until the hero was the only man left alive. While gazing aloft he was struck on the head by a falling block and rendered insensible. When he revived the ship was afoul of an ice field, and in the dim distance he espied the outlines of another hulk similarly dismasted and helplessly fast. Provisions were plenty on the English merchantman and after refreshing himself he set out to explore the ice floe. He found in the distance the wreck of an ancient pirate privateer presumably of Spanish nationality, quite intact in hull and filled with treasures of loot. He gives a vivid description of his entering for the first time the pitchy dark cabin and being terribly scared by touching the frozen forms of the crew seated naturally about the table where they had been for centuries. The author goes on to say that the Englishman somehow managed to drag the pirates above and cast them overboard except one particularly villianous looking ruffain left near his newly built fire in the cook's galley. In the meantime the Englishman had returned to his own ship and secured lights with which he searched the pirate ship from end to end and on returning to the cabin was surprised to find the frozen body had actually come to life. The yarn further says the Spanish sailor gradually became weaker and weaker and inside a few days was a weazened mummified old cadaver dying as he slept.

Publishers of the magazine "Science and Invention" have recently made experiments with animals which proves conclusively that no living thing can be frozen stiff and again come to life. In the first place any method of freezing known to science today bursts every blood vessel in the body which in itself is sufficient to kill.

But the editor of this magazine goes on to say, "It is possible that future science and discoveries will enable some process to be used whereby the human form can be instantaneously frozen in solid ice and every vitality retained in suspended animation. Then with suitable respiratory apparatus to produce artificial breathing, the subject may be resusitated and live on indefinitely."

In view of what science has accomplished during the past 20 years, it would not be surprising if even stranger things came to pass. At present there are thousands of partially informed people in this country who take these stories as literal truth, and the publishers of "Science and Invention" receive large numbers of letters annually inquiring about matters which are discussed from a speculative standpoint. The creating and stopping of human life are still hid to science and Dame Nature seems to aay "Thus far shalt thou go, and no farther."

A Few Hints For Autoists

Scores of smart people imagine that if they are careful to inflate their tires to the extent of 40 pounds or less in hot weather the tires will wear longer, when as a matter of a fact the opposite is the truth. Never drive with a soft tire unless you have balloons. Inflate your tires to the full capacity in ordinary weather and in extremely hot days with cool mornings and nights if you take air early in the morning allow about 10 pounds for expansion as the temperature rises. Bear in mind that your tires more often give out on the side walls from the constant flexing when it is soft as it travels along the road. If you own a concrete floor on which to stand your machine when not in use provide jacks for raising the tires off the floor when you drive in. You will find this adds many days to the life to your tires.

The matter of oiling is one of the worst bugbears of the modern motorist. You perhaps give your car a liberal dose of oil when you first get it then you carefully forget all about it for several months. Don't you think for a minute the job is done. Watch the springs, especially the shackles and give them a dose of machine oil occasionally clean out the grease cups and put in new hard oil and screw them down until the grease works out the cracks. Not until then are you absolutely sure your car is properly lubricated. Every 1,000 miles you should drain the crank case and re-fill with the very best oil you can buy. The best is none too good and if you know how thin and worthless the oil becomes after a short run you would pay better attention to it. As to your firing troubles poor spark plugs are often found to be the cause of two thirds of it. It is sometimes hard to test a plug by ordinary means and discover its weakness. As a rule any motorist will make money by renewing his plugs every two years if not oftener, and at the same time you often hear of spark plugs being used five years and often longer without being taken out, but there is a great saving of gas by using only A-No. 1 plugs. A cheap plug is a loss at any price. If your car is not worth a good plug, it should be junked.

Literally thousands of people run their "flivvers" and large cars with a wrong adjustment of carburetor, causing a terirfic loss of power and waste of gas. If you drive a Ford, see to it all the manifold joints between carburetor and cylinders are absolutely air tight, then set your carburetor as lean as it will run. The less gas and the more air you use with your Ford the better. All Ford cars are so constructed as to use greater quantities of air in the mixture than any other car with less provision for air intake. Some Fords will run excellently with an auxiliary air valve on the manifold which is gradually opened from the dash as the car warms up. This is a wonderful gas saver. Big cars require an expert adjustment at the garage and once adjusted should never be disturbed until overhauled.

Some carburetors are so sensitive (the Marvel for instance) that the least turn of the air valve or gas cock will throw them out of commission. If your car suddenly develops a knock, don't begin to cuss the carbon, because the knock might be from a dozen different causes, and nobody but an expert can locate these knocks and these fellows sometimes fall down. For instance you get a thump which seems to be in the fly wheel or the transmission and you swear by the beard of the Prophet you have stripped gears—but lo, upon investigation it proves to be a loose main bearing, and vice versa. Some times a motorist believes he has a loose main bearing, when to his amazement the trouble is at the extreme rear of his bus. So we say nothing can be learned from sounds We have known instances when it was supposed front timer gears were out of alignment when the squall came from the transmission and vice versa. Remember this above all else—your machine will always liven up like a resusitated rat if you give it fresh grease. If you don't believe it drain the transmission, the rear housing and the crank case, and rinse out with kerosene. Then re-fill with the best fibre grease in the differential and transmission and best Mobiloil in the crank case—then note the result. My! She runs just like new!

Last but most important of all, see to it that your springs are at all times full of fresh grease. If you drive a car that is heavy attach a tackle to the rear end and raise it off the wheels. This will allow you to get between the leaves of the springs to thoroughly oil. Any make of machine will ride one half easier with well lubricated springs, and also will show far less wear at the end of the season, because there is a tendency to glide and cushion over the bumps, whereas rusty springs cause hard bumps to passengers and engine.

My! My! What Next?

The truth is out and who is to blame? My! My! What'll the W. C. T. U.'s think and the church people of this broad land and every body else who has been prating about the abstemious habits of our excellent first citizen, President Calvin Coolidge? Have you heard the news? Well, it is a fact (whisper please) that President Coolidge smokes those nasty old cigarettes. It has been leaked out by a member of the Washington staff of the National Tribune. President Coolidge was seen strolling on the Swampscott, Massachusetts estate recently placidly smoking a coffin tack.

Whereat this fact occurs to us gleaned from statistics: Smokers are tending away from cigars and towards cigarettes; and this has been noticeable ever since the World War. The demand for cigar tobaccos has gone down and the demand for cigaret material has gone up. Whether the nation as a whole is getting more foolish tradition doth not tell, but it is a fact that 20,000 less acres of cigar tobaccos were raised in 1925 than in 1924. We have always been taught that coffin tacks were the smoke of the lowly and the penniless but recent developments make it plain that millionaires and paupers—princes and criminals indulge in them. If our memory is correct Warren Harding also indulged in cigarets much to many people's astonishment. While we deplore the example of the Nation's head we also question the claims put worth by some W. C. T. U.'s and church people that cigarettes in moderation produce insanity, of weak mindedness. We say this with a full knowledge of their evil effects, and we positively have no use for them and have no acquiescense with those who smoke them

ECONOMY RULE WORKS CHANGES FOR TROOPERS

COM. ALAN G STRAIGHT REORGANIZES SAFETY DEPARTMENT TO MEET BUDGET LIMIT

Alan G. Straight, recently appointed commissioner of the Department of Public Safety of Michigan has put into effect sweeping changes which amount to a reorganization. This has been made necessary because of the action of the legislature in allowing only about one-half of the appropriation requested to enable the department to function at full strength and perform all duties assigned to it. Since 1923 when other divisions of the state government were merged with the State Police, the department has been given many new duties but little additional funds.

It is estimated that 100 additional men would be required were the policing of the state trunk line highways to be carried out fully.

Uniformed men of the State Police have been divided into five troops with headquarters at Negaunee, Gaylord, St. Clair, Paw Paw and Flat Rock. Each of these troop commanders has responsibility for a district. All supplies and purchases for each district must be approved by the commander in that district. All matters of criminal investigation and highway patrol in the district are under supervision of the commanding officer.

Force Is Divided

Supervision of the uniformed force will be directed by Captain C. J. Scavarda from East Lansing. He is also in charge of the State Police school where recruits are trained Under a law passed by the 1925 legislature local police officers may also attend sessions of this police school in order to better fit them for their work. Lieutenant J. C. Cleghorn is assistant to Captain Scavarda.

The Negaunee headquarters, in command of Captain A. N. Downing, has the Upper Peninsula as its field, the Gaylord troop, under Captain John Fagan, operates in the northern section of the Lower Peninsula, the St. Clair troop, under Lieutenant Frank Walker has the Bay City-Saginaw-Flint-Port Huron district, the Flat Rock troop under Lieutenant Joseph Kearney has the southeastern corner of the state and the Paw Paw troop, under Lieutenant Ora E. Demoray, the southwestern section.

The state detective bureau and the state identification bureau will work in conjunction with the uniformed State Police as well as with local officers. Men displaying a special aptitude for crime detection have been assigned to the detective bureau. The need of such a bureau lies in the fact that many counties of the state have no trained detective force to deal with serious crimes. This bureau also conducts investigations for the governor, attorney-general and other state officials.

Free Lance Squad Formed

Captain I. H. Marmon has been placed at the head of a free lance squad to deal with problems arising from gambling places, disorderly roadhouses and the like. A number of places where the laws were violated have been closed.

A special squad has been detailed to deal with prohibition law cases. The uniformed men are utilized to conduct raids upon evidence secured by the members of this squad.

The duties of the State Police go far beyond routine police duty. The force is charged with the destruction of seized alcoholic liquors and a number of men are kept busy at this disagreeable task practically all of the time. Transfer of prisoners from one institution to another and from prisons to road camps is also under the State Police. Several men are engaged most of the time in bringing back prisoners who have escaped from Michigan to other states.

Other Divisions

Use of convicts to build state highways has been made possible through the employment of State Police to guard these prisoners. This has resulted in a large saving to the state in construction costs.

Some of the burden of prohibition law enforcement has been taken away by the consent of federal officers to assume charge of a part of the border patrol against smugglers. Owing to the small number of men in the State Police, enforcement of the prohibition laws in the cities is also left almost entirely to local officers.

One of the divisions of the Department of Public Safety which has had to be restricted in expenditures owing to the cutting of the budget is the state fire marshal's office. This has the general task of fire prevention in the state and the more specific work of investigating all suspicious fires and inspecting theaters, public buildings, rural schools, public institutions and the like.

Oil inspection is a division which takes all of the time of some inspectors and part time of many officers.

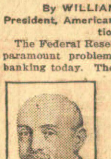
Supervision of paroled prisoners also is a work of the Department of Public Safety.

Boxing shows are supervised by another division of the department.

THE FEDERAL RESERVE A NATIONAL PROBLEM

By WILLIAM E. KNOX
President, American Bankers Association

The Federal Reserve situation is the paramount problem before American banking today. The time is approaching when it will be necessary for the nation to consider the question of rechartering the Federal Reserve Banks.



William E. Knox

The Federal Reserve System must be preserved. It is one of the most scientific banking systems in the world. During the last ten years, through all the stress of war, inflation, depression and revival, it served this country as no country was ever served by a banking system. We know that without it our nation would have had a financial disaster far more devastating than any that ever assailed it.

While we have this great loyalty and obligation to the System, we must recognize that among its friends there has risen serious controversy over many matters of detail. There are many demands for change in the methods of its management and in details of its operation. Where these demands represent broadly the greatest good of the greatest number we should support them. Where they represent merely narrow, diverse interests of one part of the country or one type of business or finance, they should be subordinated to the common good. We should meet on the great broad ground of the common welfare—first to preserve the system in general as it is now constructed, and secondly to bring about, carefully and soundly, such changes as are required to adjust it to circumstances of today.

The task of considering, sifting, weighing and co-ordinating discussion and suggestions regarding the Federal Reserve System has been confided to the Economic Policy Commission of the American Bankers Association. It is hoped that thereby the Federal Reserve System will be given the best thought and the best support of banking. There is no greater service banking can render the nation than this. It goes right to the heart of good management of the public economy of America.

The Mint's Sidelines

The United States mints make other objects besides coins. All of the medals for the army and navy are turned out by the mints. Medals of all the Presidents, the Secretaries of the Treasury, the Directors of the Mints, have been designed and executed by the mints. Recently the mints inaugurated the practice of making medals of the Under Secretaries of the Treasury. Congress has authorized the mint to make up 40,000 medals to commemorate the arrival of the first shipload of Norse immigrants on board the sloop Restaur Ationen, which is to be celebrated at the Norse-American Centennial in Minnesota next summer.

At the last session of Congress there was a flood of bills seeking to have commemorative half dollars minted. The prior session authorized the minting of the Huguenot half dollars and of 5,000,000 half dollars to signalize the start of work on the Stone Mountain carving, which will serve as a monument to the valor of the soldiers of the South. On the Federal coins appear Generals Lee and Jackson, the two leaders of the Confederate forces in the Civil War.

A Flood of Coins

With the 150th anniversary of the great battles of the American revolution approaching, bills were passed last winter to issue coins commemorating the stand of the minutemen at Lexington and Concord and the battle of the Green Mountain patriots at Bennington in Vermont. Proposals were made to pay tribute in a similar way to the battle of Bunker Hill, the victory at Yorktown and other events American history, such as the 200th anniversary of the founding of Stoughton, Mass., and the 50th anniversary of the admission of California to the Union.

Fearing that the growth of this practice would open the way to counterfeiting and make the protection of the integrity of the coins more difficult, Secretary Mellon openly opposed the creation of these special coins, but was not entirely successful in his efforts. He insisted that the practice introduced confusion into our system of coinage, brought about an unnecessary expense and satisfied a very limited demand because the public generally has never shown a special liking to the commemorative coins.

However, Congress felt that these great events were worthy of commemoration and authorized the coins—all of which are to be sold at a premium so that the promoters of these events may raise funds by this extra charge to defray part of the expense attached. The records of the Treasury show that the special coins, as a general rule, are seldom absorbed in circulation. The Monroe coin issue was a dismal failure—217,000 of the 274,000 struck off were turned back to the Treasury for melting up. — Journal American Bankers Association.

He Told It To Em' Straight

It was in the hazy days of long ago we used to read the famous Detroit Free Press when women wore bangs and men wore whiskers, and the Free Press was known and read as the most shintng example of good journalism in the state. Among the most interesting contents were the "Lime Kiln Club" and the "Arizona Kicker" the former by M. Quad and the latter by the versatile humorist, Bill Nye. As editor of a wild and woolly western periodical Nye was wont to expresshis feelings similar to the following:

"A lot of people in this town fall out with the editor and brand him as a liar when the ordinary human mistakes of life show up in the newspaper. You have a little charity and fellow feeling for every man in town but your editor. You claim that you want the facts and drat me—if I don't give them to you. Read the next issue and you'll see some facts with the bark off. I'll admit I have been a liar—an editorial liar ever since I have been editing this sheet, but I have never printed a lie in these columns except to save somebody's feelings from being hurt. I'm not afraid of any of you. I'll be dad blamed if I don't print the plain truth from now on. Now watch my smoke!

John Benin, the laziest merchant in town, made a trip to Bellville yesterday.

James Coyle, our groceryman who voted with the Republicans in 1916, and consumes more mail order whisky than any other member of the Baptist church in the county, is doing a poor business. His store is somewhat dilapidated and it is a wonder he has any business at all.

Tenous Lunker, cashier of the State Bank at Willow Grove died Wednesday evening, and was burien Friday by the Odd Fellows in Pleasant Mound cemetery. He has been taking the paper for several years and never paid us a cent, and we thinking he was a banker, would pay some time. We will sell the account for a mess of fresh greens.

Married—Miss Susie Shruggs to Horace Griffin last Saturday. It's what brought Horace over from the Peck neighborhood every Sunday for the past six months. The bride is an ordinary town girl who flirts with most of the traveling men she meets and has never helped her mother to exceed three days alltogether in her whole life. She is anything but a beauty and resembles a gravel pit in the face. The groom is a natural born bum. He went to the county seat to accept a job as chambermaid in a garage but fell down on the job the third day. When Susie found out how it was she went over and rescued him. He is now rusticating at the home of his father-in-law and so far as we know has no plans for the future—in fact his stock of plans has run out. Susie has a hard row to hoe."

Dave Jenks died at his late doci mile north of this place Thursday night. Doc Peterman of Honberg who attended him about five minutes before he expired, (and Doc is an old friend of the family) gave out that Dave died of heart failure but its a lie. Dave died from drinking too much of a very poor quality of mail order liqour. This paper prints the truth.

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both on year for the small sum of $2.25 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions, from Paris, the best works of Harolld Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said morgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land (situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank,
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B. D. Chandler,
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A citizen of the Rumpus Ridge neighborhood, going homeward from town, beheld sitting on the ground by the side of the road and marking in the dirt with sticks, a couple of well-known residents of the region.

"Howdy, gents!" he saluted. "If it's a fair question, what 'pears to be coming off?"

"Me and Newt, yur, swapped hosses this afternoon," replied one, "and ever since then we've been trying to figger out how both of us could be stuck at the same time."—Kansas City Star.

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In an effort to wipe out the Cascade mountains in Washington as a trade barrier between the east and western portions of that state, a plan is on foot to build a low-level tunnel under this widely known mountain range. It is estimated the tunnel would have to be 30 miles long and would cost about $63,000,000.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Flint—Three persons were injured, one seriously when a D. U. R. interurban jumped an open switch at Sunnyside, two miles south of Goodrich and crashed into a work train. The injured, all residents of Rochester, were taken to Goodrich hospital.

Lansing—Bus lines will be in operation Oct. 1 over virtually all routes now covered by electric lines, officials of the Michigan Electric Railway Co. announced. The bus service will include routes between Lansing and Jackson, Flint and Bay City, Jackson and Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids.

Port Huron—The sand and gravel barge Penobscot was destroyed by fire in St. Clair River a few miles south of Marine City. The fire started in a forward compartment near the hoisting machinery and spread rapidly. The crew had no difficulty in reaching shore. The charred hull sank sank in 25 feet of water.

Lansing—John C. Kendel, of Denver, Colo., has been appointed state supervisor of music to succeed John W. Beattie, resigned. Kendel will take over the duties of his office about September 1. He assumes directorship of music instruction of the state schools after several years as director of music in the Denver city schools.

Jackson—Fire practically destroyed the finishing building at the Michigan State Prison cement plant at Chelsea with a loss estimated at $35,000 by Warden Harry H. Jackson. The blaze is believed to have started from hot journals in the sacking department and to have spread to the oil bunkers, enveloping the roof of the structure in a mass of flames.

Jackson—Work of constructing the new 32-foot wall around Jackson prison is nearly finished with exception of removing concrete forms, and work on a new cell block will start soon. The new cell block will accommodate 2,500 prisoners. A temporary structure which will eventually be built into another cell block, is to be constructed as a dining room and kitchen unit.

Manistee — The entire board of supervisors was censured for laxity in the financial affairs of the county and a recommendation was made for a thorough audit of the accounts of Justice August Greve, Sr., during the last 10 years and the shortage of Arnold T. Graves, former county treasurer, was placed at $4,590 by State auditors who investigated the county offices.

Lansing—Chemists working under the supervision of the State Department of Health have obtained 210 samples of the water in wells, streams and springs of the state in their efforts to protect tourists from impure drinking water. Signs have been posted in conspicuous places advising the tourist that the water to be found is pure or unwholesome as the case my be.

Monroe—Members of the Monroe County Farm Bureau association and county grange held their annual outing at Dewy's beach along Lake Erie, five miles north of here. C. L. Burton, county agent, was the general overseer. Various athletic games were enjoyed. Louise Campbell, director of home economics of the M. S. C., addressed the women on nutrition to children.

Pontiac—Likelihood of annexation of Sylvan Lake village to Pontiac has practically disappeared with the development of opposition among citizens of the village to any such attempt on the ground that no immediate benefits would result. In a mass meeting held in the village to discuss it, only one citizen spoke in favor of annexation. City Manager Ham and Mayor Rockwell discussed the matter from the city's viewpoint.

Kalamazoo—By a majority of 5,032 Joseph L. Hopper, of Battle Creek, the Republican candidate, was elected to Congress from the Third District over Claude S. Carney, of Kalamazoo, his democratic opponent, in the recent special election. Hopper will serve out the unexpired term of the late Rep. Arthur B. Williams, of Battle Creek, who died in Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, last April. Hopper received 14,884 votes to Carney's 9,852.

Jackson—The city of Jackson kept within its 1925 budget by $43,943.72 for the first six months of the year, according to figures made public. The budget charges for the six months amounted to $563,243.93, or $25,881.25 less than one-half the year's appropriations of $589,128.18. Taxes collected during July, 1925, totaled $663,689.82, while in July, 1924, $447,888.46 in taxes were collected. However, the total amount of the city tax in 1924 was $527,760, while this year it is $779,326.37.

Lansing—Attempts to evade paying the full auto license tax on the part of motorists, who are trying to benefit by the 50 per cent reduction in the tax Sept. 1, will be thwarted according to a bulletin issued to branch office managers by the Department of State. Affidavits signed by a sheriff or a chief of police to the effect that the vehicle for which a license is applied has not been driven before Sept. 1, will be required if the title to the machine was issued previous to that date, the bulletin says.

Grand Rapids—Superior Judge Leonard D. Verdier, in a communication directed to Governor Groesbeck, asked that definite machinery be established in order that a fine, imposed upon a prisoner in addition to a state's prison sentence, may be collected or the prisoner be required to serve the additional period specified for its non-payment. Judge Verdier, pointed out that Kent county, and possibly other counties have been losing money because prisoners sentenced to state penal institutions have been paroled without paying fines additional to their terms.

Marine City—A garage and three dwellings were destroyed by fire here causing damage estimated at $25,000. The fire, origin unknown, started in the garage. Eight automobiles were destroyed by the flames.

Marshall—The case against Mrs. Minnie Jones, charged with giving poison to her husband William, was dealt another severe blow when C. L. Bliss, State chemist, reported no trace of poison in a box of cookies sent him for examination.

St. Ignace—State Police have taken over the direction of traffic at the State ferry dock here. The situation had been beyond control for several days because of the desired to ferry across the Straits. The automobiles now are being moved in an orderly manner.

Grand Rapids—At a recent election the village of East Grand Rapids annexed 485 acres of Paris Township lying south of the present village limits. Although the township voted 36 to 18 against the annexation, the favorable majority in the village overcame the township vote.

Muskegon—Herbert Hammond, 17 years old, star Muskegon high school athlete, pleaded guilty to breaking and entering and was sent back to jail to await sentence. Hammond, with seven other boys, was alleged to have taken part in 31 robberies in various western Michigan cities.

Mt. Clemens—"Two suspicious looking characters," who proved to be Deputy Sheriffs Percy Moore and Arthur Lazaraus, of Macomb county, were held for investigation at Sault Ste. Marie, where they were awaiting a boat to return here after transporting two prisoners to the Marquette Branch prison.

Escanaba—Declaring that the Bell Telephone Co. is earning a return of 21 per cent on the cost of its property here after all proper charges have been paid, the Escanaba city council petitioned the State Public Utilities Commission for a rate reduction. The petition is intended to offset the company's request for an increase.

Flint—Investigation of the theft of garbage was the peculiar request received by the police from Nahum Long, Flint garbage commissioner. He said that the garbage was taken from the rear of the Elk's Club and other downtown eating places. Garbage collected by the city is used to fatten hogs on a city-operated farm.

Jackson—Prison authorities announced that two prisoners paroled to work with the road building gang at Ypsilanti, escaped from the prison camp Sunday. The men are Albert Burns, serving from two to five years for larceny, sent up from Detroit, and Joseph Romero, Detroit, serving from one to five years for larceny.

Flint—The Rev. Dr. John Dysart, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church here, has announced that the church, in which no services have been held for the past two weeks, will be entirely renovated and re-decorated early in September. As soon as the alterations are complete the Episcopal church will again hold its regular services.

Kalamazoo—A futile effort to save 80 cents cost Joseph Vanderreost, a celery grower, a fine of $7.50 in Municipal Court here. Vanderreost was driving 35 miles an hour, the officer reported, on his way to the city treasurer's office. As it was the last day for the payment of summer taxes, he sought to escape the 80 cents delinquency penalty fee.

Saginaw—Joseph Fordney, 13 years old, grandson of former Rep. Joseph W. Fordney, rescued Helen Gates, maid at the Fordney summer home at Tawas Beach, when she went beyond her depth in Saginaw Bay, according to word received here. He swam from shore when Miss Gates screamed for help, towed her more than 200 feet to the beach and used his Boy Scout knowledge of life saving methods to resuscitate her.

Kalamazoo—Prosecuting Attorney Leroy Bibby and Sheriff Jerome S. Borden investigated charges on the part of Colburn Munger and Guy Funk, members of the State Police, that a mob had taken four prisoners from them at Ramona Park, a Long Lake resort. The officers say that they arrested the four men on charges of intoxication. As they were taking the four out of the park they met the mob, which resented the arrest of the men and threatened violence.

Mt. Clemens—Mt. Clemens business men and city officials are planning a last offensive to prevent the War Department from abandoning proposed dredging operations in the Clinton River. A hearing, which the Government indicated will be the last, is to be held in Detroit, Sept. 1. An attempt will be made to show that the maintenance of the Clinton River as a navigable stream is necessary to industrial enterprises maintained here. Also the necessity for safeguarding the 100 or more pleasure boats owned here.

Battle Creek—Eight sleeping children imprisoned behind locked doors were carried through flames and smoke in a daring and spectacular rescue from Labelle Resort Hotel at Gull Lake, 14 miles west of Battle Creek, which was totally destroyed by fire with an estimated loss of $85,000. The children had been locked in rooms by their parents and were sleeping when the fire broke out. After breaking down doors firemen carried all of them to safety. The fire was caused, it was believed, by a leaking gas heating plant.

Lansing—Because the 1925 Legislature failed to specify how and when the University of Michigan should receive its portion of the mill tax, the university will have to rely on the interpretation of the law by Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck, the State Administrative Board or the State Treasurer if it is to meet its financial obligations between now and July, 1926. This fact was disclosed by Victor Spiker, acting deputy attorney-general and incidentally helped to dispel the mystery surrounding "the university's missing 3 million."

FALL COATS PASS IN REVIEW; FROCKS IN WOOL OR SILK

THE procession of new fall coats is beginning to pass in review; important looking and gracious garments, that immediately inspire respect and interest, are in the vanguard and we are meeting them for the first time. There is nothing easy-going and casual in their style points—they are original, beautiful, assertive and increasingly emphasized when coats for formal wear or semidress come into view.

The most important style note is the changed silhouette—the new coats are fuller and the flaring skirtline has gone a long way toward replacing the straight line. This greater fulness is very adroitly managed with a view to preserving the impression of slenderness in the figure and is usually introduced below the swell of the hips or in front. With it there is a tailored trimness in the body of the garment—very long sleeves and high collars adding length of line, and there is much dignity in design.

Fur maintains its place as a border for the bottom of many coats and has captured other positions. Besides collars and cuffs in great variety fur supplies trimming touches in other ways and is much used in patches and emplacements on dressy coats. A handsome coat of the sports type that will make a strong appeal to younger women is shown in the picture. It is made of natural kasha, lined with red crepe which appears in the turned back cuff and revers. It is bordered with American opossum fur and has a decoration of buttons down the sides. In this model the fullness is developed in front and the fur border emphasizes the flare in the skirt, but the coat hangs straight at the back.

New style points in fall dresses are coming in like a flock of debutantes, for presentation at the court of fashion. One style show follows another in the large cities and here the new arrivals make their bow. There has been some doubts as to whether some of them would be well received or not; for certain of them have little lineage and few can point back to any particular period for their origin. They are modernists and original, but well behaved and rarely bizarre.

First and most important is the tailored note in street and afternoon frocks and in coats. There is no doubt about its success for American women have long admired tailored styles. In this connection the return of wool to favor must be noted, especially in smooth-faced cloths of high luster—broadcloth or "satin broadcloth," as it is called, and fine flannels. Next in order of importance is increased fulness, by means of plaits or flares. But this increased fulness in tailored dresses does not always mean a wider silhouette. Plaits are the favored medium for introducing fulness. There is almost no exception to the rule of long sleeves, but in these and in necklines there is a pleasing variety.

One of the newcomers, shown above, might be developed in a smooth-faced wool cloth, ribbed silk or crepe satin and one may study in the picture its adaptation of certain favored style features. A group of plaits at each side, in the skirt, release a little fulness below the hips and they are accented by buttons about them, covered with material like the dress. The vestee and undersleeves appear to be of tucked net banded with a very narrow braid and the tie of narrow ribbon with long ends is a particularly effective finish for an excellent model.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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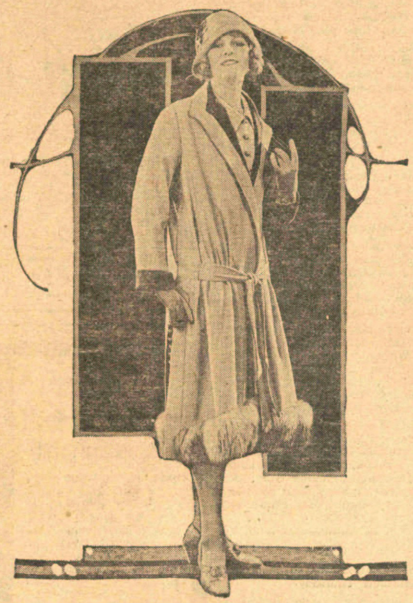

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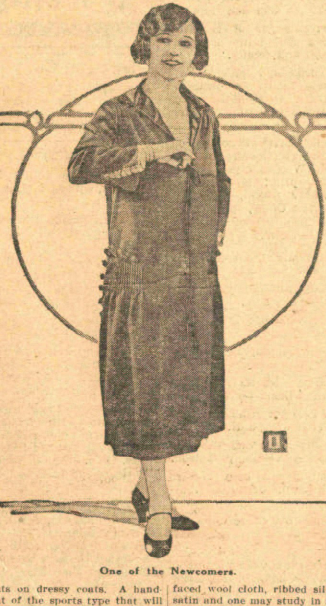

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Cubist Furs

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Belts Are Featured.

For some time there has been a growing tendency to feature belts on frocks. In evening frocks it takes the form of a sash, but for daytime wear there is apt to be a suggestion of a sash rather than the actual belt itself. In some instances, however, if the frock is of the simple morning type, there is a belt of leather in a wide or narrow width.

Curled Coq for Hats

Curled coq is very much the vogue in Paris for hat trimming, particularly for the small turbans that seem to be molded on the head.

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If your children do not possess a keen appetite

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Send for free booklet "The Art of Baking Bread"

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"There seems to be an amazing lack of life and activity in this town," said a hypercritical young motorist. "Many of the residences are closed up. Boards are nailed over the store windows. I have seen no children playing in the public square. The whole place looks like the deserted village in the poems. What's the matter?"

"Well, I'll tell you," replied the landlord of the Periwinkle tavern. "City kinfolks got to coming in such herds and staying so long to visit our people that the latter finally clumb into their Hootin' Nannys and lit out for the summer."

"But you didn't go?"

"Nope! I ain't got any kinfolks."—Kansas City Star.

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Woman Invades Africa

Mme. Gabiella Dassai has just returned from an exploration trip of the French Congo, in which she visited sections never before invaded by white people.

Some men never play cards for money simply because the other fellow gets it.

Self-defense is the oldest law.

How Money Grows

Mrs. M. Clifton Edson of East Bridgewater, Mass., has a bank book which shows a deposit of $5 by her mother in 1848.

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Quickly disappear when Dr. C. H. Berry's Freckle Ointment is used. One jar of this fragrant snow-white cream is usually sufficient to remove the most stubborn freckles. Easily applied. Keeps skin clear and soft. Price 65c and $1.25. At all drug and department stores. Send for FREE Beauty Booklet.
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One Horse Town, Good-Bye!

Any community whose streets are not durably paved is going to be known as a "one horse town."

When that time arrives, Prosperity says, "Good-bye, old friend. Good-bye!"

People start moving away. Bank deposits fall off. Business in general begins to take a slump, and the place is no longer "on the map."

Contrast all this with the city that is well paved.

It steadily forges ahead over its hard, even streets. Automobiles, busses and delivery trucks, operate efficiently and economically, regardless of season or weather.

Business is good, and keeps getting better. Modern, fire-safe buildings spring up. New industries are attracted to town. Plants and factories are working full time. Trade at the stores is brisk, and everybody's busy.

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George B. Smith will call at your farm on request to the editor of the Advocate.

Horton Base Ball Club

invites the ball fans of North Adams to Horton next Sunday, August 30th at 2:30 p. m. standard time to see the best semi-professional ball team in Michigan play Horton DANIEL SALES TEAM of Detroit. Five acres of parking space free. Admission 35c

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Don't Wait Until the Fire Fiend is upon you!

Many a man has lost his all by putting off until tomorrow what should be done to-day.

CORRESPONDENCE

West Hoxie

Wm Bloemker is on the sick list.

Mrs. Eliott who has been ill at the Routzong home has returned to her home.

Mrs. Henry Fowler and daughter Ona went to Petoskey Mich. to spent the fall.

Seymour Kieler and family and a few friends spent Sunday afternoon at the Sprague home.

Burl Shambaugh and family spent Sunday at Frontier with Mrs. Shambaugh's sister and family.

The schools in the Rural districts and the North Adams high school will begin their work August 31.

William Gibbs who has been spending a few weeks about Hoxie went to Brooklyn to spend the winter with friends.

Mrs. Worden, Lester Worden and family and Charles Worden and wife of Monroeville Ind. spent the week end at the Burl Shambaugh home.

Lillian Pendell who has been at Northport Mich. for the last two months will return home a week from Saturday. She will attend Hillsdale College the coming year.

Etta Welker entertained the Larkin club at her home near Hoxie it being her birthday, the hostess served a lovely 5 o'clock dinner. The guests went home all wishing her many returns of the day.

The Gobel family reunion is being held this Thursday and Friday at the Warren Goble home near Wheatland Center. Relatives from Canada Paulding, Pioneer and VanWert Ohio and Bert Foster and family of Wheatland were in attendance.

The Hoxie Ladies Aid held their picnic at Manitou beach. After dinner the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Flutell Thompson; vice pres., Pauline Gray; sec. Flora Spratt; treas. Mrs. Steveson; flower committee, Mrs. Pendell and Mrs. Belle Sweezy.

Jerome

Sherm Tower and T. J. Lane were in Hillsdale Thursday.

Louise McClanahan is visiting friends near Jonesville.

W. E. Anson shot a mink which was after his chickens Sunday.

Ernest Martin of Detroit has been visiting at the home of Eugene Baker.

Church services will be held at Goose Lake next Sunday at 2:30 o'clock standard.

Glenn Kane and Clayton McGregor have been guests of Rev. Earl Scott at Hastings.

Mrs. Ray Holben and mother of Jonesville have been recent guests of Harry McClanahan and family.

U. S. Wertenberger of Hudson Ind. has been visiting his son Ira Wertenberger and family.

Gilbert Curtiss and family, Carl Horthrop and family of Jackson and Mrs. Della Lowery of this place have been making a tour of the State.

The Jerome school will commence August 31 with the faculty as follows: I. W. Wertenberger, Supt.; Mr. Horton, prin.; Mrs. Rynex, grammar,; May Anson, intermediate and Bertha Olney, primary.

Jonesville

C. G. White and wife spent Sunday in Detroit.

Fred Menke and family of Albion spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Ella Whitmore is confined to the house by illness.

The Gillespie family are camping at Farewell Lake this week.

Rev. and Mrs. M. N. Wood spent last week at Winona Lake Indiana.

Mrs. F. T. Dryer visited in Jackson from Thursday until Sunday.

The Ed Merchants and the Andrew Macks are visiting in Toledo.

A picnic table has been erected in the park for the benefit of tourists.

Oleta Corey has the position of stenographer at the Grosvenor Savings Bank.

Minnie Varnum visited a part of the week at the home of Hall Cramner in Quincy.

Mrs. Frank Gilchrist of Quincy spent the week with her sister Mrs. A. L. Massey.

C. W. Price and wife have returned from a vacation spent in northern Michigan.

Mrs. Raleigh Blounch and son Ralph of Ann Arbor are visiting relatives and friends here.

Fred Reed and family of Hastings were over Sunday guests of his parents J. T. Reed and wife.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at Lake Wilson Friday September 4.

Mrs. C. C. Rodlam and Roy B. Howard were in Pontiac last Monday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Dennis Donihue and family of Toledo have been visiting at the home of her parents Arthur Massey and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rodlam and son Arlington and Gladys Westcott are enjoying a motor trip to Niagara and Buffalo.

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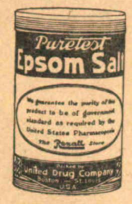

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A. G. Bovay

Mrs. Alice Shipman who has been in California with her daughter for several months returned to her home here last Thursday.

Bross District

School will be opened Monday, August 31, with Alice Cook as teacher.

Mrs. Alta Schilling is improving slowly from her recent serious illness.

Elmer Fuller spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Hillsdale, Allen and Reading.

Chas Coon and wife of Jonesville were Sunday afternoon guests of F. R. Williams and family.

Clyde Bemis was at the parental home on Sunday. It is reported he has a position in Lansing and began work on Monday morning.

Will Cook and wife attended a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of their son, Ward, in South Adams where they met Mrs. Alice Dieke of Sandusky, Ohio, Miss Christine Hoehn of Chicago and J. C. C. Hoehn of South Jefferson.

Wm. Cook and wife spent Sunday with their son, Ward and wife of South Adams. The following guests were also entertained at dinner: Irving B. Rich and daughter, Mabel, and Miss Mary Carpenter of Jackson.

A. B. Birchfield and wife entertained on Sunday at a family reunion. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Alcock and mother of Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. VanEtten of Sand Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson and family of Weston and Mr. and Mrs. Alcock of Jasper.

Local News

Judd Schaad of Chicago visited friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fitton and children spent Sunday in Detroit.

Ethel Bohn will teach the coming year in the Filkins district near Pittsford.

Raymond Barker is absent for ten days in Northern Michigan on a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Newman and Mr. and Mrs. George Newman returned Tuesday evening from a week's visit to Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Lockport, Gasport and Tonawanda, New York.

Rev. Hutton and family are spending the week in Flint.

For Sale—New milch Holstein cow. B. D. Becker. Phone 12t2 Moscow or Jerome.

J. Jones and wife spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. Jones' parents in Somerset.

Frank Graves and wife of Albion, Mich., were Sunday guests of J. S. Blackmer and wife and Mrs. J. Miller.

Fred and Charlie Olson returned to Trenton, Illinois, on Thursday after visiting relatives in North Adams.

Miss Frances Bohn and niece Edith Bohn returned last week from a visit with relatives in Owosso and Tuscola county.

George Cheever, wife and son, George, Jr., Miss Cora Cheever of Jackson, were guests Saturday of Mrs Edna Hewitt.

Charles Stranger and wife and Eugene Bross and wife motored to Walbridge Park, Toledo, also visited relatives Sunday.

Mrs. John Fitton and children, Dorothy and Junior, have returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Grand Rapids.

The cottage prayer meeting next week Sept. 1st will be held at the home of George Fullerton and wife All welcome. All denominations.

S. B. Rogers and family of Blissfield are guests at the home of A. J. Calhoun and wife this week. Mrs Rogers is a relative of Mrs. Calhoun

R. R. Stranger and wife and Alfred Relyea and wife went to Morenci on Thursdoy to attend the funeral of an uncle, Mr. Ten Eyk.

Mrs. Lizzie Northrup and daughter, Helen, Jean McFarland and Myra Beecher were resorting for a few days at Long Lake near Reading.

The Baptist church in this village will be re-painted outside and rekalsomined inside soon and the contract has been let to George Ruffner of this village.

John Litchhult and Mrs. Della Gillett attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weaver at Addison last Saturday August 22nd.

Burr Hewitt and family of Addison and Della Crowell and mother spent last Tuesday evening with Mrs. Della Gillett. It being her 71st birthday anniversary.

Misses Lorita Wertz and Ione Young were appointed by the Epworth League sometime ago as delegates to the Pleasant Ridge Camp Meeting at Quincy, and on Sunday last at the Sabbath school hour Lorita gave a splendid report of the doings at the Camp Meeting.

AGENTS WANTED — Sworn proof of $75.00 per week; $1.50 an hour for spare time, introducing Real Guaranteed Hosiery; 116 styles and colors. Low prices. Auto furnished agents. No capital or experience necessary. WIL-KNIT HOSIERY CO. Dept. C—15, Greenfield, Ohio. 11t3

At the recent 2nd and 3rd Grade examination held in Hillsdale August 13, 14 and 15, the following from this vicinity received certificates: North Adams, Mrs. Gertrude Young; Mrs. Eva Overly; Rosene Baker; Florence Getter Hillsdale; Frances Sears; Pauline Wells; Third Grade, Ethel Brewer; Carmen Fisk Jerome; Dorothy Pickell Somerset.

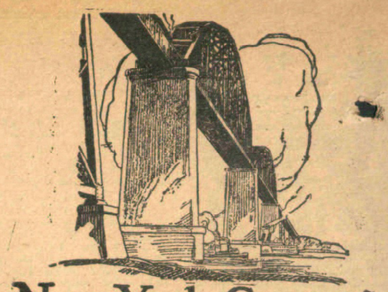
John Keefus of this village was riding a motorcycle in Jackson in company with another young man from Jerome, when John was struck by a passing automobile and sustained a fracture of both bones of his left leg between knee and ankle The injured boy was picked up and taken to Mercy Hospital where his injury was dressed and fracture reduced.

Nethaway School Reunion

The second annual reunion of the Nethaway school was held on Thursday, August 20th at the farm home of Miss Ida French. Sixty-eight were present and enjoyed an excellent pot-luck dinner and a good program consisting of readings, solos, duets, etc. A short history of the school was read by the secretary.

The records show that District No. 8 Adams township, was organized in February 1843, and the first year held school at the home of Abraham Smith. The school was financed by a rate bill of 3 schillings per year for each scholar. Amount raised $15.37, and each parent or guardian furnished ¼ cord of wood for each pupil attending school, and $5.00 was raised to pay for the ground also $70.00 to build the school house. Each tax payer was privileged to work out his assessment at 5 shillings per day.

Miss Ida French claims the honor of being the oldest living person in the district in point of continuous residence, having lived on the same farm since she was three weeks old. There were teachers and pupils present from Adrian, Chicago, Tulsa, Oklahoma, Ludington, Hillsdale, Coldwater, and North Adams. In the records appear such names as Abraham Smith. Joel French, Franklin French. Horace Hitchcock, W. C. Whitney, A. C. Edwards, Gilbert Travis. Officers re-elected were: President, Mrs. May Sears; sec., Alice Darrow. The next reunion will be held at the same place in August 1926, date to be determined later.



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Two 25c Packages Rub-no-more Soap Flakes
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Ball Game
LITCHFIELD vs. HILLSDALE

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GOOD MUSIC
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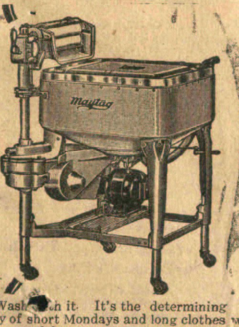

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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

Harry Reed of Detroit spent Sunday at the farm home here.

Mrs. Hattie Cummings of Detroit has been a guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. McFarland for a week past.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter No. 288 O. E. S. on Tuesday evening Sept. 8th a good attendance is hoped for.

Lee Parks and Elnora Greening motored to Lansing last Friday to visit Miss Hackett, a sister of Mrs. Greening.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Friday September 11 at the home of Pauline Gray and a good attendance is hoped for.

—Rev. Hunt desires to announce the "Passion Play" Sunday evening Sept. 6th at the Congregational church. All invited.

W. W. Kempton of Corning, Iowa, a cousin of Manassah Kempton, is a guest at the Kempton home in this village.

L. W. Stevenson of the True Blue Print Shsp, Hillsdale, was in North Adams on Tuesday and made the Advocate a call.

Graves & Ford wish to announce that their place of business will close at 10:00 a. m. next Monday for the remainder of the day.

Mr. Simpson of the firm of Simpson & Simpson, battery dealers in Hillsdale and Litchfield, was in North Adams on business Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Carrel motored to Angola Indiana, on Thursday to spend the remainder of the week with the latter's brother, Frank Tiffany and family.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held next Tuesday evening, Sept. 8th at the home of John Gordon. An invitation is extended to all denominations to join us.

Mrs. Emma Relyea accompanied her sister Mrs. Carrie Scovill to Ann Arbor on Tuesday where the latter will take treatment for polypus of the nasal passages.

The North Adams Womans Club is issuing a program covering the months from September 8th to May 17, 1926 Forty booklets are being printed at this office for the Club

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet on Wednesday Sept. 9th at the home of Mrs. Ella Knowles. Come prepared to sew. Business meeting, program, and potluck.

Morton D. Carrel and wife and sons, Rhiley and Francis, of New York City, and Miss LaVerne Stone of Reading, were gnests at the Carrel home the early part of the week Mr. Carrel is a nephew of Rev. Carrel of this place.

The S. P. I. class party was held at the home of Mrs. R. C. Young. All present enjoyed the afternoon and the business meeting was followed by the "white elephant" exchange. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Otto Gray.

Mrs. Henrietta Yarick, past president of the Rebekah Assembly of Michigan, now residing in Hillsdale was a pleasant caller at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel, Tuesday Mrs Yarick is removing soon to her old home in Holland, Ohio

Invitations are being received by former citizens of Jerome which read as follows: "Yourself and family are cordially invited to attend Jerome's first home coming Saturday September 12, 1925 There is Sports, pot-luck dinner, program and base ball game

—I will open a power equipped Shoe Repair Shop in North Adams, on or about the 10th of September and can give you the best of service Also do your sewing and harness work. First door west of Barber's Store. Also Ladies rest room in connection. I. N. Starr. 13t3

Jonesville offers a real gala day on Monday Sept. 7 Labor Day. Come along over to Jonesville on the Pike and see the sports, hear the band play and drink your fill of red lemonade. See the girls foot race, peanut eating contest. yelling contest, cake walk. Merry go round Balloon ascension and aeroplane with a sensational parachute drop. Dance and Movies in the evening. A regular 4th of July.

Casulties of Sunday's electrical and rain storm were as follows: The barn of George Becker west of Somerset Center on the Pike was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The barn of Horton Winfield at Mosherville also suffered a like fate. The barn of John Petro west of Moscow was struck by lightning and started to burn but was saved by hard work by the neighbors. A cow belonging to Irving Sawyer of Moscow township was struck by a bolt and killed. All these accidents occurred between 3 and 4 o'clock.

DIRIGIBLE WRECK

The Shenandoah the United States largest and most costly dirigible went down to destruction on Thursday at 4:00 a. m. near Ava, Ohio. She was en route to tour the principal cities of the central states and was on a joy ride intended to demonstrate to the inhabitants of this conntry the wonderful possibilities of aerial warfare. She carried guns of heavy calibre and cost the tax-payers of the nation a mint of money. She carried a crew of over 50 officers and men and was 681 feet In length. It is reported by radio that only two men were killed and seven injured.

Keith Williams spent the week end in Detroit.

Mildred Rock of Jackson was home on Thursday.

—See the new "Off the Face Styles" at the Corey Hat Shop.

—Felts, velvets and leather hats prices right. Corey Hat Shop.

Alfred Relyea has had his residence in the west part of town repainted.

George Cheever, Junior of Jackson is here for a visit with his aunt Mrs. Edna Hewitt.

Mrs. Polly Berry of Los Angeles California spent a portion of the week at the Corey home.

Vena Miner of Detroit was a week end guest of her sister and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt

Mrs. Miles Bleech of Jackson was here the last of the week to visit her parents R. R. Stranger and wife.

FOUND—Gold locket at the Methodist church. Owner call at Advocate office and identify propery. 14t3

F. B. Hunt and wife of Morenci visited Mrs. Harry Reed on Tuesday. Mrs. Reed who has been very ill, is able to sit up.

H. G. Wells and wife accompanied Jay D. Knowles and wife last week on a trip to Northern Michigan and are returning this week.

W. R Corey and wife were in Eaton Rapids Tuesday. Mrs. Betsey Burger who had been spending the week with her cousin Mrs. Ella Knight returned home with them.

F. W. Holcomb and wife and their guests Mrs. Alma Taylor of Babson Park, Florida and Dorothy Taylor of Chicago were in Pittsford the last of the week to visit George Lauder and wife.

Arthur Whalton, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Whalton was born January 14, 1925, and passed on with the angel of death August 27th, 1925. Funeral was held at the home 1575 Tucker Avenue Detroit, on Saturday afternoon with Rev. Witt reading the service and the little form was laid to rest in Grand Lawn cemetery. Mrs. Whalton was formerly Miss Doris McBain of this village.

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Sunday school 11:45
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Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

The pastor will give a Labor Day discourse at the morning worship hour. The theme for this discussion will be "Where Labor and Capitol Meet" Labor Day represents the time when all classes of people get together, rich and poor alike. Let us forget class prejudice and have a Church Labor Day this Sunday morning. The Sunday school hour is of special interest to everyone and U are cordially invited to be Peesent at this after church service.

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—The Congregational church at some expense has secured a real worth while film for next Sunday evening, and you will want to see it.

Following dates are good to remember: State Fair Sept. 4-13; Jackson Fair Sept. 14-19; Lenawee Fair, Adrian Sept. 21-25; Hillsdale Fair Sept 28-Oct. 3: Angola, Indiana Fair, October 6-9.

I. N. Starr will establish a Shoe and Harness Repair shop in the building just west of Dietz Restaurant in this village and Mr. Carpenter of Jonesville is already established in the basement of Wertz store. North Adams with two shoe repair shops is surely on the road to a progressive village.

The September W. C. T. U. program at the home of Pauline Gray Friday, Sept. 11th, will be as follows, beginning at 2:00 p. m: Roll call: Famous women leaders; devotionals, Mrs. Susie Haight; music; paper, "Our Responsibility Toward our Disabled Soldiers and Sailors" paper, "W. C. T. U. Revue Work for Girls" Mrs. Marks; reading, Bessie Wells.

There is a large possibility for Henry Ford's aeroplane business to far surpass even his automobile business inside of a few years. Tha foundations of the Aeroplane Company have been laid deeply and as the machines are improved capacity will be amply sufficient to take care of increased outputs. Mr. Ford's engineers are already planning on establishing routes to different cities like Indianapolis, St. Louis, etc., and will be the principal promoters of this transportation throughout the United States.

It is reported that State Road M-23 is the most dangerous in the state to travel on and we believe it. The excessive crooks and angles of this line make it extremely hard to motor on, and in addition there is a constant stream of foreign traffic and strangers who have never driven there previously and do not understand that loose gravel and speed cause trouble. Between Somerset and Allen almost across the entire county this condition is the Waterloo of many an unfortunate driver. More accidents this season are reported from this stretch than any other in the state. Next season the pike will be torn up and paved to the concrete west of Quincy

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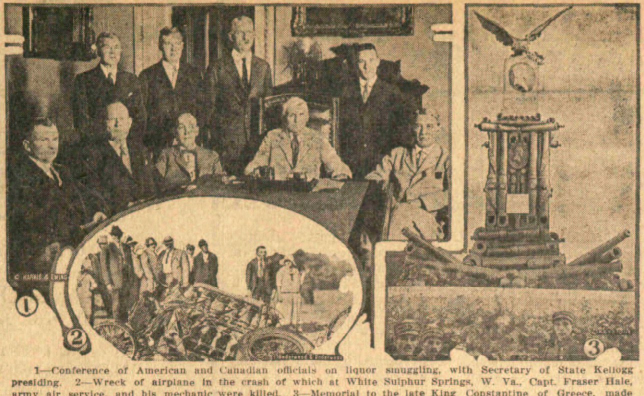

1—Conference of American and Canadian officials on liquor smuggling, with Secretary of State Kellogg presiding. 2—Wreck of airplane in the crash of which at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., Capt. Fraser Hale, army air service, and his mechanic were killed. 3—Memorial to the late King Constantine of Greece, made of field pieces and shells, just unveiled in Athens.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Caillaux Scores Heavily in His War Debt Agreement With Great Britain.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

JOSEPH CAILLAUX, finance minister of France, and Winston Churchill, British chancellor of the exchequer, appear to have "put one over" on the United States. The Frenchman went to London to fix up the Franco-British war debt affair, and after various conferences and a stormy cabinet session, Mr. Churchill suddenly offered to accept from France $60,625,000 annually for 62 years from her own resources irrespective of the German payments under the Dawes plan, with a partial moratorium for France until 1930. Put in others words, France is to pay Great Britain a total of $3,758,750,000, representing payments of 2 per cent interest on the total debt, but no payments on the principal, which will be canceled at the end of 62 years. Caillaux naturally accepted the offer at once and it was believed it would be approved by his government.

This all sounded nice and generous on the part of Churchill, but the joker came in his reservation that the offer was conditional on similar terms being granted France by the United States. In his official statement he said: "His majesty's government made it perfectly clear that any arrangements between America and France must be governed by the principle that Great Britain must receive from France proportionate and pari-passu payments to any she may eventually make to America. It would be no service to Europe, already so grievously stricken, if the sacrifices of one creditor of France were merely conduced to the advantages of another. Therefore any present Anglo-French agreement should be considered as merely provisional pending the Washington outcome."

To understand the situation, it must be remembered that the United states funded the British and Belgian debts on a basis of principal and 3½ per cent interest. If now we grant the easier terms to France, it is assumed Great Britain will ask a revision of the agreement made with us by Prime Minister Baldwin on the ground that she is entitled to the same terms as are granted to France. If we demand more proportionately from the French than Churchill asks, America will be pictured as a Shylock and France will have an excuse to break off the negotiations in Washington.

Caillaux, it is believed in London, will come to Washington in advance of the French debt commission for the purpose of arguing that the United States be no less generous than Great Britain. He undoubtedly has scored a great triumph and is in a strong position. Churchill's status is less certain. His offer to Caillaux was opposed vigorously by some of his colleagues in the government and is being bitterly attacked in the press. There are predictions that he has wrecked his career.

President Coolidge has let it be known that in his opinion the debt settlements with Britain and Belgium should not necessarily be copied in dealing with France and Italy. The arrangements with those countries, he thinks, should be entirely in accordance with their ability to pay; and he adds that they should be afforded every opportunity to present to the American debt commission any reason they may have for asking more liberal terms than those granted to Great Britain.

FRANCE won another diplomatic victory last week when the German government decided to participate in a conference of legal experts the purpose of which is to find a basis on which conversations may be held for the formulating of a security pact for Europe. Doctor Gouss of the foreign office was selected as the German representative. French Ambassador De Margerie, in submitting to the Berlin government the allies' reply to the original German proposals, included two invitations, the first for this conference of experts and the second for a subsequent definite parley of the German, French, British and Belgian foreign ministers for the purpose of drawing up treaties. It appears likely that the German cabinet's opposition to acceptance of the French demands concerning the security pact have been largely overcome, though the Berlin semi-official communique declares acceptance of the invitations does not mean that the proposed conditions have been swallowed whole.

The German comment regarding the French conditions on which Germany must enter the League of Nations is not clear. Chancellor Luther and other German statesmen have so committed themselves to reservations of Article 16 that it will be difficult for any German statesman to find a formula permitting unconditional entrance. But the comment indicates that Foreign Minister Stresemann and Doctor Luther are already seeking some way in which to meet the French demands and at the same time pacify the opposition within Germany.

Dusseldorff, Duisburg and Ruhrort, the "sanctions cities" which the French and Belgians occupied in 1921, were evacuated last week by the troops of those nations. Only a small waterway commission was left in Dusseldorff. The Belgians will continue to guard the Rhineland end of the bridge over the Rhine. The way is now open for evacuation of the Cologne area by the British and this probably will follow soon. All of which helps toward a better understanding between the allies and Germany.

BEFORE quitting the subject of war debts it must be recorded that Senator Borah of Idaho, chairman of the foreign relations committee, has declared his dissatisfaction with the terms of the settlement with Belgium, which he says are "almost universally criticized." Senator Smoot is trying to pacify him. It is believed the senate will ratify the agreement, notwithstanding the opposition of the influential Borah.

The Rumanian government has decided to send a debt mission to Washington. However, Finance Minister Bratiano recently told the powers that Rumania would not be able to pay and explained why.

UP TO the time of writing all efforts to avert the strike of anthracite miners have failed and probably the men will quit work on September 1. The latest offer of the mine owners was to renew negotiations for a new agreement, provided it was understood they had not agreed to abandon their oppostion to the check-off and the wage increase, "both of which we are willing to consider fully, but both of which we now believe to be unsound and unwarranted."

The federal government, it is reiterated, will not interfere in any way except to see that coal supplies are properly distributed. President Coolidge has been assured repeatedly that the public will not suffer nearly so much from a strike at this time as will the mine owners and the workers. Stocks of anthracite on hand are sufficient to meet the demand until December. Massachusetts is leading the way among Eastern states in making arrangements to abandon the use of hard coal to a great extent.

FEDERAL and state bureaus made public reports last week that show great agricultural prosperity in the four Middle Western states of Illinois, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska. In Illinois the corn is in fine condition and the crop promises to be the best since 1920. The cotton crop in the southern portion of the state is in excellent condition. Small grains are reported to be slightly below average, but the quality is favorable and the money returns from increases in the price of wheat are said to have made up losses suffered otherwise.

The corn yield in Iowa is expected to average 40 bushels an acre with a total crop of about 450,000,000, an increase of 145,000,000 over that of last year. The expected corn crop in Nebraska is more than 203,000,000, and in Kansas about 100,000,000.

Conditions in the Dakotas are reported about average with the outlook generally optimistic. The success of corn in these states depends largely on how soon frosts will set in. Michigan reports are cheerful, with corn being estimated at about 85 per cent of normal. Potatoes are reported normal; beans, 88 per cent; sugar beets, 82 per cent; and the peach crop as short. The apple crop has been estimated at 8,356,000 bushels. Crops in Indiana are expected to bring about the liquidation of many frozen credits in the rural banks, and in Ohio the agricultural condition is looked at as being the best since 1915.

BEFORE leaving Washington for his home in Kansas, Senator Curtis, Republican floor leader, said the tax hearings before the finance committee in October would be brief and that the bill would be reported quickly to the senate, and that there would be special effort to have it passed before March, when the tax returns for the next year must be filed. Senator Reed of Pennsylvania, another Republican member of the finance committee, said he would oppose inclusion in the new tax law of any provision with regard to capital gains and losses, holding that the government was losing revenue under the provisions of the present law taxing capital gains and would profit by repeal of the levy.

VICTOR F. LAWSON, the late publisher and editor of the Chicago Daily News, makes in his will what might be termed an experiment in journalism. He gave to the Illinois Merchants' Trust company full power to control the Daily News or to sell it and reinvest the proceeds. In other words, the banking company stands precisely in the position Mr. Lawson himself occupied in control of the newspaper property, except that the earnings are to be paid over to the residuary legatees. President J. J. Mitchell of the bank assures the public that there need be no apprehensions concerning a "capital controlled press" and that the newspaper management now in control, trained by Mr. Lawson in his methods and policies, will be designated by the bank to continue the publication.

Many religious, educational and other semi-public institutions benefit under Mr. Lawson's will, and his relatives, business associates and employees received generous bequests. His estate has not yet been valued but it amounts to several millions.

SOMETHING new was sprung last week by President Saavedra of Bolivia, who has been virtual dictator of the country for several years. President-elect Villanueva was to have been inaugurated Tuesday, but he had refused to form a cabinet composed exclusively of members of Saavedra's party, so the dictator postponed the inaugural ceremony and caused a motion to be introduced in the chamber of deputies declaring the election of Villaneuva null and void on the grounds of fraud and of Villaneuva's ineligibility. Saavedra was backed by the army, assembled in La Paz for the purpose, and it was taken for granted the motion would carry and that a new election within six months would be called.

IF YOU wish to call on President and Mrs. Coolidge in the summer White House at Swampscott, now is your chance. Mr. Coolidge has decided that during the brief remainder of his vacation he will devote part of each day to receiving unofficial callers, most of whom heretofore have not been admitted. At the week-end the Presidential party took a trip to Plymouth, Mass., on the Mayflower.

THE body of Ambassador Edgar A. Bancroft was brought from Japan to Chicago, where simple funeral services were held in the presence of a large number of the nation's most prominent men. The casket, escorted by military guard of honor, was then taken to Galesburg, Ill., for interment.

GEN. L. C. ANDREWS, czar of prohibition enforcement, is getting his campaign against rum going, having appointed the district administrators and made all plans for the strategic disposition of his army of 10,000 men. Many of the appointments of administrators are temporary, for General Andrews hopes to persuade prominent citizens—dollar a year men—to accept the posts. So far he has not had much success in that line.

Division in Norway Over Taking Islands

Oslo, Norway.—The new Svalbard (Spitzbergen) law by which the archipelago is incorporated in the kingdom of Norway has been placed on the statute book after having been passed in the two chambers by narrow majorities.

Norwegians are divided regarding the benefits to them by the acquisition of these islands, which were assigned to Norway by the Spitzbergen treaty concluded in Paris between the great powers on February 9, 1920.

On one hand, popular feelings of national prestige have impelled acceptance of responsibility for the sole remnant of what, according to perfervid nationalists, ought to be a Norse empire embracing also Iceland and Greenland.

The possibility of Spitzbergen becoming at some future time an important station for transarctic air traffic is also not lost sight of.

On the other hand, the islands, which are inaccessible during the long winter season, hitherto have been satisfactorily administered by private interests, and they will now require an administrative body headed by a provincial governor, with a host of civil service officials.

Estimates for 1925-26, recently published, cover an initial expenditure for the new administration estimated at 240,000 crowns. An income tax will be levied estimated to produce 160,000 crowns and an export duty on coal is calculated to yield 80,000 crowns.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Mt. Clemens—Sidney Linde, 18 years old, arrested on the complaint of his mother that he had forged her name to several checks, was sentenced to 90 days in jail here by William F. Sawn, in justice court.

Marshall—Sheriff George W. Colby has placed a ban on Sunday dancing at Calhoun County lake resorts, following reports of conditions at some of the dance halls. The order does not affect dance halls in cities or towns.

Flint—Three oil station owners, pleading guilty in police court to having defective pump measuring apparatus, paid fines of $25 each rather than go to jail for five days. Another oil man received a suspended sentence.

Mt. Clemens—A city drain project involving an expenditure of about $200,000 has been awarded to Macomb County and Detroit contractors by Edward B. Millar, county drain commissioner. It is understood that the work will be started this fall.

Lansing—The first authorization to a railroad to operate bus lines was issued by the Michigan Public Utilities Commission when the Detroit & Mackinac obtained a permit to establish a freight line from Alpena to Rogers City and Onaway.

Grand Rapids—Following an operation to relieve pressure against the spinal cord, surgeons at Blodgett Hospital here were almost certain they could save the life of Philip Berns, 16, a musician, whose neck was broken in a diving accident at Petoskey.

Sault Ste. Marie—After being lost for two days and two nights in the treacherous Gogemain swamp, 40 miles south of here, while hundreds of his friends and the entire force of soldiers at Fort Brady here hunted for him, James McKenna, Jr., 29 years old was found alive and brought to the Soo. McKenna became lost from a fishing party and was at first thought to have drowned in Prentice Creek.

Jackson—Lured into the automobile of a stranger here by the promise of 50 cents, 11-year-old Clarence Updyke thwarted the plans of his kidnapper when he jumped from the machine into the road after the driver had speeded to the country. Bleeding from cuts and bruises sustained when he struck the road, the lad was picked up by Mrs. Footman, of Akron, Ohio, who took him to a farmhouse and called the sheriff's office.

Detroit—The first definite step toward establishment of a municipal aviation field was made when Charles P. O'Neil, corporation counsel, filed suit for the condemnation of 161 acres of land for this purpose. The project was approved 10 days ago by City Council. Mayor John W. Smith has been the chief champion of the project and it was after many months of campaigning by the mayor and the plan finally was approved.

Dr. Samuel Renshaw, of Kalamazoo, for nine years a member of the faculty of the Western State Normal school, has been appointed assistant professor of eperimental psychology at Ohio State University, Columbus, O. He was one of the organizers of Western Normal Science club and the psychology section of the Michigan Academy of Science, and has been a frequent contributor to various psychology magazines.

Lansing—The Michigan securities Commission has ordered the Detroit Piggly Wiggly company, now operating 13 stores in and about Detroit, to stop the sale of its stock until a full investigation of the company's solvency may be made by the commission. C. V. McGuire, manager of the company, has been asked to appear before the commission September 9. There are approximately 1,600 stockholders in the company.

Ionia—Ionia county's share of the primary fund has been received here and is larger than last year, despite the decrease per capita from $14 to $13.70. The county was apportioned for 8,766 pupils last year and for 9,027 this year, an increase of 261. The check for Ionia county this year is $123,513.11, as against $122,724 last year, an increase of $789.11. Practically every township has a small gain, but the city of Ionia has a decrease of $179.

Jackson—Jackson's zoning law was held constitutional in a decision by Judge McPeak, of Eaton County, when he enjoined the Standard Oil from constructing a service station on a lot in the downtown residential district. The injunction was sought by persons whose homes adjoin the property on each side. The case is said to be the first of its kind in the state and it is expected that the Standard Oil Co. will appeal the decision as $300,000 is said to be involved.

Battle Creek—Wilmot Jones, 24 years old, a member of one of Battle Creek's oldest families, was held for investigation by Sheriff Colby in connection with the murder of John Vielikoff, Bulgarian cook for a Grand Trunk construction crew whose bullet-pierced body was found on Lane's lake road, four miles south of Bellevue. Jones, the sheriff said, admitted having handled Vielikoff's gun, the instrument evidently used in the killing, but said that he was merely "fooling with it" and returned the weapon.

Wakefield—In the largest vote ever cast here, Levin L. Rummel, incumbent, was defeated in the race for mayor by Arthur M. Gilbert, while three other candidates trailed far behind. The campaign waxed hot a few days ago when Rummel answered charges at a public pavilion and was pulled from the railing and kicked in the stomach. Rummel has been one of the leading political figures in Gogebic county for a number of years. He served as chairman of the Board of Supervisors until last spring.

Flint—Roy Brown, 49 years old, who fell two stories while cleaning windows at the Dort school, died in Hurley Hospital of a fractured skull.

Ste. Marie—There was no opposition at the public utilities hearing against the request of the local traction company for a 10-cent single fare and four tickets for 30 cents.

Marshall—Mrs. Minnie Jones is to stand trial during the September term of the Calhoun County Circuit Court for the murder of her husband, William Jones, who died from arsenic poisoning on August 3.

Port Huron—Edward Miller, 19 years old, was sentenced to serve from 1 to 15 years in the Michigan Reformatory at Ionia for stealing a tractor and a quantity of scrap iron from Fred Simpson, a farmer.

Pontiac—Frank Crandall, Pontiac dog catcher, was badly hurt when he started to electrocute a dog. One clip was attached to the dog and Crandall was holding the other when the current was turned on. The dog was killed.

Benton Harbor—A merger effected here will give this city direct bus service direct to Chicago, with a link to Muskegon, Ludington, and Grand Rapids. The merger is made possible by the sale of the Alden buses to the Safety Motor Coach Co.

Saginaw—Saginaw voters approved an initiatory ordinance granting the street railway lines here an increase in fares from four to three tickets for a quarter. The vote was less than 6,000 and the proposition carried by a margin of 113 votes over the required 60 per cent majority.

Muskegon—Five high school youths who participated in 30 robberies here and surrounding cities, pleaded guilty when arraigned before Judge John Vanderwerp. Linifred Standley, 17 years old, who organized the ring after reading Robin Hood fiction, admittde responsibility for the enterprise.

Traverse City—Alberta Davis, 11 years old, was taken into custody by officers on the street here and taken to the county detention home pending an investigation of circumstances that led her to leave her home at Grawn, 12 miles south of here. She said that her mother and stepfather had quarreled with her.

Owosso—A bull that objected to a ride to the slaughter house put Bernard Clark, a driver for a local packing company, in the hospital. The bull strated to thrash around in the truck and diverted Clark's attention. The truck went into a ditch and Clark went through the windshield. Two cords in his right arm were severed.

Detroit—Mrs. Thelma Halman, 37 years old, wife of George A. Halman, a plant manager for the Fisher Body Corporation lost her life while swimming in Lake St. Clair off Belle River, near the Halman summer home, when she dived from the rail of her 26-foot motor boat, the Thelma II, and was drawn beneath the craft into the whirling blades of the propellor. Her body was taken from the water by her husband, who was swimming with her.

Grand Rapids—W. E. Warner, 45 years old, is reported to be in a serious condition at Blodgett Memorial hospital, where he was taken after swallowing a quantity of gasoline. According to H. W. Shields, of Ann Arbor, who was with him, Warner and his wife and daughter were riding when the automobile stalled. Warner, discovering that the gasoline feed-line was plugged, attempted to suck out the obstacle and swallowed some gasoline.

Menominee—David E. Crawford, 49 years old, chief owner of the abandoned lumber town of Cedar River and joint owner with his brothers of 34,000 acres of timber and farm land, is under arrest on a charge of arson, Menomine County authorities revealed. He is accused of causing the fire June 6 which wiped out most of the abandoned village buildings "with intent to defraud" the insurance companies.

Houghton — Recommendation that the state of Michigan proceed with its plan of leasing certain suitable lands in the state for the purpose of establishing game preserves was made at a meeting of Houghton county sportsmen. The meeting was sponsored by the Houghton Rod and Gun club, following receipt of a request from Director of Conservation John Baird that a local opinion of several conservation proposals be submitted to his department.

Monroe—Monroe County road commissioners plan to ask the State Commissioner of Public Safety to issue an order designating the old Dixie Highway as the only road to be used by northbound motorists between Toledo and Monroe and the new Dixie Highway as the route for southbound traffic between the two cities. The commissioners believe such a step would prevent many automobile accidents, especially on Saturdays and Sundays, when traffic is extremely heavy.

Lansing—An average of 700 certificates of title for new motor cars are being issued at the Secretary of State's Department daily. This means at the rate of approximately 4,000 a week, and 200,000 annually. In addition thousands of motor title certificates are being issued monthly where ownership of used cars changes. The daily average of new certificates issued daily is materially higher than earlier in the year. Secretary DeLand estimates that 150,000 new certificates will be issued this year.

Cross Village—John Petoskey, 40 years old, only son of the famous Chief Petoskey, after whom the city of Petoskey was named, is being held in the jail at Petoskey, on a charge of slaying as the result of a dispute which arose at the annual Indian picnic here. Petoskey is alleged to have killed his cousin, Tom Kegebetang, died of knife wounds in the neck. The officers took statements from a number of persons who attended the picnic, but say they were unable to learn what the men quarrelled about.

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After leaving Put-In-Bay Island the steamer sails on through the narrow channels among the delightful Lake Erie Islands to Sandusky and Cedar Point, Ohio.

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The Coal Situation

Promptly as scheduled the hard coal strike is about to begin in practically all the mines of this country, and those who have not yet procured their winter's supply of black diamonds had best be hopping to it. These foolish strikes begin to give themselves away since they develop so regularly. It is indeed stange that our executive government can't do a single thing to avert such a situation. Here is Coolidge (wonderful tax reducer) and somehow he orders investigations but that is as far as it gets. Investigations and quizzes and then dissolution and nothingness. If you will note it is generally a dispute about wages which stops work at the mines. Just why the miners and operators always choose this particular time of year to fall out has never been explained. Promptly as usual the dealers all over God's footstool put it out that you should buy your supply of coal at once as it appeared to them a strike was pending. Calvin Coolidge don't look so good to us as he did when he was on probation during his first term. We are not saying this because he smokes cigarettes—far from it. When a president gets in office who is not afraid of ¡"Big Business" we are going to throw up our hats and let out a yowl that can be heard way down in "ol Virginny" but we are not expecting the opportunity to strain our throats will come for many years. Politics and Big Business have been bedfellows for lo! these many years, and they ought to be jugged for co-habitation. As we were saying we note the strikes are most generally started when the poor suffering public is about to need coal the very worst. Looks shiny don't it? You bet it does. Did you ever stop to think that operators, miners and shippers might be a sort of a union to do us up—well, that is about what we make of it, it seems the coal belongs to them—and before we can get it to put into our stoves and furnaces to burn up we must quiddle with them for a while. They are so sorry for us too—it seems, but they claim real good coal is getting scarcer every day and while they are telling it Alaska is one board plain covered with the best bituminous coal that was ever dug out and just under the surface at that and coal costs just as much on the Pacific Coast as it does here. Again they tell us that miners are hard to hire and only the most objectionable foreigners can be obtained—while right now there are literal thousands of the best American born citizens who make a business of mining. The whole bunch are without doubt spoofing us to a frazzle, and the United States Government don't care a rap. To a man up a tree it appears the miners and operators are fully in league and the operators will take care of the miners all the same if not a pound of coal is mined. The more you study the situation the more certain it seems there is a real black nigger in the fence.

Great Lakes Waterway Survey Ready In April

United States and Canadian engineers, making up the engineering board which is engaged in a final study and survey of the St. Lawrence waterway project, are making steady progress in their work, according to information received by the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Association.

The board of engineers is backed by appropriations from the United States and Canada and its studies include those phases of the proposed waterway project on which it is necessary for the two governments to have full information before they attempt to reach any agreement.

The engineers are supposed to be ready to make a complete report by next April, and the information here is that they will be ready to do so. Once the report of the engineers is made, it is generally expected the next step will be negotiations between the two governments looking toward a treaty for the construction of the water way.

While it will be practically impossible for the two governments to arrive at an understanding in time for action at the next session of congress, the advocates of the St. Lawrence channel expect to be active at the next session in promoting it any way practicable.

Strong opposition from the eastern part of the United States, especially from New York, is anticipated. In fact, it has already manifested itself in congress. With the St. Lawrence advocates active, the supporters of the deeper Hudson are expected to exert every energy next session to further this project.

Twenty states, including Michigan, have now joined the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Association. It was announced today that West Virginia has just joined the movement. This has been done by action of Governor Gore, subject to ratification by the legislature. Nineteen other states have through their legislatures made appropriations to further the work of the association.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection **I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance—James I. Post 2tf**

They Can't Wed So Quick

We note that marriage laws in the state of Michigan have been slightly amended and now no one can take out a license and get married the same day. They must wait until the county clerk or some other buttinski can fully investigate both parties (if he wants to) and give his acquiescence. Well the reformers of this country are having a fling at patching up society's laws but we are afraid they won't make much at it. In the first place we claim if a couple desires to get married at once, they should be allowed to do so; in fact there is too much delay oftentimes in this matter. Indiana tried this rule and you bet they are sick of it down there. Couples who wanted to get doubled left their native state and came to Michigan in droves to get married, but now they must go somewhere else. Annually thousands of lovelorn swains and damsels have journeyed to Hillsdale from Indiana to get married and we claim the solons at Lansing have over-reached their authority considerably in taking away the means of livelihood of a score of parsons, justices and judges in Hillsdale in so underhanded a manner. The solons have a weakness for making laws. When it gets so bad up Lansing way they make laws for the fun of it—those boys ought to be church-mauled. Now five days must elapse before two yearning souls can be acetylene welded, and in the meantime the dear things must stand in naked publicity of a heartles and unsympathetic world waiting for some quiddler to dig up a reason why they should not.

Away with it! You can't beat the young folks out of anything and the law-makers ought to know it by this time.

Not far from Orlando, Florida, lies Haines City, a burg of 3,100 souls, located in the midst of the citrus fruit belt and enjoying all the prosperity that comes to southern cities built up by northern capital. This town enjoys the unique distinction of being the only city so far as known of this size with paved streets throughout. A home building campaign is now on to furnish houses for all who have heretofore been obliged to live in tents and camp in the streets. This runs into the millions of dollars and a big factory for the manufacture of fruit packing machinery has been located at Haines City. The Chamber of Commerce is constantly angling for enterprises and it occurs to the novice this might be a good place to spend the winter.

There Is No Lost Motion In Persistent Advertising

A big part of the cost of living today may be charged to lost motion—to slow, slipshod distribution of goods and to old-style, wasteful selling methods.

For example—every year tons of fruit and vegetables rot on the ground because it does not pay to pick them up. Discouraged growers plant less the next season and the supply of food is reduced. Meanwhile consumers in the cities grumble over high prices. Demand and supply are not brought together.

Contrast this with the handling of oranges. The California Fruit Growers' Exchange experience is a good example of bringing supply and demand together through advertising. It has likewise kept down the cost of fruit handled through the exchange and the consumer is the one benefited. Advertising has reduced the cost of selling. The cherry growers of the state of Michigan are organized for a similar campaign of advertising and in a few years there will be a greater demand for Michigan cherries.

Advertising, properly done, saves money for the consumer and makes money for the producer by driving out wasteful methods, increasing volume and cutting down the costs of distribution and selling.

Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So hereafter the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25. Please bear in mind this is final and cancel all other announcements. To those who subscribe for McCall's let us say don't be alarmed if it takes a couple of weeks to get the magazine coming. Of late the publishers assure us the volume of business coming in requires time to straighten out, so if you fail to receive McCall's the next day don't get nervous. It'll come in due time.

An Electric Age

Within a decade electric stoves washing machines, ironing machines, water heaters, mixing devices, refrigerators and similar appliances will be as much a part of the house as the modern bath room is the prediction of electrical experts. While the modern office is filled with labor saving devices, only 18 per cent of the homes are so provided. The old-style housewives who are now doing most of their work without the current will have it in use in a couple of years.

The season of fairs is at hand. State Fair at Detroit Sept. 4-13

STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

ON "GOLD BONDS"

"Before I go to the bank to ask advice about investing the money mother left me, I wish you would tell me something more about bonds," said Helen to Aunt Emmy. "Am I right in thinking that gold bonds are absolutely safe? Are gold bonds what people mean by gilt edge securities?"

"What a child it is!" laughed Aunt Emmy. "I can see that you do need to learn something about bonds. The term 'gold bond' does not have anything to do with the term 'gilt edged security.' The latter is nothing more than a commonly used phrase that means a safe security. Companies that issue gold bonds usually agree to redeem them in United States gold coin of the weight and fineness of the gold coin issued by the United States Treasury at the time the bonds are put on the market. This is done in order to protect the bondholders from the very remote possibility of a radical change in the value of United States currency, such as, for example, the changes in the values of German and other European currencies as a result of the war. While such a thing is unlikely to occur in this country, financiers always try to guard against every possible trouble. Although a bond may be payable in gold it is unnecessary to demand payment in actual gold coin since our American money is on a gold basis anyhow and our good old paper dollars have exactly the same value as golden dollars.

"But you want to bear in mind one thing. Because you buy a so-called 'gold bond,' that does not mean that the bond is secured by gold in any way, or that it is stronger than any other bond. The strength of a bond lies simply and only in the ability of the company that issues it to pay its debts. And of course you should consider the value of the property pledged or mortgaged to secure the bond, if any property is given as security."

"Dear me, Aunt Emmy," exclaimed Helen. "I never realized how much one needs to know before investing one's money. In my case it's awfully important not to have a loss, because although I have only a tiny amount of money it is all I have in the world. How can I ever learn to tell what is good from what is bad?"

"I am not sure you ever can rely on your own judgment, my dear," smiled Aunt Emmy, "but if you will be guided by your bank, you needn't worry."—A. B. Aymes.

ON GUARD AGAINST FARM CROOKS

With every constructive movement for the improvement of agriculture, one is likely to find men who will attempt to capitalize it for their own personal benefit. This may take the form of shipping in poor and unprofitable livestock to palm off on unsuspecting farmers, or it may sometimes be selling fair to good livestock at exorbitant prices under promise of taking back some of the offspring at high figures.

There are several instances where the college of agriculture through its county agent system has co-operated in heading off the introduction of undesirable or extravagantly priced livestock. In other instances the state bankers association, through its agricultural committee or the secretary's office, has sent warnings to its member banks relative to individuals or firms operating on an unsound basis. It is as important to head off undesirable and unprofitable investments as it is to encourage constructive and porfitable ones.—*Banker-Farmer.*

BANKERS HELP

The banks of Bodford county, Tennessee, are furnishing pure bred eggs to all who will agree to return one pullet for each fifteen eggs in the fall

The Missouri Bankers Association issued the first number of the "Agricultural Information Service Quarterly" in April. This publication deals with timely agricultural subjects of interest to bankers. A discussion of the various projects proposed as a basis for the program of banker-farmer co-operation in Missouri appears in the first issue.

Clearing houses in Georgia have approved a proposal for the expenditure of $30,000 annually for the next three years for the purpose of carrying out a program of farm development and crop diversification in Georgia. The proposal was initiated by the Georgia Bankers Association. The plan calls for the creation of a state-wide development committee of thirty members which will function under the direction of the Agricultural Committee of the Georgia Bankers Association.

Nebraska bankers are going to school. The College of Agriculture is having a short course in agriculture for bankers. Registration is in charge of the Nebraska Bankers Association. The predominant thought is, "Every bank in Nebraska should be represented." Nine out of ten banks in one county have signed attendance cards. Scores of the cards have been received by Dan V. Stephens, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the Bankers Association, and he has received over a hundred letters on the short course.

THE PENCIL MAKES A FARM PAY BETTER

Farm Accounting Reveals Losing Methods and Points Way to Bigger Profits.

(From Banker-Farmer)

A farm cannot properly be called successful unless it pays a fair rate of interest on the investment and returns fair wages for the farmer's labor. Agriculture is considered by all odds the most important industry in the world, and yet in no other industry is the business end so neglected.

It is common to find a farmer with an investment of fifteen to twenty thousand dollars, yet does he keep books? Perhaps he may jot down a note now and then of an important deal, but this is of no value in an analysis of his business as a whole No other industry, however small, is carried on without books of some sort.

Farming is a business and to be successful must be conducted in a businesslike way. The business man's mind should have indelibly printed upon it two questions: What profit is my business making? How can that profit be increased? To know the latter, one must find out the former; and to find out about profits requires the keeping of books.

It is not necessary for a farmer to have a course in bookkeeping. Almost every agricultural college in the country has issued a simplified farm accounting book which it sells at cost, and only a few minutes are required each day to jot down the day's happenings.

Accounts Increase Profits

Instances number a thousandfold where farmers have profited by knowing their business. Accounts kept by nineteen farmers in Illinois led them to improve the organization and operation of their farms in ways that added approximately $650 to their average net income in 1922, the seventh year they had kept accounts.

An Iowa farmer found at the end of the first year he kept books that crops fed to livestock brought more money than when sold outright. His figures showed that his cows were poor; compared with other farms in the state, he found the number of acres cultivated per man on his farm, as well as the number of acres per horse, were below average. He rented more land and replanned his fields, so that the crop areas per man and horse were increased. He sold some of his scrubs and bought good cows. The second year his income from the farm, after paying all expenses and interest on the money invested, had been increased over $350.

Costs Can Be Regulated

"I have discovered," says one farm bookkeeper, "that the kind of man you have on a job, as well as the particular team, often makes quite a variation in the cost of performing certain tasks. I have learned from the pages of my book that if I could have increased the yield of my wheat field by two bushels and my corn by five bushels I would have realized a substantial profit from them."

While the farmers may not be able to fix prices on their products, they do have a voice in determining the costs of production. To reduce this cost they must first know what the costs are.

The number of farmers who are keeping books on their business has increased remarkably in recent years, but the number of businesslike farmers is woefully small when listed alongside the sum total of the farmers in the country.

Inventory Is Indispensable

The basis of any system of farm accounting is the annual property list or inventory. It is the starting point of the farm records. One must take into consideration decreases or increases in the value of all property owned to gauge the progress of the business. Lacking facts as to the value of his property, no business man can form an accurate estimate of how he stands financially. Increased cash may be due to property which was sold, or increased debts may be due to improvements made. If a farmer is falling behind, the inventory will emphasize this fact. Often when a man is discouraged and thinks he is making no progress, his inventories will tell him that he is better off than he thought.

At the end of each year a financial statement is drawn off. This is the farmer's rating and no farmer with a good financial statement need fear walking into a bank and asking for a loan.

Another New Amendment

"Another feature of the recent amendment to the California inheritance tax law is a section fixing the inheritance taxes on stock in California corporations owned by non-residents at a flat sum of 2 per cent on their actual value. When considered in conjunction with the ruling that no inheritance taxes can be levied upon any stock in foreign corporations, or upon bank accounts, bonds, notes, debentures, or similar securities belonging to a non-resident but located in the state at the time of such non-resident's decease, it will be observed that at present the inheritance tax situation in California is most favorable, both to non-residents who have property in this state and to married people who live here or who may subsequently move here from elsewhere."

Some Dry Humor From Oklahoma

The editor of the Atoka (Okla.) County Jeffersonian learned that a solicitor was getting up a program for church services which would contain, besides the program for the services, advertising of merchants similar to that used in theater programs. The stunt moved him to remark thusly:

"If the church is going in for that kind of thing, let us suggest that there are a lot of nice white plastered walls in the churches upon which signs could easily be painted. Also, a few ads could be inserted in the Bible. 'Take a little Wine of Cordui for the stomach's sake' is a possibility. A butcher's ad beside the story of the fatted calf would be appropriate. The purple and fine linen scripture could be worked up into a cracker jack dry goods ad. A few medicine songs scattered throughout the hymnals would jazz things up wonderfully. For a closing hymn they could sing to the tune of Dock's Ology: "Praise Williams' paints that smoothly flow; praise Dri Sox Shoes that keep out the snow; praise Fatimas—they taste like toast; try Bill's Cafe for prime pork roast! Ah! Men!' "

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both on year for the small sum of $2.25 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions, from Paris, the best works of Harolld Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 24th day of August. A. D.1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Carter Deceased.

Augustus Borden having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Jay D. Knowles or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered : That the 8th day of October A D;, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
15t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March. A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now. therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
John F. Steward Mortgagee
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the condisions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N, Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, 11t13
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address, Hillsdale, Mich.

THE FEATHERHEADS

By L. F. Van Zelm
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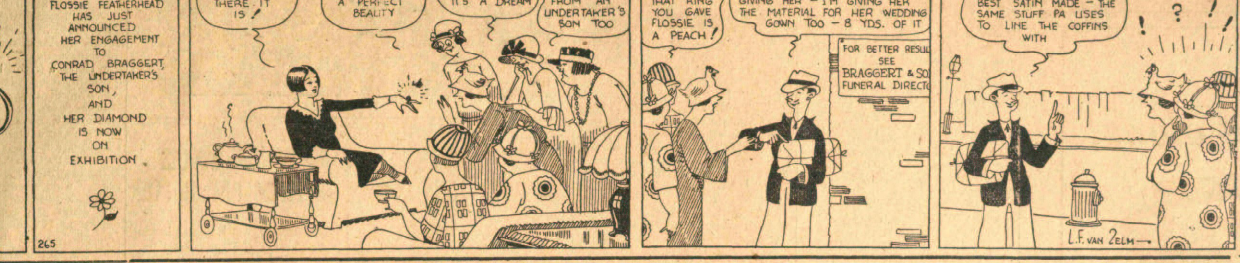
Some Satin!


FLOSSIE FEATHERHEAD HAS JUST ANNOUNCED HER ENGAGEMENT TO CONRAD BRAGGERT, THE UNDERTAKER'S SON, AND HER DIAMOND IS NOW ON EXHIBITION.
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WELL GIRLS, THERE IT IS!
FLOSSIE, IT'S A PERFECT BEAUTY
OH, MY DEAR! IT'S A DREAM
AND THINK— FROM AN UNDERTAKER'S SON TOO
OH CONRAD, THAT RING YOU GAVE FLOSSIE IS A PEACH!
THAT'S NOT THE ONLY THING I'M GIVING HER — I'M GIVING HER THE MATERIAL FOR HER WEDDING GOWN TOO — 8 YDS. OF IT
FOR BETTER RESU SEE BRAGGERT & SO FUNERAL DIRECT
YES SIR! IT'S THE BEST SATIN MADE — THE SAME STUFF PA USES TO LINE THE COFFINS WITH
! ? ! !
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FLOUR

SAVE REPUTATIONS OF TWO YOUNGSTERS

That it is better not to make arrests when results can be obtained by other methods is a part of the courtesy policy of the Michigan State Police. Here is an instance.

Captain I. H Marmon and two other members of the "free lance squad" which operates against disorderly roadhouses and gambling places, came upon a parked car near a roadhouse in which were a young man and a young woman, both unconscious from liquor.

Because of their youth, Captain Marmon decided not to arrest them. The young woman was taken to a respectable hotel while the young man was taken to the home of his father, a well known banker.

Next day both of the young people told their parents that it was the first time they had ever been under the influence of liquor and that they would not repeat the experience. They had been given a salutary lesson without being made the victims of scandal.

RUM SMUGGLERS USE TRAFFIC LIGHT CODE

State Police have discovered that the liquor smugglers along the Canadian border have copied the system of lights employed to direct traffic in city streets and made it a safeguard for their vessels. Red, green and yellow lights are shown on the boathouse or dock where the cargo is to be received at night.

A red light indicates that police are in the vicinity, a green light that the smuggling vessel may come to dock safely while a yellow light indicates that the smugglers had better stop on the Canadian side of the line for awhile.

Inasmuch the Detroit and St. Clair Rivers are in places less than a third of a mile wide, the traffic system works to aid the smugglers in making quick dashes

DISPOSES IN 282 WORDS OF THE BANK GUARANTEE LAW

"Understand bank deposit guaranty being proposed in your legislature," telegraphed R. B. Clark, president of the Bank of Tupelo, Miss., to Paul R. Brown, Secretary of the North Carolina Bankers Association. "Such a law in any form is a snare and a delusion. It is license and encouragement to irresponsible banks and banking and penalizes capital solvency and prudent banking. It creates a sense of security in the minds of the unthinking and uninformed that is false and impossible to be realized on ultimately. It tends to debauch one's right and duty to be thoughtful and discriminating. To compare it to legitimate insurance is without reason and absurd. It jeopardizes the solvency of all banks and the safety of all depositors for the theoretical safety of a few. We have had it ten years, and the fund is hopelessly in arrears. Have been fighting for repeal and have made progress. Only repeal can save our state system of banks. Many of the best are nationalizing even now. Guaranty schemes always have been, are and always will be impotent, futile and disastrous Consider Oklahoma, Texas, Nebraska Mississippi and others. It is not new. Has been tried, failed and discarded at intervals for more than 100 years in this country. No well-informed, honest and intelligent mind can accept it in principle or practice. Well paid intelligently competent supervision, restriction of banks to territory that will warrant sufficient capital investment and encourage surplus accounts is the only sane and honest course and will afford all the guaranty the depositing public is entitled to as compared with all other human affairs. Arouse your people and crush the misguided effort for all time. To do so will be worth whatever it may cost, and the value will be to your people generally more than to the banks."

The bill was reported unfavorably.

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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

(Continued from last week)

CONSIDER HARRY FOR EXAMPLE

There were certain minor physical defects in Harry which the doctors discovered and corrected. They found that Harry had inherited some weaknesses that ran back in the family and had not made an appearance in the other brothers and sisters, but the main discovery was that Harry was not getting enough sugar! With all its wealth the family was not feeding Harry properly, and none of the family councils brought out the fact that the boy was misbehaving largely because he was undernourished. When the doctors consulted with the family it was revealed that everything that Harry stole was sold for a fraction of its value and the proceeds spent in the purchase of candy. The search for sweets was the primary cause of his misbehavior.

Wise doctors at the institute advised the parents to give Harry unrestricted access to the sugar bowl at meal time and prescribed supplementary feedings of bread and jam between meals and before retiring, and small amounts of candy from time to time. Then the doctors explained to the parents what it was in Harry's heredity that made it difficult for him to act like his brothers and sisters. The parents were counseled not to ask too much of Harry, and to be patient with him when he failed to accomplish his tasks.

Two years have passed since Harry came to the institute. His pilferings have long since ceased; he no longer plays truant and he does better at school. Harry will never be a genius, but he will take his place in the working world instead of drifting into a life of crime

LESSONS PARENTS MAY LEARN

This whole question of the treatment of behavior disorders is still in its infancy, and doctors themselves are studying such cases as Harry's to learn how to treat other children with other problems. No less important are the lessons for parents, teachers, and others who deal with children as to what are the wise and unwise methods of handling children. Attention is given to children showing no peculiar conduct as well as those behaving abnormally.

There is the case of George, a high school lad. George was brighter than most of the boys in his class, but he suddenly started playing truant. He would be found hanging about the football squad during practice time fighting furiously for a place on the squad, though his small stature made his candidacy hopeless. Often he got into fist fights with boys older and larger than himself. He swore like the proverbial trooper and behaved abominibly at home.

At the clinic the doctors soon discovered George's trouble. The boy was suffering from nothing but a determination to shine before his fellows, and the only way open to him seemed to be to show how tough he was. George's older brother had been a football hero and George wanted to make an equally good record at school. George had an insurmountable handicap in his small physique and he was infinitely miserable, and promised to get into serious difficulty. The prescription for George was simple but effective. No medicine, no operation, just a gratification of his not altogether unworthy ambitition.

"What can he do better than the rest of the fellows?" the doctors tried to discover. It developed that George was an excellent skater. There was a sport in which his stature was an asset. The boy was made to realize that skating champions were some "punkins", and he bent every energy to perfecting himself in that line.

In no time George was the champion skater in the school, and later of his class for the city. He shone and he was happy! Fighting and truancy diminished and then ceased. The teachers were taken into the confidence of the child guidance experts and attention was devoted to George's fondness for public speaking and debate. He soon became one of the leaders in school contests and debates and naturally his school work improved. Today there isn't a happier boy in the school or a happier family than George's. Coddling him? Yes if you like. But helping him find himself in a larger sense. And when "coddling" stops truancy, meanness and other bad habits mill divert juvenile energy into useful channels, isn't it better than the old-fashioned way of dealing with "orneriness"?

We are just beginning to learn that the peculiar conduct of a child may be due to suffering because of some discrepancy in his own life or in his environment. Every clinic for child guidance knows of cases where the only Jewish child in a school of Gentiles suffered terribly because of consciousness of his being "different" from other children The parents may be rich and they may provide every diversion for their child and not allay in the slightest the misery which needs the attention of a skilled expert in child guidance.

A girl delinquent in the juvenile court may have fallen into bad habits through unhappiness in her home environment. The clinic shows the parents that a little more fun and a little less repression at home and wiser treatment of an adolescent girl may mean the difference between a life of vice and normal conduct for their child. Orphans often cease their delinquencies when they are transferred from an uncongenial environment to a home radiating a sympathetic atmosphere, the clinic records show.

Forward looking juvenile court judges are largely guided by the advice of these clinics in dealing with cases of obviously defective children. There are boys who simply can't resist temptations in the large cities. The court, at the suggestion of the clinic, places such children in friendly rural homes and society gains a useful citizen instead of a criminal. The whole tendency is to keep children with behavior problems out of institutions if it is at all possible, and where institutional care is essential that treatment is directed to restoring the patient to normal life if there is the slightest ground for hope.

Two States, Illinois and Ohio, have clinics for child guidance. Forward looking communities are establishing their own clinics, The Commonwealth Fund of New York City is spending thousands of dollars to encourage extension of the clinic idea through practical demonstrations in interested communities.

State Muck Farmers To Meet At M. S. C.

Members of the American Peat Society and of the Michigan Muck Farmers Association will join in a big "muck soil" conference at the M. S. C. on September 8 and 9.

It will be the annual meeting for the national group, and the regular summer conference for the state muck farmers. The program is being planned jointly and will cover practically all phases of the muck farming business, as well as various special branches of peat utilization.

Many of the best known muck soils specialists in the country are listed for talks during the two day program. Among them will be: B. F. Haanel, Dept. of Mines, Ottawa, Can.; J. H, Beattie, president American Peat Society; J. H. Hoff, New York; Dr. E. V. Hardenburg, Cornell University; Dr. F. J. Alway, University of Minn.; Prof. F. L. Musbach, University of Wisconsin; E. L. Woodhams, president of the Michigan Muck Farmers Association; Dr. P. M. Harmer, M. S. C.; and a score of others, including many from the staff of the M. S. C.

Following the meeting at East Lansing, delegates to the conference will take a three day inspection trip through the leading muck farming areas of southwestern Michigan.

Detailed arrangements for the program of the conference are being handled by Dr. Harmer, Delegates from all sections of the country are expected to attend the Peat Society division of the meeting.

Standard Grades To Help State Potatoes

That Michigan's new standard grades for potatoes will result in a marked boost for the crop in the state, particularly in regard to the reputation of the wolverine tubers in out of state markets, is the general opinion of men who have studied the situation in recent weeks.

By act of the last state legislature, standard grades were adopted to regulate the sale of potatoes, with inspection and penalties provided for. This law became effective August 27, and is now in operation throughout the state.

Potato grading is not new for the state, Federal Grades having been adopted in 1923 by order of the state commissioner of agriculture. The new law, however, gives Michigan her own grading law and places the work upon a definite and permanent bases.

Potato grading has already done much for the Michigan crop, says J. W. Weston, specialist with the crops department at the M. S. C. Poorly graded stock before 1923 hurt the reputation of the Michigan tubers on markets such as Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Toledo, and Detroit. The result was apparent in sales and lower prices than those received by growers from other states.

The grading work during the last two years is estimated to have resulted in great financial gain to the state growers, and the definite Michigan grades now in effect should be of far reaching benefit in re-establishing Michigan's potato reputation on the country's markets.

The New Ford Cars Are Out

Promptly in August Henry Ford announced his changes in the styles of Ford products, prices remain the same as ever on all models of Fords but the body shapes are modified considerably, Bodies are lower and built entirely of steel Seats are lower and the whole appearance of the new model is decidedly chic. The bodies are longer giving more leg room. The touring car, coupe, runabout and Tudor have their gas tanks under the cowl but are filled from the outside. One piece wind-shields are used and larger brake drums so that altogether the new models are exceedingly classy. In all closed cars colors are used in enameling and several different combinations are used. The new cars are all equipped with standard cords.

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An experienced traveler has been known to take scales with him, and still his weights and the purity of his silver were subjected to dispute in different provinces. At coast ports Mexican, Yuan, Dragon, Hong-Kong and Hankow dollars are all current each having its own defined exchange value in the native market, while in the interior the added intricacies of dealing with cents and copper cash are so great that it is astonishing how business can be carried on without endless disputes and a considerable handicap to trade.

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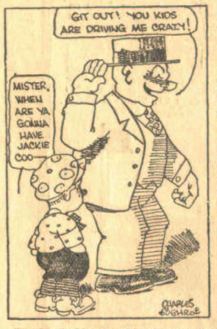
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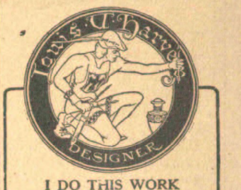

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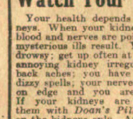

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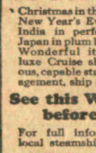

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Out of the two hundred applicants for the position one was selected because of his excellent voice. He was duly brought before the "powers that be," and promptly turned down as looking "nothing like the part."

The producer was keen to have him and made inquiries as to his previous stage experience. Imagine his surprise when the man replied, "I haven't done much acting lately—I've spent my last five years in the Canadian Northwest Mounted police!"—Vancouver Province.

Famous Old Mansion

The Quincy mansion is at Quincy, Mass., formerly called Braintree. William Coddington built the original house, which consisted of a large kitchen, a living room and two chimneys. Coddington died shortly after the erection of the house. His successor, the first Quincy, to occupy it, was the first of three Edmund Quincys'. In 1706, the third Edmund added the present dining room, parlor and the chambers over these rooms. Later a study and bedroom were added. Among the many noted guests entertained there were Lafayette and Benjamin Franklin. The latter, after a visit, sent a "Franklin stove" as a return for hospitality offered him.

"Flapper" Always With Us

Dora, the child wife, as Dickens drew her, was a flapper. She was inexpressibly silly, but was all David Copperfield's fancy painted her until he tried to make a housekeeper of her.

Let us not be too hard on the flapper, asserting that she is a recent and highly undesirable kind of girl. There have been flappers throughout all the mighty ages of the ever-spinning globe, and will be until the globe loops its final loop.—Book Notes.

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Didn't Know

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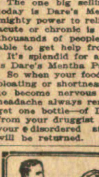

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CHAPTER XII—Continued

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Casimir was tired, worried, overexcited and was drinking too much champagne. In his soberest senses he does not understand English very well. He certainly did not understand what was said to him then. But he readily promised that Tommy should have every opportunity of explaining himself to the king and Calypso. The king, so he said, meant to travel with the party as far as Breslau. Tommy could talk to him in the train. He would have several hours in which to say all he wanted. Afterward he could talk to the princess, all day long if he chose, for three whole days. It would be at least three days before they could leave Breslau.

Next morning Tommy and Janet Church went to the Friedrich Strasse station in good time for the train to Breslau. They found the king and Calypso waiting for them. Casimir arrived a few minutes later and saw them off.

The princess and Janet Church traveled together. The king and Tommy took their places in a smoking compartment. Fortunately they had it to themselves. As soon as the train started Tommy braced himself in an effort. He wanted to get an explanation of what was happening, and he was quite determined to make his own position clear.

It was the king who began the conversation.

"I'm glad," he said, "that we have this carriage to ourselves. I want to have a little talk with you."

"And I want to talk to you," said Tommy.

By way of showing that this talk was going to be of a very serious kind he stood up and set his back against the door of the compartment. The king settled down in a corner and lit a cigar.

"Are you, or are you not really a king?"

The king turned his cigar over between his fingers thoughtfully.

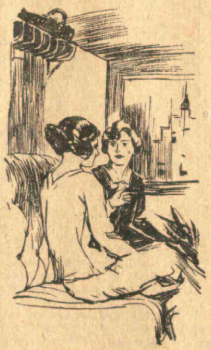
"That," he said, "is rather a hard question to answer. I certainly was a king once. If you asked Casimir he'd say I am king still, since I haven't abdicated. On the other hand, the statesmen of the Entente powers, if you ask them, would say that I am not a king, because they have definitely turned me out. However—" here he smiled pleasantly—"it doesn't really matter, does it? As I told you last night, I don't keep up any kind of state now. You needn't remain standing up. I'd much rather you sat down and were comfortable. Have a cigar."

Tommy sat down and took a cigar.

"Now," said the king, "let's talk about this unlucky Miss Temple business. I'm sorry to tell you that Calypso feels very strongly about it, absurdly strongly. In fact, I had the greatest difficulty in getting her to start this morning. If I hadn't come with her myself, which I didn't particularly want to do, I shouldn't have been able to get her into the train."

Tommy felt that his opportunity had come. He stood up again. He felt firmer and more determined when he was standing up.

"I want to make it perfectly clear to you," he said, "that I am not Lord Norheys. I know that you've somehow mixed me up with him, you and Count Casimir. But it's a mistake. It really is. I AM NOT LORD NORHEYS."



The Princess and Janet Church Traveled Together.

"That," said the king, "is exactly what I told Calypso. You said as much to me last night, and I've been repeating it to her all day. I told her that you knew nothing about Miss Temple, that you'd never seen the girl, that you'd never even heard of her, that, in fact, YOU ARE NOT LORD NORHEYS."

The king gave a pleasant and smiling imitation of Tommy's emphatic assertion.

"I don't think you quite understand me even now. I really am not Lord Norheys."

The king waved his hand airily.

"That's a tremendous comfort to me," he said. "It gets us out of the Miss Temple difficulty, and, to tell the truth, that affair was becoming serious."

"Who on earth is Miss Temple?" asked Tommy, desperately.

"Oh, an actress, I believe," said the king, smiling. "Or a dancer. But it doesn't matter, does it? Lord Norheys, it seems, has foolishly promised to marry her. Even that wouldn't really have mattered. You could have kept her in the background—"

"Don't say 'you,'" said Tommy. "I've told you over and over again that I am not Lord Norheys."

"Of course you're not. I know that and I'm very glad of it. It simplifies things immensely, for though Lord Norheys might have married Calypso in spite of Miss Temple, I'm afraid Calypso wouldn't have married him. Miss Temple wrote a letter to my daughter, a most pathetic letter, begging her not to take Lord Norheys away from her. It affected Calypso greatly. There was something in it about a 'one ewe lamb,' and Calypso, having lots of flocks and herds, it seemed to me rather an odd description of a young man. The patriarch used to quote that parable to me, but then it always was—well, a 'ewe' lamb. That stuff never made much impression on me, but Calypso wept when she read it. She said that if you'd promised to marry Miss Temple—"

"But I haven't."

"So I told Calypso. I told her that she must not mix you up with Lord Norheys. She said that even if you hadn't actually promised to marry her, you had certainly stolen away her young affections."

"I haven't," said Tommy.

"Of course not. Their affections are seldom as young as all that. At least, that's my experience. Those ewe lambs are generally pretty well able to take care of themselves. But, of course, it would have been no good saying that to Calypso, or for the matter of that, to the patriarch. The patriarch is a very simple-minded old man. He believes in young affections and broken hearts and all that sort of thing. However, fortunately, we haven't got to argue with him and Calypso along those lines. All we've got to do is make them believe that you are not Lord Norheys. Once they believe that, all our difficulties vanish. The marriage can go on."

"Do you mean to say," said Tommy, "that you're still willing to allow me to marry your daughter?"

"Of course I am," said the king. "I always was. I never took that Miss Temple business in the least seriously. These things will happen. Everybody except Calypso and the patriarch knows that."

"But it hasn't happened," said Tommy. "At least, it hasn't happened to me. It may possibly have happened to Lord Norheys. I don't know anything about that."

"Just what I said to Calypso, and just what you will have to say to the patriarch. Then the only obstacle to the marriage vanishes."

"No, it doesn't," said Tommy. "At least, that one may. But there's another obstacle, a much worse one."

"If there's another," said the king, "for heaven's sake don't let her write to Calypso. Who is she? Don't say it's Miss Church. If it is, we're done."

"I never saw Miss Church in my life till yesterday," said Tommy.

"I thought it could hardly be her. She really is rather too old for that sort of thing. But if it had been her, it would have been awkward, very awkward indeed. She'd have gone in person to the patriarch, and nothing you could have said would have straightened things out. However, if it isn't her, it doesn't really matter, so long as the other one doesn't telegraph or write."

"There isn't another one."

"You've just told me there is," said the king. "You said, 'another and a much worse one.'"

"I said another obstacle," said Tommy, "not another girl. As a matter of fact, there's no girl at all and never was. The obstacle I mean is far worse than any girl."

"Couldn't possibly be worse," said the king, "from the point of view of the patriarch."

"The obstacle is this," said Tommy. "I'm only a curate."

"I don't regard that as an obstacle at all," said the king. "Our patriarch doesn't believe in the celibacy of the clergy. He isn't married himself, but lots of our priests are, and the patriarch hasn't the slightest objection to it."

"That's not my point at all. As a matter of fact, I'm not a Roman Catholic curate and I'm perfectly free to marry if I like."

"That wouldn't have mattered, anyhow," said the king. "The patriarch would have absolved you from any vow you might have made. He's terrifically powerful in that sort of way and can give you absolution for practically anything. The trouble about him isn't that he can't give absolution; but that sometimes he won't."

"How can a curate marry a princess?" said Tommy. "That's my point. If she really is a princess—"

"She is," said the king. "From the point of view of any one who accepts legitimate theories, she's most certainly a royal princess. But I hope I needn't say that I don't attach any importance to the fact. We are living in a world that has been made safe for democracy and nobody cares a pin for those old-fashioned ideas. There's nothing to prevent any princess from marrying an English marquis."

"But I'm not an English marquis," said Tommy. "I keep on telling you that and you won't believe me."

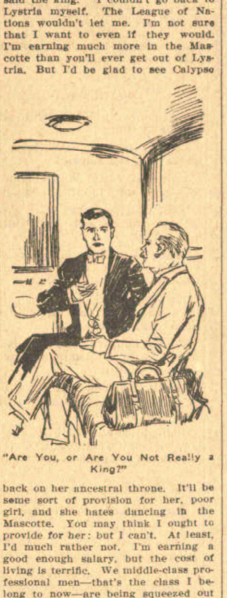
"It isn't that I don't believe you," said the king. "It's simply that I find it very hard to remember. However, the main thing is not to let any old-fashioned ideas about disparity of rank trouble you. The whole matter has been arranged."

"I wish I knew who arranged that I am to marry a princess."

"Well," said the king. "There were several people in it. I was one."

"Why?" said Tommy. "Why did you make such an extraordinary arrangement?"

"There were a good many reasons," said the king. "I couldn't go back to Lystria myself. The League of Nations wouldn't let me. I'm not sure that I want to even if they would. I'm earning much more in the Mascotte than you'll ever get out of Lystria. But I'd be glad to see Calypso back on her ancestral throne. It'll be some sort of provision for her, poor girl, and she hates dancing in the Mascotte. You may think I ought to provide for her: but I can't. At least, I'd much rather not. I'm earning a good enough salary, but the cost of living is terrific. We middle-class professional men—that's the class I belong to now—are being squeezed out of existence everywhere in Europe. That's the reason I want to see Calypso safely married and on a throne."



"Are You, or Are You Not Really a King?"

"But why did you choose me?"

"I didn't choose you. The fact is that the Lystrians knew very well that they couldn't get a king at all unless he was an Englishman. The Entente powers would have turned down any one else. And the Lystrians wanted a king, all of them. There's the patriarch, for instance. He hates playing second fiddle to a Megalian man who's merely an archimandrite, but has taken to wearing a gold chain round his neck much thicker than our patriarch's. Of course, as soon as Lystria gets back into the position of an independent kingdom, our patriarch will be top dog of the two. Then there are the Casimirs. There are eight or ten Casimirs, all counts, and there's the rest of the aristocracy. They're nobodies in a large republic like Megalia, but they're very important people in Lystria. Besides, they like having a court to hang about. You can't imagine how those fellows love dressing up in uniforms, putting on swords and attending state balls. And the way they eat! I assure you that a bullock roasted whole and a couple of pigs go no distance at a supper table in Lystria. It used to be a frightful expense to me. I needn't tell you the Megalian President doesn't do that kind of thing. He can't, poor fellow. His salary won't run to it. That's another example of the straitened circumstances of the middle classes."

"I still don't see why the Lystrians chose me," said Tommy, "if they did."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Piscatorially Appraised

Applying for a divorce, an old Georgia negro said to the judge: "Hit only cost me a string er fish ter git married, jedge; but Lawdy, jedge, I'd give a whale ter git rid er her."—Boston Transcript.

Or Think They Have

There are no fools so troublsome as those that have wit. — Benjamin Franklin.

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"Getting Into Scrape" Has Various Meanings

The phrase "get into a scrape" can be traced back as far as 1709. Richard Steele used it in "The Tatler" and it is said to have originated from the notion of having been scraped in going through a narrow passageway, but this is pure conjecture. Scrape in dialectical English designates a trap and is much older, and to this day the word is used for a lure for birds in cold weather, says the Family Herald.

According to Lowsley's "Glossary of Berkshire Words and Phrases," scrapes are of two kinds: the first is an old door supported by a stick under which corn is placed, and the stick being pulled by a long string the door falls on the birds. The second is made by placing corn where snow has been swept away, and birds, when congregated, are shot in numbers, being enfiladed along the scrape.

Worlidge in his dictionary, edited in 1681, describes a scrape as "a place baited with chaff or corn to entice birds." To get into a scrape is to get into an awkward, embarrassing or troublesome predicament.

Trials Have Their Value

A gem is not polished without rubbing—nor is a man perfected without trials.—Lord Bacon.

Might Be Construed as "Gentle Hint"

Little Francis Irwin, film prodigy, is very partial to ice cream cones and discovered that the way to get them was to speak up on any and all occasions.

His parents often reproved him and finally, with the threat of a spanking hanging over his head, little Francis lapsed into silence.

A few days later the company went on location. Francis said not a word and when the car hesitated while the driver tried to ascertain which street to take, one of the party asked the child if he were getting sleepy.

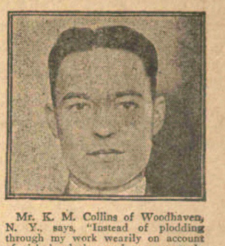
"Oh, no," said Francis, "I was just wondering if you were looking for a drug store."

Knew All About Pajamas

Woman's right to dress like a man is not recognized in the Balkans. A Bulgarian girl, well known for her enthusiastic work on behalf of the Y. W. C. A., recently returned from a trip abroad carrying in her suitcase several suits of new pajamas. The customs officials at the Bulgarian frontier said that each suit was liable to a tax of $2. In vain the girl protested that the pajamas were wearing apparel and would be worn by her. The customs officials remained obdurate, saying: "Those are men's clothes and are not for women to wear!"

There are no gains without pains.

Printer's Sick Stomach and Headaches Almost Cost Job



Mr. K. M. Collins of Woodhaven, N. Y., says, "Instead of plodding through my work wearily on account of sick headaches and sour stomach, I now enjoy good health and ambition, can do more and better work and life is worth living. I have never before given my name to advertise a medicine, but you cannot imagine how different I feel since I discovered Carter's Little Liver Pills."

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Mrs. Mayer's Experience

Litchfield, Conn.—"I have given your medicine a fair trial (I am on my fifth bottle) and can truthfully say that it has helped me. I am at the Change of Life and was not able to sleep nights, had indigestion, palpitation of the heart, pains in my right and left sides (more so if I hurried), had a rapid beating in my left ear and dreaded to see night come. I felt smothered if I lay on my left side, I had gas dreadfully, at times felt as if some one had me by the throat, had hot waves through me and sometimes I would shake in spells of nervousness. I am taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I cannot praise it enough. I can say it does all it claims to do and I can recommend it to my friends. I can sleep much better, the pains in my sides are gone, I am not so nervous, my digestion is much better, and I very seldom have the hot waves. I must say that the Vegetable Compound is the best medicine for women's ills and I will answer letters from women asking about it."—Mrs. Joseph Mayer, Sr., Box 86, Litchfield, Connecticut.

Tact

Housewife—Is that you, John?

Burglar—Yes, darling.—Sydney Bulletin.

You never can tell. The richest people in the world can't always raise the price of a little optimism.

Ignorance

Driver—My wife never rides in th back seat.

Honker—Doesn't she know how to drive?—Life.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Central Moscow

Fred Carpenter and family were in Jackson Saturday.

Len Dewey and wife were in North Adams Saturday.

Geo Brayton and wife were in Jonesville last week Wednesday on business.

Mrs. John Adams visited her daughter Mrs. Homer Sturdevant Saturday.

Mrs. Andrew Richards is spending a few days in Detroit with her sisters in Detroit.

Evelyn Blackmer visited her grandparents Ed Blackmer and wife at North Adams recently.

Mrs. Helen Houchen and daughter Lulu of Homer visited her sister Mrs. John Adams Wednesday.

Esther and Ruth VanCamp have gone to their grandparents Ben VanCamp's to go to school at Somerset Center.

Andrew Richards and family motored to Auburn Indiana Sunday to visit Mrs. Richards sister and family.

Chas Kies and wife entertained Sunday her sister Mattie Fitton and daughter Myrtle, Ed Parks and wife of Jackson, Ray Parks of Mason, Earnest Parks of Blissfield Allen Kies and wife of Jackson and Mrs. Henry McGee.

Somerset Centre

School opened Monday with Mrs. Eldrige in charge.

Church services was held at Goose Lake last Sunday.

Harry Lewis and wife of Somerset Center were in Jackson Monday

Tom VanAllen and family spent Monday evening with Earl Rutan and family.

Harry Lewis and family and Florence Parker were at Clarks Lake Sunday.

Earl Rutan and wife and Mrs. Cora VanAllen was in Hillsdale Monday afternoon.

Rant Rutan, wife and son, Leon Mercer, wife and daughter were in Hillsdale Thursday.

George Becker's barn was struck by lightning Sunday afternoon and burned to the ground.

Rant Rutan and wife, Leon Mercer, wife and daughter Elaine attended the ballgame at Horton Sunday.

Too late for last week

Mrs. William Shock is spending some time in Jackson.

Leon Mercer, wife and daughter attended the ballgame August 16th.

L. A. Mercer and family were in Addison and Hillsdale on business Thursday.

Mrs. W. King of Somerset Center died Saturday August 15. Burial was held August 18 in Ohio.

Rant Rutan, wife and son Clare and James Freed spent a few days with J. P. Churchfield and wife of Midland.

E. H. Ballard and wife of Auburn Indiana spent last week with E. Mc Gregor and wife. They returned to their home Sunday August 16.

Earl Eggleston's baby is ill and they have taken him to Foote Hospital where he is improving. He will be brought home soon.

Floyd Baker and wife, Earl Rutan and family, George Becker and wife, Leon Mercer and family and Henry Didama, wife and baby had a picnic dinner Sunday.

Clifford Clarence Clark, nineteen months old son of C. C. Clark and wife died Monday August 17. Burial was held at the church Wednesday August 19. Rev. Scott officiated

Town Line

Mesdames Beecher, Powers and Jennings were in Hillsdale Tuesday

Geraldine Cox was a guest Tuesday night at the C. H. Jennings home.

Glen Baker and wife had as guests last week Mrs. Pebbles and children of Pittsford.

Forest Havens of Hillsdale commenced his school work in the Vielie district Monday.

Mrs. Esther Sutfin of Addison is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. J. Westcott.

Mrs. Roy Tuttle and little daughter are at the home of O. Simmonds and slowly improving. Congratulations are in order.

Mrs. Ray Fast and baby boy Vernon Wilbur born August 21 have had many callers in the past ten days. They are doing fine.

Rather late to mention but not forgotten by Mr. and Mrs. Randall Westcott who recently spent a most enjoyable week in Chicago the guests of Mr. Jordon and wife former residents of North Adams.

Jerome

May Anson was in Hillsdale Saturday.

Sherm Tower was in Hillsdale Thursday.

Mrs. Daisy Brayton and children of Burlington Vermont visited Friday at the Lem Kies home while on their way to Charlotte.

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A. G. Bovay

Murl Morehead was home from Mason Sunday.

M. B. Truax and family visited in Jackson Thursday.

Mrs. M. Morehead is teaching in the Little district this year.

Dr. Sterling and son Harold attended a reunion in Ohio last week.

Ira Wertenberger and family and Mrs. Lemuel Kies were in Hillsdale Saturday.

V. C. Green and wife of Pittsford were Sunday guests of T. J. Lane and family.

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Art Hart and family of Jackson Mrs. H. A. Voorhees and daughter of Hanover, Dan Sawdey and family of North Adams Sunday.

The Tower on Bundy Hill was entered Thursday night by unknown persons who carried two expensive field glasses away. The thieves also helped themselves to some oil at the Arch Branch farm and made attempts to get in at the Morton farm but failed.

Plans for the local Homecoming to take place Saturday September 12 have been completed and a good sized crowd is desired. It is expected that a ball game between Somerset and Addison will take place while a good program has been arranged. Dinner will be potluck.

Oddfellows of the local lodge with the assistance of members from North Adams have been doing a good turn by helping John Foltz with his farm. Mr. Foltz who is a member of the organization, has been sick and his fellow members did his threshing for him and paid the thresh bill in addition besides helping him in other ways.

Jonesville

Nelson Saxton is in a Hospital in Ann Arbor for treatment.

Milton Ward and wife spent part of last week in Kalamazoo.

L. Snyder of Milwaukee is visiting his sister Mrs. Robert Carter.

Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Fisk have returned from a motor trip in the east.

M. Pierce and wife of Plymouth are visiting relatives and friends here.

Clarence Wood and wife have moved into the Mills house on Wright street.

Clarence House and wife of Jackson were here Sunday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Olive Wisner.

C. G. Miller and family of Kalamazoo are visiting their daughter Mrs. Donald Kirby.

F. W. Graves, wife and daughter Elizabeth have returned from a motor trip into Canada.

Mrs. Wm Fogg Jr. and two daughters spent Thursday in Quincy visiting Mrs. Hall Cramner.

Harry Tubbs and wife of Detroit were over Sunday guests at the Geo Sharp home here.

The Woman's club picnic was held Thursday September 3 at the Harry Godfrey cottage, Baw Beese Lake.

Evangeline Wood who is in nurse training at Ford Hospital in Detroit is spending her vacation at her home here.

Frederick Wetmore and family who have been with his parents the past month left Thursday for their home in Scotia, New York.

C. M. Collins has purchased the Mrs. Kittie Wicks property on Evans street and will move his family there in the near future.

J. B. Bullis, wife and daughter Gertrude of Farmington and Tom Wills of Detroit were week end visitors at the Wetmore home on Maumee street.

Mrs. Luthera Newell of South Bend, Ind, Mrs. Hattie Hall of Toledo Ohio, Mrs. Adelaide Guy of Gary Ind. Mrs. Lucy Ross of Coldwater and Mrs. Winnefred Gaige of California visited during the week with their sister Mrs. Alice Dingfelder at the R. M. Powers home.

Local News

—See the Movie "Passion Play" at Congregational church next Sunday evening at 7:30.

Bert Marvin of Iron Mountain, visited his cousin, Elnora Greening, last Wednesday, making the trip by auto, 675 miles. in three days. Mr. Marvin is foreman at Henry Ford's plant at Iron Mountain.

An exchange says in reference to the "blue sky" stock markets, "let them alone unless you have expert advice." It also says consult your banker before you buy stock that is being hawked about. which is jolly right, we calculate. It is a fact that any real business man will at once fire these stock offers into the waste basket without the courtesy of an examination, but it is also true that the banker is pretty sure to advise you to leave your money in his bank at the paltry 4 per cent because he wants to use it, and if he did not use your's and our's his own would not suffice to dip into this, that and the other fly-by-night, get rich-quick schemes; moreover, how in sixty could you expect your banker to cite you to the best investments, when he wants to be cited himself? No, boys, you can take it from us the banker's judgment errs quite as often and anyone's, and he has the bath room papered with stock certificates which are worth the price of the paper—that's all.

North Adams Creamery Prosperous

Greendale Dairy under the management of L. B. Eggleston, is one of the industries of which our village is justly proud. We feel that enterprises of this nature are the making of the town.

We dropped in the other day just as they were taking off a big churning of the farmers' gold nuggets. Not having called at the place for some time we naturally noticed the new machinery being installed and thorough electrification. Above are located motors that operate the churn and mixing vats, and below are motors for driving the ammonia pump, the water pump, etc. The old ammonia pump which has been in use since the establishment of the business, has recently been re-placed with a vertical two-cylinder en bloc pump which is about the slickest machine for the business we have ever seen. The cylinders are jacketed and a constant current of cold water circulates through, similar to an auto and a force oil feed lubricates the whole affair and is visible from a sight feed. Centrifugal pumps in all places of advantage quickly transfer the cream and buttermilk to and from the big tanks.

The refrigerator system is one of the best and represents a considerable outlay. We visited the cold room where the mercury stood at freezing and can be made still more frigid when necessary. The ammonia is forced through a system of 4-inch pipe coils immersed in brine and the result is a hoar frost that congeals on the pipes as it would on the well pump outside in January. Of course the refrigerating room must necessariy be well insulated and for this purpose is lined with mineral wool felt which is three inches thick and the joints are cemented air tight.

There is not much use for the steam engine at present although it is kept in readiness should the electric current fail. Live steam is used from the boiler for scalding the cans and cleansing the receptacles about the plant.

Our Dairy at this time is useing around 5,000 pounds of butter fat per week and last week the amount was over 5,700 pounds, and the business has been established eight years.

Horton Winfield and daughter Dolly of Mosherville visited on Friday at the home of Mr. Winfield's sister Mrs. E. S. Knowles.

Mrs. C. E. Moorman and son Jack of Tecumseh have been visiting Mrs. Archie Bleech and other friends for a few days past. Dr. Moorman came for Sunday.

Miss Clara Corbett who was located at Evelith, Minnesota has gone to Bronxville, New York to teach this year. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. A. Corbett, who has been visiting relatives here and they order the Advocate sent to 5 Maple St., Bronxville. Miss Mildred Corbett who is engaged in National Y. W. C. A. work in New York City, will be with them occasionally.

An Honor Much Sought

It is a signal honor to be singled out as one of the hundreds physically and mentally fit to become a soldier—and better still a commanding general in the United States Armies. Congressman Joseph Hooper of Battle Creek desires to announce through our columns that the appointment for the Military Academy from the 3rd Congressional District will be settled by a competitive examination before a board for the purpose. All who wish to compete are welcome, and must be between the ages of 17 and 22. The examinations will be held at the city postoffices such as Battle Creek Kalamazoo, Coldwater. Hillsdale, etc. on Saturday, October 24. Candidate having the best standing will be the appointee and those standing second and third will be alternates.

Mr. Hooper says it costs the Government from $25.000 to $30.000 to educate a single candidate at West Point, therefore all applicants must have fully made up their minds to follow the military profession, otherwise the Government does not care to send them to school. The cadet at West Point is naturally a man of destiny and with such names before him as Grant, Sheridan, Sherman, and Pershing in review, the budding general has an inspiration right from the start.

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Rev. W. H. Hutton, our efficient Methodist minister the past year, will deliver his farewell sermon Sunday morning next, and a new pastor will be appointed for next year. Rev. and Mrs. Hutton have formed many pleasant friendships during their short stay here and the family will be missed from our midst.

Quite a number from North Adams attended the Poultry School at Wilson's Lake Wednesday. Hillsdale is one of the ten counties in which these schools are being conducted this summer. The forenoon session was in charge of Prof. Hannah who spoke on Poultry Diseases and the afternoon session was a demonstration on culling. The Hillsdale County Poultry Ass'n served lemonade and a picnic dinner was enjoyed. Our county agent and several from the State College assisted in the program.

Clark Lake Man Skidoos

Hank Woodward, who conducted the dance hall at Clark Lake, departed suddenly Sunday night without notice, leaving a lot of dues and bills with whiskers on. He leaves owes up into the thousands and nobody knows whence he cometh or whither he goeth.

We suggest that may'be Woodward has gone north for his hay fever.

Gobel Family Reunion

The Gobel family reunion was held on Thursday, August 27, 1925 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gobel. North Adams, Michigan. This was the 7th Reunion and the family were better represented this year than ever before. A splendid social time is reported and 71 were present as follows: Mrs. Harriet Gobel; J. I. Reid and family; F. J. Grumbaugh and family; Clarence Gobel and family; Rev. Hershey and family of Haviland, Ohio; Carl Gobel and family of Lima, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davison and son, Howard; Maurice and Harriet Davison of Essex, Canada; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gobel, Mrs. Grisett, Lister; Mable Lister of Montpelier Ohio; Artie Gobel and family of Sylvania, Ohio; Mrs. Roscoe Compton of Fort Wayne, Indiana Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Smith of Prattville, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. O. George Reiser of Jerome; Ed Smith and two sons of Hudson; Rev. and Mrs. A. Reiser, Bert Foster and family of North Adams. The next reunion will be held at the home of Clarence Gobel at Haviland, Ohio, August 26, 1926.

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Local News

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—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Ralph Wolcott who is employed in Detroit was home over Sunday.

D. A. Fuller and wife of Battle Creek were Sunday guests of friends in town.

Leland Foster of Lansing was a Sunday visitor at the home of his mother Mrs. Nellie Foster.

Mrs. Etta Jones Pray, primary teacher in the school was at her home in Jonesville over Sunday.

The Friendship Club will meet Friday September 18th with Mrs. Etta Stranger in the west part of town.

Mrs. Virgil Hunt had as Wednesday callers her mother, Mrs. J. H. Miner and Mrs. O. W. Ferris of Hillsdale.

Carl Binns and family of Detroit have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Binn's parents, F. L. Westcott and wife.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt attended the Hunt family reunion Labor Day, at the home of T. S. Hinkle, West Unity, Ohio.

George Wade and wife and Ezra Meade and family of Weston, Mich. were Sunday guests of the E. C. Williams family and Mrs. Mary Gray.

George Rock who is employed at the Western Electric Co. Chicago came home on Saturday morning. The family are moving to the city the first of the week.

Will Myers of Los Angeles California is spending a few days with old friends in this village. He is foreman of a construction gang for building electric lines in California.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinkle were Friday guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hunt. Their home is at West Unity, Ohio but they are spending the summer at their cottage at Baw Beese Lake.

Charlie Dority, wife and daughters, Minnie and Clara, and son, Robbie of Toledo, and Maude Chase of Morenci visited their cousins R. R. Stranger and wife and A. E. Relyea and wife from Saturday until Tuesday.

The question of school consolition is being agitated to some extent in this district. There is no doubt the arrangement would be real good one from most any angle, and it is hoped more attention will be given to it.

The line gang which is in the employ of the Consumers' Power Company at Jackson are now engaged on the George Walworth farm in the east part of town putting up the new electric line and business is conducted very rapidly.

—I will open a power equipped Shoe Repair Shop in North Adams, on or about the 10th of September and can give you the best of service Also do your sewing and harness work. First door west of Barber's Store. Also Ladies rest room in connection. I. N. Starr. 13t3

R. R. Stranger and wife, A. E. Relyea and wife with their cousins C. A. Dority and family of Toledo and Maude Chase of Morenci motored to Jackson on Monday to take dinner with Myles Bleech and wife and in the afternoon all went to Manitou Beach, Devils Lake.

The Rev. M. D. Carrel is attending the Michigan Conference of which he is a member. The Conference is now in session at Central Methodist church Lansing. Mrs. Carrel will join him Saturday to attend the Sabbath services and remain until conference closes.

Friends in this vicinity received announcements which are as follows: "Mrs. Fletcher McLellan announces the marriage of her daughter, Katherine Alice, to Rev. John Wesley Sheehan, Tuesday August 25th 1925 at the home of the brides mother at LaPorte, Indiana." The groom needs no introduction to North Adams people and the bride has been a teacher in the schools of Niles Michigan also was a teacher in the schools of South Bend for some time. North Adams people extend congratulations.

Next week, September 14th to 19th occurs the annual Jackson County Fair, and most of our citizens are making preparations to attend at least a couple of days. The management of the fair has been changed and a good exhibition is promised for this year. The famous champion of champions, in trotting horses, Peter Manning trained by "Pop" Geers, and a horse of great reputation, will be seen at the Fair on Wednesday September 16th. His record is 2:2¾ on a half mile track and 1:56¾ on a mile track. It will be your last chance to see him.

Harold Young and wife were in Jackson Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Mary Gray left on Monday for a visit among relatives in New York State.

John Keefus whe recently sustained a broken leg in Jackson, is recovering quite rapidly.

Genevieve Evans, Latin teacher in the High school spent the week end at her home in Kalamazoo.

On Thursday evening the Epworth League choir gave a concert at the Moscow Plains church

Mrs. Kittie Huff who is ill at the home of her son, Glenn, in Jackson is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mrs. Rose Arton Carney of Pawhuska, Oklahoma, is a guest at the home of Darwin Carney and wife in this village.

Miss Radah Petrie of Toledo, Ohio, who is taking a course in nursing at the Flower hospital is home for a few days' vacation.

We are notified that headquarters of McCall's Magazine for this territory has been changed from New York City to Dayton, Ohio.

A. L. Foster and family motored to Monclova, Ohio Saturday to attend the annual reunion of the Monclova High school and called on relatives and friends at Swanton

The members of the Baptist church and Sunday school are invited to attend a lawn party to be held at the home of A. L. Foster and wife Friday evening September 11th.

In view of the fact that the Methodist church has no pastor, and the Baptist church is torn up inside Rev. Reiser will speak at the usual church hour at the Methodist church Sunday morning, September 13th.

The S. E. class of the Congregational Sunday school will entertain the High School faculty and the Junior and Senior High Rooms of the school on Friday evening at the Congregational church. Refreshments will be provided and a general good time is anticipated.

The village of Jonesville votes next Monday on the proposition to sell the electric lighting and waterworks plant to the Southern Michigan Light & Power Company at Hudson. For some years the local plant at Jonesville has been somewhat expensive to the taxpayers and it is thought better service can be had at a cheaper rate.

The following were dinner guests on Tuesday at the Frank Painter home: Mrs. Jane Chapman, Mrs. Jessie Stewart and daughter, Mildred, of Fremont, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn Lawton of Philadelphia. In the afternoon the guests were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Lawton who are excellent professional musicians. The most enterprising part of the social hour was Mr. Lawton playing the piano with his nose.

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Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

Regular services will be held at the Congregational church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. U who were not there last Sunday were missed. Be in your places this Sunday! Sunday school convenes immediately after the morning service to which you are all urged to be present. You are welcome at all services.

Don't forget the choir practice Saturday night at the home of Frances Young. Be there! 7:30 o'clock.

Lost at Congregational church Sunday morning—An umbrella with crook on handle. Finder please notify the Advocate office.
15t3 Frances Rumsey

FOUND—Gold locket at the Methodist church. Owner call at Advocate office and identify propery. 14t3

For Sale—Evergreen Sweet Corn in quantities for drying purposes. Earl Selig
Inquire at Wertz store 15t3

For Sale—Collie Pups. Phone Pat McMahon, Hanover, or R. F. D. Moscow. 15t3

For Sale—Two two seated open buggies and small quantity of black walnut lumber. Phone 54. North Adams. E. S. Knowles. 15t3

Married, by the Rev. M. D. Carrel at his residence in North Adams Friday morning, September 4th, Lloyd Vining and Miss Esther Printz both of Marysville, Ohio.

Cottage prayer meeting next Tuesday evening, September 15, will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Westcott. All denominations invited and we hope for a good attendance.

James Meeks and Lemual Rhodes are in Detroit this week at the State Fair doing demonstration work in grain judging for the clubs of the county of Hillsdale. There is also considerable interest shown in potato judging. The work has been carried on for a number of years and has been brought to a high degree of science.

The family of George Rock left North Adams on Sunday last for Chicago via automobile, arriving somewhat later than expected on account of some car trouble. They are nicely located at Cicero, a suburb of Chicago, but only ten minutes walk from Mr. Rock's place of employment. So far they are much pleased with their new home.

The picture "Passion Play" at the Congregational church on Sunday evening was greeted by a full house and Rev. and Mrs. Hunt certainly should be well pleased with the interest taken in these films. Music was furnished by Messrs. Pierce and Fay Stevens, besides songs rendered by the audience with Mrs. Hunt as leader.

Postmaster VanWert has found the postoffice quarters much too small for his needs; and accordingly re-modeling has been in progress this week. The gate in front has been removed and double door installed, the money order desk shifted to the south and the rear of the office cut off from public use. This arrangement gives more room for packages which was much needed since the increase of the parcel post business. Considerable new lumber has been used and Merritt Shaw is the carpenter.

A "Wandering Willie" dropped into the Advocate office on Wednesday and asked for a meal ticket. This is the first time in years this has happened here. We supposed the traveling compositor was a thing of the past but it seems not. The days of hand composition in small country offices have gone and it is almost impossible to find a shop without a linotype of some kind. These wanderers are usually down and out because of liquor but the last one had no traces of that failing about him. If he had come to us driving a Ford car we should not have been surprised, since driving and owning a car is no indication that a man knows where his next meal is coming from. You will find plenty of boys driving "flivvers" who have absolutely no money or disposition to pay their honest debts.

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Two Letters

The first written twenty years ago, the second recently by Mrs. J. H. Bourland, Frankston, Texas.

June 2, 1904, she writes:—

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June 30, 1924, Mrs. Bourland writes again:—

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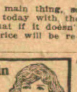

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Hesperia—Rodney Nagake, 77 years old, last of the Ottawa Indian chiefs, is dead at Pentwater lake. He had been camping there for the summer.

Petroskey—Low water in Bear River is giving officials of the City Light & Power Co. cause for alarm. Added to the serious situation is the fact that much more electricity is being used this season than ordinarily.

Albion—The city will build a new foot bridge across the Kalamazoo river at Albion street to supplement the vehicle vridge at that point. Perry Sharp local contractor, has been given the contract.

Muskegon — Two men stopped Glenn Tompkins, tank wagon driver for an oil company, on a road near here and told him they desired to buy some of the gasoline in his tank. Then they held him up and robbed him of $60.

Ironwood—Local and federal officers are without trace of the robbers who demolished the Chicago & Northwestern Railway passenger station at Quinnesec, Mich., with a charge of dynamite and escaped with $23 in cash and the contents of a mail pouch.

Jackson—With a majority of one vote, Mrs. Marian Knox was elected to the school board here to succeed Mrs. Luna Lewis, candidate for reelection. The vote stood a tie between the two with 226 votes each, following numerous recounts. There were five candidates for the office.

Jackson—Detective Charles E. Phelps is the new chief of the Jackson police department. Capt. Frank Vandebogart, acting head of the force since the death of Chief John Hudson last December, was retired from the force because of disability, on half the chief's salary.

Detroit—The Standard Oil Co., the Sinclair Refining Co., and the White Star Refining Co. have announced a further reduction of one cent a gallon in the price of gasoline. The service station price is now 18.8 cents, plus the 2-cent state tax, making the price to the customer 20.8 cents.

Pontiac—Glenn C. Gillespie is investigating the release from Jackson prison of Leeds and Richard Ludlow, prohibition law violators after serving less than two months of a sentence of from nine months to one year. Judge Gillespie has been informed by prison officials that the Ludlows were freed August 15. Commitment papers were issued July 2.

Jonesville—Voters of Jonesville will be asked to decide at the polls, September 14, whether or not a 20-year franchise shall be granted the Southern Michigan Light and Power company by terms of the contract the company agrees to purchase the electrical distributing system now owned by the village and to lease the power house and equipment for 20 years.

Muskegon—Mrs. Charlotte Smith, 80 years old, has filed suit in Circuit Court here against her daughter, Mrs. Rose Jackson, to recover property valued at $12,000. In her bill of complaint Mrs. Smith says that she deeded the property to her daughter with the understanding that she would be given a home, but now is obliged to live in a rooming house, although unable to care for herself.

Lansing—Increased operating costs of the University of Michigan, Michigan State College and the Normal School, additions to the soldier's bonus sinking fund, building operations at Jackson prison and a $500,000 increase in the cost of operating state hospitals are responsible for the $3,300,000 increase in the state tax levy this year, Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck explained in a formal statement.

Sault Ste. Marie—A tug and diver from the Great Lakes Towing and Wrecking Co. has left for Moon Island, 28 miles south of here, to salvage the training boat "By-Gar" which is on the bottom of St. Mary's river, keel upward, where is capsized with 28 Detroit Sea Scouts on board, after running aground on a bar. The 28 scouts and Capt. Dean L. Smith were saved by the Coast Guard at Moon Island station after the disaster to their ship.

Lansing—Grade separations are to be provided at all trunk line highway crossings with the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railroad on the new location of the railroad in Lenawee and Monroe counties it is indicated. Highway Commissioner Rogers submitted a report stating the railroad had offered to pay fifty per cent of the expense for two separations in Monroe and one in Lenawee counties. He was directed to seek federal aid on the projects before authorizing their construction.

Monroe—The city commission has adopted a resolution protesting against the proposed abandonment of the harbor here by the government. The city has been given until Sept. 20 to give its reasons why the port should not be discontinued. The resolution stated that the canal still is used by boats, is the only harbor along Lake Erie in Michigan and approximately $200,000 had been expended. It was stated that if the canal and River Raisin were properly dredged Monroe again would be one of the big lake ports.

Grand Rapids — Acclaim that swept through Kent's metropolis like a storm, greeted the veterans of the Civil war in their annual parade here. Tens of thousands packed along the line of march poured out their applause. One tragedy occured when Edgar A. Freeman of Grand Rapids, one of Custer's troopers, fell dead of apoplexy as the signal gun boomed the moment for him to step in the ranks. More than 3,000 veterans were in line, all on foot with the exception of 500, who took advantage of the motor cars provided.

Lansing—The State Administrative Board has authorized the purchase of three and one-half miles of the Grayling Branch of the Manistee and North Eastern Railroad by the State Military Department. The spur runs into the Hansen Military Reservation.

Grand Rapids—More apprentices must be trained at the tile setting trade, the Central District Tile and Mantel Contractors association announced at the closing session of its annual convention when it re-elected officers and chose Indianapolis as the 1926 convention city.

Iron Mountain—A cave-in of ground as he was attempting to put up a set of timber in a sub level of the Berkshire Mine caught John Nelson, a miner, and crushed him to death. His partner, Everett Kestine, narrowly escaped death, when he sprang for safety as the ground caved in.

Bay City—The American Legion and the Legion Auxiliarly of Michigan will meet in Bay City for their seventh anual reunion September 5, 6, 7 and 8. Committees have been busy here for three months preparing to show the World War veterans the time of their lives.

Port Huron—Judge Arthur J. Tuttle, of the United States District Court at Detroit, has issued an order requesting Mayor John B. McIlwain and members of the city commission to confer with Detroit United Railway officials relative to a proposed fare increase for the City Electric Railway Co., of this city.

Pontiac—Reports of progress on Wider Woodward avenue paving made available indicate that one of the two 40-foot roadways will be ready for use between Pontiac and Detroit by Oct. 1. Progress on the other 40-foot way is being held back by failure of the Grand Trunk Railway to provide new right-of-way and move its tracks.

Monroe—The recent wind and rain storm created havoc at Pointe Aux Peaux, a summer resort, eight miles north of here along Lake Erie. Several large signs were blown down, a wagon was turned over, automobiles were forced into ditches and electric wires were put out of commission. Small trees were uprooted at Brest, six miles north of here.

Port Huron—His attempt to save the life of a dog cost the life of James Wiseman, of Wyandotte, and may result in the death of his wife. Wiseman and his wife were riding in an automobile 12 miles east of Sarna, Ont., when Wiseman, who was driving, saw a dog run into the road in front of his car. Wiseman swerved the automobile in an effort to keep from striking the dog and ran into the ditch.

Grand Haven—Use of cherries for cider is increasing in this district. It has been found that roadside stands vending cherry cider have been highly profitable and many orchard owners have abandoned the regular cherry market for the cider press. To lengthen the cherry cider season many of the orchard owners keep their cherries in cold storage until they are needed for the press.

Albion—Herbert M. and Fred W. Kinney, Albion farmers, will give to the Michigan State college for purpose of germination 50 grains of wheat that are 50 years old. The kernels were brought by their father, Leonard Kinney, from the centennial exposition held in Philadelphia in 1876. The grain was secured at the Austrian building and was part of an exhibit of unusually large wheat from that country.

Grand Rapids—Harry Trackin, 20 years old, of Grand Rapids, who attempted to flee from Patrolman Charles Benham, was shot through both legs by the officer. Trackin had been arrested as a holdup suspect. An unidentified man had reported having been held up a few hours earlier by three men who lost their hats as they ran from him. Benham came upon three hatless men as he was traveling his beat and arrested Trackin. The others escaped.

Cheboygan—Fanned by stiff breezes, forest fires which have been raging in Cheboygan county for several days, grew in volume and the city of Cheboygan was entirely hemmed in by fire. In some places the fire was only two miles from the city limits and Cheboygan's 7,000 residents were in grave peril. The splendid brick school house in Beau Grand township, three miles from Cheboygan, caught fire despite the efforts of hundreds of volunteers to beat back the flames.

Lansing—Michigan farmers and tourists now enjoy 118 miles more of federal-aid highways than they did a year ago. This mileage, completed in the year ending June 30, cost $2,799,865, of which the federal government furnished $1,267,704. Highway construction under this plan now under way in the state totals 475 miles, while the total mileage completed previous to last year was 494 miles.

Caro—The forty-fourth annual Caro night and day fair has closed after a successful week.

Lansing—Petition to disbar Judge Albert Widdis, Tawas City, has been filed with the attorney general by Thomas Galbraith, justice of the peace. Galbraith charges Judge Widdis, who has held office for more than 10 years, is "subject to brain storms which make him unfit to hold office." Under state law, a circuit judge cannot be removed except by impeachment. It is also provided that only a licensed attorney can become a circuit judge. There is no ruling as to whether disbarment would mean automatic removal from office.

Lansing—The state gasoline tax passed the million dollar mark in July, it was announced by Secretary of State Charles J. DeLand. Gross receipts were $1,001,656, with refunds of $53,978. Net returns were $947,677. This brings the total for six months since the gasoline tax went into effect to $4,378,156, with refunds of $242,677, making a net return of a little more than $4,000,000 for six months of this year, which will be half of the total revenue. Receipts for August are expected to exceed the July figure by $100,000.

UNIFORM LAWS NATIONAL NEED

N. W. MacChesney Warns Against Enroachment on State's Rights.

Detroit, Mich.—Col. Nathan William MacChesney of Chicago, warned a convention of national commissioners on uniform state laws, holding their convention here, that unless the various states voluntarily make their own laws uniform along progressive lines there will be a constantly increasing and determined effort to have congress enact general laws on subjects of the country's general concern, thus perilling the nation's fundamental democracy.

Colonel MacChesney, who is president of the national conference of commissioners, warned against the growing encroachment of the federal government on state's rights and quoted President Coolidge to the effect that this encroachment is due to the fact that the states have not discharged their full duties. Mr. MacChesney declared that unless the states meet their responsibilities through uniform state laws they must lose still further their prestige and power.

Discussing the need for a philosophy of law, Mr. MacChesney said: "With age, growth of population and accumulation of wealth, a general government is sure to acquire immense power, and if with this is united the daily administration of affairs close to the people, the people themselves become habitually accustomed to government interference, and consequently not only in the matter of law to be enforced but in opinions on all subjects accept from the central power the line of conduct to be followed, desired acts to be achieved, and the methods by which they are to be accomplished."

Lawson, Publisher, Leaves $2,505,000 to Charities

Chicago.—Under the will of the late Victor F. Lawson, which was filed for probate Tuesday, the Chicago Daily News, principal asset of the Lawson estate, passes to the control of the Illinois Merchants' Trust company, which is given full power of management, including power to sell the newspaper.

Specific bequests of $4,775,000 are made under the terms of the will, and of this sum $2,505,000 is apportioned for benevolent purposes. The biggest bequests are left to the Chicago Congregational Mission and Extension society, the Theological Seminary and the Young Men's Christian association. These total practically three-quarters of the entire estate. The other one-quarter of the residuary estate is left to Iver N. Lawson, a brother of the late publisher, who also was left $200,000 and the income from a trust fund of $300,000. Relatives, friends, and employees also share in the estate.

Banker May Be Dry Chief of Chicago District

Chicago.—Albert W. Harris, president of the Harris Trust and Savings bank," is the "prominent Chicago banker" under consideration for appointment as federal prohibition administrator for the Chicago district.

His name was suggested to Brig. Gen. Lincoln C. Andrews, dry generalissimo, in Washington, by Vice President Charles G. Dawes, an intimate friend of Mr Harris.

Mr. Harris is said to have stated that if there were any opposition he would be unwilling to undertake the responsibility of dry chief for the Illinois-Indiana-Wisconsin district.

Fargo, N. D., Deports 118 I. W. W. to Minnesota

Fargo, N. D.—Determined to rid this community of possible trouble makers, citizens sworn in as deputies by Sheriff John C. Ross of Cass county escorted 118 alleged members of the Industrial Workers of the World out of Fargo.

They were taken in two groups and sent across the Red river to Moorhead, Minn. The alleged "wobblies" come t. the section every fall as part of the harvest-hand rush. Those showing no inclination to go to work were taken into custody.

Two Men, Two Girls Die When Train Hits Auto

Rockford, Ill.—Two men and two girls were killed and two other men were injured when an interurban train on the Rockford and Interurban railroad struck an automobile near Freeport. The dead are Katherine Cohl, nineteen; Florence Klass, nineteen; Lou Hutton, nineteen, and an unidentified man found in a cornfield near the scene of the accident after ambulances had left.

Blow Up Lusitania U-Boat

Copenhagen.—The German submarine vessel, U-20, which sank the Lusitania, was blown to pieces by order of the Danish navy. The U-boat has been aground west of Jutland since 1916.

Postal Solicitor Appointed

Washington.—Horace J. Donnelly will succeed Edgar M. Blessing as solicitor of the Post-Office department on September 15, it was announced here on Tuesday afternoon.

Cox Chief of Game Refuge

McGregor, Iowa.—William P. Cox, state forester of Minnesota and former assistant forester at Washington under Gifford Pinchot, has been appointed superintendent of the Upper Mississippi wild life and fish refuge.

Attack on King Denied

Washington.—The Spanish embassy denied reports of an attempt to assassinate King Alphonso. The Spanish government has officially denied the rumors.

BRITISH EXECUTE 7 FOR KILLING STACK

Egyptian Lawyer Battles With Guards on Scaffold.

Cairo, Egypt,—Execution of seven men convicted of the murder of Sir Lee Stack, governor general of the Sudan, took place here. They were hanged at intervals of 45 minutes.

The death sentence imposed upon Abdul Fattah Enayat was commuted to life imprisonment.

Shafik Mansour, prominent lawyer and member of the Egyptian chamber of deputies, whose role, as revealed at the trial, consisted in remaining in the background and instigating and remunerating the actual murderers, did not bear up with the fatalistic fortitude of his comrades, however. After the guards had pinioned his arms to lead him from his cell, Shafik renewed his wild struggles and actually burst his bonds in an effort to free himself.

Hopes that Mahmoud Ismael, believed to have been the organizer of several big political crimes, might break the silence which he maintained throughout the trial proved illusory. Ismael protested his innocence to the end and met his death with a smile, hurling jests at the warders as they led the men to the scaffold.

President Coolidge Back at Summer White House

Swampscott, Mass.—President and Mrs. Coolidge returned to the summer White House after an absence of a week. The 145-mile afternoon automobile ride from Northampton was without incident.

Still undecided as to when he will return to Washington, the President, on arrival at White Court found a mass of business had accumulated during his absence.

The departure from the home at Northampton of Mrs. Elmira Goodhue, mother of Mrs. Coolidge, was made in a drizzle.

Prize-Winning Cattle to Compete at Indianapolis

Indianapolis.—The closing date for making cattle entries for the 1925 national dairy exposition, to be held at Indianapolis, October 10 to 17, is September 19, is announced by W. E. Skinner, secretary and general manager. Indications are that over 1,500 prize-winning dairy cattle of the Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Holstein-Friesian and Jersey breeds from the best herds in the United States and Canada will compete for international honors at this year's exposition.

Newton D. Baker to Aid in Campaign on Crime

New York.—Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war, is the first man named on the executive committee on the National Crime commission. Mark O. Prentiss, organizer of the commission, announced Mr. Baker's acceptance of membership after a long distance telephone call from Cleveland, where Mr. Baker lives.

Five men to be known as the committee to restrict the sale of firearms are to be named soon, Mr. Prentiss said.

Fiftieth Victim Dies of Scalds of Steamer Blast

Newport, R. I.—Death claimed 50 lives in the boiler explosion on the excursion steamer Mackinac on Sunday when Sarah Powers, fifteen, of Central Falls, R. I., succumbed to burns. Earlier in the day James Henderson and Charles Hoeford died. All were patients in the Naval hospital.

Wife of Rich Detroit Auto Man Killed by Propeller

Windsor, Ont.—Mrs. Thelma Halman, wife of George A. Halman of Detroit, vice president of the Fisher Body corporation, was almost cut in two when she was caught in the propeller of her husband's gasoline launch while swimming in Lake St. Clair, one mile off Belle river.

Minimum U. S. Wage Sought

Washington.—The eighth annual convention of government employees, meeting at Boston, September 7, will urge the fixing by congress of a minimum salary of $1,500 for the federal service.

Sailors Left as Fleet Sails

Auckland, N. Z.—The United States warships which sailed from here left 19 members of their crews behind, according to a wireless message received from Admiral Robison.

Six Killed in Georgia Storms

Atlanta, Ga.—A series of wind storms which swept southern Georgia caused six deaths and $250,000 in property damage.

To Abolish Passport Fees

Berlin.—A reciprocal agreement providing for abolition of all charges for the issuance of visas to the nationals of both countries will be concluded between the American and German governments.

Stinnes Mines and Ships Sold

Berlin.—The mines and fleet in the estate of the late Hugo Stinnes will be sold shortly for 80,000,000 marks, or $20,000,000, bringing total proceeds of the Stinnes properties to $25,000,000.

Marines Face Charges

Swampscott, Mass.—Two marines stationed as guards at President Coolidge's summer residence, White Court, were charged with sleeping on duty and deserting their posts. A third marine is held for insubordination.

U. S. Minister to Haiti Dies

Montreal.—Arthur Bailly-Blanchard, minister of the United States to Haiti since 1914, was found dead in his hotel room here. He had been here since August 19.

8 KILLED, 11 INJURED WHEN GUN EXPLODES

Chicago Soldiers Victims of Explosion of Trench Mortar at Camp Grant.

Camp Graint, Ill.—Explosion of a Stokes trench mortar on the Camp Grant drill ground during firing practice killed eight negro soldiers of the Eighth Illinois infantry and injured eleven others.

The dead, all of Chicago, are Captain Osceola A. Browning, commanding the howitzer company, Corporal Henry Williams, and Privates Ben Anderson, Delmes Campbell, Herbert Durant, Charlie Wright, Todd Mosely, and Elmo Baynes.

All the wounded were taken to Rockford hospitals after receiving first-aid treatment at the camp.

From witnesses of the tragedy a hazy story was gathered.

Standing near were two small boys, visitors with the regiment, Oswald Harris, son of Lieutenant Harris, and Harold Williams, a guest of Captain Browning. From them it was learned that the first time an attempt was made to fire one of the two mortars the propelling charge failed.

On the next attempt, said the boys some of the men were told to remove the sand which filled the projectiles. In its place they inserted some of the cordite taken from the firing rings. It was this shell which was loaded into the mortar. Just what caused it to explode inside the barrel, throwing fragments of the gun in every direction, is not yet known.

When the smoke drifted away, the dead and injured lay in a shambles about their gun.

The explosion followed by just a few hours the injury of eleven civilians who were burned during a smoke bomb demonstration.

Spanish Warships Shell Riff Coast; Towns Razed

Melilla, Spanish Morocco. — The coast line of Alhucemas has been virtually leveled by the gunfire from Spanish warships which were rushed there after the long range bombardment of the island of Alhucemas by the rebels. The cruiser Alfonso XIII, firing broadsides, put the enemy's guns out of commission and destroyed several rebel villages. A squadron of giant airplanes bombed Abd-el Krim's headquarters at Adjir.

Fez, French Morocco.—The French Nineteenth army corps has started a big cleaning up operation against the Brane tribesmen north of Bab Morouj, which is north of Taza, to compel their submission.

The French troops are meeting with little opposition.

Editor Kills Bystander in Fight With Ex-Judge

East Las Vegas, N. M.—Carl C. Magee, Albuquerque editor and storm center of New Mexico politics, shot and killed John B. Lassatter, a state employee, in a hotel here when, in a fight with former District Judge D. J. Leahy, his political enemy, he drew a revolver and fired. Lassatter was a bystander.

Magee fired two shots after he had been knocked to the floor by Leahy, the first shot striking Lassatter and the second wounding Leahy in the arm. Leahy was the district judge who tried Magee in two cases, both of which gained national publicity. Magee was taken into custody.

Gasoline Prices Cut in Eleven Western States

Chicago.—Tank wagon and service station prices of gasoline were cut two cents a gallon by the Standard Oil company of Indiana. The reductions apply to the company's entire marketing territory in eleven Middle Western states. The new Chicago prices are 17 to 19 cents a gallon, respectively. Competitive conditions were cited by the company in an official statement as the sole reason for the reductions. Price cutting has been rampant in numerous population centers in the territory for weeks. This is the largest price reduction made this year in gasoline prices.

Loot Mail Car, Shoot Guard

Santa Ana, Cal.—An undetermined amount of mail and express loot was taken by robbers who boarded Santa Fe train No. 75 between San Diego and Santa Ana and probably fatally shot and beat Elmer Campbell, express messenger.

Seek Missing Missionaries

Shanghai.—Inquiries have been made by the British as to the whereabouts of eight British missionaries captured by Chinese bandits. Details of the capture are still lacking.

Time Set for Coolidge Return

Swampscott. — President Coolidge will return to Washington "some time around Labor day." It was announced at White Court. He has abandoned the idea of going to the capital aboard the Mayflower and will travel by special train.

Sugar Crop Sets Record

Honolulu. — The 1925 Hawaiian sugar crop is expected to exceed 731,000 tons and to be the largest in the island's history.

Plane Target Shot Down

New York.—Just 30 seconds after opening their seventh volley of 3-inch shrapnel fire on a tow target trailing behind a bombing plane, two batteries of four anti-aircraft guns each brought the target down from an altitude of 5,500 feet at Fort Tilden.

Fleet Leaves New Zealand

Wellington, N. Z. — Thousands cheered the American fleet as it left New Zealand. The sendoff was enthusiastic despite a downpour of rain

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Labor Day At Jonesville

It seems all roads led to Jonesville on Monday and most of the surrounding villages simply quit trying to do business, locked up and went over to help the Jonesvillians celebrate their annual event and you can take it from us they celebrated it right. Not since the days of the stage coach has staid old Jonesville on the Pike did herself so much glory. People of all denominations, all colors, all shapes and all sizes were there and from the man who sold "hot dawgs" to the chap who tickled little children with his transparent rubber balloons there was not a dull moment all day long. The Main thourough fare of the village was a real Midway with its Ferris wheel, Merry go round and umbrella swing, and many a country damsel and rural swain found great amusement in patronizing these concessions. In fact there was almost everything one's heart could desire except a place to sit, and it behooved all who went to use a portable camp chair or something similar. At this time of the year the bosom of Mother earth is not really a safe place to recline. The movies and dance in the evening drew the full attention of the younger class and taken all in all we should say the affair was a tremendous success. A large number of sports were carried out and the ball game between Hillsdale and Litchfield resulted in victory for Hillsdale. Some of our boys assisted in making the sports a success. From morning until night the public park was a mass of humanity and not the least important was the excellent melodies discoursed by Quincy band, a group of real talented musicians. Hillsdale county was quite well represented and we understand large numbers of people came from Jackson county and even further away. We feel to congratulate the business men of Jonesville for their skill in handling the celebration and results will bring ten-fold benefit to the commercial life of the village.

Shenanhoah Disaster A Lesson

For years the naval authorities have endeavored to demonstrate the value of Blimps in warfare, but as yet have succeeded only miserably. The disaster which overtook the Shenandoah in Ohio is as good a thermometer as we need to use in such cases. There is no doubt the ill-fated Blimp was the best machine it is possible to build at this time, and carried all the improvments known to man, yet her stability was no better than that of machines built ten years ago, and she collapsed like an egg shell the minute a storm struck her.

It was commonly talked among flying men that the Shenandoah should be sent to the Arctic on an exploring expedition, but public sentiment intervened and President Coolidge put the kibosh on the idea. His judgment said it was a fallacy, and the test has proved him perfectly correct. Notwithstanding many brave men were willing and anxious to make the trip, it was wisely abandoned. Since the disaster more people will realize how fragile and terribly unwieldy such a mammoth dirigible is in the grip of a high wind. The whole design and method of building these giants of the air will have to be changed before they can be considered at all safe. As the Government refuses to abandon the idea no doubt many more valuable lives will be snuffed out in the process of experimental work. From time to time the Government will spend millions of your's and our money to build and maintain these ponderous nuisances. We would like to ask the experts what sort of a chance the Blimp would have against a bunch of hornet aeroplanes? Would it be possible for a six hundred feet dirigible to sail over New York or any other civilized city in the world before it could be intercepted by bombing planes and destroyed forthwith? We believe not. The only use we could imagine for the Blimp would be as an observation point high in air over the home camp to watch the movements of the enemy, and even so would be a mighty poor risk since the enemy's planes would be constantly diving above and below and sending out high explosives. There were incidents in the World war when these German Blimps dropped powerful bombs on London but the damage was small compared to the loss of the dirigible which in practically every case was accomplished by fox-like aeroplanes directly after.

The United States or any other nation will never be able to win wars with the Blimp.

Jackson Progressive

The city of Jackson is now picking up momentum in the line of industries and it is a fact that for an inland city Jackson has the whole of southern Michigan pretty well beaten. Preparations are now on foot to establish one of the largest steel rolling mills in the state there, and this will call for the services of thousands of trained workers. The capital of this enterprise will be upwards of $17,000,000 and the finances will be furnished mostly by Jackson men. Consumers Power Company will be a large factor in the establishing of the business.

Banking and investmenf houses of Jackson, Detroit and other cities of the state where Consumers Power does business are expected to participate heavily in the financing of the new steel company.

The site for the proposed plant has already been acquired in Jackson, having been selected after two years of preliminary investigation as to the economical requirements. It will be served by the main line of the Michigan Central and the Michigan Northern, is adjacent to a river and is within 100 miles of all the larger steel consuming centers of Michigan's vast automotive industry. It has been fully established that the mill can lay down strip steel in the main consuming points of the state, as well as in Ohio and Indiana, as cheaply or cheaper than it can be had from the other large producing centers such as Pittsburgh, Mansfield, Gary and the like.

The first mill in the plant, which will be of the hot roll type, will be a 12 inch producer. Mills of other standard gauges will be installed as demand warrants, according to Mr. Caldwell. Adjacent to the plant has been uncovered a vast bed of limestone, essential for use in connection with the making of steel. Billets will be transported from adjacent blast furnace centers. Excellent sub-soil foundations have been found throughout the site of the plant.

Noted metallurgists, engineers and experienced steel manufacturers have co-operated with Mr. Caldwell in selection of the site and in surveying the probable field for business. A large number of steel mill workers will be brought to Jackson to operate the plant while executives will be men of long experience in the business.

Chanticleer in Bronze

For the first time in American history a national monument of granite and bronze is to be erected to a chicken The approved designis a bronze male Rhode island Red of great size on a large granite boulder. The monument will be placed in Adamsville, Rhode Island, a fitting tribute to a noble bird.

Seventy one years ago a sailor, returning from a voyage to the Orient, presented a friend in Rhode Island with a Chittagong cockerel which he had picked up for a pet while on shore leave on the northwestern part of the Indo-China peninsula in what was once a part of Burma and is now in the province of Bengal, India. This bird was a giant size gamecock with brilliant red plumage and black feathers on its breast. It was placed with what had originally been Cochin Chinas, but which had lost some of their original characteristics through crossbreeding with other fowl. The Cochin Chinas came from the southeastern extremity while the Chittagong came from a point in the interior, to the north and west. It is not known who first brought the Cochin Chinas to Rhode Island, but it is an established fact that they came long before the Chittagong arrived.

William Tripp, the man who was presented with the Chittagong cockerel, and John Macomber, a friend, of Westport, Massachusetts were both marketing eggs and trying to develop better egg layers which would also dress well for the table. They exchanged poultry from time to time. Mr. Macomber received a cockerel and a dozen pullets obtained from the cross breeding of the Chittagong and Cochin Chinas, in exchange for some of his birds. The new strain was called "Tripp" or "Macomber chickens and became very popular.

Dr. A. A. Brigham, then director of the Rhode Island agricultural experiment station, recognizing the worth and possibilities of the "Tripp hen," persuaded the owners to standardize the strain. It was then suggested that as they were a Rhode Island product, and were of a red plumage, they be-called "Rhode Island Reds."

When first exhibited at the Providence poultry show in 1895 the newcomers carried first prize in every event entered. When the Rhode Island Reds began to be better known many imitations of the stock sprang up. However, the would be Reds could not compare with the genuine article either in appearance or egg laying ability.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of September A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Emily Carter incompetent.

Jay D. Knowles, guardian, having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof, said ward being deceased.

It is ordered that rhe 8th day of October A. D., 1825, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
5043 Judge of Probate

STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

ON A NARROW ESCAPE

"Oh, Aunty, I just have to talk to you," said Maud, bursting in on Aunt Emmy. "Those bonds Tom's father gave us for a wedding present have matured and Tom has the money. A man is trying to get Tom to invest in a radio company. I want your opinion on it."

"Don't hurry; tell me everything you can remember," said Aunt Emmy.

"Well, Tom didn't seem enthusiastic. Then Mr. Brown, the salesman, said that if he bought stock in his company, and wanted his money at any time, the company would buy back his stock."

"Are you sure he said that?" interrupted Aunt Emmy. "That is a claim that is not made by people connected with dependable investment houses. Unless you have an agreement with the company clearly stating that it will repurchase its stock, signed by one of its officers, you would have great difficulty in getting the company to buy back your stock. A company cannot be compelled to repurchase its own stock. Do you know who Mr. Brown is?"

"No," replied Maud. "Neither does Tom, but he seems awfully nice and Tom liked him right from the start. He is good looking, well dressed, and has beautiful manners."

Aunt Emmy sniffed. "Did he offer to sell you preferred stock on which dividends are guaranteed?"

"Why, how did you know, Aunty?" exclaimed Maud. "That is exactly what he did."

"I thought so," said Aunt Emmy "Reliable stock salesmen don't promise that a company will repurchase its stock, nor do they promise guaranteed dividends. Unless a company operates profitably, it cannot pay honest dividends of any sort, guaranteed or otherwise. You can see how foolish it is to believe that you can get dividends just because some one says they are guaranteed. The only guarantee in the world for dividends is the successful operation of a company. Guaranteed dividends is a glib phrase used by unscrupulous persons to get money from unthinking ones. A while back the country was flooded with fake oil stock. Now dishonest promoters are trying radio stock."

"What shall I do?" cried Maud. "Tom is with Mr. Brown now at the store to buy the stock with the bond money."

"You just go to the phone and call Tom," said Aunt Emmy. "Ask him and Mr. Brown to meet you at the bank at ten o'clock. Tell him not to buy the stock until you talk with him again. Half the money is yours. Then call the bank and make an appointment with the vice president to discuss an investment."

About noon Aunt Emmy's telephone rang. It was Maud. "The queerest thing happened, Aunty," she said. "Mr. Brown agreed to meet us at the bank at ten o'clock. Tom and I waited until eleven and he never showed up. Then Tom told the vice president about it and he said we had a lucky escape. Only last week the bank looked up the company Mr. Brown represented and it is absolutely no good!"—A. B. Aymes.

TO MAKE FARMING YIELD BETTER RETURNS

The outstanding possibilities of co-operative marketing are more largely along the lines of standardizing and improving production, eliminating excess varieties, standardizing and improving grade and pack, stabilizing production, regulating flow to market, improving distribution as between markets, developing new markets, collective bargaining, betterment of financing, correcting trade abuses, and representing producers before legislative and administrative bodies, says H. E. Erdman, associate professor in California College of Agriculture. All of these should, of course, result in higher net returns, he says, adding:

"If I were to list the limitations I should put them about as follows:

"1. Co-operation cannot fix prices that are out of line with supply and demand conditions.

"2. Co-operation cannot eliminate the middleman. It can, and does, of course, establish the farmers' own agencies to take the places of private agencies and often puts one co-operative agency where several dealers formerly operated.

"3. Co-operation cannot reduce costs greatly except in so far as an increase in scale of operations makes for lower costs. Some of the gains of large scale operation, however, are dissipated because of tendencies toward extravagance.

"4. Co-operatives will not run alone. Constant attention is required on the part of the membership because 'what is everybody's business is nobody's business.'

"5. Co-operation does not permit the farmer to hold his products for a higher price without also compelling him to assume the risks of getting a lower price.

"6. The outsider often gets as much of the benefit of co-operative marketing as does the member, and in some cases gets more because he does not have to bear his share of certain development expenses. This is a decided handicap to co-operation."

FEDERAL RESERVE HELPS FARMERS

How Its Aid to England's Return to a Gold Standard Benefits American Agriculture.

By M. A. TRAYLOR
Second Vice President American Bankers Association.

There has been no more important event for the American farmer and stock man since the Armistice than the recent return of Great Britain to a gold standard. It seems a long distance from the Montana farm to the gold vaults of the Bank of England, but the price the farmer gets for his wheat and cattle depends not a little on that gold.

M. A. Traylor

The farmer sells his wheat to the elevator man and yet the real buyer, in many cases, is an Englishman, a Frenchman, a German, or an Italian. About one-third of the wheat crop is usually sold abroad and this part is a large factor in fixing the price of the entire crop. Between the farmer and the foreign buyer there are many steps. In recent years the most important step has been that at which the foreign buyer has to pay the American exporter, for the international mechanism of payment has been badly out of order because Europe was off the gold standard. It was just as though an English buyer drove up to your farm house, bargained for your wheat and drew up the contract. But when you discussed payment, he said: "I'm sorry I haven't any good United States money to pay you with; I'll have to pay you in my English paper money, which isn't worth its face value in gold. I don't know what it may be worth next week, but that is your risk."

A Deadly Foe of Trade

How many would be willing to sign contracts on this basis? Yet that is the way most of the world's trade has had to be carried on since the Armistice. In practically all countries except the United States the currencies have had no fixed value in gold, but have changed in value from day to day. Whenever one country sold anything to another country, somebody had to take the risk of loss because the value of the money might change before payment was made. Such uncertainty of payment is a deadly foe of trade, and people were afraid to do any larger international business than they had to.

Exports of food stuffs from the United States fell from two and a half billion dollars in 1919 to eight hundred millions in 1923, and the difficulties of European buyers in making satisfactory payment for American farm products was one of the large factors in the drop in the prices of farm products. But now the recent action of Great Britain in declaring that it will again redeem its paper money in gold means that British buyers of American products can pay for them with money which is accepted the world over at its face value in gold. With the return of Great Britain to the gold standard, a majority of the countries of Europe have paper currencies equal to gold.

How Reserve Banks Helped

American bankers have assisted in the British return to the gold standard by giving a $100,000,000 credit to the British government. But more important than this was the action of the Federal Reserve Banks in granting the Bank of England material co-operation. They placed $200,000,000 gold at the disposal of the Bank of England for two years, to be used by it, if necessary, in maintaining the gold standard. The readiness of the Reserve Banks thus to co-operate was an important influence in the willingness of the British to take this all important step.

This action of the Reserve Banks was a most constructive step in aid of American farmers and producers who will benefit greatly by the removal of this element of uncertainty from their export transactions. If all the sins of omission and commission charged againts the Federal Reserve System by banker, business man, live stock man or political blatherskite in the last five years were true, and practically none of them are, the service rendered commerce and industry by the System in connection with the restoration of the gold standard in so large a part of the world would far outweigh any mistakes that those in charge of the System may have made. No banker, business man or farmer should permit any self serving declaration by favor seeking demagogue to swerve him from a determination to see that the System is maintained for the future welfare of the country.

Fundamentally conditions are very sound and we are doing a very large volume of business, no little part of which is due to the equalizing and stabilizing effect exercised by the Federal Reserve System on the credits of the country. Throughout all the stress of the last five years there have been no times of either stringency or plethora of bank credit. Rates have run along on a rather level keel and in my judgment have had much to do with the stable volume of business which we have enjoyed, and which is quite contrary to the old experience of the aftermath of panics. With a credit structure such as only the Federal Reserve System can guarantee, I feel we need have no apprehension but on the contrary sound optimism for the future.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 24th day of August, A. D.1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Carter Deceased.

Augustus Borden having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Jay D. Knowles or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered: That the 8th day of October A D;, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition,

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
15t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March, A. D., 1919 executed by George B Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savinge Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amountingto two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy ths amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

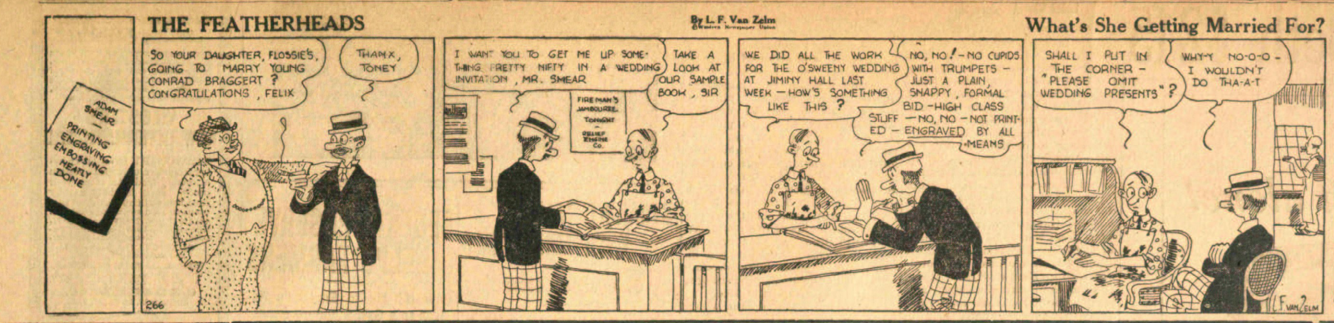
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, 11t31
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.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MEN'S DRESS

By
W. A. Churchill, Secretary

BORN TAILORS GUILD

The Origins of Fashions

WHERE do the most pronounced changes in men's fashions originate? London or New York? Are they decided upon at some tailors' convention or are they the whim of some Fifth avenue dandy, as he strolls up and down the boulevard? None of these. The real despot on fashions in America today is the young fellow on the college campus. He demands color, variety, originality, and he usually finds them.

Perhaps it's the loud-checked flannel shirt, or the bright-yellow slicker which, covered with autographs and Greek letters, pervades the campus just as much on sunny as rainy days. It may be simply a fashion of wearing one's coat collar turned up or trouser cuff turned down; whatever it is the college youth claims it as his own only to find that in a few months or even weeks it has been adopted all over the country because it is "collegian."

The fad for bell-shaped, flapping trousers started at Oxford, as did the craze for flannel in pastel shades of rose, lemon and lavender.

Colored hat bands, Roman striped belts and emphatic four-in-hands all were born on the campus and later adopted throughout the country.

Sends an Envoy to Europe to Study Tailors' Guilds

EDGAR R. BORN, head of the Born Tailors' Guild, recently established in Chicago to lift the tailoring trade to a higher plane of perfection and place it in the class of a profession, announced today that he had sent a special commissioner to Europe to study the organization and accomplishments of the English Guilds, after which the Chicago association of master tailors is being modeled. Mr. Born's representative is traveling incognito. He expects to spend several months in gathering the data which will be used in furthering the purposes of the American Guild, the first of its kind in the United States. Among the places the commissioner will visit in quest of facts are Reading, Worcester, London, Exeter, Beverly in England and Edinborough, Scotland.

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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

The Bible's Place In The Schools

It is safe to say that at no time in the history of education in America has the subject of the use of the Bible in the schools aroused more attention or been more generally discussed than at present.

It was my privilege a few months ago to hold a series of church conferences in and around Pittsburgh Pa., in which representatives of all the Protestant denominations met to discuss a wide variety of church problems. In the general mass meetings held in connection with these conferences, there was a remarkable response to the suggeston that the Bible ought to be used as a text book in the public school. It seemed to make little difference whether the person who was talking on the subject had a clear cut definition of what he meant by the use of the Bible in the school. The mere statement of an opinion that the Bible ought to be in the schools met with an instant and enthusiastic response. I found the same popular interest in the subject of religious education in towns in Ohio and Illinois and other states.

But while it is true that the public is keenly interested in this topic and that it is a very significant indication of a coming change in our definition of education, it does not answer the questions that arise over the practical use of the Bible in the schools, or solve the problem of its teaching, if by that word we mean instruction in religious truth that the Bible contains in such a way that the pupil shall imbibe actual religious impulses that will lead to conduct that makes character. For, after all, if education does not result in better behavior, it is not true education. The accumulation of facts or knowledge is of little value to society compared with the accumulation of character. If the use of the Bible can produce character, we ought to have it in the school room.

But after we have said all this in general terms, there is a good deal to be said as to the use of the Bible in the schools besides the statement that its teaching ought to be there. And some of these questions are pertinent:

If the Bible is accepted as a text book in the regular public school program of instruction, how much of it shall be used? How much of the entire contents should be taught in the school room? If those parts of the Bible that are of great value for biography or history, or the formation of character, are selected for the class room, what selection of teachers shall be made to give the instruction? The whole thing comes back to the teacher behind the book. And at this point comes in some very interesting matter.

Take, for example, the State of Kansas. Its teaching force numbers 17,000 teachers, counting cities of the first, second and third class, county high schools and district schools. Of this entire, 95 percent. are Protestant teachers and 85 per cent. are members of churches, we are told. It would be safe to say more than half the Kansas teachers are teaching in some church or Bible school the very same children who attend their day school. And if they are competent to teach children in a well organized Bible school on Sunday, they ought to be as well equipped to teach the same boys and girls the same lessons out of the Bible on Monday in the public school.

If the Bible is going to be used as a text book in the school, what Bible texts shall be used? There are now numbers of texts accepted by scholars and authorities, and it should be said that, in substance, when it comes to the teaching of conduct—which is the basis of all true religion—there is no essential difference in the various texts. They all say the same thing and teach the same truth.

These questions and others do not really create any serious difficulties in the practical teaching of Bible truth in the public schools. A very simple course could be selected from the Old and New Testaments, as follows:

Start with biography—the story of Joseph, or of David. I am frank to say that there are passages in these life stories that require wise selection. But for very many years these selections have been made in all our churches, and I have yet to hear of any serious mental or moral harm befalling any of the great army of Sunday school pupils who have been brought up on these stories. All the unexpurgated Bible in the world have never done the boy or girl reader a particle of harm, compared with the harm done every day and night by some of the censored motion pictures that fathers and mothers complacently allow their youngsters to see. And the Bible biographies are dramatic, full of life adventure, packed full of the most needful moral and ethical and religious lessons which need almost no exhorting, or explaining, or commenting to drive the lesson home.

Selections can be made in like manner from the History and Poetry and Literature of the Old Testament, selections that have nothing to do with theology or disputed points in sectarianism. To say that such selections would be difficult to make, or would create trouble of any sort, is to throw discredit on the Bible teaching. And, after all, the discussions that have divided Christendom about the Bible are not found in the Book at all; they have grown out of mankind's own preverse and narrow minded misinterpretation of a teaching which was not intended to be a text book on science or philosophy or theology, but simply a Way of Life

From the New Testament there can not be any better selection than a combined Life of Jesus. What sectarian or theological discussion could possibly arise over the study of this Life? What sensible father or mother could fear the effect on a child's mind from the study of the Life of Jesus as the Gospel writers tell it? I have asked a great many people within the last year if they would be afraid to trust the average teacher in the public schools to teach their children the Life of Jesus, not from some book that made comments on His life, but from the Bible that tells it simply, and I have yet to meet any one who expressed any intelligent fear that the teaching might result in harm to the child's mind, or give him a wrong picture of the greatest Being who ever lived.

It is astonishing with what indifference the average parent will send his son or daughter off to college, to be taught all sorts of questionable philosophy or sociology that may warp or twist the moral fiber of the son or daughter for life! The average father and mother do not even ask what is the text book in history that is used in the college. They seem quite willing to run tne risk. To my mind, the risk is infinitely greater than any risk the American public would run in permitting the average teacher to instruct a class in the Life of Jesus. I am very sure I would far sooner let any Kansas school teacher teach my son the lessons that go with the life of Jesus Christ, than to risk his mental and moral welfare in the class room of some teachers of philosophy and economics whom I know in some of the so-called great universities.

Band Tournament, September 18, 1925 At Jackson County Fair

The Jackson County Fair Association is promoting a band contest on Friday evening of the Jackson County Fair, September 18th, at 8 o'clock. Several bands have already entered this contest and those who wish to enter are requested to get their entries in now. Bands which have already entered are Smith's band of Chelsea, Community band of Charlotte, and the Imperial band of Adrian, also the Hillsdale band. At this Tournament you will see the greatest array of bands ever staged in Jackson. This will be the outstanding feature of the day, giving the people the best available. There will be four judges who will judge the merits of the bands. They are Professor Clark, from the M. S. C., Lewis Boos, Frank Hoffman and Adam Geiger at Jackson.

Bands to be eligible must be from towns of 12,000 population or less. The number of pieces in the band is no bar. All the bands must play one overture of their own selection to be judged. The judges will mark on the point system in accordance with the following scale: Intonation, 25 percent; Precision 25 percent; Interpretation, 25 percent; and Tone Quality, 25 percent. At the close of the contest the enmasse bands will play "Onward Christian Soldiers". Prizes to be given will amount to $500. Seven prizes are offered: 1st, $200; 2nd, $100; 3rd, $75; 4th, $50; 5th, $30; 6th, $25; 7th, $20,

This is a great opportunity for the people of Jackson County to hear the best bands in this district and to see the greatest array of bands ever assembled in Southern Michigan.

World War Orphans

From reports from all over the state of Michigan it is evident the campaign to raise Michigan's quota of $250,000 for the American Legion Endowment Fund, the income of which will be used to care for the orphans of World war veterans, and take care of disabled ex service men who do not receive government compensation, and their children, is going to be successful.

Detroit has selected David A. Brown, a veteran of the Spanish American war, a prominent Detroit business man, and a well known charity worker who has won an enviable reputation all over the world as the chairman of the Wayne county committee. With Former Congressman Joseph W. Fordney as chairman of the state committee and Mr. Brown chairman of the Wayne county committee, those in charge of the endowment campaign feel jubilant.

Colonel Harold H. Emmens, a prominent Detroit attorney, who has just returned from a big game hunt in Africa, is the vice chairman of the Wayne county committee, and the Guardian Trust Co., Detroit's infant financial institution is the treasurer. Hon. John W. Smith, mayor of Detroit, is the honorary chairman, and the members of the county executive committee are: Dr. Angus McLean, Colonel Frederick M. Alger, Colonel Phelps Newberry, Harvey Campbell, secretary of the Detroit Board of Commerce; John A. Brown, of T. B. Rayl Co.; Judge Ernest Lajoie, Colonel Heinrich A. Pickert and Frank G. Mitzel.

Monsignor Patrick R. Dunigan, of Flint, Distinguished Service Medal man of the World war, who was chaplain of the 32nd., Division overseas, and is at present chaplain of the Michigan National Guard, with the rank of major, addressed a number of prominent business and professional men at the Hotel Statler, Detroit, last Monday noon in the interest of the endowment fund.

"There is no doubt in my mind but that Detroit and Michigan will oversubscribe their quota for this endowment fund," said Major Dunigan. "The drive is on for this American Legion Endowment fund for the orphans and the disabled service men, not now drawing compensation from some other source. This is a splendid proposition and Detroit and Michigan are going to do their share generously in the interest of these men who were killed and wounded, and their children.

"There are other reasons. We may need an army again. The thoughtful citizen, and the experienced soldier hopes not, but human nature has not changed, and we may need an army again, and the army that can acquit itself most nobly, in the noblest manner of their obligation to this, our wonderful country, is the volunteer army, and as business men we are not going to have the muddle in another great war that we went through recently. I believe we can capitalize a volunteer army of many millions of young men, because the spirit of adventure and romance and sportsmanship is a wonderful thing.

"And, if we may hope for the volunteer soldier in years to come, we must acquit ourselves of our obligation to the men who served in the last war. We owe that much to him. We owe it to him to prove that the gratitude of a republic is a real thing, and that his service has been appreciated, and that the orphan child of his, if he were one of the men who did not come back or the little family of the disabled soldier, is being cared for, that they may be comforted, and be trained as little children are now being trained at the American Legion Billet at Otter Lake, Mich. A group of little children they are enjoying all the comforts, sentiment sympathy and love that they might have enjoyed at home, had their daddy come back from war."

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Out of this conviction, Dr. White explains, came the present Committee on the Relation of Electricity to Agriculture, the make-up of which includes representatives of agriculture, of the electrical industry and of Federal government departments.

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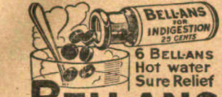

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These flowers are still considered a luxury by the Chinese, and Sir John Davis, describing a feast given to him at Shanghai, mentions a ragout of dog roses dressed whole. He disapproved of the celestial and ambrosial dish, and therein differs from old John Gerarde, who affirms that wild roses are greatly to be desired as a culinary vegetable, "as well as for their virtues and goodness in taste, as also for their beautiful color."—London Post.

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CHAPTER XII—Continued

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"Strictly speaking," said the king, "they didn't choose you. Lord Edmund Troyte did that, he and Procopius Cable between them. There had to be a revolution, of course, and our aristocracy couldn't afford to pay for it. Nor could the patriarch. Revolutions are appallingly expensive things, far more expensive than you'd think. Cable had the money and I'm bound to say he spent it generously. He flooded Lystria with English money to such an extent that the Megalian rate of exchange went up, which of course enraged the Megalians, who had been making a very good thing out of the valuta by paying off their debts in depreciated currency. The Lystrians are becoming actually rich. But neither Cable nor the patriarch nor any of the rest of us could have managed without Lord Edmund Troyte. Without his help we couldn't have got any one to recognize the new king, and then of course we couldn't have had any monarchy."

"I suppose not," said Tommy. "But even yet I don't quite see—"

"That gave Lord Edmund Troyte a sort of right to nominate the king, and— But really they ought to have explained all this to you before you left London."

"Nobody explained anything to me," said Tommy.

"Well, I've explained it all now," said the king. "Lord Edmund Troyte nominated you."

"I'm perfectly certain he didn't. If he nominated any one, it must have been Lord Norheys, and I keep on telling you that I'm not Lord Norheys."

"And I keep on forgetting," said the king. "But that doesn't really matter when we're alone, does it?"

Tommy sat silent for a while. The king had at last made the position clear to him. He saw exactly what Casimir's original mistake had been. He realized that for some reason—very likely because of Miss Temple—the real marquis of Norheys had not arrived in Berlin. But even if he had arrived, he could not have married the princess. Miss Temple's letter had settled that point. Calypso was perfectly determined, and behind her was the terrifying figure of the puritan patriarch.

Why should he not step into Lord Norheys' empty position? Casimir was apparently quite ready to accept any one as king who would seat the princess on the throne beside him. The patriarch had no objection to a curate, so long as he was a respectable curate. And Tommy was perfectly respectable. The head waiter ex-king was delighted to accept him as a son-in-law. So long as he was perfectly straightforward and made his position plain to every one, Tommy did not see that he could be blamed afterward if he accepted a bride and a throne which were almost forced upon him. And, besides—in judging him we must always remember this—he had fallen in love with Calypso.

"The only person who doesn't seem to have been consulted," said Tommy, "is the princess herself."

"Calypso won't raise any objections," said the king, "once the Miss Temple difficulty is removed. She's a good girl, always was. Takes after her mother. You didn't know the late queen, did you?"

"No."

"A thoroughly good woman," said the king. "In fact, the only objection to her was that she was too good, certainly much too good for me. She brought up Calypso with very strict ideas, she and the patriarch between them."

"But I've no reason to suppose she'll marry me," said Tommy.

"Oh, she will," said the king. "The only down she ever had on you was that little muddle-up with Miss Temple. Until she heard of that she hadn't any objection to you at all."

"But that isn't an objection to me," said Tommy. "It's an objection to Lord Norheys."

"Exactly," said the king. "That's what I'm saying. And now that you've cleared up this Miss Temple scandal, there's nothing at all against you that I can see. And I must say that you've cleared it up thoroughly and completely. There's not the smallest vestige of a stain left on your character. I couldn't have believed beforehand that you could have cleared it up so well. I don't see how either *Calypso or the patriarch can have a* word left to say about it."

"All the same," said Tommy, "I'd like to ask her myself."

"So you shall," said the king. "And you needn't be a bit nervous. Once you've convinced her that you never had anything to do with Miss Temple, she'll be perfectly ready to marry you."

"But I should like to ask her before we get to Lystria. I suppose we're on our way there now."

"You are," said the king. "I'm not. I'm going to see you into your hotel at Breslau and then take the night mail back to Berlin. You will be there for two days at least. Casimir is doing his best, but he can't have arrangements at the schloss made any sooner. You can spend the whole time asking Calypso to marry you if necessary. But I don't expect you'll require more than half an hour."

"Of course, I must see her privately," said Tommy.

"Ah," said the king. "I see your difficulty. That aunt of yours."

"She's not my aunt."

"I meant to say that aunt of Lord Norheys?" said the king. "She looks as if she'd be a little difficult to get rid of. But I'll manage that for you. I'll manage it at once. I'll take Miss Church off to lunch with me in the restaurant car and I'll fix things up so that you and Calypso will have to lunch later. That will give you a clear hour all to yourselves. You ought to be able to explain away Miss Temple in far less than an hour."

Tommy hoped and believed that he would be able to explain to the princess that he was not Lord Norheys, if he got a chance of talking to her. But he remembered the note she had flung at him in the Mascotte. It seemed to him quite likely that she would not allow him to talk to her at all.

"But even if you take Miss Church away," said Tommy, "will the princess talk to me?"

"Of course she will," said the king. "She'll love to. She takes after her mother, and the late queen was almost passionately fond of talking to me, especially about Miss Temple—I mean of course whoever the Miss Temple happened to be at the moment. The number of times she talked to me on that subject would amaze you. And Calypso is exactly like her mother in many ways. I assure you, my dear boy, whatever else you may have to complain of in married life, you'll never have it to say that your wife won't talk to you. And the same thing is true of the patriarch."

CHAPTER XIII

The Princess Calypso, it appeared, was not so fond as her mother had been of talks on uncomfortable and embarrassing subjects.

The king took Janet Church away to the restaurant car. By an exercise of skill and tact of which only a man trained as a king would have been capable, he left Calypso and Tommy behind. They were safe from interruption for an hour. Tommy ought to have been able to explain his position to her. He failed, because Calypso refused to listen to him.

She turned her back on him and stared out of the window. This was discouraging, but Tommy was not going to be defeated by her manner. He took the corner seat opposite her. Calypso immediately got up and crossed to the other end of the compartment. Tommy did not venture to follow her the whole way. He sat down in the middle of the seat opposite to her.

"I hope," he said, "that you will allow me to explain myself, to tell you who I am and what I'm doing here. This letter which you wrote to me—"

He took from his breast pocket the note which Calypso had thrown to him in the Mascotte. She was staring steadily into the corridor outside, and she did not turn her head; but she knew perfectly well what Tommy was talking about.

"I don't want to listen to any explanation," she said, "and I've nothing to say to you except what I said in that letter. Go back to Miss Temple."

"But you must allow me to explain," said Tommy.

Calypso had no answer to give him except a muttered repetition of the words, "Go back to Miss Temple."

"I must say this," said Tommy. "I'm not the man you think I am."

"You're a very heartless and cruel man," said Calypso. "If you weren't heartless and cruel, you wouldn't be breaking Miss Temple's heart. Why won't you go back to her?"

"I can't go back to her, because I've never spoken to her and I don't know who she is."

"How can you say a thing like that when you're deserting her?"

Tommy, in his eagerness to be listened to, had edged his way across the carriage until he sat exactly opposite to Calypso. She crossed the carriage again to get away from him and once more Tommy followed her half way.

"I don't want to worry you," he said, "but I think you really ought to listen to me."

"You are worrying me. You're doing worse, you're persecuting me."

"The last thing in the world I want to do is to annoy you in any way. But for your own sake as well as mine, and for Lord Norheys' sake, and for Miss Temple's sake you ought to listen to me."

"I won't," said Calypso, "and if you're a gentleman you'll go away."

"I'll go away if you like, after you've heard what I've got to say."

"I thought all Englishmen were gentlemen," said Calypso.

"Not quite all. I've met one or two who weren't. And I'm Irish, not English."

"If you won't go away, I must," said Calypso.

She stood up as she spoke, intending to go out into the corridor. But to do that she would have been forced to pass quite close to Tommy. He was leaning forward in his eagerness to make her listen, so she might have to touch him as she passed. She hesitated.

"If you like," said Tommy, "I'll telegraph to Miss Temple and ask her to say that she doesn't know me and doesn't want to have anything to do with me."

"How can she say that, when she wrote to me that she loved you with all her heart?"

She began to push past Tommy. But he proved that he had a gentleman's consideration for her feelings. Rather than allow her to go out into a draughty and uncomfortable corridor, he got up and went there himself. He stayed there smoking unhappily until the king and Janet Church came back from the restaurant car. Then Tommy went off and had his own luncheon. Calypso contented herself with a few biscuits and an apple which Janet Church produced from her bags. Wherever Janet travels she always carries biscuits and apples with her.

The king made himself very agreeable to Janet in the restaurant car, and no monarch in Europe has better manners than he has. Perhaps he had never before exerted himself to be agreeable to a lady of Janet's age and appearance. The result was excellent. Janet was pleased and flattered.

"I am so very glad," he said, "that you are accompanying my daughter to Lystria. I feel that I can rely on you, on your kindness, your discretion, your wisdom. When all is said and done, a young girl cannot have a better companion than an English lady. My dear wife was English."

"I'm Scotch," said Janet.

"My dear wife," said the king, "was half Scotch, and if there's anything in the world to be preferred to an English lady as a companion to a young and impressionable girl, it is a Scotch lady."

A waiter flung three dishes of varied hors d'oeuvres on the table. The king helped Janet tenderly to a sardine, *an oily slice of tomato* and a small salted eel. Then he ordered a bottle of Burgundy.

"At a time like this—" he said. "After all, marriage is a great occasion in a girl's life. The help and advice of a wise lady a little older than herself—you won't mind my saying a little older, will you?"

"I'm fifty-two," said Janet, "and not in the least ashamed of it."

"I knew you wouldn't be ashamed of it. I could see that at once. Your firm mouth, your clear, far-seeing eyes. Your calm strong outlook upon life, your profound idealism—"

Janet is far less sensible than she looks. She bridled with pleasure at the king's compliments. He filled her glass with Burgundy, and Janet so far forgot herself and her principles as to sip it without saying that all continental water is poison.

"A young girl," said the king, "is apt to take exaggerated views of things which you and I regard as—what shall I say?—not right, certainly not right. But inevitable."

The waiter whisked away Janet's plate, gave her another and dumped an enormous spoonful of omelette on it. She sipped her Burgundy again. The king's manner was caressing. The wine was strong. The omelette was excellent. But it takes more than wine, food and caresses to dull Janet's conscience.

"If you're alluding to that unfortunate young man's entanglement with a London actress—" she said.

"Young men," said the king, "will be young men."

"They ought not to be," said Janet firmly.

"However," said the king cheerfully. "I'm not really nervous about Calypso. She'll get over it after a while. Her poor dear mother always got over it after a while."

"Got over what?"

"Come now," said the king, "you can hardly expect me to answer that. Of course you said you were forty-two, but—"

"Fifty-two," said Janet.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Skis and Snowshoes

Owing to the thick forests of America the snowshoe has been found to be more suitable for use than the ski, which is preferred in less wooded regions. The large, flat surface of the snowshoe furnishes a larger plane of resistance to the soft snow and by distributing the weight of the wearer over a larger surface does not break the brittle crust on top of the snow, which makes progress without snowshoes impossible.

Wife Adds to His Fame

Hepplewhite was one of the eminent furniture finishers and designers who flourished under the reign of the Georges in England, and whose furniture was in vogue about the time of the American Revolution. When he died in 1786 his wife carried on his work and produced other pieces and original designs that were very popular for several decades. Much of the Hepplewhite work was done in mahoganies and in light woods.

Spiders in Amazon Are as Big as Small Rat

A traveler who has recently returned from an expedition into the forests of the Amazon tells that he was much more frightened by the huge spiders he encountered than by the jaguars, according to London Answers. There is certainly something awe-inspiring in his description of a species of Amazon spiders as creatures with long legs, fat, black bodies, about the size of a young rat, and the wickedest, most fiendish eyes imaginable!

These spiders make "trap doors" on the ground, beautifully camouflaged, and so perfectly balanced that they shut by their own weight. Beneath them are tunnels or pits in which the huge spiders watch for their prey.

Another spider is spotted like a leopard and spins a web quite a yard across. The strands of this huge web, suspended between two trees, are so strong and tough that if a small bird flies into them it is unable to escape before the arrival of the spider, which makes short work of its struggles.

Dog Guards Master's Body

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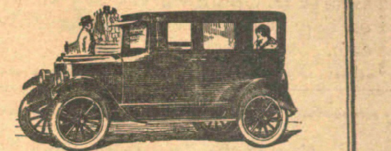

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A lawyer in a New York breach-of-promise suit declares that certain parts of his opponent's answer are "repetitious, irrelevant, unnecessary, impertinent, improper and scandalous." Otherwise we believe he thought they were all right.—Arkansas Thomas Cat.

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Don Rutan, Lyle Rutan and Wendell Mercer are working in Jackson

Cerne Pond of Jackson spent the week end with his uncle Rant Rutan

Earl Rutan and family spent Sunday with Wayne Cornwell and wife

Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Fort Wayne, Mrs. Ethel Bonsteel and children of North Adams spent Sunday with J. M. Parker and family.

Born to Leonard Foltz and wife a daughter to be known as Wanda Elaine.

J. G. Smith and wife have been entertaining his brother Alex Smith and wife of Hillsdale.

Henry Boken of Ionia a former resident of this place has been spending a few days here.

A. H. Sutfin and wife, W. F. Dunn and wife attended the Sutfin reunion at Ella Sharp Park Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Shortley, George Apple, Mrs. Earl Rutan and daughters Cecile and Cora spent Monday with Mrs. Cora VanAllen.

Mrs. G. O. Baker and son of Jackson, Mrs. L. A. Mercer spent Monday afternoon with A. L. Baker and family.

Mrs. G. O. Baker and son W. P. of Jackson spent the week end with her sister Mrs. L. A. Mercer. G. J. Pullen and wife and Mrs. O. A. Parish and son were also Sunday visitors.

Henry Haas and family spent from Thursday until Sunday with J. P. Churchfield and wife of Midland, Mrs. Lottie Wilcox who accompanied them remained for an indefinite time.

Center Adams

Margray Hayhoe of Hoxie visited at the James Post home last Friday.

James Post and wife visited at the Carl Vincent home in Frontier on Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams is spending a few days with Mrs. Linnie Post.

J. R. Dewey and family were in Lansing Sunday and Monday visiting at the home of Carl Wilson and wife.

There were twenty present at the Prayer meeting held at the home of J. H. Gordon and wife on Tuesday evening.

Kenneth Worthing and wife of Detroit were guests of his mother Mrs. M. C. Church and family from Saturday until Wednesday.

Albert King, wife and daughter with her friend Mr. Wright of Pontiac were guests of J. R. Wright and wife over Saturday night and Sunday.

Marian and Everett Dietz returned to their home on Sunday after spending the past three weeks with their grandparents Clarence Smith and wife.

There was a reunion of the descendents of the Jeremiah Gregory family held at the home of George Ambler and wife on Labor Day. Those present from away were Mrs. Julia Gregory Straw and son Wells of Adrian, Mrs. Minerva Gregory Fairbanks and grand daughter Myrtle Lohnes of Hillsdale, Elmer Gregory and wife and two grand children of Milan, Dell Fuller and wife of Battle Creek, Fred Bair and wife of Jackson and Frank Boyden and family of Adrian, making a company of twenty. A very pleasant time was had and a bounteous potluck dinner was served. It was voted to hold another such gathering at the home of Fred Bair and wife of Jackson on Labor Day in 1926.

Jerome

W. W. Ostrom was in Hillsdale Saturday.

Quite a number celebrated Labor Day at Jonesville.

There will be no church services Sunday due to conference.

Lee Parks and H. McClanahan trucked a load of apples to Detroit Tuesday.

W. P. Frantz and W. Maidlow of Toledo have been visiting R. R. Frantz and family.

Mrs. Floyd Morehouse, Mrs. Elmer Ward and Mrs. Ellen Parks were in Addison one day last week.

The Home coming committee desires that as much silverware as possible may be brought by persons attending the dinner Saturday. The program is not complete but some of the attractions will be music by the local band also by H. A. Voorhees and wife, dialog by May Anson and Mrs. M. Morehead, speech by William Alley etc. while the Liberty and Addison teams will engage in a ball game and the Boy Scouts are backing other sport contests.

Jonesville

Mrs. Percy Kimball is visiting in Detroit.

A. H. Dudley was in Grand Rapids last week.

Born to Norman Chawlcraft on August 29 a daughter.

Loraine Marvin who is teaching in Reading spent Sunday at her home here.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome spent Monday at the Roy Howard home.

Joyce Godfrey will teach music in the public school at Roseville the coming year.

Mrs. W. M. Wetmore entertained the Helen Childs Missionary Society Wednesday of this week.

Fay Yarian left last week Monday for Lansing where she will attend school the coming year.

The Annual Sunday school picnic of the Presbyterian church was held at Lake Wilson last Friday.

Richard Hawkins and wife of Atlanta Georgia are visiting their parents Victor Hawkins and wife.

John McCabe and wife of Racine Wis. were here last week to see their parents James McCabe and wife.

Russell David, wife and daughter of Jackson were week end visitors at the home of her parents, George Gray and wife.

B. E. Poor, R. B. Howard, Donald Wisner and Robert Curtiss left Tuesday for Fort Myers, Florida for an indefinite stay.

W. M. Gregory and family of Cleveland who have been at Farewell Lake for four weeks returned to their home last Saturday.

Boyd Rainey and wife of Miami, Florida and Mr. and Mrs. Trindle of Homer were visitors at the L. A. Rainey home during the week.

The death of Mrs. Wm Tate occurred at her home in this village on Friday September. 4th, 1925. The funeral was held on Sunday, Dr. Wood officiating. She leaves beside the husband Wm Tate, one daughter Mrs. Carl Bauerly of this place.

Local News

J. W. Lynch left on Monday for Detroit where he will attend a Business University.

William Owen and family of Detroit spent the week end and Labor Day with his parents John Owen and wife.

Rev. and Mrs. Carrel and Mrs. Sarah Shultz were Labor Day guests of Jacob Hoover and wife at Jonesville.

H. L. Schoolcraft of Chicago and nephew Lawrence Lash of Rialto California spent the week end and Labor Day with their cousins, Mrs. C. J. Knapp and James Jones.

T. E. Carrel of Grand Rapids, Mich., and his family were welcome guests at the Carrel home Thursday and Friday of last week returning from a very pleasant auto trip to Elmira, N. Y.

The big truck of the Consumer's Power Co. at Jackson met with an accident on Tuesday north-east of this village and capsized. Three men were riding on the machine at the time and one man sustained a broken rib. The injured man was taken to Dr. McFarland's office where he was made as comfortable as possible.

Michigan Horses Win Honors At Ohio Fair

Michigan draft horses, part of the M. S. C. herd, won high honors at the Ohio State Fair last week, the 12 horses shown taking 10 first and four championships. This week the same animals are entered at the State Fair in Detroit, competing again against the best in the country.

The foal of Pervenche, famous M. S. C. Belgian International Winner, won first in its class, causing much comment. It shows that prize winners can reproduce their qualities and at the same time maintain their high standards in the show ring, declared R. S. Hudson, in charge of the college horses. Lelia the champion Percheron mare won first in her class and her foal also won first.

Winners of reserve grand championships were Pervenche, Belgian mare, and Range Line Phoenix, Belgian stallion. Lelia, Percheron mare, won the reserve championship of her breed, and Utelem, Percheron mare, won the junior reserve championship.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Council Rooms September 8, 1925.

Meeting called to order by President Wolcott.

Trustees present, Baker, Fry, Mercer, Eggleston and Carney. Absent, Taylor.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Motion made by Trustee Fry, seconded by trustee Mercer that the several bills be allowed and orders drawn for same. The bills were

Southern Michigan Light and Power Co. Aug.	$202.40
Frank C. Teal Co. New meters	33.30
H. L. Fry team work 3 hrs.	1.80
Board of County Road Commissioners, Cloride and applying same	27.14
J. W. Losey Cleaning gutters	1.50

President Wolcott instructed Trustee Eggleston to see the county road commissioners to try and get stop signs placed north and south of main street.

No further business appearing motion was made by trustee Eggleston, seconded by trustee Mercer that the meeting stand adjourned. Carried. H. A. Williams, Clerk.

The Movie Program

North Adams has rather good good reasons to feel proud of her achievements along the line of cinema screen work for this season, and judging from the crowds of people who have been coming in each Wednesday evening, general satisfaction is the verdict. While the out-door movie industry is somewhat handicapped by the combine, it is possible nevertheless to secure some very good films and such pictures have been exhibited in North Adams from time to time by Bob's Movie Chautauqua. Three machines are on the circuit and constantly going from town to town while one machine is kept here—four in all, so that considerable territory is covered and general satisfaction is expressed in most places where Bob's Movies have been shown. This season the company has exhibited at Allen 12 nights; Montgomery 8 nights: Hanover 10 nights, and at one time had as high as 17 towns on the list.

The circuit reaches up into the neighborhood of Flint, including Augusta, Gaines, Vernon, Ortonville Hartland, Clarkston, Otter Lake, Metamora, and constantly growing

In fact the enterprise is giving encouraging results and bids fair to increase next season. The citizens of Hanover are well pleased with the class of pictures shown and will sign up for another season. Most of these villages will continue the show as long ss the weather is suitable. This week will finish the contract in and around Flint.

Deny That Green Corn Shows Poison Danger

That the apparently widespread belief in Michigan this year that green corn is unsafe for human consumption is entirely without foundation is the statement made here this week by Prof. R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology department at the M. S. C.

The false "notions" about green corn are thought to have arisen from misunderstanding of warnings sent out a year or two ago cautioning farmers against feeding green corn to hogs or horses when the corn was infested with the corn ear worm. All cooked green corn which is not disfigured by the very noticeable blackened worm workings is perfectly safe, according to Professor Pettit.

The quarantine being maintained in southeastern Michigan against the European Corn Borer has also contributed to the general misunderstanding of the situation, it is said. The quarantine is simply to stop the spread of the imported pest and has nothing to do with the "eatability" of the crop.

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Wednesday, Sept 30		Thursday, Oct. 1	
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2:27 Pace	350.00	2:12 Pace	350.00
2:30 Trot	350.00	2:16 Trot	350.00
Friday, October 2		Saturday, October 3	
2:22 Pace	$350.00	2:20 Pace	$350.00
2:24 Trot	350.00	2:14 Trot	350.00
2:20 Trot	350.00	2:14 Pace	350.00

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Local News

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Mrs. Etta J. Pray was at her home in Jonesville over Sunday.

Born to Leon Edinger and wife Thursday September 17, a ten pound girl.

Mildred Rock of Jackson spent Sunday with her parents Fred Rock and wife.

H. A. Higley of Hillsdale automobile dealer, was in North Adams Thursday.

Percibelle Young of Jackson who has been visiting among relatives returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fitton and children motored to Grand Rapids to spend Sunday with relatives.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wells of near Hoxie, Monday, September 7, a daughter, Ruth Irene.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of George Fullerton and wife next Tuesday evening

Mrs. Crowell fell and broke her thigh bone Wednesday evening. She is doing as well as could be expected.

John Williams was awarded Grand Champion prize on his thoroughbred Duroc boar at the State Fair last week.

Walter Miller and family have moved from their farm south of the village to town and are occupying the house recently vacated by the Clifford Lake family.

C. J. Knapp and wife were in Jackson on Friday to see his sister Mrs. Carrie Huff who is ill at the home of her son Glenn Huff. Mrs. Huff is reported as gaining slowly.

Corn cutting has started in this vicinity and one of the best crops raised in this counity for several years is reported. Beans are not a full crop owing to blight and anthranose.

George Cheever and wife were over Sunday visitors of his sister Mrs. Edna Hewitt. George Junior who has been here for three weeks returned with them. The family are moving from Jackson to Detroit

The Baptist Society and friends of this village met at the home of A. N. Foster east of this village on Friday night last, September 11th, for a social evening and get-together. Ice cream was served and music was a feature of the evening. Accompaniment to the general singing was furnished by two violins and a piano.

Philadelphia, Penna., is advertising an Exposition to be held from June 1 to December 1, 1926, in honor of the 150th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence which took place in Philadelphia in 1776 There will be a wonderful list of historic land-marks which undoubtedly will attract visitors from all parts of the United States, and from foreign countries. Among them is mentioned Liberty Bell, Independence Hall, Betsy Ross House, Carpenter's Hall and others.

Jack Haskell was quite badly, bruised and hurt on Sunday afternoon. The motor-cycle on which he was riding refused to run, and as it was being towed behind an automobile coming down Buck's hill the tow rope snapped. The recoil of the rope threw Jack from the motor-cycle with great force into the ditch beside the road with the machine on him. He was picked up unconscious and taken into the home of Frank Boone near at hand. Inside of an hour he regained consciousness and was taken home, but even then remained in a dazed condition. Dr. McFarland attended him.

The results of the Methodist Conference held at Lansing last week, and closing Monday, are as follows and the appointments in which the people are mostly interested are: North Adams, Rev. H. E. Wylie of Montgomery; Hillsdale Harry D. Henry; Three Rivers, J. W. Sheehan; Marne, W. I. Elmer; Charlotte, Rev. Deihl; Grand Rapids, (First church) Rev. Davis; Litchfield and Mosherville, Rev. Birchfield; Jonesville, Rev. Stanford; Maple Rapids, Selden B. Ford; Rev. Welden is given a year's rest and Supt. Clapp is also retired. Rev. Duffee is appointed superintendent of the Albion district.

According to reports James Meeks, Coe Emens and Lemuel Rhodes won the first prize last week at the State Fair for grain judging and their reward will be a free trip to the great International Live Stock Show at Chicago in December. Leland Graham won first in the cow milking contest and his reward is the same. Raymond Laser of Wright won the appointment to represent the State of Michigan at the National Training Camp for Club Leaders at Springfield, Massachusetts. He left for that place last Friday. Hillsdale County Club members cleaned up pretty nearly everything in the state and drew $1,800 worth of prizes, so 'tis claimed.

Wanted—Five or six hogs weight 100 to 150 pounds. F. W. Rock. 16t3

Herbert Patton and family spent the week end with friends at Fort Wayne, Ind.

The Birthday Club met with Mrs Harry Roberts on Wednesday with potluck dinner.

Mrs. John Owen is in Detroit for a week's visit at the home of her son William.

Miss Ona Fowler has gone to Fulton, Mo., where she is a Science teacher in a Synodical College.

Mrs. Cecile Waite and daughter Marian of Hanover were week end guests at the R. C. Young home.

Mrs. Berniece VanFleet and father, John Croxton, of Reading were Sunday guests at the E. A. Collins home.

—Please call in and renew your subscription to the Advocate. as we need the money and you need the paper.

Mrs. Eliza Williams returned Saturday from a few days visit at the home of her nephew, J. I. Post Center Adams.

Fred Lamb, wife and daughter Thelma of Goshen, Ind. came Sunday for a few days visit with their son Theldon Lamb and wife.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Wyman Stott Friday September 25th with potluck dinner and potluck program. 16t2

Among the young people leaving this week for Hillsdale College are Lillian Pendell, Geraldine Cox, Theron Randolph and Everett Westcott, and Marion Pierce to M. S. C. Lansing.

J. H. Hollister will leave soon for Coldwater. He has purchased a home there. He leaves a number of friends in North Adams and vicinity who will miss his personality from our midst.

Mrs. Carrie Bryant was in Moscow over Sunday to visit her neice Mrs. Frank Kies and family and on Sunday evening attended a splendid concert at the Methodist church at Moscow. 25 Hanover and Horton people composed the program.

Mrs. Clara Belle Moore of Detroit died at Henry Ford Hospital Saturday September 12. Remains were brought to North Adams on Tuesday and on Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. funeral services were conducted at the home of her father, Conrad Bohn northwest of the village, Rev. Virgil Hunt officiating and interment was in the North Adams cemetery.

Buying blue sky and wild-cat shares of stocks is not the popular indoor sport it was a few years ago People are learning better than to pick up these flim-flams and so fritter away their money for something which in many cases is not worth the paper it is printed on. It is authoritively stated that the menace of fradulant mail order business is not yet under control and annually thousands of dollars are ganvered in in this manner.

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Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

The Rev. Herbert E. Wylie, the newly appointed pastor of the Methodist church will have charge of the services at the regular hour, morning and evening next Sunday September 20th. He will also preach at Wheatland Sunday afternoon. Mr. Wylie comes from a long and successful pastorate at Montgomery, and has a record for bringing things to pass. He ought to have a large hearing and a cordial welcome from all who love the Kingdom of Christ and pray for its coming.

Congregational Church Calendar

The regular morning worship will be held at the Congregational church Sunday at 10:30 o'clock. U are invited to attend! Sunday school immediately following this service. Fill your place at both services. When you are not there no one fills your place.

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The next meeting of the Woman's Club of North Adams will be held on Monday September 21st at the home of Ruth Durga at Farewell Lake. It is hoped that there will be a good attendance.

Friends of Irving Latimer throughout Michigan are now striving to convince the public that he was never guilty of his mother's murder but was convicted upon purely circumstantial evidence and accordingly Latimer has prepared a statement which he is submitting to the papers of the state giving his side of the situation which we are going to publish in full next week. If Irving Latimer has been imprisoned all these years for nothing and is not guilty the State of Michigan ought to be obliged to pay him $500,000 and set him in the best home in Jackson with his taxes paid for life. If it takes thirty-six years to find out whether a man is guilty of murder in Michigan, we need a severe house cleaning.

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Death of Frank Sackett

After an illness of several months Frank Sackett died at his home in Jonesville Saturday, September 12. He was born in Horton Sept. 5, 1857 and for many years was a resident of Moscow township.

Fourteen years ago he moved to Jonesville and for a number of years has been a carpenter on the N. Y. C. railroad. Deceased was a member of LaFayette Lodge No. 16 F. & A. M., Jonesville Chapter 8, R. A. M., and Jonesville Council, R. and S. M. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Sackett, a son, Harold, two sisters, Mrs. Nettie Borden of Jackson, Mrs. Frank Rowe, of Moscow, and one brother, James Sackett, of Coldwater.

Funeral services were held Monday in charge of the Masonic fraternity.

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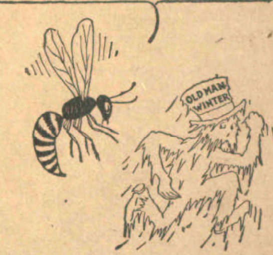

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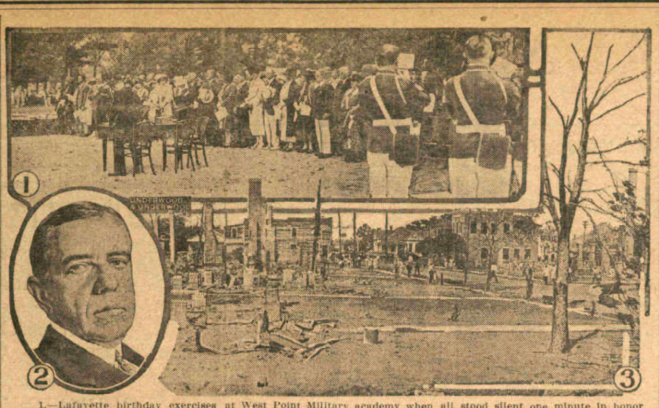

1.—Lafayette birthday exercises at West Point Military academy when all stood silent one minute in honor of the victims of the Shenandoah. 2.—Gen. John H. Russell, American high commissioner to Hayti, in Washington for conference. 3.—Scene in Shreveport, La., after conflagration that made 1,000 persons homeless and did $500,000 damage.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Honolulu Flight Aviators Are Found Alive Near Island of Kauai.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WHEN hope for their survival had been almost abandoned, the five men who comprised the crew of the Honolulu flight plane PN-9 No. 1 were found on Thursday afternoon, afloat on their plane and all well. Capt. John Rodgers and his four companions had been at the mercy of the sea for ten days when they were picked up, by the submarine R-4 fifteen miles east of the island of Kauai. This was considerably outside of the zone previously searched; the plane had drifted about 200 miles, passing to the north of Oahu island on which Honolulu is situated. Lieutenant Osborne, commanding the submarine that found the aviators, at once notified the naval authorities at Honolulu, and a later message said the crew and plane were being taken to Nawiliwili on Kauai island.

The members of the plane's crew, besides Captain Rodgers, are: Lieut. Byron J. Connell, assistant pilot, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Skiles N. Pope, aviation pilot, Jackson, Pa.; William H. Bowlin, aviation chief machinist's mate, Richmond, Ind.; Otis G. Stantz, chief radio man, Terre Haute, Ind.

SOMEBODY is due to get a sound thrashing in Morocco within a short time, according to current dispatches. It may be the Riffians, against whom the French and Spanish forces are starting a great offensive squeeze movement whose objective is Adjir, the capital of Abd-el-Krim. Or it may be the Spaniards in the west sector, for it is reported that the Riffians have them almost surrounded at Tetuan and that the capital of the Spanish protectorate is in danger of capture.

At the beginning of the week the Spanish, under the personal direction of Dictator Primo de Rivera, undertook to land a large force of troops at Alhucemas bay near Adjir after thoroughly bombarding the Riffian positions on the hillsides. But they apparently overlooked a lot of machine gun nests, for as soon as the legionnaires started wading ashore from the barges a storm of bullets struck them. They fled back to their boats, leaving some 500 dead and wounded. Next day, however, Rivera successfully landed his forces at another point with the assistance of French naval and air units. Sixteen thousand men were debarked and the heights dominating Adjir were occupied. Meanwhile the French were moving up from the south and the prospect was that the Riffians would be squeezed from their mountain strongholds.

From Alhucemas bay Rivera hurried to Tetuan, calling for all available troops from the Melilla front on the extreme east. He also urged the French to start an offensive in the Ouezzan sector to relieve the pressure in the Tetuan region, where the Riffians had broken through the Spanish line near Arzila and had cut the Ceuta-Tetuan road and railway. The situation there was considered extremely serious by the Spanish commanders.

Colonel Sweeney and other American aviators who make up what is now known as the Sherifian escadrille are fully embarked on their rather inglorious adventure. Already they have made many flights, dropping thousands of tons of explosives on Riffian villages. Their exploits will not arouse general enthusiasm in this country.

THE revolt of the Senussi against Italian rule in Tripoli is gaining in intensity and Mussolini has sent reinforcements of 20,000 troops and 300 airplanes. Rome admits that the Italian forces are being forced back to the coast with rather heavy losses. As has been said before, President Kemal of Turkey is supporting the Senussi, partly because he figures the revolt will embarass the French in Morocco and partly to keep the Italians from aiding Great Britain in the Mosul dispute. Sheik Ahmed, the Senussi chief, is likely to be made caliph of Islam and leader of a general uprising of Mohammedans against Christian domination.

IN OPENING the annual assembly of the League of Nations, Paul Painleve, its honorary chairman and premier and war minister of France, made an eloquent plea for world disarmament, urging the delegates of the fifty-four nations represented to prepare a call for a conference as soon as the European security pact and other regional agreements are concluded. By some this was looked on as another attempt of the league to forestall President Coolidge's plan to call another disarmament conference in Washington, but Mr. Coolidge at once let it be known that his chief concern was that such a conference should be held, that its place did not matter so much, and that he would wait to see if there was any chance for the league conference to materialize.

Paul Loebe, president of the German reichstag, warmly approved of M. Painleve's suggestion but said it did not take the initiative from President Coolidge and he believed the crucial time had come for the latter to carry through his plan.

Senator Dandurand of Canada was elected president of the league for the ensuing year.

Delegate Zahle of Denmark made a proposition that if adopted might increase the opposition in America to adhering to the international court of justice. Briefly, he proposed the creation of a special committee of conciliation, officially attached to the world court, to which all states adhering would be obliged to submit "all disuptes without any exception."

THAT quarrel over the Mosul vilayet with its rich oil wells is a hard one for the League of Nations to settle. While Foreign Minister Tewfik Rushdi Bey of Turkey, now in Geneva, is pacific in his talk, the Turks generally are freely predicting war if Mosul is taken from them and given to the British under a mandate. Turkish authorities say: "Even British statistics show that the Arabs are in minority in the district England is trying to declare as Arab. England states there are 785,000 inhabitants in Mosul, with only 185,000 Arabs, but 570,000 Turks. Right is on our side, and also the power to fight a separation of part of the country which is wholly Turkish. We are now trusting to the fairness of the League of Nations."

TWO pieces of interesting aviation news come from Europe. One is that Capt. Roald Amundsen plans to fly over the north polar regions from Spitzbergen to Alaska in a dirigible next year and has obtained an airship from the Italian government. The other tells of the consolidation of sixteen of the European airplane lines under German leadership.

CONTINUED drought and extreme heat during August have reduced the indicated yield of corn by 65,000,000 bushels, according to the government's latest estimates. The official guess now is that the crop will be 2,885,000,000 bushels. As an offset to this there is a gain of 21,000,000 bushels in the indicated spring wheat crop, of 75,000,000 in oats, and of 8,000,000 in barley. Winter wheat and rye remain unchanged. South Dakota showed the greatest reduction in corn crop estimate—42,000,000 bushels. Minnesota and Illinois each lost 9,000,000. Ohio, Kansas and Nebraska each showed big gains over the August estimate.

WHILE Lieutenant Commander Lansdowne and three other victims of the Shenandoah disaster were being laid at rest in the national cemetery at Arlington, Colonel Mitchell continued his attacks on the army and navy air services, inviting court-martial or other discipline, and General Hines, chief of staff, started proceedings that presumably would give Mitchell his desire. Maj. Gen. Eli Helmick, inspector general, was instructed to make an investigation and began by sending Colonel Nugent to Texas to ask Colonel Mitchell if he had been correctly quoted, a necessary step preliminary to possible trial by an army court. Secretary of the Navy Wilbur has made no representations to the War department on behalf of the navy. He did, however, reply to one charge made by Mitchell. The secretary said the Shenandoah had not been sent on her western trip in an effort to make up for failure of the polar flight and the Hawaiian flight. A western voyage had been planned months ago, he said, before the Hawaiian flight was arranged and about the same time that the Arctic expedition was agreed upon. Other of the Mitchell charges were denied by army officials, but the rampant colonel reiterated them, and added, "If the War department doesn't like the statements I make, let officials take any disciplinary action they want."

IN THE best of health and thoroughly rested, President Coolidge brought his vacation to a close last week and returned to the White House in Washington, which in his absence had been entirely renovated. Within a few hours of his arrival he plunged again into the business of running the country, holding a cabinet meeting and taking up, among other matters, the distribution of anthracite coal during the strike, the final preparation of the budget estimates and the selection of an ambassador to Japan. It was rumored that Undersecretary of State Joseph C. Grew would be offered the Tokio post. The day he left Swampscott the President received a visit from Nicholas Longworth, speaker of the next house, who told Mr. Coolidge it would be easily possible to pass the tax reduction bill in the house before Christmas. He said it might be possible to cut taxes more than $400,000,000.

NEW YORK'S mud-slinging mayoralty primary campaign is about over, which should be a relief to the metropolis, whatever the outcome. The fight between Tammany and the Hylan-Hearst combination degenerated into a contest between Governor Smith and Publisher Hearst as to which could say the meanest things about the other and the other's candidate. Last week odds of four to one were offered that Walker would beat Hylan for the Democratic nomination, and there were few if any takers. It is taken for granted that Hylan, if defeated, will run as an independent candidate, and on this largely the Republicans base their expectations of electing their nominee, probably Mr. Waterman.

CHAIRMAN AITCHISON of the interstate commerce committee has been holding hearings in Chicago on the question of increasing freight rates on the western railroads. Fred W. Sargent, president of the Chicago and Northwestern, said the unfortunate conditions under which the western railroads are laboring have a direct and depressing relation to the prosperity of the communities served. A reasonable increase in rates will correct this situation, producing greater general prosperity.

Mark W. Potter, one of the receivers of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, proposed there be a 5 per cent increase and that its benefits be pooled among the western roads. Charles Donnelly, president of the Northern Pacific, opposed this as "socialistic, impossible, unworkable and in effect a long step toward government ownership. However, it was said Charles Evans Highes would support the Potter plan in final arguments before the full commission in Washington.

FRANCE lost one of her most eminent statesmen in the death of Rene Viviani, former premier. He was at the head of the government when the war broke out in 1914, and a year later became minister of justice. In 1917 he accompanied General Joffre to the United States, and in 1921 he came with M. Briand to the Washington conference, in which gathering he was an important figure. He was a moderate Socialist and an anti-clerical, and had much to do with the separation of the church and the state a quarter of a century ago. M. Viviani was premier three times and a minister five times. His ability and his patriotism were of the highest order.

Discovery May Change System of Smelting

Tacoma, Wash.—The lowly clam may be given credit for an invention of great importance to the smelting industry. B. H. Bennetts, a local chemist and assayer, observed that all the clam shells on the beach near the Tacoma smelter were green, as if discolored by copper. He studied the mystery and finally discovered that raw limestone would precipitate the copper in copper sulphate.

Under general smelting processes the raw copper is reduced to liquid copper sulphate. Then iron is added and copper is precipitated and the result is then in shape for final fluxing, limestone being added for the flux.

Thanks to the clam Bennetts learned that iron could be eliminated entirely. The ground limestone is added to the copper sulphate and the precipitate comes forth as copper carbonate and calcium suplhate and is in form to be finally smelted without the addition of any more lime. The process is said to result in a great saving by eliminating iron. It is estimated that the saving will total a cent a pound.

The discovery was made by Bennetts more than two years ago, but only recently he received his patent from the government.

Bennetts, who already has invented various devices and methods used in smelting, says that if his new plan works out as expected he will adopt the clam shell as his official coat of arms.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Petoskey—Announcement made by Jacob Cohn and Harry Schweit, Chicago capitalists, that they will erect a 600-room fireproof hotel on a site on which the Clark Tavern now is located and on adjoining property. Construction will begin next April.

Lansing—Unification of the Methodist Episcopal Church with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was approved, 179 to 8, by the Michigan Methodist Episcopal conference here. The conference rejected a proposed amendment providing for the admission of laymen to the ministerial conferences.

Jackson—"I had a headache and was just taking the air," Harry Uptegraff, 23, of Detroit, Michigan State Prison inmate, told guards when he returned to the barracks at the west farm after a posse had searched several hours for him. Uptegraff was sentenced from Detroit for from 2 to 14 years for forgery.

Monroe—At a meeting of the county road commission here the Thompson Paving Construction company, of Toledo, was awarded the contract for the construction of Saline street in the village of Petersburg, bidding $13,696.45. Carl Kiburtz, of Monroe, was awarded the contract for the purchase of $105,000 bonds on the Heisse road, and $57,900 on the town line road.

Escanaba—Chased by a bull she was endeavoring to drive out of her orchard, knocked down and gored, Mrs. William Good, 59, of Harris escaped death only as the result of presence of mind. She crawled under the fence as the bull charged for the second time and escaped with a dislocated shoulder and severe bruise about the face and body.

Muskegon—Mrs. Florence Prince, 21 years old, Grand Rapids balloonist, narrowly escaped death, when she substituted for Mrs. Frank Stewart, a local balloonist, killed in a flight at White Cloud recently. The balloon became entangled when it left the ground and Mrs. Prince fell 50 feet to the ground. The woman suffered painful, but not serious injuries.

Ann Arbor—Altering of the entrance requirements of the University of Michigan, continuation of the elaborate building program outlined by the late President Marion L. Burton and encouragement of college athletics will be sponsored by Dr. Clarence Cook Little, new president of the university, when he takes over his office on September 20, he stated in an interview.

Muskegon—Injuries received in a silo filler explosion were fatal to Walter Paulson, 29 years old, of Fruitport, who died at Hackley hospital. Paulson was directing the work between the engine and filler when pieces of teel let go, striking his back and arms Farmers believe the explosion resulted from an accumulation of gas that wrecked the filler.

Ann Arbor—The new Ecorse road in Washtenaw County, built at a cost of $146,000 by the State highway construction department with prison forces, was opened to traffic Sept. 12. The new highway connects with the Ecorse road in Wayne County at the county line and will provide a direct paved route from Ypsilanti to Detroit only nine-tenths of a mile longer than the Michigan avenue route.

Marshall—Wilmot Jones, 22 years old, son of a broker, held in connection with the death of John (Blackie) Vielkoff, cook for a Grand Trunk Railway construction crew at Battle Creek, was freed by Justice Paschal Hughes after preliminary examination. Vielikoff's body, pierced with six bullets, was found on a lonely road between Bellevue and Marshall August 19.

Lansing—Dr. Lynn Harold Hough, pastor of the Central M. E. church of Detroit, won an indirect approval of his belief and utterances on evolution when a committee investigating similar beliefs of Rev. William H. Phelps, editor of the Michigan Christian Advocate, cleared him of heresy charges. The clearing of Phelps, who printed Rev. Mr. Hough's sermons in his publication, is taken generally by Methodist Episcopal churchmen as assurance that Hough also will be cleared when Detroit conference meets.

Lansing — Representative Republican women from various sections of the state met here and completed organization of the Republican Women's Federation of Michigan. The first step toward such an organization was taken at the Republican State Convention at Grand Rapids in May, 1924. Then at Port Huron last June at a meeting advertised as a reception to Mrs. A. T. Hirt, vice-chairman of the Republican National Committee, a tentative constitution was adopted and officers were elected.

Houghton—Dr. William O. Hotchkiss, chairman of the Wisconsin state highway commission, has accepted the presidency of the Michigan College of Mines here, according to an announcement by the college board. He has returned to his home in Madison to wind up his business, preparatory to returning here to assume his new duties when the college fall term opens. Dr. Hotchkiss succeeds Dr. F. W. McNair, who was killed in a railroad accident in Illinois a year ago. Dr. Hotchkiss conferred with the board of control.

Houghton—Passenger travel through the Keweenaw waterway reached its peak for the 1925 season in August, according to the monthly statement by George H. Banks, engineer in charge of freight and passengers carried. A total of 8,160 passengers were carried through the waterway in August compared with 6,378 in July this years, and 7,283 in August last year. Freight shipments through the waterway in August this year amounted to 183,363 tons against 124,656 tons in July, 1924, and 142,621 in August last year

Port Huron—Miss Detroit VIII, Gar Wood's sweepstakes contender, which was to race in Detroit, capsized just east of the north end of Walpole island. J. H. Stoneham, whose home is in Detroit, was drowned.

Port Huron—According to a mortgage document filed with the register of deeds, the steamer Tashmoo and Tashmoo Park have been mortgaged to the Detroit Trust Co. The steamer and park belong to the White Star Navigation Co. and the purpose of the mortgage is to protect a bond issue.

Owosso—Plans have been drawn for a children's ward to be added to Memorial hospital here at a cost of between $6,000 and $8,000. It will be one of the most modern in the United States. Private donations will finance it. A contagious disease building, just completed, will be opened September 17.

Lansing—Surplus and assets of the Ford Motor company without subsidiaries have reached $644,624,468, according to the corporation tax report made public by the department of state. Other Michigan properties of Henry Ford will bring his total wealth at least to the billion dollar mark, corporation diversion attaches expect.

East Lansing—The proportion of girls to men students at the Michigan State College which has been steadily increasing for the last few years will probably take a big jump, this year, according to H. H. Halladay, secretary. To care for the increased enrollment expected three new dormitories are being fitted out at the college.

Iron Mountain—The mining of yellow ochre may become a profitable industry in Dickinson county. John Jacobson and George Nygard, farmers at Metropolitan, have started working it on their farms. Shafts are being sunk and if the enterprise proves satisfactory, it is planned to obtain capital to fully develop the industry. Yellow ochre now is bringing about $16 a ton. It is used in the manufacture of paint.

Albion—The Methodists of Albion settled to the satisfaction of all concerned the question of lay representation in the annual conference when four prominent churchmen debated the issue before a large crowd. Dr. D. D. Martin and R. T. Baldwin defended the affirmative, and Drs. Samuel Dickie and W. W. Diehl, upheld the negative. Dr. John L. Seaton, president of Albion college, presided The audience acted as judges and gave their decision in favor of the negative.

White Cloud—Mrs. George Stewart, 40 years old, of Muskegon, who has thrilled thousands of Michigan folk, during the several years she has plied her trade of balloonist and parachute jumper, provided her last thrill here, when she dropped more than 1,500 feet to her death before a throng of 1,200 villagers and farmers, gathered for the annual soldiers' reunion and homecoming Mrs. Stewart's husband and her son, 12 years old, witnessed the tragedy.

Lansing—Two new offices are planned for Detroit by Secretary of State Charles J. DeLand, in order to handle the increasing business of his department. For the sale of auto licenses next January an office will be opened in Convention hall, which will have sufficient capacity to take care of the bulk of the licensing transactions. In addition DeLand will open an office at once at 119 Dime Bank building to handle the general business of his department.

Jackson—The first units of Michigan's new Jackson prison, to be the largest state penal institution in the country, larger than Joliet or Sing Sing, will be completed this fall, and work soon will be in progress on the first of the huge cell-blocks designed to accommodate 5,180 prisoners. These units, Harry L. Hulburt, former warden, and now superintendent of construction, explained will be the new dye plant and the towering concrete wall that will surround the 64 acres within the prison.

Grand Rapids — Light, noiseless street cars which can be operated at half the cost of regular equipment and have the same carrying capacity are being experimented with here in an effort to meet motor bus competition. The experiments are closely followed by the American Electric Railway association. It is contended that if the cars prove practical, street railways will be able to operate more profitably than buses, and will pdovide more rapid and comfortable transportation.

Pontiac—Stealing automobiles became passe here with the first report of a stolen airplane turned in to Sheriff Frank Schram. Harry Brooks, youthful aviator, reported the theft, the plane belonging to his friend, Hoyt Brown, of Birmingham. The plane had been taken to a flying field near here for repairs. In order to fly away with the plane, Brooks told the sheriff, it was necessary for the theif to replace certain parts of the magneto and to fill the tanks with gasoline, oil and water.

Detroit—The Packard Motor company has filed suit against the city of Detroit in circuit court seeking the return of $74,497.87, declared to be due because of excess taxes levied against the company. The motor concern paid a tax of $265,609.83 under protest, alleging that the law under which the assessment was levied is unconstitutional, and that the difference, $74,497.87, between the old tax rate and the present one, should be returned. Under 1915 tax regulations the company would have been taxed a total of $191,111.96

Monroe—After all the testimony had been introduced in the circuit court here in the case of J. J. Corcoran, of this city, against Fred M. Longnecker, asking for an alleged partnership accounting and for the appointment of a receiver, an amicable adjustment was reached whereby Mr. Corcoran sold out his interest in the business to Mr. Longnecker, who will continue the business. The business was established six years ago for the manufacture of paper dishes. The concern has so prospered that the daily output was 400,000.

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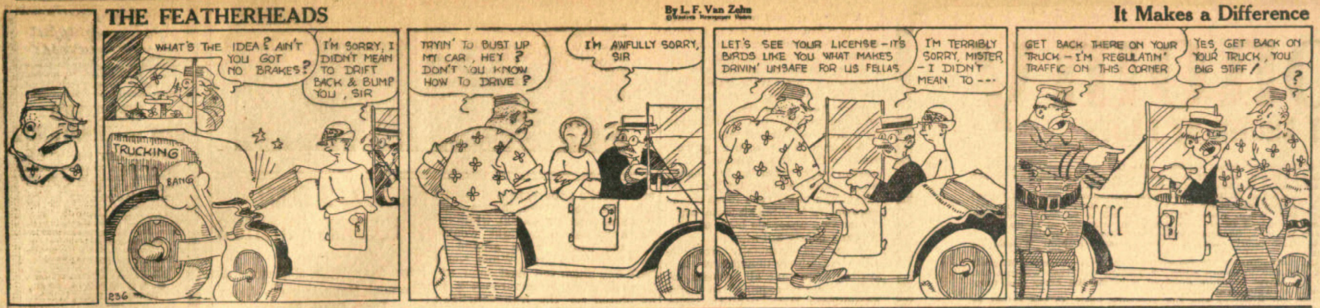
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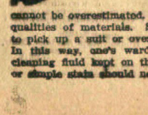
Taking Care of Your Clothes

NO MAN can ever be well dressed who does not take proper care of his clothes. Even the man who prefers to wear them hard and replace them often will find he cannot be well groomed without giving a certain amount of attention to the upkeep of his apparel.

The average man, however, buys his clothes with a view to getting good service and having them look well during their entire reign. For this reason he buys good materials, conservative styles. The dash of color and the note of originality can be secured in the accessories—socks, ties and belt that can be discarded when out of style.



Plenty of changes is one secret of getting full returns from your clothing investments. It is poor economy to put on an everyday suit and wear it constantly and the same applies to shoes, hat and gloves.

The suit that has been worn all day is as much entitled to a good night's rest as is its owner. It should be put on hangers, and, if possible, hung out in the open and not shut up in some airless closet. Shoe trees take only a second or two to slip in and are excellent in preserving the shape of the shoe.

The value of frequent cleaning and pressing cannot be overestimated. Dirt is one of the greatest menaces to the wearing qualities of materials. Some men leave a standing order with the cleaner to pick up a suit or overcoat a week at the same time that he returns one. In this way, one's wardrobe is kept constantly in condition. A bottle of cleaning fluid kept on the bathroom shelf is a necessity. A spot of grease or simple stain should never be allowed to stand overnight.

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

The Bible's Place In The Schools

It is not so much a question as to the way the Bible shall be taught as it is question as to whether we shall have any religion taught in our educational system. The danger of using the Bible in some form or other in our public schools is nothing compared with the danger of not using it at all. There are in the United States today over 8,600,000 Catholic youth under twenty five years of age, and of this number over 6,800,000 are not in any religious schools. There are in the United States today over 42,800,000 Protestant youth under twenty five years of age, and out of that number over 27,200,000, or 66., percent are not enrolled in any religious schools. A majority of all these youths are enrolled in some sort of day school.

A new definition of education is being urged by the best minds in the educational world today. The things that the ordinary text-books do not teach and that are not touched in class room examinations are beginning to be recognized as the great things in a well-rounded mind and well developed heart.

A definition of education has been given by Dr. Randall J. Condon, Superintendent of Schools in Cincinnati, and it is commended to those teachers who have been laying the emphasis on the acquisition of facts. It is so good and so new in many ways that it may well be committed to memory:

"Courage, faith, hope, kindness perseverance, punctuality, regularity, accuracy, industry, and application; honor, truth, integrity; sincerity and simplicity; love of work and pride in work well done; unselfish service, sympathy; self control and self reliance; duty and obedience; reverence for God, for each other, and for all his lowly creatures."

Dr. Condon says, "These—the moral and spiritual values of life we believe, are the fundamentals of education."

And we believe he is right. By all means let us have more religion and morals in our educational system, and less emphasis on the mechanical and material things. And there is a national rising along this line that is the most hopeful sign we have seen in decades for the development of our youth.

It looks to me as if the United States were getting ready to write a new chapter in its educational life. Russia is writing a chapter in its educational scheme that starts with the teaching of all youth under sixteen that there is no God, and that religion is a thing to be hated and feared. The Uuited States will have to do something with its program of education to take care of the morals and ethics and behavior of its millions of youth who are getting no religious training in the home or from the State.

I believe that the Bible, in its substance of teaching, freed from all sectarian and theological bias, can be taught with safety in our public schools, and that it ought to be and will be. And the time can not come too soon for some of us who believe that education without religion is the greatest blunder of the human race.

General Lincoln Andrews Outlines Enforcement Plans

In an address at Chautauqua, General Lincoln C. Andrews stated that he believed the agencies of prohibition enforcement hereafter are going to be kept clear of politics.

Fresh from the task of reorganizing the whole system of clamping down on bootlegging, General Andrews addressed the Chautauqua audience with a frankness and a confidence in the success of the task he faces that won a ready response. He told how the new organization is intended to operate. Nothing he said convinced the audience so firmly of the coming triump of law enforcement as the evident honesty and practical wisdom, and hard-hitting character of the man himself.

He assigned to the general public a large part of the task of enforcing prohibition. "Because," he said, "you never can drive a law down the throats of those who do not believe in it." The people who had the foresight to line up against a social evil and prohibit it by law cannot turn over to the police force of the United States the whole task of its enforcement, but must keep on making public opinion with the same effectuality as before the Eighteeth Amendment became effective.

General Andrews made a thorough analysis of the prohibition situation. "The prohibition laws made it unlawful to supply drinks to those who still wish to buy them he said. "But the demand continues, and thus there has grown up the business of supplying this market. It is necessarily an outlaw business and can be conducted only through bribery and corruption. It is this bribery which makes bootlegging the serious menance it has become to the stability of society, business, and government. It is a real enemy of society and its elimination is the main objective of the law enforcement agencies of government."

Two ways exist for wiping out the liquor business, he pointed out The market can be eliminated or the supply can be shut off. Reducing the market is chiefly a matter of education. The Federal program against liquor is especially directed against shutting off the supply.

(Continued next week)

Troopers Spare Life Of Moonshiner

West Virginia State Police do not shoot unless they have to and that's why two moonshiners got away from a detachment led by Corporal Harry C. Myers, in Kanawha county, recenty. It would have been a simple matter to have brought the men down, as they were within easy range, but Superintendent R. E. O'Connor has impressed upon his men that it is not within their jurisdiction to impose the death penalty, or even maim a person, who may be suspected of a crime.

Private N. T. Sites and D. W. Harper, a federal prohibition agent accompanied Corporal Myers into Chappell Hollow to search for the still, and they soon found two barrels of mash near the site on which the still was supposed to be located The men were known to be operating a portable plant, and accordingly the raiders waited for the moonshiners.

The troopers had to lay in the wet grass for three hours, which accounts for their inability to over take the raiders, and finally two men appeared. One carried two buckets and another one large bucket, and they separated to approach their still from different sides of a hill. The raiders decided on a hasty mode of procedure, but one of the officers slipped in the wet grass and his man fled. The other was covered by Corporal Myers, and while he kept his hands in the air and muttered incessantly "I won't do anything boys," he continued to back away and finally made a spurt for liberty, just as his companion drew a gun. It was unfortunate for the second man, as it is believed he was shot in the hip the minute he "threw down" on the trooper—and that was a distinct overt act—but both men escaped as no attempt was made to kill them.

However, the troopers know both their men and federal warrants will be issued, as the raiders found a 30 gallon still, 180 gallons of mash, and much still equipment —State Trooper.

Spanking And Discipline

Elbert H. Gary said, in the course of an interview, that he never spanked his children to discipline them, but recalled that he once locked his daughter in a closet for a misdeed and kept her there until she said she was sorry.

He compared this plan of rearing children with that of the past generation, and remembered that he once was spanked by his father for saying "damn."

Mr. Gary does not condone spankings, but the very fact that he has a distinct recollection of his treatment when he used the profane word in the presence of his father, indicates that the methods of his father had a most wholesome effect

There are undoubtedly occasions where nothing will serve the purpose like a spanking. A little more of it might be used to advantage in enforcing discipline in the present generation.—Pittsford Reporter.

When an Iowa farmer complained that the pheasants were eating his corn, the game department killed two of the birds, examined their crops, aad found 200 cutworms—and no corn. Almost without exception when the Scientists investigate such cases they will find the same result. The farmer owes his crop to the feathered police that keep down the bugs, insects and worms. With continuing slaughter of every form of bird life, the insect loss will be heavier and farm work harder. The nation could train an army of riflemen in a comparatively short time, but it couldn't in a century restore the bird armies that are the farmers' allies in raising food to feed the country.

The Precociousnes of Youth

If you should happen to notice these days the extreme swiftness of our young people don't think anything wrong, since it is the natural trend of the times. The other day we heard a certain man remark that when he was a boy things were different. He is quite right—things were different. He probably did not see any such thing as manual training in his little district school. He never knew what it was to see a young woman in a bathing suit that was not a suit, but a mere postage stamp. He never saw a vaudeville with the extreme artful plays which are put on today. His imagination was not helped to run riot by lascivious pictures thrown upon the cinema screen. He was not allowed as a boy to remain out with his best girl over night at some road house where they happened to be delayed on account of a "busted" tire. He did not expect to see the human beings of this earth flying through the air as a bird. He supposed that people who heard sounds out of the air without even a wire up, were simply "luny" and if they should have told him that scarcely a horse drawn vehicle would run the roads he would have "poohed" the idea.

He is now living in an age of wondrous happenings and no one knows what will turn up next. It is not at all improbable the chemist will soon be able to manufacture some kind of life from mere matter; wars will soon be fought in the air with poison gases; People will make long journeys by air and send telegrams home by air while they are above the clouds. There will not be much use for the old top buggy in which he did his sparking, except as a relic for the museum. Horses will be used purely for trotting purposes and for fanciers. It will be possible to freeze a man's body into a block of solid ice and lay him away for ages then thaw him out again and let him enjoy a long pleasant life.

Everything is topsy turvy and it is no wonder the good old soul of the pioneer is somewhat shocked. But his shock will soon wear off or else he will pass into the mold of the cemetery. Because all things that are old must pass away, and he is no exception. He must not look too sharply at what he would term precociousness among our younger generation since they are the product of scientific changes in our social life. The day is not far distant when it will not be considered wrong to appear in public theaters as the conscience of the actress dictates, (sans clothes) and not one remark of derision will be made—it will be taken as a matter of common occurrence. If the weather becomes too hot the human family will dress accordingly, and it is not unlikely the costumes will be very brief. Our students in the high school will be so wise in physical and sexual matters that they will be able to accomplish many stunts heretofore unknown and with absolutely no danger of being ridiculed—for such it seems is the verdict of the masses.

Within a decade electric washing machines, ironers, water heaters, mixing devices, refrigerators and similar power appliances will be as much a part of the house as the modern bathroom, so the scientists claim. "While the modern office is filled with labor-saving devices, only 18 per cent of the homes are so provided. The women are required to do the same kind of drudgery their grand-mothers did, all because the home is within the category of the "same old thing in the same old way. The development of consumer-owned power companies which is the real public ownership, will bring about the further use of electricity in the home."

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College Horses Take Honors at State Fair

The draft horse string at the M. S. C., already known as one of the strongest herds in the country won high honors at the Michigan State Fair last week, practically duplicating the record made at the Ohio State Fair the week before.

The twelve horses shown at Detroit won eight first places in their classes and took seven championships. Pervenche, International champion Belgian mare, and Leila star Percheron mare, won their classes again, while their foals also took first places in the juvenile section. The competition in the Belgian classes at Detroit is said by R. H. Hudson, in charge of the college herd, to have been the stiffest in years.

Cattle and sheep entered in the competitive classes by the college also placed high in their various groups. Another string of draft horses was shown by M. S. C. at the West Michigan fair, which was held the same week.

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CHICAGO....	READ	April 18, 19, 20, 21 June 30, 30 July 1, 2 Sept. 3, 5, 6	April 14, 15, 16, 17 June 1, 2, 3 July 23, 24, 25, 26	May 4, 5, 6, 7 July 3, 4, 4, 5 Sept. 7, 7, 8	June 5, 6, 7, 8 July 28, 29, 30, 31 Sept. 18, 19, 20	June 10, 11, 12, 13 Aug. 1, 2, 3, 4 Sept. 15, 16, 16, 17	June 18, 20, 21, 22 Aug. 9, 11, 12, 13 Sept. 22, 23, 24	June 15, 16, 17, 18 Aug. 5, 6, 7, 8 Sept. 25, 26, 28
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Economy

NOT SHOWN BY FACTS

Recently a group of Hillsdale ministers agreed, that the only real Christian in the world to day, is the Hindu Ghandi, who has said that he is ready to join the church when its members show their belief in the seventh chapter of Matthew.

The movement begun in Heathen India for practical Christianity may yet regenerate America, otherwise hypocracy will cause us to become a most depraved nation.

"Government Economy" and "Farm Relief" have been fed to us daily. Not one paper of general circulation has dared to give us the truth until forced to do so by such personalities as Senator Wheeler, Senator Couzens and General Mitchell.

What has happened to these men? Why are they silent? Senator Wheeler is busy defending indictments.

Senator Couzens is busy defending a $10,000,000.00 Tax levy. General Mitchell has been demoted in rank pay and influence since he pointed out, that whereas the people had been taxed to the extent of some hundred millions, the army and navy combined had only 20 servicable airplanes as a result.

The looting of the Naval Oil Reserves and the Treasury itself, to the extent of something like $3,000,000,000.00, under the present Secretary, according to the investigations of Senator Couzens, shows the kind of economy that is being practiced.

I am powerless to present these facts to the people of the Third District without the financial support of those interested. Free Newspaper publicity is limited, and it costs money to buy advertising space.

Give what you can for your own sake. Remember if we win you will be repaid a thousand times. Give as religiously as you give to your church, and we will not lack for funds.

Farmers are compelled to work 16 hours a day for a bare existance while money pours into the coffers of the rich, under the workings of the Fordney MaComber Tariff.

Never at any time or in any country has there been a period of Political Depravity, equal to the present, in enormity, subtilety and shrewdness.

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THE MELLON PLAN

Millions of slush funds are used to indict, bribe, intimidate, coerce, extort from, and discredit Democrats and Republican Dissenters in the U. S. Senate, in order to secure a majority favoring the Mellon Plan, which we are told is to be forced through the next meeting of Congress under a new name.

Such a reduction would throw upon the working classes, the burden of paying One Hundred Billioins in pensions alone, based on Civil War experience.

Surtaxes should be increased rather than diminished for two important reasons, first because enormous holdings of the Earth's resources deprive the people of their just inherited rights; second, such taxes tend to prevent further concentration of wealth, threatening the life of the Republic, by money control of elections, such as we have witnesses since the Newberry campaign of 1918, without a break in any election held since.

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THE WORLD TOMORROW

Let me send you without cost sample copies of "The World Tomorrow" Monthly, "Searchlight on Congress Monthly", "Labor" Weekly.

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TOWNSHIP MEETINGS

Even the Farm Bureau, financed in the beginning by the Coalition Committee, supporters of Senator Newberry, which was later on paid up, and repudiated by an indignant membership, is now asked to join in the Wall Street propaganda to tax bonds for public improvements. Such a tax would make road building cost more and throw a heavier direct tax upon the people for all kinds of public improvement. It would, however, allow a reduction of surtaxes on enormous individual incomes, which if permitted to increase will destroy Republican Government, and establish an autocracy in America.

Any man who allows himself to be lulled by "Economy" propaganda when the real facts of graft and exploitation are easily accessable in reports of Senate investigations, is un-American, un-Christian, is committing the unpardonable sin of the Bible which is the sin against the Holy Spirit, struggling to make "Thy Kingdom Come."

There is a Nation wide campaign to organize in every school district, centering thought upon the Congressional primaries of the major political party in each state. The Headquarters are at Washington. A representative will be in your Township shortly and will hold a non-partisan Educational meeting in every school district.

Get date from your local school officers

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THE SEARCHLIGHT ON CONGRESS

The forces of evil are making a last great stand.

Slush funds amounting to billions are being used to keep from the voters the real results of Senate Investigations and to discredit the investigators.

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MONEY TO LOAN

5 Per Cent Interest

In addition to both forms of Government Loans, the county has recently been approved for loans by several large Life Insurance Companies.

Because of recent foreclosures, loans must be made on lower valuations. Hence, farmers need small amounts more than the loan granted by the Insurance Company, to pay off present mortgage and take advantage of the lower rate of interest. For the small amount needed, some are willing to pay 10% interest, secured by deed to the farm subject to 5% mortgage, and contract for repurchase with added security, if desired, on stock and tools.

Amounts desired from $100 up. For $100 you can have a title to a 40 acre farm subject to 5% mortgage and contract to repurchase with 10% interest on your investment. Why send money away when such opportunities are afforded at home, at higher interest and better security. Farm prices will be high for many years. A world food shortage and restored credit abroad will make high prices for corn, wheat, oats, and all grains which Hillsdale County farmers can raise during the coming season.

We have many opportunities to buy farms at bargain prices. The outlook for farming is very promising. There are still many idle farms. Farm help is wanted. Farmers can afford to pay better wages this season because of the better prices now afforded for all kinds of grain, which will continue for many years to come.

Grade milch cows from Hillsdale County are said to be selling in some parts of New Jersey at a premium of $25 per head over those shipped from adjoining counties in Michigan. There is a big demand for money in Hillsdale county to take care of this profitable industry. Live stock on many farms is worth as much as the farm itself. 5% loans can be made for not more than 50% of the value of the farm exclusive of buildings. Hence, loans for larger amounts must be made on the security of buildings and live stock at higher rates of interest.

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GOVERNMENT LOANS

Never at any time or in any country has there been a period of political depravity comparable to that in which this country is now plunged.

Slush funds are not measured in mere millions accounted for by campaign committees, but by Billions expended by the same interests which contribute to such campaign funds.

LaFollette, Brookhart, Couzens and other Republican dissenters who have exposed graft are pictured as self seekers and enemies of the Constitution.

I believe in Government Loans, but there is no good reason for paying 2% on Postal Savings and charging the farmers 6% for the best form of security for such savings, while Insurance Companies are allowed to loan at 5% with no greater expense for negotiating the loan than the average borrower on a so called Government Loan.

Enlist with the Dissenters in the Republican Primary Campaign of 1926. Let me send you a concise typewritten summary of recent investigations, also sample copies of various co-operating publications.

Give what you can weekly for your own sake. Remember if we win you will be repaid a thousand fold.

Government more than labor determines what each of us shall possess and enjoy. Advantages to be derived from recent inventions may be completely set at naught by political depravity. Besides you are contributing to a great moral cause, "The New Day" of peace on Earth and good will toward men.

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ABSTRACTS OF TITLE

One of the great advantages of Government or Insurance Loans is the Supervision of Title experts in correcting Abstracts.

It is not sufficient to have an Abstract. Getting an Abstract is usually the beginning of your troubles, because the Abstract shows errors difficult to correct, and more and more difficult, as people die, who could make the necessary affidavits to correct the title.

One man came to me to get a loan, **when he didn't need the money.** He was buying a farm and took the cheapest way of getting expert opinion of the title on the farm he was buying. He purchased 6% Bonds with money received from his loan.

One man lost the sale of a farm to an Ohio buyer, because he had neglected to fix up his title, while people were living who could make some necessary affidavits to correct his abstract.

Heirship claims never outlaw. Fifty years ago, estates were commonly settled by quit claim deed, but frequently records do not show that all the heirs signed off.

The fact that your family have owned the farm fifty years is likely to make you more trouble than if you had recently purchased it, because there are some mortgages which have not been properly discharged, and people are dead who could have executed a proper release.

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A Good Bull Story

A traveling man with torn clothes and a crushed hat sat in a country hotel expounding upon the necessity of compulsory automobile liability insurance maintained by the state to protect the public from damage done by automobiles. His clothes had been torn, his car wrecked and his life endangered by a driver with no assets.

A farmer in the corner grocery store, with a bloody nose and a broken buggy whip in his hand, was cussing his neighbor Jones for allowing a bull to run loose on the highway to frighten his team, cause a runaway, upset his load of berries and nearly kill him.

Jones was financially irresponsible but nobody thought of suggesting a law that all owners of bulls should be required to carry compulsory state liability insurance to protect the public from the dangers of such animals. Yet hardly a day passes that one does not read of some person or animal being gored to death by an enraged bull.

Our present laws provide for collecting damages from people whose acts cause injury or loss to others. If persons who are liable are financially insolvent the injured party cannot secure compesation. The same law applies to automobile accidents as to bull accidents or to any other kind of accidents.

Why should the automobile owner be made an exception to the rule in regard to compulsory automobile insurance in order to provide against a possible insolvent driver? Why should the state be put into the business of insurer? The whole proceeding is just another step toward socialism. People thoughtlessly argue in favor of this type of compulsory insurance supported by a state fund, who would not for a minute consider such a proposition if they understood it in all its ramifications. The traveling man and the bull story are everyday examples.

The "Daddy" of Them All

What is claimed to be the largest and most powerful electric locomotive in the world, is in use on a railroad in Virginia and unless figures lie considerably this giant is destined to be the largest for several years. It is practically three units in one coupled permanently together, forming an engine 152 feet in length, and 1,726,000 pounds in weight, capable of exerting 7,125 horse power.

The three units make it possible to negotiate curves handily.

Each unit is equipped with 12 large drive wheels hooked three tandem as in common steam locomotives, making in all 36 large drive wheels, while each unit has two trucks and two trailers, making all 48 large and small wheels under the engine.

Electric power is supplied to this wonderful engine by an overhead trolley carrying from 11 000 to 22,000 volts. This leads to a transformer which steps down the current to a comparatively low voltage where is is supplied to the 3-phase motors. The whole mechanicism is under control of the one motorman in the front cab. It is claimed for this machine that its dragging power for a train is comparatively unlimited. At last reports Henry Ford was still busy with his big electric engine at Dearborn and nothing has yet been learned as to what he intends to do with it, but it is presumed he will install in on the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton to move heavy freights in and out of Detroit. Mr. Ford has laid claim to having absolutely the largest electric engine in existence but he will have to yield prestige to the Virginian.

The Corbett-Fitzsimmons Fight

A few of our readers will remember back to the days of the great Fitzsimmons—Corbett bout which took place in March 1897, and will also recollect it was pulled off at Reno, Nevada, since that wild and woolly state was one of the few in the country which would allow such a Roman holiday. James J. Gorbett was then in the height of his boxing fame and was known as the quickest man on his feet, who followed the profession, but was probably no better man than his opponent, Robert Fitzsimmons, though somewhat shorter in stature. When the two men faced each other in the arena "Bob" weighed 156½ pounds and Corbett a little more.

They fought fourteen rounds of one of the hardest battles ever staged, and although "Gentleman Jim" was supposed to be the most scientific man of the two, he was knocked down and out—completely whipped. Fitzsimmons was examined by a physician directly after the fight and the only blemish on his entire body was a red spot over one kidney, where one of Corbett's undercuts had landed. His profits from the transaction amounted to $15,800, while to day any such prize fight would net the winner right around a half million dollars. While Corbett was much the best man at the beginning, his endurance was no match for the iron constitution of the freckled Australian.

It is claimed the two men had been enemies personally for some time, and had insulted each other in various ways, and made threats, also refused to recognize each other at the ring-side.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of September A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Emily Carter incompetent.

Jay D. Knowles, guardian, having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof, said ward being deceased.

It is ordered that rhe 8th day of October A. D., 1825, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate

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The very latest development in aeroplane engines is designed for the United States Flying Division It uses absolutely no water for cooling but the cylinders are air-cooled thus doing away with a large proportion of the resistance in front. The new engine has nine cylinders arranged radially like the spokes of a wheel around the crank shaft, and is being installed in place of the 400 horse power Liberty motors previously used by the government, and is said to out-class them in speed and other ways. The noses of the new planes are very pointed, making for more speed than formerly. They develop 450 horse power with 285 pounds less weight, and climb at the amazing speed of 12,400 feet in 14 minutes.

State Farm Women Enter Show Game

Farm women from eight Michigan counties made a successful entry in the show game last week, putting on a special series of exhibits at the West Michigan Fair, Grand Rapids, which attracted widespread attention.

The exhibits, which represented various phases of household management projects carried out under home economics study, were prepared by the women themselves, a delegation of two from each county being in attendance all through the fair to explain the work.

Washtenaw, Lenawee, Kent Branch and VanBuren counties showed clothing exhibits, including demonstrations and lectures on sewing and tailoring subjects. Allegan and Ionia counties stressed household management, especially kitchen arrangements, refinishing furniture, etc. Ottawa, the eighth county, took a nutritional or food subject for its exhibit.

The showings made by the county women were part of a general display arranged to illustrate state wide work of the home economics extension program at the M. S. C.

Bean Crop Outlook Said Not So Good

That extensive damage from disease and drought during the past few weeks have affected the bean crop outlook in the state, causing hopes for an unusually large crop this year to dwindle, is the opinion of Prof. J. F. Cox, head of the farm crops department at the M. S. C.

"The blight damage extends throughout the central part of the bean district and to its most northern limits," says Professor Cox. At the M. S. C., it is estimated that yields of 'increase' fields there have been reduced 25 per cent by blight. Many neighboring fields show much greater reduction in yield.

In Midland, Bay, Arenac, Gladwin, and Sanilac counties, anthracnose has occurred and is causing considerable yield reduction,

An unusually large acreage was planted in Michigan and the crop started off with great promise. Heavy dews followed by hot weather during the past few weeks, however, have been ideal for the development of bean blight. Just at the time of pod filling, blight made its appearance, causing leaves to fall from plants, and many fields failed to develop fully podded plants.

In general, early crops of beans that have been threshed to date have not come up to expectations, The later harvested crops will suffer even greated reduction due to drought disease.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance—James I. Post 2tf

Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So hereafter the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25. Please bear in mind this is final and cancel all other announcements. To those who subscribe for McCall's let us say don't be alarmed if it takes a couple of weeks to get the ceive McCall's the next day don't get nervous. It'll come in due time. magazine coming. Of late the publishers assure us the volume of business coming in requires time to straighten out.

PROGRESS IN RURAL ELECTRIC ACTIVITIES

Iowa Vies With Minnesota in Thorough Methods Used—News From Other States.

In more than a dozen states, from one end of America to the other, the question of making electric service available to the American farmer is being studied, with the aid of practical experiments, in a painstaking and encouraging manner. Steady progress is to be noted, most of the states investigating the problem in their own way, but all seeking to devise a practical economic program which will meet the needs of both the farmers and the power companies.

Iowa's Rural Community

A rural community for electrical development has been established by Iowa at the town of Garner. This community is termed a field laboratory by the investigators. Three rural electric service lines have been built out of Garner, running in different directions. These lines cover a total of 63 miles and serve a total of 39 customers.

Already a preliminary survey has been made covering all of the 39 farms, but a certain twelve farms have been picked out for special experiments with electricity as applied to various kinds of farm equipment and farm-house appliances. A state rural electric committee is conducting this whole investigation.

Practical Work in Illinois

Similar activites have been started in Illinois, where there is also a field laboratory, located near Tolono, and involving ten farms. Several electrical and agricultural interests in Illinois are co-operating, with the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois as the guiding head.

One of the Illinois electric light and power companies has built a service line seven miles long in Champaign county. Farms varying from 75 to 600 acres will be served from this line, and will represent every type of farm enterprise. The practical working out of this line will be carefully studied.

Oklahoma Starts Study

Oklahoma has taken active steps to grapple with the farm-electric problem, the sentiment of a recent meeting of interested parties being that "general rural electrification is an immediate progressive necessity."

A special study committee has been organized to recommend experimental work in Oklahoma.

Sentiment in New York

The organized electric light and power companies of New York have just held a conference at which the prevailing sentiment was that the utilities of the state have an obligation to develop electric service for the farm, "because the average New York state farm is both a home and an industry."

Although there is no experimental rural electric line in operation in New York state, several large electric utilities are extending lines to serve the farmer in whatever way it can profitably be done. It was the opinion that electricity should first be introduced to the farm through the farm household, followed by the development of electric power in farm work.

Making Survey in Ohio

A survey has been started in Ohio, having for its object the electrification of farms and rural communities in that state. The Ohio state rural electric committee is conducting this preliminary investigation, which will cover most of the 250,000 farms in the state. At present about 33,000, or 12 per cent. of the farms of Ohio use electricity.

Following the survey now being made, the committee intends to select an Ohio community having fifteen or twenty farms, and to make an intensive study of how electricity may be applied to typical farm processes as operated on those farms. These farms will then be electrified and the study of farm operations by electricity will be made, thus showing the situation without electricty and with electricity.

Minnesota Still Enthusiastic

In Minnesota, where the first extensive farm electric experiments were inaugurated at Red Wing, activity continues in that community. A great deal of valuable data is being accumulated as to how the farmer can use electricity, and the farmers themselves are finding out much about the economic problem of the power companies.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 24th day of August. A. D.1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Carter Deceased.

Augustus Borden having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Jay D. Knowles or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered: That the 8th day of October A D;, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
15t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March. A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savinge Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400.00)and of interest thereon, amountingto two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610] and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy ths amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee

John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank,
Mortgagee

B. D. Chandler, 1131t
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King Tommy

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CHAPTER XIII—Continued

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"Even so," said the king, "you can scarcely expect me to answer that question in detail. Even at the age of forty-five, if you really are forty-five—"

"Fifty-two."

"At any age," said the king, "such confessions are embarrassing, embarrassing for both of us. Besides, it isn't only with Calypso that I want you to use your influence. There's the patriarch. Do you know our patriarch?"

"I hope to. I'm going to Lystria in order to enlist his sympathies in our great movement."

"And I'm sure you'll succeed," said the king. "Our patriarch is full of sympathy with all good causes, and I'm certain that your movement is one of the best."

Janet helped herself to some of the veal which a waiter was pushing at her in a large dish. The king refilled her glass. She had sipped away almost half of what was in it.

"It's the establishment of world peace," she said, "through the medium of the United Christian Churches."

"In that case," said the king, "you can count with certainty on our patriarch. There's nothing, absolutely nothing, he likes better than the establishment of world peace except perhaps the Unity of Christian Churches, though perhaps he's a little inclined to take the view that the other churches should unite with his and not his with them. I mean to say, he thinks that if there's to be a compromise, it must be on the basis of every one else giving way. But all ecclesiastics are like that. Our patriarch isn't peculiar."

"When we speak of the union of churches," said Janet, "we mean a concordat based on the essentials of the Christian creed."

"Of course," said the king, "and you'll find our patriarch absolutely agrees with you about that so long as you don't ask him to shake hands with the Megalian Archimandrite. He might draw the line there, though, as I said, he's always on for anything really good. A good cause simply fascinates him. If he has a weakness—as we all have—it is that he's not so fond as he might be of the things which aren't quite so good as the Causes. Take young men now. As you very rightly said a few minutes ago, young men are young men."

"I said they ought not to be."

"But they are," said the king, "that's what the patriarch cannot be got to see, but I am sure I can rely on you to put the thing before him in the proper light. After all, Miss Temple is a long way off. It isn't as if she was in the least likely to turn up in Lystria."

"I fear that I can scarcely undertake—"

Janet was softened, perhaps for the first time in her life. If it had not been for the wine, the good food, and the king's charming manners, she would no doubt have replied to him much more blankly than she did. She might even have spoken fiercely.

"I fear," she said, "I cannot undertake to persuade the patriarch that Miss Temple doesn't exist."

"Well, perhaps not," said the king. "After all, the patriarch is a very difficult man to persuade. I never could do it. I dare say it will really be better if he doesn't hear about Miss Temple at all. And he never will if Calypso doesn't tell him."

"I shall not consider it my duty to tell him," said Janet. "My business with him—"

"Is world unity through peaceful Christian churches."

"World peace," said Janet, "through the Unity of Christian Churches."

"Quite so," said the king, "and even if it had been World Churches Through the Unity of Christian Peace, it would still be far more important than our little affairs. Still, if you persuade Calypso not to tell the patriarch—"

If Casimir had been there he might have said that the king, like poor old Lear's worst daughter, gave "sweet oeillades and most speaking glances" to Janet. I doubt very much whether any one had ever made eyes at her before. The treatment had a certain effect.

"I shall not," said Janet, "advise that the patriarch be told."

I dare say Janet's conscience was gnawing her a little. She had drunk a glass and a half of Burgundy and the king was putting a liqueur glass full of cognac beside her coffee. That was enough to make her uneasy. She had promised to conceal, or help in concealing a scandal. I suppose she had never before in her whole life agreed to do such a thing, and no doubt the thought of it was unpleasant. By way of compounding with her conscience and so quieting it, she made up her mind to say something really nasty about Tommy.

"Are you aware," she said, "that the young man about whom we have been speaking is not what he pretends to be?"

"He pretends to be a curate?" said the king.

"Exactly, and I'm perfectly certain he's nothing of the sort."

"I thought not," said the king. "I thought not. I'm glad you've confirmed my suspicion."

"I've known many curates," said Janet, "perhaps hundreds of them, and I've never known one yet who behaved as this one does. He drinks cocktails in the morning and goes to the Mascotte in the evenings."

"The patriarch wouldn't dream of doing such things," said the king.

"Which makes me certain that he's not a curate or indeed a clergyman at all."

"That," said the king, "is more the sort of way a young man like Lord Norheys might behave."

"Very possibly. I don't know Lord Norheys."

"At the same time," said the king, "it is not our business to expose the unfortunate young man. Deplorable as his conduct it, I don't see that we need warn the patriarch against him."

"For the sake of the reputation of the Church of England," said Janet, "I feel that I ought to make it clear that he is not one of our clergy."

"If he does anything scandalous while he is in Lystria," said the king, "kisses a housemaid, or anything like that, of course you'll have to tell the patriarch and Calypso too, that he isn't a clergyman. You'd be bound to do that for the sake of the Church of England. But if he behaves with ordinary decorum— After all, he may have good reasons for pretending to be a clergyman. I'm pretending to be a head waiter in order to earn my living. There's nothing really wicked about that. I don't see that either you or I are bound to tell the patriarch that he's not a curate."

"So long as you know the facts I don't see that it's anybody else's business."

"And I do know them thoroughly."

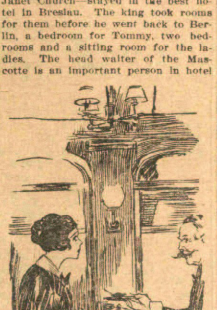
"I felt bound to tell you," said Janet, "but I don't see that I need tell anyone else."

"Thanks," said the king.

Part III.—Lystria

CHAPTER XIV

It took Casimir two days to complete his arrangement for the reception of the princess at the schloss. The little party—Tommy, the princess and Janet Church—stayed in the best hotel in Breslau. The king took rooms for them before he went back to Berlin, a bedroom for Tommy, two bedrooms and a sitting room for the ladies. The head waiter of the Mascotte is an important person in hotel keeping and restaurant circles in Germany. Tommy's party was treated with the greatest courtesy and consideration.



"He Pretends to Be a Curate," Said the King.

But the two days in Breslau were not very pleasant for Tommy. He saw but little of the princess, and he never saw her alone. They met at meals; but Janet Church was always there. Afterward the princess and Janet either retired to their own sitting room, or took a walk without asking Tommy to go with them. He got no chance of explaining himself to the princess or trying to convince her that he knew nothing of Miss Temple. This worried him. On the other hand, the princess' manner became gradually more and more agreeable. The extreme hostility with which she had greeted him in the Mascotte and afterward in the train gave way to ordinary politeness and at last to friendliness.

Janet, of course, was with the princess all day and talked to her incessantly, almost always about world peace and the Unity of Christian Churches. This would have inclined any girl to feel kindly toward a young man, even if he were the callous breaker of another girl's heart. And Calypso came to be doubtful whether Tommy had really broken Miss Temple's heart. Janet, when her mind could be diverted from the Union of Churches, dropped hints about Tommy which set Calypso wondering. She said, for instance, that Tommy was not the man he professed to be. So far as Calypso knew, Tommy professed to be Lord Norheys, and the thought that he might be somebody else gave her a queer little thrill of pleasure. If he were not Lord Norheys, then he was not bound in honor to marry Miss Temple.

She began to look at Tommy with interest, at first as a man whom it might be her duty to marry, later on as a man whom she might be content to marry even if it were not her duty. Her view of Miss Temple changed in an odd way. It occurred to her as possible that this London dancer might be one of those wicked women who lure young men into entanglements and then hold them to their half-made promises. She came by degrees to think of Miss Temple as a nuisance, some one who had no right to be there at all, certainly no right to interfere with Lord Norheys' life.

Tommy could not fail to observe the change in Calypso's manner, and the thought that her feelings toward him were becoming more friendly filled him with a determination to go through with his adventure whatever happened.

There were difficulties. One, trifling in itself, but singularly embarrassing, met him almost at once.

On the evening of his arrival, while he was smoking a pipe before going to bed, Tommy was greeted by a cheerful, intelligent looking young Englishman.

"Excuse me, sir, but aren't you Colonel Heard?"

Tommy was not Colonel Heard any more than he was Lord Norheys; but he knew he had Colonel Heard's passport in his pocket and his party were entered in the hotel register as Colonel and Mrs. Heard and Miss Gisborne. The king had done that for them before he went back to Berlin.

"My name," said the stranger, "is Allen. I don't think we've ever met."

"Never," said Tommy firmly, thankful that Allen was not one of Colonel Heard's oldest friends.

"But when I saw your name in the hotel register," said Allen, "I thought I'd introduce myself. I'm doing Reparations, you know."

He gave that piece of information as if it formed some excuse for having seen Colonel Heard's name in the register book. Perhaps it was an excuse. Any one concerned with Reparations is bound to be filled with curiosity and ought to investigate everything he comes across. How else is he to know whether the conquered nations can or cannot pay the fines imposed on them?

"I hope," Allen went on, "that you'll introduce me to Mrs. Heard. I'd like to tell my sister that I've met her."

Tommy could not do anything else but promise to introduce Allen to Mrs. Heard next morning. But he could not help wondering which of his two ladies were the better suited for the part. Janet Church was almost the age that colonels' wives generally are. But Tommy knew that he himself looked absurdly young. There cannot be many instances of colonels of twenty-six years old married to ladies of fifty-two, and Janet looked every day of her age. On the other hand one of his two ladies had to pose as the secretary of the Graves Registration commission. Calypso did not look like a secretary and it would be difficult to convince any one that she was chiefly occupied with graves. Janet, with her face and figure looked exactly like a lady who spent her time in typing letters about tombstones. Tommy made up his mind that Calypso must be Mrs. Heard.

"I want to thank Mrs. Heard," said Allen, "for all her kindnesses to my sister in 1915. She was like a mother to the girls in that canteen, and she kept a tight hand over them, too. Quite right. They needed it."

The date gave Tommy a shock. In 1915 Calypso was at the utmost fourteen years of age and could not possibly have kept a tight hand over any one, except perhaps the inhabitants of a dolls' house. Tommy altered his plan. Janet would have to be Mrs. Heard. But he was by no means certain of how Janet would like that. She had already accepted the position of his aunt, and it is distinctly laid down in the Prayer Book that an aunt may not marry her nephew. Janet, with her strong ecclesiastical instincts might very well object to committing herself to a breach of the marriage laws of the Church.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Do Not Force Plants

If a plant has been growing thriftily for some time and then begins to go back it probably needs a rest, and no amount of forcing will do any permanent good. During the resting period a plant is better if left entirely alone in a dry, cool cellar. It will of its own accord and without any attention of any kind begin to put out new green shoots. When these new shoots show themselves the plant should be given a thorough watering, a repotting if necessary, and brought up into its place in the sun. After it is growing well it may be given fertilizer.

Scriptures Say Little of the Barber's Art

The word barber is only once mentioned in the Scriptures, namely, in Ezekiel 5:1, which reads: "And thou, son of man, take thee a sharp knife, take thee a barber's razor, and cause it to pass upon thine head and upon thy beard. . . ."

Although barbers are not expressly mentioned, yet from the constant mention of shaving and the incident of Delilah sending for a man to shave Samson there can be no doubts that his class existed among the ancients. The Hebrews were particularly careful of their head and beard, and all seem to have applied the razor except the Nazarites, who were untouched by it from their birth. The Egyptian barbers were called khak or shavers, and they are represented at work in a tomb of Beni-Hassan, of the Twelfth dynasty, holding their razors in the hand, which have a short cylindrical handle, with a broad, flat blade of bronze on a line with the axis of the handle.

Polish Auto Trade Hit

Winters in Poland are so severe that the automobile trade is almost paralyzed.

FARM POULTRY

ERADICATE MITES TO SAVE POULTRY

There are few poultry producers who do not know of the ravages caused by the common chicken mite. It is very common in all parts of the country and while it is more prevalent in mid-summer it is well to eradicate it from the chicken houses before the young chickens arrive in the spring.

The removal of all interior fixtures and a thorough disinfection with a strong dip applied with a force pump is recommended by the Kansas experiment station. They state:

All rubbish should be removed and burned. Care must be taken to get the spray into all crevices. Kerosene emulsion, crude petroleum, and wood preservatives may be used for spraying, followed by whitewash. Whitewash aids mechanically by helping to fill up many crevices. Spraying should be repeated after a week in order to get any mites that may escape. Roosts should be painted frequently with wood preservative or crude petroleum. A treatment of the roosts, nests, boxes, etc., each spring with undiluted crude carbolic acid or sheep dip is usually sufficient to reduce the action of the mites to a minimum. The fact should be kept in mind that mites are blood-sucking parasites and do not remain on the birds as do lice. Mites are more harmful to poultry than lice and in treatment it is necessary to treat the house and not the bird, as is the case of lice.

The construction of roosts and nesting places so as to reduce hiding places to a minimum is an excellent control measure.

If new birds are brought to the farm, or birds to new quarters, they should be isolated for a few days in a pen separate from the permanent quarters so that all of the mites will leave them, thus preventing the infestation of new quarters. If birds are moved in the daytime mites will not be carried on them.

Poultrymen Use Greens in Greater Quantities

New Jersey poultrymen are finding that for greatest success plans should be made to supply poultry with an abundance of greens. They find that vegetation usually becomes tough and coarse in the summer and free range conditions do not provide the proper type of green food for poultry.

To offset this the principal crops sown in yards or on range are oats, rape and alfalfa. An alfalfa sod makes an ideal range because of the new growth constantly coming out. Rape also makes a new growth as the old is eaten off. It produces dark yellow yolks, however, and must be avoided if light yolks are desired. Oats make a very good crop for a few weeks. They should be planted in small quantities, because if not consumed while young they soon become too large and coarse.

In addition to range crops, cabbage, kale and swiss chard are often grown in a side field and fed to the birds. Kale has proved particluarly well suited for summer feeding as it continually sends out new shoots after being cut. Cabbage makes a fine feed for late summer and fall.

Regardless of the kind of succulent feed used, successful poultrymen aim to provide six to eight pounds daily per 100 birds. When fed the first thing in the morning or the last thing at night, the green feed does not interfere with consumption of other feeds, and egg production is improved by its use.

Poultry Facts

A Leghorn cockerel may become a rooster, but never a roaster.

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Painting the roosts and nests with a good preservative or creosote is insurance against mites.

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It is a good rule never to let a sick chicken die on the premises. It should be killed before it reaches that stage.

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If you are expecting to get the best results from your poultry flock, feed a balanced ration and do not overfeed.

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The ancient buncombe about hens getting too fat to lay is still widely credited when, as a matter of fact, no hen except a fat hen can lay.

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A full feed early in the day tends to make the hens listless, while a small feed encourages them to take the exercise which they need in order to keep in the best of health.

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A hoe with 15 or 18-inch blade is very satisfactory for scraping the dropping boards, and if used regularly once a week or oftener, will assist materially in maintaining the health of the flock.

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A good scratch grain ration consists of equal parts of cracked corn and whole wheat. Feed a little of the grain in the morning to make the flock exercise and give all they will clean up at night in fifteen or twenty minutes.

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Don't abuse the hen because she wants to set. Instead, put her in a slatted coop, feed her well and give plenty of water. Generally she will be ready to get back to laying in two or three weeks.

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Farmers who have been convinced of the true value of a good sire in the breeding of live stock also have begun to find it pays to have a good rooster in the flock of chickens. It is necessary to get new blood at least every two years.

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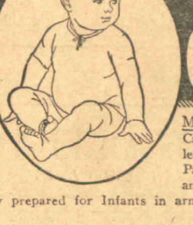
Denver, Colorado. — "I was very despondent, blue and sad all the time, which is worse than real pain, and extremely nervous, with no appetite. I was this way for about two years and thought no one cared for me. My mother had had the same trouble and had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for it. I tried everything else, then I began to take it. I soon had a better appetite and restored mental condition. I moved to a bright, sunny house, began calling on different people, and changed many other things. I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash for my female weakness. With the aid of your medicines I am now a fairly healthy, happy and contented woman. I've used the Vegetable Compound at different times and will say it always helps me over the bad spells that come to every woman past 40 years."—Mrs. HELEN FINE, 35 South Washington Street, Denver, Colorado.

"Sense of touch" is knowing just whom to strike for a loan.

A decent boldness ever meets with friends.—Homer.



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Sympathy without help is like mustard without meat.

In bed four months ... now a well man

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*Authentic statement. Address on request.

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Mrs. Luella Helmick, Mable Goodacre, Mrs. Lew Barber and Mrs. Inez Alpaugh attended the County Maccabee Convention at Litchfield on Friday where Mrs. Helmick was on the program. The next convention will be held at North Adams the first week in December.

CATARRH

Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.
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Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So hereafter the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25. Please bear in mind this is final and cancel all other announcements. To those who subscribe for McCall's let us say don't be alarmed it it takes a couple of weeks to get the ceive McCall's the next day don't get nervous. It'll come in due time. magazine coming. Of late the publishers assure us the volume of business coming in requires time to straighten out,

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George B. Smith will call at your farm on request to the editor of the Advocate.

Now is the Time to Do Your
Fall Fencing
We have a complete stock of
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Don't Wait Until
the Fire
Fiend is
upon you!

Many a man has lost his all by putting off until tomorrow what should be done to-day.

CORRESPONDENCE

Jonesville

Mrs. F. C. Bilton entertained the Mothers Club Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Charles Tiffany is visiting Maurice Pierce and wife in Plymouth.

Helen McKercher left last week for Yale, Michigan where she will teach this year.

J. Hamilton, wife and son of Detroit spent the week at the home of Mrs. Benner here.

Clayton Bowersox and family have moved into the Cyrus Jackson place on Wright street.

George McKercher and wife were in Ypsilanti last week to visit their daughter Mrs. Ray Pierce.

Harry Tucker, wife and son Ted were here last week to visit his mother Mrs. Mary Tucker.

Dr. and Mrs. Dupont of Detroit were visitors over the week end of their mother Mrs. Burnett.

Wm M. Fogg and wife and R. D. Fogg were guests last week at the Milo Tabor home in Ann Arbor.

Dewitt Dudley and wife were away on a motor trip through the northern part of Michigan last week

Miss Adrianne Wood will leave this week for Fort Wayne, where she will attend school the coming year.

Henry T. Carr who has been confined to the house by illness for three weeks was able to be down town Wednesday.

The Presbyterian Thimble will be held this Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harriet Carr West Chicago street.

Mrs. Ida Hawkins and son Oliver and Roger Hawkins and wife of Detroit were week end guests at the Victor Hawkins home on West street.

Married on September 9, 1925 at the Methodist parsonage, Miss Merle Huber of this place and Alton Davis of Reading. Rev. Ira T. Weldon officiating.

The Annual Chicken Pie supper of the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will be Nov. 6 in the church parlors. The Bazaar will be held December 11 and 12 at the same place.

The 77 birthday of Mrs. Emma Monsell was celebrated last Monday at her home on Wright street. A potluck supper was enjoyed by 20 ladies. Mrs. Vaughn of Coldwater was an out of town guest.

Jerome

Ora Potter was in Hillsdale Tuesday.

Mrs. Cash Sawdey was in Jackson Wednesday.

Jack Anderson and Wm Swick of Tecumseh called on T. J. Lane and Mrs. Morris Monday.

J. E. Lane and family of Hillsdale have been visitors at the homes of Frank Bryant and Thomas Lane.

Glenn Marriott and family of Osseo have moved to the Mrs. Than Linsday place on the turnpike

Claude Seeley and wife and Gerald Seeley and wife of Cleveland have been visiting Ralph Seeley's and L. D. Walworth's.

A few years ago the University of Idaho had a president named Brannon who happened to be a person with high ideals. The mining kings of the State who bossed the University fired Brannon because they didn't like his ideals but the people of Idaho demanded that he should be re-instaled and the mining kings obeyed. Later they fired Brannon a second time so Brannon went to Wisconsin where he became president of Beloit college. All went well until Brannon started plans to build dwelling houses to be sold at cost to working men and then the financial interests of Beloit brought pressure to bear upon several merchants who were backing Brannon's plans and as the result of the pressure the working men's homes were never built. Money is power at Beloit.

Due to the bad weather Saturday the Homecoming was not as well attended as would have been the case had the weather been otherwise. The program however, was carried through as planned, dinner being served at the Oddfellow Hall after which those present went to the church where they listened to a program composed of music by the band under direction of I. W. Wertenberger, solo by H. A. Voorhees, dialog by May Anson and Mrs. M. Morehead and a speech by William Alley. Officers were chosen as follows: Pres. Wm Alley, vice pres., Jay Chandler, sec. I. W. Wertenberger, treas. Mrs. C. W. McGregor. The Boy Scouts lost a basket ball game to the High school girls 8 to 10. While the Jackson Sun Dodgers lost the baseball game to Somerset 8 to 14. Those who were on the committees this year were Mrs. Otto Miller, Mrs. I. W. Wertenberger, Mrs. C. W. McGregor, Mrs. Cash Sawdey and Jay Pullen.

West Hoxie

(Too late for last week)

Howard Wells filled his silo this week.

Thomas Wilby and wife from North Manchester Ohio, spent Labor Day at the John Kiel and Ellsworth Sprague home.

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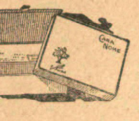

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Mrs. Sprague entertained company from Paulding Ohio.

Burl Shambaugh and wife spent Thursday in Hillsdale on business.

Mrs. Ida Church is staying at the Howard Wells home this week.

Roy Householder spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives at Reading.

Jay Hayhoe who fractured his arm sometime ago is able to resume his work again.

Ruth Irene is the name of the new daughter at the Howard Wells home. Congratulations.

Mrs. Mable Purcell is able to be up again after a week's illness with asthma and hay fever.

Frank Shambaugh and family and an aunt and niece of Fort Wayne Ind. spent Labor day with Burl Shambaugh and family.

Ervin and Don Sprague returned to Tontogany Ohio after spending two weeks at the home of their grandparents Ellsworth Sprague and wife.

Iris Sutton and children, William Bloemker and wife attended the Craig reunion at Huntington Ind. Relatives were present from Canada Monteray, Wabash, Chicago and Kansas City. The next reunion will be held at the same place and same date.

west hoxie

Don Sutton is on the sick list this week.

Roy Householder spent Sunday at the Bloemker home.

Mrs. Sprague will entertain the Larkin Club in the near future.

Lillian Pendell spent Thursday evening at the home of her parents.

Burl Shambaugh and wife were in Hillsdale on business Thursday.

Emma Relyea of North Adams spent last week at the home of her brother Edgar Purcell.

Charles McCurry and family of Bowling Green Ohio spent Labor day at the Ellsworth Sprague home.

Jay Hayhoe is working for the Consumers construction gang they are working near North Adams.

Wilbur Sprague and Gwendolyn McLaughlin of Detroit spent the week end at the Sprague home.

Willard Purchase and family and Mrs. Sarah VanAllen of Grand Rapids, uncle and aunt of Mrs. Mable Purcell spent Saturday and Sunday at the Purcell home. Mrs. VanAllen is staying for an indefinite time.

Local News

—This office is supplied with carbon paper 8½ x 12 at 5 cents per sheet.

The Sorosis Club will hold the first meeting of the new year Tuesday, Sept. 22, at the home of Mable Pursell.

The Hoxie Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Lemual Roberts Thursday, September 24th. Pot-luck supper.

The S. P. I. Class party will be held at the home of Pauline Gray Friday, September 25th. Everyone bring dishes.

Miss Marian Johnson of Hillsdale spent Thursday and Friday with her cousin Mrs. Otto Gray, and rendered several piano selections at the W. C. T. U. which was much enjoyed by 11 members and six visitors.

For Sale—Late model Chevrolet Touring Car in excellent condition. Balloon tires, spotlight, and many extras. A real buy at $275.00. Also fine violin with bow and instruction book. F. W. Rock 16t1

Jurors drawn in Hillsdale for the October term of court are as follows Adams, Frank Caskey; Moscow, Fred Carpenter; Wheatland, Leon Iveson; Somerset, Stanley Murray; Pittsford, Otto Travis. One woman Catherine Smith will also serve on the jury.

Mrs. George Melvin of Hillsdale committed suicide on Saturday by inhaling gas from the jet in her home. She has been in rather poor health for some time and had become despondent. She was past 72 years of age and lost her husband sometime ago.

Chemists in France have discovered a new form of glass which has all the advantages of real glass with none of its faults. It is manufactured from synthetic rosins and is if anything, more colorless and transparent than real glass. It will not splinter when broken, and will not cut so seriously, therefore it is the ideal material for windshields. It is very strong and will bend and stand hammering without breaking will take a high polish and can be turned on a lath the same as ivory.

On Monday the voters of Jonesville granted permission to the village council to sell the village lighting and water works plant to the Southern Michigan Light and Power Co. and also a lease to operate the same for twenty years beginning January 1, 1926. The plant has been a sort of white elephant to the village ever since it was built and cost considerable more than it produced to run. The Jonesvillians think they will thus reduce taxes by $3,000 and buy their current much cheaper. Manchester and Reading have done the same thing and it is probably only a matter of a few years when all the municipal plants in this state will be owned by the big power companies. In some cases it will be a God-sent blessing in others no doubt a curse. The day is coming when the electric octopus will look vastly bigger and uglier than the Standard Oil monster does now, but of course you can't make these skeptics believe it. Their only way of learning will be by bitter experience. It is paramount that they get good electrical service, but they will find it will have to cost. The present coal monoply ought to be a good illustration.

Mud Lake School Notes

The pupils are busy getting ready an exhibit for the Fair.

The following have visited school Marian Dietz, Leona Powderly, Lucille Foust and Miss Hayhoe.

Ovanda Greenfield was absent from school on Wednesday. This is the first absence for the term.

School opened August 31, with an enrollment of eight—four girls and four boys. We have no 1st and 4th grades.

The school has enjoyed three watermelon feasts. The melons for the first feed were furnished by Loceal Shull, Mildred and Merle Coryell. Loceal Shull brought those for the last two feeds.

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ADRIAN, MICHIGAN
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Hillsdale County
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Sept. 28 | The 75th | Oct. 3
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Enjoy 6 Days at a Real Agricultural Fair. It is your Fair—It is Everybody's Fair

It is where you see the best that Hillsdale County and neighboring localities are producing.

The Merchants, Automobile Dealers and Farm Machinery agents are preparing new and valuable displays for your benefit. See what your children and your County Teachers are doing in the schools. Visit the Educational Building.

Go to the Grange and Gleaners Hall.

Hear a program in the newly-re-finished and attractive Woman's Congress Building.

Entertain yourself on the
Midway, Base ball Game, or Horse Races

See the Horse Shoe Pitching Contests, the Boys' and Girls, Stock Judging Contest and the Cavalcade.

Don't miss the MULE RACE and PONY RACE.

These are only a few of the many things planned for your profit and amusement.

LOOK AROUND—You will find something new all the time!

Base Ball Schedule
Wednesday—Litchfield vs. Quincy
Friday—HORTON vs. ALBION
Saturday—TWO WINNERS

RACE PROGRAM

Wednesday, Sept 30		Thursday, Oct. 1	
2:22 Trot	$350.00	2;18 Pace	$350.00
2:27 Pace	350.00	2:12 Pace	350.00
2:30 Trot	350.00	2:16 Trot	350.00
Friday, October 2		Saturday, October 3	
2:22 Pace	$350.00	2:20 Pace	$350.00
2:24 Trot	350.00	2;14 Trot	350.00
2:20 Trot	350.00	2:14 Pace	350.00

ADMISSION 40c

Advocate and McCall's Both $2.25

AUCTION BILLS
Printed at this Office while you wait

It is quite important that people coming to North Adams from a distance to get Auction Bills should be able to get the work at once and take it away with them. This is what we aim to do, and if you will call the Advocate on the telephone we can so arrange the matter. You furnish the copy we do the rest. Bills are necessary for stores.

Syrup Labels and Stationery, Ballots and township orders

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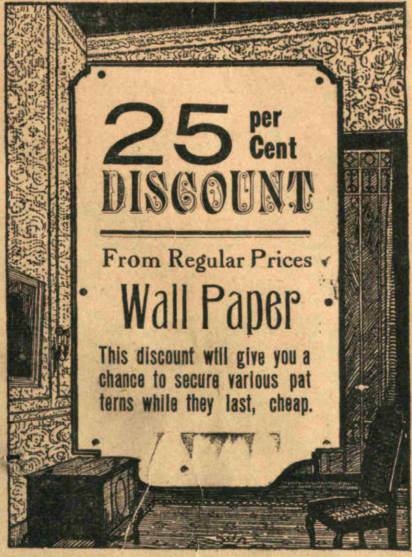

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Wall Paper

This discount will give you a chance to secure various patterns while they last, cheap.

See these patterns To-day

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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

Mrs. Etta Pray was in Jonesville over the week-end.

Roy Johnston of Cement City was home over Sunday.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comtortable glasses. 24

Max Fitzgerald and family of Adrian spent Sunday in this village

Miss Ruth Williams went to Ypsilanti on Monday to attend Normal school.

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Miss Sarah Frederick, a teacher in the Davison schools, was home over Sunday.

Cottage prayer meeting will occur at the home of Henry Comley next Tuesday evening, Sept. 29th.

Mrs. H. W. Helmick spent Wednesday in Hillsdale attending the Woman"s Relief Corps meeting.

Mrs. Cecil Waite and daughter, Marian of Hanover, were week-end guests at the R. C. Young home.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Stoner of Adrian spent Friday at the home of her parents, C. J. Knapp and wife.

Miss Frances Young left on Tuesday for Ypsilanti to attend Normal College. Her father carried her by auto.

C, J. Knapp and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. W. M. Stoner on Wednesday and attended the Adrian Fair.

If you must have a traveling bag Payne & Green can fix you out in good shape with a solid leather bag for $6.50. See ad.

Miss Donna Lynch who teaches in Detroit, and J. W. Lynch who is attending business college, were home over Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Hutton and family removed this week to Lansing, Rev. Wylie of Montgomery is moving into the Methodist parsonage.

J. C. Oberlander, who has been a resident of this village for one and a half years, expects to remove to Illinois soon, the former home of his wife.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association is scheduled for Thursday afternoon Oct. 1st, in the office of the association at Lansing.

Rochester Clothing Company at Hillsdale calls your attention on our back page to bargain suits with an extra pair of pants $18.00. Shirts at 98c and Hats at $2.70. The old reliable where you have always traded.

A. J. Calhoun of this village who is general agent for the Dayton Computing Scale Co., will have a special booth at the Fair in Floral Hall where he will demonstrate the company's products, such as meat slicers, computing scales, etc.

Before you enter the fall season your battery needs attention or you need a new one. Simpson & Simpson, Hillsdale, Jonesville and Litchfield, are battery experts and can put your battery in shape or sell you a cord tire for $10.00.

Mrs. Clara Culver and daughter Percibelle, of Jarkson, were week-end guests of Mrs. Culver's parents E. S. Knowles and wife. Misses Dorothy and Kathryn Young of Jackson were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Knowles.

Claude VanWert motored to New London, Ohio, last week to visit his mother who is in rather poor health Henry Comley and daughter Edith, accompanied him as far as Norwalk where they visited George Myers and family, returning the first of the week.

George Burr Smith has accepted an invitation to preside at a debate to be held Saturday evening at the Jerome Methodist church. The subject will be political and involves questions of National and International importance, and concerns the future of civilization. A large turn out is expected.

Last meeting of the Sorosis Club was held with Mrs. Mabel Purcell Tuesday, Sept. 22 with a good attendance. Roll Call "Reports of Michigan" paper, "History of Michigan" Myra Beecher; paper, "Michigan Musical Cosposers—their Compositions and Addresses" Mrs. Hilda Schilling; song "Michigan, My Michigan" Club. The next meeting will be held the fourth Tuesday in October.

At the home of Jack Wertz the Sophomores gave a reception to the Freshmen of the High School on Friday evening, Sept. 18th. About 75 were present and refreshment was served. Games and amusements occupied the evening together with the usual class scrap. It is reported that some real tussles by the boys caused considerable soreness but it is hoped no one was seriously offended. The faculty were invited.

Wanted—Five or six hogs weight 100 to 150 pounds. F. W. Rock. 16t3

Burr Hewitt and family of Addison spent Saturday evening with his mother Mrs. Della Gillett.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Wyman Stott Friday September 25th with potluck dinner and potluck program. 16t2

Crater & Edinger report a constantly increasing business in eggs and poultry. Their routes reach out as far as Union City and Marshall.

Miss Margray Hayhoe is attending school at the Ypsilanti Normal. Three young ladies from here Misses Young, Hayhoe and Williams are rooming on the second floor of a residence.

Work on the Baptist church in this village is somewhat delayed on account of changing the plans. Investigation showed that the interior walls had been painted, therefore it was decided to re-paint instead of kalsomining.

John Williams is now featuring one of the niftiest outfits in the line of heaters we have ever seen in the shape of a stove furnace with a heat jacket. They are beautifully finished in either grained walnut, porcelain or black enamel and will add to the appearance of any home.

Miss Margray Hayhoe will specialize in Rural Pedagogy at the State Normal school at Ypsilanti, having been one of the twenty-five chosen to join the Leadership group This group will prepare to meet the increasing demand for County Normal instructors and Rural School Supervisors.

Notice To Farmers

We would like to have all who are interested in protecting their farms from trespassers and hunters meet at Community Hall Saturday evening at 7:30, as we have a plan whereby you can shut it off. There is considerable complaint from this source. C. J. Alpaugh, Deputy 17t1

The Popular Fair of Southern Michigan

Hillsdale County Fair, coming as it does at the end of the season, seems to still hold its reputation as the biggest and cleanest of all. Family reunions and meets with long ago friends are always planned for the big day of the Fair, and this year will likely be no exception to the rule. Load up your old lunch basket, fill up the icy hot bottle and crank up "Lizzie." We presume it will be the last event of the summer season, and you should put in the whole day. We hope the weather will be propitious and reasonably warm, at any rate we don't want our home fair to fail. It never has Entries are coming in very fast and if you intend exhibiting anything, see that your application is sent to the secretary this week. He is the hardest worked man in the organization and you must not block his game by being late. He has literally thousands to deal with and all his work must be correct. All aboard for Hillsdale!

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Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

Morning worship at 10:30.
Sunday school convenes at 11:45.
Everyone is urged to be present at all services.

NOTICE! Sunday evening October 4th at 7:30, the Congregational Church will present "The Stream Of Life". You all know what this picture is, so help us fill the church.

—Weaving wanted. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call Phone 206 17t6 Mrs. Levi Rogers

—Onions for sale at $1.00 per bu Phone Arthur Stevens, North Adams. 17t3

For Sale—Evergreen w Seet Corn in quantities for drying purposes. Earl Selig Inquire at Wertz store 15t3

For Sale—Collie Pups. Phone Pat McMahon, Hanover, or R. F. D. Moscow. 15t3

For Sale—Two two seated open buggies and small quantity of black walnut lumber. Phone 54. North Adams. E. S. Knowles. 15t3

For Sale—Used furnace, wood heating stove, concession tent 12 x 16 feet, China and 2 Kitchen Cupboards, Writing Desk. F. Keefer 16t3

—My Shoe and Harness Repair Shop next door west of Dietz' Restaurant is open for business. All work guaranteed. I. N. Starr 17t3

To Our Correspondents

You know next week is the date for "The Most Popular Fair on Earth" and in line with our usual custom the force wants to attend, so it will be necessary for you to get your correspondence in not later than Tuesday noon. This will allow us to get the paper in shape to mail out as usual Friday morning without working Thursday.

Happy Couple Wedded In Wheatland

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dillon of Wheatland township was the scene of a pretty home wedding Saturday at noon when their daughter, Ellen Marie, became the bride of Walter VanCamp of Jackson.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dewitt McLouth of Addison in the presence of the immediate families of the bride and groom. Miss Alice Dillon was her sister's honor maid and Leland VanCamp was best man. After the ceremony the wedding dinner was served and the couple left on a trip to Niagara Falls.

Both parties are graduates of the Addison High school. They will reside in Jackson.

The bride was! formerly a resident of this village her father, Harry Dillon; having been proprietor of the meat market.

Road Building Goes Right On

Contractor Hoffman who has been on road contracts in Kentucky for the past summer will enter into contracts for road work in Florida this winter, as it is impossible to keep going the year through in Kentucky on account of cold weather. In "Old Kaintuck" he still has 20 miles of new construction along the bluffs of the Ohio River where the scenery is very picturesque with the stream in view for many miles as it winds in and out. Mr. Hoffman states that good gravel is scarce in Kentucky and he has often found it necessary to ship large quantities of gravel one hundred miles which makes it quite expensive. Good white labor can be obtained for $2 per day, and he will take men from here to operate his machinery and depend on local labor for the rest. He says a number of roads are to be contracted in and about Okechobee Swamp in Southern Florida where mosquitos are so large and fierce, it is difficult to work, but the material used is easy to obtain, being a soft limestone rock which is crushed and quickly amalgamates to form solid pavement under sun, water and oil treatment given it, but is not durable as our highways and it would not stand up under heavy traffic, though it does very well for passenger cars.

The state of Florida is specializing in road work in an effort to attract tourists and often hits off as much mileage in one contract as Michigan would build in one year, so it is paramount the contractor should get on the scene early. Considerable marl is used in the road work, and the city of St-Petersburg near Tampa is expecting to build a good stretch of highway this winter

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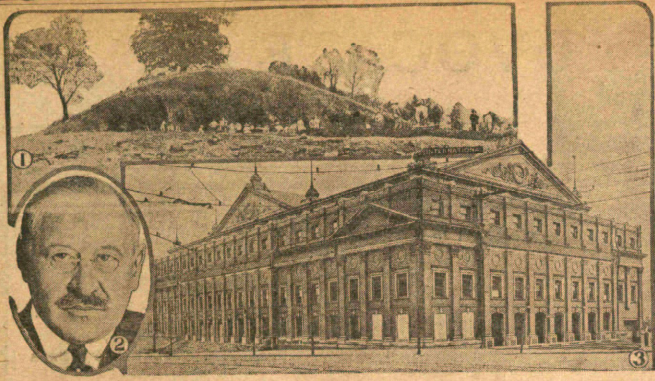

1—West end of the Pricer mound at Bainbridge, Ohio, where excavators are finding great stores of treasures of prehistoric Americans. 2—Julius Rosenwald, Chicago philanthropist, who has pledged $1,000,000 to fund for relief of Jews in other countries. 3—Omaha Municipal Auditorium in which the American Legion's national convention will meet October 5.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Hylan's Defeat in New York Gives Smith Dominating Position in Party.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

NEW YORK CITY'S political battle of last week, which was nationally interesting and in a way nationally important, resulted as the political wiseacres predicted—in the defeat of Mayor Hylan by State Senator Jimmie Walker for the Democratic mayoral nomination. That was the concrete result but as everyone knows, it meant that Gov. Al Smith, who led the anti-Hylan forces of Tammany, was still the dominant figure in the Democracy of the East and retained the chance of the Presidential nomination in 1928. It meant, too, another failure on the part of William Randolph Hearst to control Democratic politics in New York.

Anticipating the defeat of Hylan, the Hearst papers were ready with the announcement that there would be "a ticket independent of the Tammany hall street car owned Albany crowd" and assumed that it would be headed by Hylan. But the mayor killed all chance for a bolt by declaring for Walker. He said: "I am getting out of politics with a clean record. I have done my best." F. H. La Guardia, former Republican and now a Socialist, indicated his willingness to head a third party ticket but apparently Hearst did not think him big enough for the job. Therefore the mayoral election probably will be contested by only Walker and Frank D. Waterman, the millionaire fountain pen manufacturer whom the Republicans nominated. Waterman swamped his two rivals John J. Lyons and W. M. Bennett. The Hearst press classes him with Walker as a "traction man."

Al Smith's victory in this primary election means not only that he will have the backing of New York and other Atlantic states for the Democratic Presidential nomination, but also that if he wishes it he can have the Democratic nomination for senator from New York next year. If Walker is elected mayor, Smith will have more power than any person in the country except the President.

WISCONSIN Republicans, still faithful to the name and tradition of Robert M. La Follette, nominated the late senator's son, Robert M. Jr., to fill his father's seat in the senate. The young man piled up an impressive majority over the combined votes of his three rivals, Wilcox, Woodward and McGovern. Despite this his success at the special election on September 29 is not assured, for Roy Wilcox, backed by the anti-La Follette faction of the party, is out as an independent candidate, and there are others. The Democrats went to sleep and their only candidate, William George Bruce, failed to receive the required 5 per cent of the Democratic vote of last fall. He, too, however, is running as an independent. John M. Work is the Socialist nominee and George Bauman the Socialist-Labor candidate. Among other possible candidates are Arthur Barry, who favors light wines and beer, and E. F. Dithmar, former lieutenant governor.

"I GO with the hope that our transatlantic friends will have sufficiently big hearts and are good enough business men to accept an equitable settlement. Under these conditions I hope to succeed and I hope to give the United States an opportunity to prove the Anglo-Saxon spirit of fair play. I will not go to the United States to repeat the phrases which Americans have heard so often, 'France does not deny her debts.' I go to tell the Americans, 'France pays her debts.'"

With these optimistic words Joseph Caillaux, France's finance minister, started last week for Washington to arrange the debt settlement. With him comes a large delegation, including, besides experts, Senator Henri Berenger, Louis Dausset, Paul Dupuy, Marquis Chambrun and a few deputies. Full power to settle the debt question has been given M. Caillaux by President Painleve and the cabinet and their political fate rests on his success.

Coincident with the departure of the French mission, Senator Smoot of Utah, a member of the American debt funding commission and chairman of the senate finance committee, issued a statement in which he said: "The United States will settle with France without any reference whatever to the conference held between M. Caillaux and Mr. Churchill or any propaganda by either one or both of them. The United States has nothing to say about any political deals or understandings between European countries and does not propose to be drawn into them. M. Caillaux and his associates will be given every possible chance of presenting their side of the question. The United States commission will look after the interests of America."

At the same time Senator Borah of Idaho was conferring with President Coolidge on the debt question, and he indicated that any undue leniency given France would be opposed in congress.

Rumania will send a debt commission to Washington in October or November. M. Titelescu, minister to England, who probably will head it, says Rumania will pay honestly, according to her capacity. She owes America $45,000,000. England, France and Italy insist that she settle her debts to them also. Rumania has an offset claim amounting to some $70,000,000 for bullion and state jewels and art objects which, sent to Moscow in 1916 for safe keeping, were seized by the Bolsheviks. She also asks compensation for the dynamiting of her oil wells by allied engineers.

GERMANY has received the joint invitation of the allies to participate in the negotiations of the foreign ministers for the adoption of a European security treaty, which probably will begin early in October, and has been given assurance that Great Britain will insist on absolute equality of treatment for Germany at the conference. The draft of the proposed pact for western Europe is ready and it contains nothing that could be interpreted as placing Germany in the category of a vanquished nation. The treaties for Germany, Poland and Czechoslovakia may have to be shelved for a time, for they are more troublesome. The Poles and Czechs feel that they are being abandoned by France and are sore.

THERE were indications that the League of Nations assembly would dodge the embarrassing Mosul boundary question by referring it to the world court for settlement. The league does not wish to place itself in the position of having one of its members refuse to accept its decision, and that probably would happen if it decided against Turkey and in favor of the British contention. The Turks assert that they are not bound by their promise of last year to abide by the decision, because conditions have changed. It was proposed in the assembly to give the disputed territory to Great Britain on condition that it accepted a twenty-five-year mandate over Irak. The Turks maintain the league's duty is to draw the boundaries without conditions. President Mustapha Kemal apparently is prepared for armed action if the case goes against Turkey, for he has concentrated thousands of troops behind the disputed frontier; but the British authorities profess not to be worried over the danger of warfare.

CONSIDERABLE progress was made last week by the French and Spanish armies in their drive against the Riffians, but the natives were fighting hard in the central zone and renewed their attacks on Tetuan in the west. They may be able to hold out until the rainy season checks the operations of their foes. The main achievement of the French was the capture of El Bibane fortress, one of Krim's strongest positions. It was recovered by the Riffians momentarily but was retaken by the French after a furious assault in which the infantry were aided by 150 air bombers and many tanks.

DELEGATES to the twenty-third conference of the Interparliamentary union which opens in Washington October 1 are on their way from all parts of the world. But one gentleman who intended to be present and to do a lot of talking will not come. That is Shapurji Saklatvala, Communist member of the British house of commons. Last week Secretary of State Kellogg ordered revoked the passport visa already granted to the Red in London, explaining: "I do not believe in curbing free speech, nor do I believe in making this country the stamping ground for every revolutionary agitator of other countries." Mr. Kellogg quoted from recent utterances of Saklatvala from which it was concluded that he was coming to the United States especially to spread Communism. The action taken was contrary to the advice of Senator Borah who believed it would imply a greater restriction on free speech in America than in Great Britain, where Saklatvala has been permitted to say whatever he wished.

TWO investigations of aviation, one of the Shenandoah disaster and the other a general inquiry into the adequacy of American air power, are now under way. The former is being conducted by a board of naval officers; the latter by a special board named by President Coolidge, which incidentally, or perhaps especially, will determine the degree of truth or falsity in the charges that Colonel Mitchell has been making against the army and navy air service. Mr. Coolidge entertained the nine members of his board at luncheon Thursday and their procedure was mapped out. Though the President leaves it largely to the board to determine the scope of its inquiry, he let it be known that he thought the sessions should be public, except when the testimony might touch on confidential matters pertaining to the national defense.

THE Soviet government of Russia has a lot to answer for already, and now is accused of a plot to cause a decline in the price of wheat in the United States and Canada for the purpose of creating unrest among the farmers of America. Rumors of this were current among traders in Chicago and Winnipeg and became so definite that the grain futures administration of the Department of Agriculture started an investigation. Grain dealers have become suspicious that something is wrong with the news from Russia, especially the recent official report telling of the big wheat and rye crop and of shipments of 2,000,000 bushels of wheat from Black sea ports.

J. P. Griffin, a former president of the Chicago Board of Trade, said: "I think some wheat will be exported from Russian ports, but I believe most of the stories about Russia's fabulous surplus is propaganda. This Russian bugaboo has been exploited so much in recent years that one of our members here a few months ago truthfully described the situation thus: 'Russia is going to feed the world every summer, but before Christmas the world is feeding Russia.'"

"The continued offerings of Russian wheat for future shipment and the reported sales of such contracts to Italy and France are not convincing evidence of any purpose to deliver wheat on any important scale," said B. W. Shaw, former assistant secretary of agriculture. "It is said one term in the contracts requires payment of a substantial amount of money on the signing of the contract. This money is in the shape of a credit against which the Russian officials may draw for the purchase of goods. The fact that England has not bought such contracts is significant of doubt in the English mind as to their soundness."

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE JARDINE has put an end to the fight against merger of the Armour and Morris interests by dismissing the complaint which was instituted by the late Secretary Wallace in February, 1923. Mr. Jardine says the evidence shows the transaction was consummated in order to reduce expenses and to increase sales, and that neither monopoly nor price manipulation to the disadvantage of producer or consumer has occurred.

United States Motor Car Fatalities Lead

Cleveland.—America's death rate due to automobile accidents leads the world, being 14.8 fatalities for every 100,000 population, against 5.2 in England and Wales, 4.3 in Scotland, 4.6 in New Zealand and 3.6 in Canada during 1923.

Figures for 1924 show that for 158 American cities the automobile accident death rate was 19.4 per 100,000 population, causing not less than 17,400 deaths in automobile accidents, not counting accidents which involved railroad trains, or street cars, and automobiles.

The toll of human life taken by motor vehicles last year in this country was at the rate of more than two for every hour in the day. These statistics have been compiled by the national safety council for consideration at the fourteenth annual congress which is scheduled to open its sessions in this city on Monday, September 28.

M. O. Eldrige, director of traffic, Washington, D. C., will discuss "Traffic Control Systems"; Maj. Thomas H. Allen, commissioner of fire and police, Memphis, Tenn., "Pavement Markings"; F. F. Rogers, state highway commission, Lansing, Mich., "Safe Construction of Equipment of Highways"; H. W. Lueck, Chicago, "Nontraffic Street Hazards"; O. J. Brown, president of New York State Automobile association, "Why We Believe in a Driver's License Law."

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Hillsdale—At a special election held in Jonesville, voters cast an overwhelming majority granting a 20-year franchise to the Southern Michigan Light and Power Company to furnish light and power to that village.

Bay City—Paul Payne, 9-year-old son of Daniel J. Payne, of Hampton township, owes his life to the presence of mind of his younger brother, who pushed him into a cistern when his clothes caught fire following a gasoline explosion.

Marquette—Two guards on the wall of the State Branch Prison here prevented the escape of three prison inmates who attempted to gain their freedom in much the same manner that Eddie Weisman and three pals made their sensational getaway last June.

Battle Creek—Frank S. O'Grady, a gateman here for the Michigan Central railroad, lays modest claim to the smallest farm in the world. His ranch is about a yard square, and contains a corn crop of one six-foot stalk with a single ear on it. O'Grady says he hopes the ar is red.

Petoskey—One of the first steps in the general campaign to lengthen the summer tourist season in this region has been taken by the Pere Marquette railway in providing through Pullman service out of here until October 31. In other years the closing of the tourist season usually was set for late September.

Lansing—School children must be taught to walk on the left side of country roads and to look to both right and left before crossing every thoroughfare, Thomas E. Johnson, superintendent of public instruction, and Frank F. Rogers, State highway commissioner said in a joint letter to school teachers.

Cadillac—Potato prices are expected to be much higher this season, according to George Wager, sales manager of the Michigan Potato Growers' Exchange here. Home grown potatoes near the large markets are about exhausted, Mr. Wager said, and this will tend to hasten the demand for shipments.

Grand Rapids—William Koffman, Algoma township farmer, was just $25 poorer and considerably wiser when he lost his temper because his neighbor's cows ignored a fence and overran his crops. He maimed several of the cattle with buckshot from his shotgun. He pleaded guilty in Circuit Judge Perkins' court.

South Haven—The English ship, Erington Dunsford, loaded with clay, is due to arrive at this port October 5. Former shipments of clay for use by Kalamazoo paper mills have been docked at Michigan City, but through efforts of the Chamber of Commerce cargoes hereafter will be unloaded here. The Dunsford will be the first ocean-going vessel to dock at this port.

Muskegon—Muskegon has quit furnishing fire protection to North Muskegon and the suburb has purchased a new fire truck. The city hall was remodeled at considerattble expense to accommodate the truck. The truck arrived recently and the entire populace turned out to see the truck driven into its new home. Then it was discovered that the truck was so large it could not be put inside the city hall.

Owosso—The city commission will within a few weeks pass an ordinance putting into effect the zoning plan which has been prepared by Irving C. Root, Flint city planning expert. The decision was reached following a hearing in which virtually no changes were suggested. Under the plan the city will be divided into zones for one family and two-family dwellings, apartments, business houses and industrial plants.

Alma—Classes were put under way at Alma college with an enrollment in the four classes that is close to the 300 mark, and is approximately the same as attendance figures of a year ago. An exact check is not possible yet, but it is believed that the record of last year when over 62 per cent of the students enrolled were men, is even exceeded this year. It is a record that few co-educational institutions in the country show.

Lansing—The State government will proceed at once to purchase and condemn land necessary for a 200-foot right-of-way on Gratiot avenue, from Mt. Clemens to Eight-Mile road, a 200-foot right-of-way on Grand River avenue, from Redford west to the Farmington cut-off, and a 120-foot right-of-way on Grand River avenue, from the Farmington cut-off to the village of Farmington. Recommendations for these purchases have been approved by the state administrative board.

Lansing—The state public utilities commission has authorized the Ford-Hydro-Electric company to incorporate and do business in Michigan. The company, which is one of the Ford string of hydro-electric projects, has its headquarters in Wisconsin. The Michigan company is capitalized at $25,000, all of which is taken up by the Ford interests. A power plant is being developed on the Menominee river near Iron Mountain. Property owners in the vicinity of the project may protest the use and condemnation of flowage land.

Flint—Petitions demanding the recall of Mayor Judson L. Transue have been circulated among residents in the western part of Flint. Mayor Transue is accused of incompetency and indifference toward the public welfare. It is charged that he violated the state constituion by entering into a day-to-day agreemens with the D. U. R. permitting the railway company to charge a higher rate of street car fare than is provided in its original franchise and has shown partiality in granting city contracts to others than lowest bidders.

Lansing—Of the 197 applicants who took the bar examination, held Sept. 8, 9 and 10, 143 passed and were recommended for admission to the bar.

Lansing—The Detroit Edison Co. petioned the State Public Utilities Commission for permission to issue $6,738,350 worth of capital stock to retire outstanding bonds and finance improvements.

Escanaba—John Johnson, an immigrant, applied for American citizenship and was given his examination. "Of whom are you a subject and to whom do you renounce allegiance?" the examiner asked Johnson. "My wife." Johnson replied.

Dexter—William Stoffer, postmaster of this village, was instantaneously killed when his automobile stalled on the railroad tracks near the station and was struck by a freight train. Stoffer was about 30 years old and was a World War Veteran.

Marquette—In an effort to prevent further escapes from the State Branch Prison here, officials of the institution have employed Merritt B. Wilson, of Menominee, as rifle inspector in charge of the prison guards. Wilson, a former army lieutenant, will train the guards in the use of the rifle.

Bay City—James R. Davis, former head of Federal prohibition activities in Michigan, operated upon here a few days ago for chronic appendicitis and gall stones, is making a good recovery according to his physicians. It is believed he will be able to leave the hospital within the next few days.

Jackson—The old familiar clubs police officers here have carried on their beats for many years have been discarded. Officers now are equipped with blackjacks. It is the belief of Chief of Police Charles Phelps that carrying a club hinders an officer in the use of his hands in an emergency. It also appears as if he were looking for trouble, the chief stated.

Lincoln Park—Voters here have refused to ratify bond issues of $290,000 for city improvements. George Shanley, president of the city council, expressed disappointment over the result of the vote. A $140,000 bond issue to finance construction of new sewers was defeated by 12 votes. The small margin of two votes beat a $150,000 issue for extension of water mains.

Ishpeming—Two calves, seeing a young deer near a farm at Three Lakes and evidently thinking it was of the same species as themselves, became its companions and wandered away to the woods with it. Owners of the calves started a search a few days later and saw the calves with the deer. It seems the calves have become as wild as the deer, for efforts of farmers to catch them have failed.

Houghton—Some agency besides state governments and private owners must take a hand in recovering 57,000,000 acres of land in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota from economic ruin, according to John A. Doelle, former commissioner of agriculture in Michigan. "The aid and the experience of the federal government must be obtained if these lands are to be an asset rather than a liability," he stated.

Kalamazoo—Given up as dead by his friends here for nearly 10 years, John Kemp, a former Kalamazoo blacksmith, surprised old acquaintances by dropping in on them for a visit. Since leaving Kalamazoo in 1912 he has been engaged in business in Kansas and Nebraska. A search of Probate Courts records was made for the record of an action by which he was declared legally dead several years ago.

Grand Rapids—The possibilities of a state-wide probation service will be discussed at the Michigan State Conference of Social work, to be held here Sept. 30 to Oct. 2. Charles L. Chute, general secretary of the National Association and Judge Henry S. Hulbert, of the Wayne County Juvenile Court, will be among the chief speakers. The meeting is to be attended by judges, probation officers and social workers from all parts of the state.

Muskegon—Another step to save White Lake harbor from abandonment by the government was taken by the Muskegon chamber of commerce when it authorized Secretary John Beukema to go to Washington to make overtures for continuance of harbor aid, should Major Gilbert Wilkes not withdraw his recommendation that the harbor be abandoned. White Lake harbor is of great importance in the resort and tourist development of western Michigan.

Kalamazoo — Modern efficiency methods made possible the removal of the old Michigan Central Railroad bridge over the Kalamazoo river and the installation of a new bridge, all within the period of six minutes. There was no interruption of traffic. The new bridge was constructed just north of the old one. As the old bridge was lifted by four cranes to waiting flat cars the new bridge attached by cable to a locomotive, was hauled into position. It was the work of but a few minutes to add the capping.

Benton Harbor—Prosecuting Attorney Bookwalter announced here that Ruth Bamford Reed, of Detroit, had written him a letter asking that her charges against the fugitive Benjamin Purnell be withdrawn. It was the strength of this girl's charges, together with those of her sister, Gladys Bamford Rubel, that a warrant was issued by Circuit Judge White more than two years ago, for "King" Benjamin, charging him with criminal assault. The prosecutor said the girl did not withdraw the charges, but asked them dismissed for her family's sake.

Ann Arbor—In spite of the failure of the 1925 state legislature to appropriate funds for a new University of Michigan observatory, announcement is made at the university of the purchase of 80 acres northwest of Ann Arbor to serve as the site for the proposed building. The site was purchased out of the general university fund, and has no connection with the appropriations passed by the state legislature. For the past several years the university has been seeking a new observatory to replace the antiquated structure erected over 70 years ago.

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The new horticultural building, which is being opened formally this fall, is regarded as the most modern and completely equipped structure of its kind in the country Every facility for experimental and instructional work is provided in the main building and the adjoining greenhouses.

Honoring leading horticulturists by setting their names out before the students who use the building is expected to help in developing a distinctly horticultural atmosphere for the work of the division, according to Prof. V. R. Gardner, head of the M. S. C. hort department.

Among Michigan men whose names will appear on the state list are: Charles William Garfield, Grand Rapids; Roland Morril, Benton Harbor; Levi Rawson Taft Lansing; Eugene Davis, Grand Rapids; Theodatus Timothy Lyon South Haven; Theodore Austin Farrand, Eaton Rapids; Robert Darwin Graham, Grand Rapids; Elmer Dennison Smith, Adrian; Jonathan Gannett Randall, Traverse City; Charles Jay Monroe, South Haven; John Brietmeyer, Detroit.

To Study Corn Borer Conditions In State

Michigan sections infested with the European corn borer will be included in a special inspection trip sponsored jointly by the United States and Canadian departments of agriculture on September 29 and 30 and October 1, according to announcement made here this week by Prof. R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology department at the M. S. C.

While corn borer infestations have been heavier in Ohio and Ontario than they have in Michigan, the situation in the southeastern section of the state is serious enough to demand close attention from all who are interested in Michigan's corn crop. A quarantine has been in force this summer in an effort to prevent spread of the pests which in some sections of Ontario are said to have resulted this year in virtual destruction of the crop.

Prominent government and state authorities will unite on the inspection trip in an effort to determine the exact situation and to make plans for future steps to control the corn borer.

The National Dairy Show, leading exposition of the year for dairy men of the country, is attracting unusual interest from Michigan farmers this year because of the fact that the show is to be held in a neighboring state, Indiana between October 10 and 17 for the show, it is said by dairy specialists at the M. S. C.

The state will not only be represented by cattle exhibits at the exposition but will also have delegations of Boys and Girls club and college judging teams in the judging competitions.

Latimer's Statement

As we promised last week we are publishing the personal statement of R. Irving Latimer who has been an inmate of Jackson Penitentiary for 36 years, having been sentenced for life imprisonment after being tried and found guilty of the murder of his mother in Jackson by the gun route. We know very little of the case other than reports, and out of a sense of fairness we are willing to publish this statement free gratis for Mr. Latimer. As we said last week if the great propaganda put out by his friends is without foundation, and he is guilty he should be left inside to carry out the dictates of the law. On the other hand if he is not guilty and the courts of this state have blundered, the most they can do for him is too little to amend the injustice. If the latter is true the state owes him a competency and a mighty good home wherever he should choose to dwell and they should be obliged to thus recompense him for his disgrace. Following is his statement:

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Still, however, rigorous the discipline one may have imposed, one does not survive thirty-six years imprisonment, maintaining mental and physical integrity, unless actuated and sustained by a greater power than self-imposed discipline, bulldog tenacity, or hope.

The answer? The Latin runs: Mens sibi conscia recti—a mind conscious to itself of right.

As I have always maintained, as I now maintain, as I always shall maintain, I am not guilty of the crime of which convicted—the most heinous man can commit. But on circumstantial evidence, I was convicted by a jury and sentenced to this prison for life.

Against the verdict of a jury, the sentence of a judge and a commitment in the warden's office, assertion that one is not guilty of the crime for which a life sentence was imposed is weightless, and none recognizes better than I the futility of making such a plea a basis for clemency.

Still the unalterable truth remains and my consciousness of it, and that alone, has sufficed to bring me through a period which breaks men; through the never ceasing monotony of a life that crushes men mentally and physically and throws them on the shore of liberty—if they survive to reach it—crushed and battered and broken wrecks.

Within less than four years after imprisoned, still rankling under a keen sense of injustice, I escaped. As a result of that escape an officer a gentleman and my friend, died. There was no intent, no thought of, no reason for his death. That he died has ever brought to me keenest regret and sorrow, assuaged only by the knowlege that his death was accidental, unpremeditated, and directly due to lack of medical attention. The immediate personal investigation by Warden Chamberlain absolved me from all intent to harm, and a subsequent investigation by Warden Armstrong of which I had no knowlege until the finding was announced, both freed me from malice aforethought and found the direct cause of Mr. Haight's death to be due to want of medical care.

When returned to prison after that escape, I faced the cold, hard unavoidable fact that I had then done something for which I should pay a penalty. I accepted that fact believing that there would come a time when I could conscientiously feel that the penalty had been paid In years past there were offers to join in successful escapes, but I passed them by; there were opportunities to escape, but I rejected them. In this there is no credit to me, for it was but in consonance with the determined resolve to accept the punishment and take it unwhiningly, because it was just.

I am not inviting your pity, soliciting your sympathy, nor entreating you for mercy, but for you, People of Michigan, I have one plain, blunt question:

For the man who has undergone thirty six years imprisonment, for the man who for thirty two years has played the game, played it according to all its rules and observed all its technicalities; played it conscientiously with fidelity and honor, doing what he had to do a little better than required, earning alike the respect of prison officials and inmates, and playing it cleanly—not because he had to, but because it was right and fair and just that he so play it; who has maintained his physique and mentality and came through unscathed and uncontaminated—for that man, People of Michigan, what is there in the game for him?

R. Irving Latimer,
Michigan State Prison, Jackson,
Michigan."

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of September A. D., 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

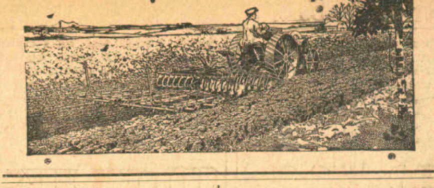
In the matter of the estate of Emily Carter incompetent.

Jay D. Knowles, guardian, having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition prayin for the allowance thereof, said ward being deceased.

It is ordered that the 8th day of October A. D., 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
5013 Judge of Probate



The Coroners Jury At Washington

The "Tomfoolery" which is being indulged in relative to the wreck of the dirigible "Shenandoah" is enough to make one wish the United States of America would forever forget about dirigibles and anything pertaining. Survivors of the catastrophe and farmers who saw the accident have been called to Washington in an apparent effort to prove something or somebody way back who helped build the monstrous toy were blamable. How much longer this vaudeville will be kept up only depends upon the good nature and patience of the American people who furnished the dough to build the Shenandoah and who have the brunt of the loss to bear—to say nothing of the valuable lives lost in an effort to do the impossibie. After the tremendous blunders of the government in trying to maintain these ponderous air-ships and keep up a constant experimenting to prove that which can't be proved, the personnel at Washington feel of course the people are entitled to some kind of an explanation and a reckoning, hence there is a headlong effort to find a goat or stool pigeon—something or somebody who can be made to stand sponsor and take the blame.

Speed the day when the Nations of the world will consider total disarmament and not only abolish these foolish toys of the air but also the big guns on our coastal forts, the battleships and submarines which plow the deep, and substitute something called common sense in their places which will steer their ships of state in peaceful channels. Let them abolish their petty jealousies and strife—put away all old grudges—stand on their dignity as Christian nations. Henry Ford, our own "Hank" over at Dearborn, has gotten at the crux of the situation as no one else has or can when he prognostigated that the air ship of the future to be a success must be a happy combination of the aeroplane and Blimp so combined as to minimize weight, abolish unwieldiness and assure as complete stability in the air as can be expected of an automobile on land. How many lives will have to be lost and dollars squandered is a guess before this can be accomplished. Let us hope the goal can be reached within five years.

BANKERS HELP

The banks of Linn County Oregon, are showing more enthusiasm than ever this year in behalf of a county corn exhibit similar to that held last year at the Linn County Fair. Last year's exhibit was the result of a contest for a prize offered by a number of local banks. This was so successful that this year ten out of the eleven banks in the county will subscribe to the effort.

The Agricultural Committee of the Alabama Bankers Association has recommended that a scholarship fund be established for the education of worthy young men and women along agricultural and home economics lines. It is estimated that if each bank in the state were to contribute 25 cents per thousand capital, five to six thousand dollars per annum would be realized.

The Agricultural Committee of the Oklahoma Bankers Association, in its report, recommends that the bankers see that a competent agent is appointed in each county and that he has a degree from some agricultural college. They believe that the agricultural possibilities of the state should be better advertised and that each county bankers association should do some work along that line.

Searcy County Bankers Association, Arkansas, entertained as its guests recently some seventy-five farmers and business men. The result was the organization of the North Central Arkansas Agricultural Association. Its purpose will be to co-ordinate the efforts of the farmers and business men in promoting a better agriculture. Searcy County bankers are giving 100 settings of purebred eggs for distribution to the boys' and girls' clubs in the county.

RADIO IS GREAT BOON TO AGRICULTURAL PROGRESS

No Invention Since the Steam Engine Has Such a Widespread Influence Upon Rural Life, Says Radio Head.

FARM'S ISOLATION NOW PAST

Broadcasting Has Banished the Dullness, the Utter Monotony and Lack of Recreation That Were Causing the Girls and Boys and the Hired Hands to Desert the Soil and Seek the City.

In an address before the Advertising Club of New York City General James G. Harbord, the commander of the Marines at Chateau Thierry during the World War and who now holds the position of President of the Radio Corporation of America, said radio has a greater application to the farm and farm life than to any other phase of our national life. General Harbord speaks with authority on this topic for he is not only one of the leaders of radio in the United States but his boyhood days on a farm have given him an intimate insight into the problems which confront the American farmer. His address in part follows:

GENERAL J. G. HARBORD, U. S. A., Retired, President of Radio Corporation of America.

As more or less of a Kansas farmer I am glad of this opportunity to say a few words to you on the relation of radio to the farmer. Though I must confess that I have not worked steadily at farming—indeed have missed quite a number of crop seasons during thirty-four years of absence in the Army and several more covering my recent activities in the radio industry, my memories of sixteen-hour-days on a Kansas farm, as we lived it forty years and more ago, are keen enough to give me a sympathetic understanding of the farmer's major problems. I spent my boyhood on the Kansas prairies, went from the farm to an agricultural college, where I managed to graduate, supposed to be in possession of whatever science there was in the farming profession at that time. To the end of my days, while memory endures, I shall continue to have an appreciation of life as the farmer lives it.

Radio a Rural Regenerator

So that it is with the feeling that I am, perhaps, in some small measure discharging the obligations of forty years ago, that I see radio—my present field of endeavor—becoming more and more a factor in the life of the farmer.

A brief consideration of the farming industry will help us to appreciate what radio has done and can do for the farmer. Most of us, as city dwellers, do not take the farming industry at its full face value. We fail to recognize its tremendous magnitude and its paramount importance to the nation. Farming is not only our greatest industry, but is greater than all our other industries combined.

The sometimes inarticulate and unappreciated farmer—the symbolic Man with the Hoe—is the most important single element of our many millions. There are thirty-one millions of American farmers, nearly thirty per cent of our total population. If we add those persons living in agricultural communities, though not actually engaged in farming, we have a total of fifty-one millions, or nearly half the total population of our country.

With the tremendous expansion of farm wealth in the recent decades the problems of farm management and farm labor have more than multiplied. The great growth of our urban population in recent years has been due, in large measure, to migration from the rural districts. This represents a great loss of man-power on the farm; and it is a grave problem which affects you and me ultimately, just as it now concerns the farmer of the North, South, East and West. A similar movement from country to city preceded the fall of the Roman Empire.

The immediate reason for this exodus from the countryside, aside from its part as possibly one of the great cycles of history, lies primarily in the greater opportunities for recreation and interest afforded by life in the city.

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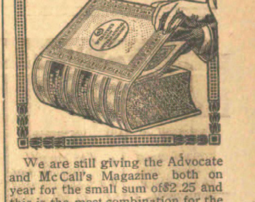

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Carter Deceased.

Augustus Borden having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Jay D. Knowles or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered: That the 8th day of October A. D., 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
1513 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March, A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savinge Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage provided. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee

John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the condiaions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
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B. D. Chandler,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.

THE FEATHERHEADS

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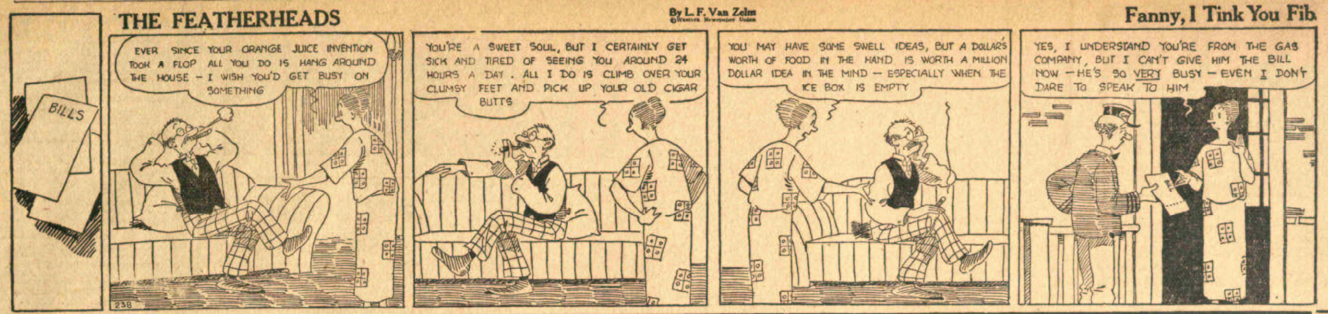
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MEN'S DRESS

By
W. A. Churchill, Secretary
BORN TAILORS GUILD

How to Select a Suit

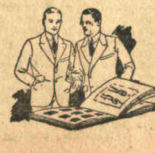
AN UNWRITTEN law still holds in England that a man, having once made his choice of a tailor, never changes. He often inherits this choice from his father and grandfather, and it is not unusual for the same tailoring firm to serve a family for several generations.

This hard and fast rule would not suit Americans, but in principle it has its advantages. The wise man selects a tailor he knows to be reputable and competent and always goes to him. In this way, the tailor comes to know his likes, dislikes, and individual requirements for fitting. He decides in advance what general type of suit he wishes and about how much he can pay, and then spends plenty of time in choosing the style and material.

A man must understand his own strong points and shortcomings and never allow himself to be carried away by a style that is not meant for his particular type. The man who would look slighter must avoid tight-fitting clothes. The bottom of his coat fronts must be square cut and not rounded, to give an effect of height. The thin man will appear less lean looking if the lines of his suits are not too severely cut.

Quality can be fairly well gauged by the price and the word of the tailor. In novelty cloths, it is that feature for which one pays and not necessarily for quality, but in plain materials, price is a reliable guide. No reputable tailor nowadays hesitates to admit that a cloth is only part wool. However, "all wool" does not necessarily mean "pure wool." Woolen goods known as shoddy is made from used cloth rewoven and does not have the wearing qualities of unused or virgin wool.

The pattern and color of the cloth should be selected on the same general principles as the style. Extremes are to be avoided for long wearing.



W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

General Lincoln Andrews Outlines Enforcement Plans

(Continued from last week)

General Andrews has under him the Customs Service, the Coast Guard, the Prohibition Unit and the Narcotic Squad. He told how he was attempting to reorganize for better co-operation.

The Coast Guard is set to watch the importation from abroad. In making it more effective he has attempted to establish a first line of defense against smuggling along the ocean fronts. The Customs Service will be the second line, along the oceans, and the first on land borders. In order to equip the Customs offices sufficiently General Andrews has asked each to recommend what it needs. Along the Canadian and Mexican border, and also a short distance down the Atlantic, the work of reenforcing them has progressed well. Smugglers are no longer romantic figures, and are not considered p liers of an honorable trade.

Within the country the Prohibition Unit must control the domestic situation. It has been reorganized into twenty two sections, each composed of a group of Federal judicial districts, since the Treasury Department must work closely with the Department of Justice in bringing conviction in cases of culprits apprehended. In each of these twenty two districts will be sub-districts coincident with the judicial districts. The chief in every main district, and every subordinate chief of sub-districts, will have control.

Upon these heads General Andrews is going to rely, Not all the men have been selected, but enough are already chosen to put the plan into operation. These men of personal authority are backed by the strong power of the government. When a man has the government behind him he can do things with a strength of personal conviction that is invincible, said General Andrews. These men must get their honesty from a spirit flowing through the whole organization, not from being so well paid they are not likely to take bribes.

The flow of alcohol brought about through the misuse of permits to legitimate industries, which need it in tremendous quantities for their work, is going to be dammed up before long, said General Andrews. Bootleggers use the opportunity to get liquor by pretending to enter into legitimate industry, or by bribery or trickery. Remedying this is a matter of intelligent business control. A staff of trained executives will be stationed in the industries that use alcohol for the purpose of detecting which ones employ it legitimately and which illegitimately. Soon the supply from that source will be a trickle instead of a stream, he asserted.

The serious situation is created by the great American public which cares more for personal pleasure than for the welfare of the community. If the known sources are closed, and the demand keeps up somebody will meet it. If the supply comes from local stills, do not expect the Federal government to stop it. The work of the Federal government is to shut off the flow of liquor from outside, and give every community a chance to have prohibition if it wants it. If it does not want it, nothing can be done except by education. The state of mind of the people must be changed. This must be effected by the groups that have brought about the revolution in the matter of drinking which is now expressed in law. It is a part of our form of government that associations of peoples looking further ahead than others, more keen to see, and more eager to bring about a better order must keep on working for their object after they have gotten it written into law. Reforms brought by legislation must be backed by the building of more public opinion. You do not enforce child labor laws by sending police into the factory, but by building up public sentiment. In enforcing prohibition all the organizations that originally worked for it must continue their efforts.

It must be done by "speeding up" local law enforcement. The American government came out of the souls of our forefathers, because they thought themselves able to govern themselves. There seems to be a change in America now. Too many are looking for easy money, and are too selfishly engaged to give thought or time to local self government. They want to let all government swing to Washington. They owe it to themselves to exercise their rights of self government.

(The end)

Named As Crop Observers

Appointment of T. F. Slater of Hillsdale and Carl Rumsey of Pittsford as crop observers in Hillsdale county for the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation Index, is announced from Chicago by P. V. Ewing, director of research for the Foundation and editor of the Index. They will form a link in the nation wide chain of county agricultural observers elected because of their first hand knowledge of farming conditions and their ability to observe these and intelligently interpret them.

The Index, to which the observers from this county will contribute, is a compilation of the monthly reports of 3,650 observers in every section of the country, and this number is being added to steadily. All the observers are practical, thinking, farm-minded men, each chosen because of the opportunities he has to observe the needs of agriculture in his own locality and for his ability to apply economic principles to current farm problems. As a group, they represent a cross section of the thoughts that the man in the furrow is thinking, and their joint analysis of existing agricultural conditions, as expressed in the Index, is considered a forward step in helping agriculture help itself.

Our cub reporter got wind of these appointments the other day and before we knew it, the rascal had got this stuck in the paper. We'll strangle that kid if he does it again. This is the way "Mickie" wrote it up:

"Sears-Roebuck of Chicago are branching out in agricultural activities all over this country and in addition to their farm Radio programs are sending out all kinds of stunts in which the farmers are interested. The latest movement by them is to appoint crop observers whose duty it will be to take an estimate of the condition of farm crops throughout their district and compile a report at intervals giving the possibilities and likely production. There is nothing made public as to the other duties of these observers but probably they will also on the side ascertain how much hooch is being distilled, how many babies are born, what the condition of whiskers are on the old pioneers, how many lice usually inhabit the healthy hens, what species of elderberries are best for drink, how many dandelions it takes to make a quart, why the wildcat is wild, why rats liye to such old ages, why some hens crow and some don't, when it is time to swipe the public nuisances what makes girls bob their locks, why boys drink beer, fight and stay out all night, etc., etc.

We are informed by the house of Shears and Sawbuck that they have appointed Truman Slater of Hillsdale and Carl Rumsey to this remarkable office and both gentlemen will be found on the job early and late."

Revival of Old Dances predicted in Detroit

An event that forecasts a nation wide revival of the old time square dances took place recently in Detroit when 50,000 people danced to the Waltz, Schottisch, quadrilles and reels during a period of two weeks.

Orchestras of typical old time fiddlers, imported from the small towns of Michigan, supplied the music. The festival took place in Convention Hall, about the largest ball room in Detroit, and was backed by the Glover Watson Organization, Dearborn subdividers and developers.

Gray haired women and girls of flapper age, fathers and sons, rich and poor, clasped hands in the "grand rights and lefts", "swing your partner" and other lively old steps that have not been seen in a great city since the day of the horse drawn street cars. Tunes reminiscent of childhood daysbrought memories back to the old folk. They included: "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning", "Jack the Ripper Lost his Slipper", "Oh, Susannah", "Pop goes the Weasel", "Clementine", "Speed the Plough", and others, as well as requested numbers. Modern "jazz" steps were barred from the floor.

There were no "wall flowers" when the fiddles struck up the "Rye Waltz". Dancers said it is a long time since Detroit saw so many shining eyes and naturally rosy cheeks. News of the infectious gayety spread throughout Detroit and its suburbs and attendance increased by hundreds every night.

Although nation wide effort is being made to bring back the square dance and its contemporaries, this is their first test of popularity, with entire great cities invited to participate. Several couples made the occasion the celebration of their silver and golden wedding anniversaries, Mr. Watson said.

"The dances were carefully planned and organized. Dancing for those who know how and lessons for learners proceeded at the same time. George Pariseau, of Bad Axe who travels hundreds of miles to play for square dances, was there with his 95 year old fiddle, and his old time orehestra.

Instructors were recruited in the same manner. Eight college youths from Detroit and Ann Arbor also volunteered as instructors and demonstrated their ability. Electric amplifiers were used to magnify the voices of the dance "callers" The dance music was broadcast nightly by W. J. R. radio station of Detroit.

The Glover Watson Organization displayed movies of Dearborn and the industrial west side of Detroit during an intermission. "Miss Dearborn", queen of the fete, was chosen by popular vote. The honor fell to Marian Ryan, 17 year old high school girl of Dearborn who secured 8816 votes out of 43,000 cast. She will receive a free trip to Europe, as a gift of the Glover Watson Organization, travelling as "Miss Dearborn".

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

The Southern Idea of Justice

The snuff-eaters' idea of justic is well illustrated in the burning of a Mississippi negro which took place at New Albany Mississippi early Monday morning when an infuriated half insane mob of irresponsible southerners surrounded the sheriff's automobile in which he was conveying the prisoner and took the darky from the officer chained him to a tree, poured kerosene over his body and applied the match. The papers tell the self same story as of other like affairs—that the officers were unable to cope with the mob.

We should like to see that sheriff—if he is anything like the average Southerner, the chances are he is a Roman Holiday sort of a bird just like the mob. Knowing the temperment of southern mobs why in tunket did he not take precautions to call out a regiment of state militia or a company of police and make a few cracked skulls and sore heads among the assaulters but protect his prisoner at any cost. Such is the character of the average southern officers and if you should ask him why the chances are he would reply "The Prisoner is not wo'th it Suh" or something similar. We know what the real value of the southern negro is to citizenship—just about 30 cents but he is a citizen just the same of this country, and deserves protection and hanging as per law if he is guilty. Mississippi and a few other southern states have covered themselves with ignominy many times over by these dirty murders of colored men but it don't seem to lessen the crimes of female ravaging. From a casual observation we would say the rank and file of inhabitants of Mississippi and Florida are much the same as in Civil war times when their pride got the better of their judgment by long odds, but they paid a heavy price for the blunder by losing their pleasant homes and live stock to the Northern armies, who took a forage wherever they could get it.

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CHAPTER XIV—Continued

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In the end Tommy got out of his difficulty in a way which struck him as neat. He led Allen across the dining room at luncheon next day and brought him to the table where the princess and Janet sat.

"Allow me to introduce Mr. Allen to you," he said. Then, turning to Allen, he murmured: "My wife, and my secretary, Miss Gisborne."

That left Allen to decide for himself which was the wife and which the secretary. He was puzzled. He looked at Janet and then at Tommy. He looked at Calypso, and thought of his sister and the other unruly maidens in the canteen. At last he decided in favor of Janet.

"I want to thank you," he said to her, "for all your kindness to my sister."

Janet took that very well. She had been kind, after her own fashion, to so many different people that she could not possibly recollect them all. She inquired graciously for Miss Allen, and received an account of her marriage to a young officer she had met at the canteen.

The introduction passed off surprisingly well; but Tommy was by no means done with Allen. That evening they met again.

"Ever see any of the fellows from the old regiment nowadays?" said Allen.

Tommy would have been glad to know what the old regiment was. He wished very much that he had thought of asking Casimir and the king for a little more information before he undertook to be Colonel Heard.

"I ran into Simpson the other day," said Allen. "You remember Soapy Simpson and the old Frenchwoman in the rest billets behind Givenchy."

"Rather," said Tommy heartily, "that's how he got the name Soapy, wasn't it?"

"Was it?" he said. "But there wasn't any soap in that business, was there?"

"It may have been cheese," said Tommy. "One gets confused about these things."

"Oh," said Allen, "you're thinking of Collins. They always said it was on account of that cheese that you recommended Collins for the D. S. O."

"That," said Tommy, "is a gross slander. As a matter of fact, Collins' recommendation for the D. S. O. went in before any one heard a word about the cheese."

He felt that he owed that much to Colonel Heard's reputation. Whatever Collins had done about the cheese, whether he had eaten it, refrained from eating it, stolen it, or baited a mousetrap with it, no conscientious colonel would have recommended him for a D. S. O. on that account alone.

"Oddly enough," said Allen, "I heard from Collins the other day. I suppose you know he married that little red-haired V. A. D. who used to be at Wimereux."

"I always expected he would," said Tommy, "though in my opinion she was a great deal too good for him. I can't imagine what any girl could see in Soapy Simpson?"

"It was Collins who married her, not Simpson. Did I say Simpson?"

"Oh, Collins," said Tommy. "That's different, of course. What's Collins doing now?"

"He and she are running a chicken farm in Monte Carlo," said Allen, "making quite a good thing out of it, I believe."

After that Tommy escaped and went to bed. But Allen came at him again the next morning. He had a passion for reminiscence, and seemed to have known every single officer in "the old regiment" except Colonel Heard himself. Young Bright had come to grief over a dud check which he cashed in a night club in London. Tommy expressed great regret for his fate. Poor Styles was still limping about and would never get back the use of his leg. Tommy regretted that, too. After a while Allen got back to the subject of his sister, and Mrs. Heard and the canteen.

"She'll be surprised when I tell her I've met Mrs. Heard out here," said Allen. "That last letter I had from her she said she'd been invited to meet Mrs. Heard at a teaparty somewhere in Kensington. Unfortunately she couldn't go."

"That must have been a long while ago," said Tommy.

"Not so long," said Allen. "I only got the letter last week."

"If your sister had gone to that teaparty," said Tommy, "she wouldn't have met my wife. She's been out here for the last six months."

That, he felt, ought to put a stop to any chance meeting in London between Mrs. Heard and Miss Allen, whose name of course was not Allen any longer, for she had married an officer whom she met in the canteen—a thing which showed that Mrs. Heard had not kept a tight enough hand over her.

Tommy went to bed very well satisfied with himself. It had proved surprisingly easy to play the part of Colonel Heard. It would, no doubt, have been equally easy to play that of Lord Norheys. He began to feel sorry that he had not done so instead of claiming his own name and position. Then he remembered Miss Temple and felt glad that he had refused to be Lord Norheys. Miss Temple would, apparently, have been a hopeless obstacle to his marriage with Calypso. He wondered a little whether the existence of a Mrs. Heard would be another obstacle. If Calypso objected to a man who was engaged to be married, she might very well object even more strongly to a man who had been married for at least seven years.

CHAPTER XV

The princess, Janet Church and Tommy sat at lunch on the third day after their arrival in Breslau. Thanks to the king's influence with the manager of the hotel, they had a very pleasant table, placed in a bow window from which they had a view of the town's market place.

A large motor car drove slowly across the square and pulled up at the door of the hotel. The driver was remarkable. He wore a high cap of black fur with two long black ribbons hanging from the back of it, a brown overcoat, double-breasted and adorned with great silver buttons. The collar and cuffs of the coat were of curly black fur. Even while he sat at the steering wheel it could be seen that he was a very big man, probably tall, certainly broad and strongly built. A thick black mustache covered his mouth. He had heavy eyebrows which met across his forehead. His face was almost mahogany-colored.

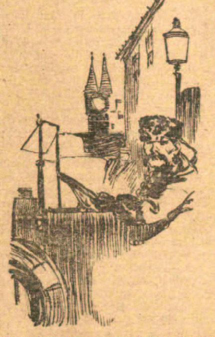
Tommy stared at him with interest and pointed him out to the princess. The moment she saw him she jumped to her feet and clapped her hands in excitement and delight.

"It's Sandor," she said. "Sandor from the schloss. He has come to take me home."

Tommy realized that they were entering a new stage of their adventure, that the journey into Lystria was to begin.

They hurried over luncheon. They spent half an hour in frenzied packing. Hotel porters dragged down bags and rugs. The little party gathered in the porch of the hotel. But the start was delayed.

An official in uniform, perhaps a policeman, perhaps a military officer, appeared from the room of the hotel manager, and walked up to Tommy. He halted, saluted and in a long speech asked to be allowed to see the passports of the party. Tommy did not understand anything the man said except the word passport. That made him uneasy. Breslau is not a frontier town. The examination of travelers' passports there is unusual, and in most cases unnecessary. Tommy turned to Janet.



A Large Motor Car Drove Slowly Across the Square and Pulled Up at the Door of the Hotel.

"Is it our passports he wants?"

Janet, who knew she was traveling with a stolen passport, became nervous. She spoke to the officer bad-temperedly, asking him what right he had to inspect their passports. It was the worst thing she could have done. Her nervous irritation aroused the man's suspicions. Her question did not frighten him at all. His uniform gave him a right to do almost anything he chose.

"Come on," said Calypso. "We can't stand here all day."

She seized Janet Church by the arm and pulled her into the car. The officer hesitated and stepped forward to stop them. He was a shade too late, but he stood between Tommy and the car, clearly determined that he at least should not get into it.

Tommy's mind worked quickly. One of two things had happened. Perhaps Colonel Heard had discovered the loss of his passports and set the German police looking for them. In that case Tommy saw no hope at all for himself and his party. Colonel Heard's passports would be recognized at once. But perhaps it was Prince von Steinveldt who had set the police in motion. He might have changed his mind about leaving Tommy free to go where he liked. He might not care to run the risk of allowing the princess to enter Lystria. But he would not know what passports the party held. It might be possible to persuade this troublesome officer that he was Colonel Heard and that the two ladies were his wife and secretary.

He took the passports out of his pockets and handed them over. The officer scrutinized them carefully. He appeared to read through all the visas and to examine all the official stamps. At last he fixed his eyes on the photograph. As a rule, passport photographs are totally useless for the purposes of identification and might just as well represent any one else. But Colonel Heard had a heavy mustache. Tommy was clean shaved. The officer looked at the photograph, looked at Tommy, looked at the photograph and became suspicious.

Mrs. Heard was a plump, good-natured lady of about forty-five, with round cheeks, a double chin and fuzzy hair. The officer looked at her photo and compared it with Janet's lean face and sinewy neck. Then he tried to see if it in any way resembled Calypso. It did not.

"These are not your passports," he said.

Tommy was actually uncomfortable; but he was not yet desperate. The officer was not searching for Colonel Heard's passports. He was merely looking out for suspicious travelers. It was possible that a bold attempt at bluff might cow the man.

"Here," he said, "I've had about enough of this tomfoolery. Hand over those passports at once and let us get away out of this."

The man did not understand a word that was said to him, but he was impressed by the confidence with which Tommy spoke. He might possibly have given back the passports, if the princess had not tried a plan of her own for getting away. She leaned forward and whispered to the driver of her car.

The man stepped out of the car and stood, a huge and threatening figure, in front of the officer. He deliberately unbuttoned his long overcoat, flung it open and displayed a whole row of weapons tucked into his belt. There were two large pistols, silver mounted, with very long barrels. They looked as if they might be of some value as antiques. There was also a heavy modern revolver which was certainly valuable as a weapon of offense. There were five large knives, two of them straight and pointed like daggers, the other three curved in a manner that struck Tommy as horribly murderous. These were evidently the man's favorite weapons. His fingers closed round the handle of one of them.

But the police officer was a man of courage. He had, besides, help at hand. From various parts of the market square uniformed men appeared, all of them with swords, some of them with revolvers. They gathered round the group in front of the hotel.

The swarthy driver was not at all dismayed. His heavy eyebrows were slightly raised. The eyes under them shone with a joyful anticipation of battle. He gripped his revolver with his left hand. His right hand held over the curved knife.

Tommy was frightened. A fight in the streets of Breslau might end in a victory for the German police, or it might end—that seemed almost probable—in a victory for the militant chauffeur. Either way Tommy and his party would get into serious trouble.

"Look here, he said to the officer "If you don't believe we're the people we say we are, send in to the hotel and ask for Mr. Allen. He'll identify us."

The officer, who did not understand a word Tommy said, stared at him angrily.

"Oh, hang it," said Tommy. "Why can't the fool understand plain English? Say it to him," he turned to Janet, "in German or some language he does understand. And at the same time tell this swashbuckler to stop fiddling with his revolver and get back into the car."

Janet, who was quite as frightened as Tommy was, began with the orders to the chauffeur. She gave them in German, and the man took no notice of them at all. He understood German no better than the officer understood English.

"You tell him," said Tommy to the princess.

Calypso spoke to the man in a language which sounded as if several hungry ducks were quacking, all at the same time. The man replied with a number of deep bass quacks, which sounded threatening. Calypso quacked back at him. The man bowed low to her, kissed her hand, and stepped back into the car.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Irish Wake

A wake is a vigil with a corpse. The word is derived from "waecan," Anglo-Saxon for a watching. It is still customary in many countries for friends and neighbors of the deceased to sit up nights with the corpse until it is buried. The custom probably originated in the ancient superstition that unless carefully guarded a corpse was in danger of being carried away by spirits from Hades. The Irish wake is especially notorious. In some parts of Ireland those remaining up nights with a corpse spend the time in drinking, dancing and telling jokes and stories. It is a highly festive occasion. Grace Greenwood in her "Stories of Travel" has this to say about the Irish wake: "A wake, sure it's an entertainment a man gives after he is dead, when his disconsolate friends all assemble at his house to discuss his virtues and drink his poteen."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Fine Distinction Made Between Common Words

"Loan" as a verb is extensively used in the United States. There is some authority for such usage since it has so appeared from time to time in literature over the last four or five hundred years. Such usage, however, is frowned upon by grammarians who insist that "loan" is a noun only, says the Literary Digest.

Dictionaries, which must be simply recorders of the language as it is used, recognize "loan" as a verb, meaning "to lend money, especially on interest," and Doctor Vizetelly in his "Desk Book of Errors in English" says: "'Loan, lend'; one may raise (put an end to) a 'loan' by paying both principal and interest, and another may 'lend' money to do so. The use of 'loan' as a verb, meaning 'to grant the loan of or lend, as ships, money, linen provisions, etc.,' dates from the year 1200 and is accepted as good English. Some purists, however, characterize it colloquial." To some ears "lend" may be preferable, but "loan" is not incorrect, and has the support of Acts 34 and 35 of Henry VIII (1542), Langley (1644), Fossenden (1729), Calhoun (1834), Brownson (1847), Bonamy Price (1800) the North American Review, February, 1901, etc.

FARM POULTRY

WINDOW GLASS IS HELP FOR POULTRY

A short time ago scientists found that animals do better when they can be in the open at least a few hours each day exposed to the direct rays of the sun. This has been demonstrated to be especially true of hogs and chickens. The reason is that ordinary window glass acts as a filter to the direct rays of the sun. Glass filters out the so-called ultra-violet rays—the rays that have a great deal to do with invigorating the animal.

Recently Prof. L. V. Crum, physicist of Iowa State college, has completed some tests that are of interest in this connection.

Professor Crum took 24 chickens that had been kept under ordinary glass for three weeks. The birds were divided into three groups of eight each. One group was housed under glass cloth. The second group was housed under celo-glass, another product that does not exclude ultra-violet light, and a third group was housed under ordinary window glass. All were given the same feed and general care. The experiment continued for four weeks. Two of the chickens kept under ordinary glass died of rickets. The remaining six gained 180 per cent in weight during the four-week period. All of the eight chickens kept under the glass cloth remained healthy and made a gain of 250 per cent during the four-week period. The group kept under the celo-glass did not do so well as that under the glass cloth. In this group two birds also died, but it appears that one of them died from an unavoidable cause, for which the celo-glass could not be blamed. The other, however, died of rickets, but is was not a healthy bird when the experiment began.

While this test is not reported because it is conclusive, we refer to it merely to remind our readers that ordinary window glass is not as good a product as we have been in the habit of thinking, because it screens out some of the most active rays of the sunlight, says the Wisconsin Farmer. No doubt the open front houses that have come into such general use in recent years owe their beneficial effect upon the flock at least partly to the fact that the ultra-violet rays of the sun pass freely through the curtain fronts.

Many Poultry Diseases Are Easily Preventable

Though most poultry diseases are curable, they all require more time and work than the average farm flock is worth. Therefore, it may easily be seen that prevention should be the first and most important rule in poultry sanitation and disease control. Roup, tuberculosis, chickenpox and fowl cholera are the most dangerous diseases affecting chickens.

Most farm poultry houses lack a simple and effective method of ventilation. In many houses the fowls are overcrowded, and when this is the case and there is no good method of ventilation, the air is sure to become damp, and we all know that it is in just this sort of an atmosphere that roup thrives. To avoid this condition, see to it that the front of your poultry house has an open space that equals at least one-fourth of the floor space of the building. And allow at least three square feet of floor space for each fowl.

Poultry diseases spread through the droppings of diseased birds. Most flock owners have dropping boards under the roosts, and if they haven't they should have by all means. If a part of the flock is diseased, millions of germs may be removed through the droppings instead of leaving them in the litter to contaminate the other birds. Much of the surplus moisture is also removed through the droppings.

Keep the drinking water pure and clean, and sterilize the vessels every two or three days so long as disease is present in the flock. A teaspoonful of permanganate of potash may be dissolved in all the water it will make purple for drinking water whenever the birds seem in need of a tonic.

Poultry Notes

Separate the cockerels and the pullets.

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Give plenty of feed to growing stock.

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Each duck yields about two ounces of marketable feathers.

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Houses must be sprayed frequently with a good disinfectant to keep down mites, lice, and disease germs.

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Rations for the laying hens should be compounded so that the hens will eat at least one-half as much mash as grain.

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Soft-shelled eggs may be caused by a lack of shell material, which may be the case if the hens do not have access to oyster shell.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Central Moscow

Fred Carpenter and wife were in Pittsford Wednesday.

Len Dewey's father and brother Jesse visited him Saturday.

George Brayton and wife were in Jonesville one day last week.

L. L. Sloan was in Wheatland visiting a nephew Sunday and Monday.

Floyd Sloan and wife of Cassopolis visited their uncle L. L. Sloan a few days last week.

Esther and Ruth VanCamp visit their grandparents John Adams and wife the week end.

Mrs. J. Adams, Esther and Ruth VanCamp visited their mother Mrs. Homer Sturdevant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner and her mother Mrs. Strait and Minnie Shepard were in Jackson Monday shoping.

John Adams and wife entertained for Sunday, Levi Lockwood and family of Jackson Bernie Brail and wife of Pulaski.

Roy Parks and wife of Mason were here Tuesday for a few days to see his mother Mrs. M. Parks and sister Hattie Kies and family.

LaVerne Fitton and wife, Earl Everhart and family of Hillsdale called at Charles Kies Friday evening to see their mother and grand mother who has been very ill but is better at this writing.

Jonesville

Loraine Maryin of Reading spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Esther Daniels of Florida is a visitor at the home of Fred Ryan and wife.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome spent Sunday at the Roy Howard home here.

Joseph Wyman returned to Lansing this week where he will attend M. A. C. again this year.

Wm Sprague of Highland Michigan has purchased the Floyd Baker residence on Evans street.

Clarence Wright and wife of Williamston were week end guests of Mrs. Mary Tucker, West Chicago street.

A special meeting of the Womans club was held Monday afternoon Sept. 21 in the chapel of the Presbyterian church.

Rev. Ira T. Welden and wife will move to Albion soon where Mr. Welden will take a much needed rest. They will reside at North Maple street.

Joseph Warwick a well known resident of our village died at the family home on West Chicago St, last Friday. He leaves beside the aged wife, four children, Mrs. W. H. Blauvelt, Mrs. Byron Covley, Walter Warwick of Jonesville and Frank Warwick of Toledo.

There will be a supper this Friday evening in the Presbyterian church parlors under the auspices of the Missionary Society. The Fellowship class with R. S. Varnum teacher will have a meeting in the basement of the church and supper will be served to them there.

The September meeting of the Mothers' club was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. C. Bilton. It was voted at this time to suspend active work until next May. Regular meetings will be held twice each month from May to October instead of once each month during the entire year as formerly. The opening meeting in the spring will be with Mrs. Hattie Bliss.

The death of Frank Sackett occurred at the home in Jonesville on Saturday Sept. 12. He leaves a wife Mrs. May Sackett, one son Harold, two sisters, Mrs. Rowe of Moscow, and Mrs. Borden of Jackson also one brother, James of Cold water. Funeral services were held at the home on West Chicago St. on Monday in charge of the Masons with burial in the Jonesville cemetery.

Somerset Centre

Leta and Katherine Baker spent Sunday with E. McGregor and wife

Earl Rutan and family spent Sunday evening with Wayne Cornwell and wife.

Mrs. Wm Shock who has been spending some time in Jackson has returned home.

Rev. Scott has returned to the Jerome and Somerset Center charge for another year.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Didama spent the week end with her parents George Becker and wife.

G. J. Pullen and wife, Wm Anson and wife of Jerome spent Sunday evening at Leon Mercer's.

Mrs. Eldridge the high room teacher was taken sick and unable to return this week sending Mrs. Horton as substitute.

A party of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Julia Philips Monday evening September 14 to remind her of her birthday.

Those who attended the Jackson fair were R. Rutan and family, Mrs. Leon Mercer and daughter Elaine and Mrs. Densel Lyons.

On account of there being so many scholars in the school it has been necessary to put in another teacher for the primary room. Mrs. Lottie Higbee is the new teacher in charge.

Center Adams

Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks visited in Hillsdale with friends over the week end.

Mrs. Linnie Post spent Tuesday afternoon in Osseo with Mrs. Edd Berwick.

Robert Wyman and wife spent Tuesday in Osseo at the Will Burger home.

John O'Melay and family of Hudson visited Saturday at the Will Keith home.

Will Church of Manitou Beach visited his brother M. C. Church on Wednesday.

James Post and wife visited in Pittsford on Sunday with Frank Nicholson and wife.

Will McVicker and wife of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of Robert Wyman and wife.

T. H. Tierney and family of Toledo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Eugene McBain and wife.

Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams was the guest of her son C. N. Williams and family on Tuesday.

Maria Petrie returned to her home in Wheatland on Sunday after visiting at the J R. Dewey home since Wednesday.

Nathan Webster and family and Bernice Keith motored to Pleasant Lake, Indiana on Sunday and spent the day with George VanZile and wife.

Mrs. D. P. Goold spent Thursday with G. R. Ambler and wife. Mr. Goold coming for supper and the evening. The Goolds start for Florida this week to spend the winter

Jerome

Charles Lovell and wife of Jackson visited Mrs. M. H. Morris on Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Frantz and sons Wilson and John have been visiting relatives near Niagara Falls.

W. W. Ostrom and wife were at Sandusky over the week end where they obtained a truck load of peaches.

Lem Kies has been trucking his potatoes to various cities of Michigan and Ohio during the past two weeks.

R. O. Sawdey and wife entertained Sunday as follows: Arthur Hart and family of Jackson H. A. Voorhees and family of Hanover.

Troy Wells and family and J. H. Lane and family of Jackson and V. C. Green and wife of Pittsford spent Sunday at the Thomas Lane home.

Church services will commence at 10:00 Railroad time next Sunday and will continue at that time for the next six months. Rev. Scott's subject for next Sunday will be "Prohibition."

Mrs. Rowena Tower aged 86 years passed away Friday at the home of her son Sherman where she had been making her home the past year. Mrs. Tower had lived in this vicinity all her life and is survived besides the son by a half-sister, Mrs. Lowery and five grandchildren, Georgia, Blenn, Beatrice, Margaret and Maitland Tower. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church at 2 o'clock, Monday Rev. McLouth of Addison, officiating.

An entertainment will take place at the M. E. Church Saturday evening September 26 beginning at 7:30. Musical selections will be given by Lola Bishop, Geraldine Carpenter, Ford McCowan and Dorothy Linsday. A debate on "Pacifism "Resolved that no individual should take part in any war" to be held between Rev. Scott and Harley Lane entire program will last about 1 hour and 30 minutes. A box social will be held after the program. No admittance will be charged.

Town Line

Frances Horton has been on the sick list.

Arthur Westcott is seriously ill at this writing.

Eugene Culbert and wife were in Jackson Saturday shopping.

Cleve Westcott and wife were in Lansing Monday on business.

A fruit tree agent of Blissfield is doing business on Town Line this week.

C. H. Jennings and family spent Sunday at the Anson Church home in Adams.

Mr. Havens, teacher in the Vielie district was ill Monday so there was no school.

Ben Tayne and wife of Hillsdale were callers at Abner Jennings Sunday afternoon.

Born to Herman Draper and wife September 18, twin daughters. Mother and children doing nicely.

Marion Ames, wife and daughter of Portland Mich. were recent guests at the home of C. H. Jennings.

Loyal Brown and wife had callers Tuesday from Hillsday. George Ziehrs and wife and a lady friend.

Clarence Jennings lost a new milch cow Tuesday night. They had refused $100 for her a few days ago.

Mrs. Lucille Giddings entertaintained the Somerset-Wheatland Improvement club last week Thursday afternoon.

Abner Jennings and wife of Town line F. Southard and wife of Addison who have been spending a few days at Houghton Lake and Muskegon returned home Wednesday evening.

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On Saturday evening last the numerous friends of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Westcott perpetrated a surprise upon them by coming to their home on the Curtis place. Those present were A. J. Calhoun and family, Glenn Mercer and family, Fred Mergenthaler and family of Litchfield, Ray Kern and family of Homer, Everett Williams and family, Raymond Barker and family, and Reid Shepard end family. Refreshments were served and a splendid social time is reported.

Hillsdale Fair Ball Games

A feature of the baseball tournament to be concluded at the Hillsdale Fair next week will be the fact that teams from four counties are left uneliminated for the series.

Albion the team that defeated the American Oils of Jackson at the Community Day game of Aug 20 will represent Calhoun county Quincy, the team which won from Tekonsha on Aug. 6 is from Branch Horton winner over Hillsdale Aug 27 from Jackson county, and Litchfield which eliminated Waldron, July 23, of Hillsdale county are the contenders. All the teams have had very successful seasons are well known in their counties and will bring crowds of local rooters from their communities.

A purse of $500 is offered by the Hillsdale County Fair Association. Quincy and Litchfield will play on Wednesday, winner to receive $80, loser $70. Albion and Horton on Friday with the same premiums. The two winners of these games will play Saturday, the final winner to receive $120, and loser of Saturday's game $80.

Obituary

Clara Belle Bohn was born in Moscow township, Hillsdale county February 18, 1899 and passed to the great beyond September 12, 1925 following an operation at Ford's Hospital in Detroit,

On November 12, 1916 she was united in marriage with Arthur Floyd Moore of Detroit and have since made their home there. To this union were born three children, Mary, age 8, Roy, age seven and Stanley age five years, who with the father are left to mourn the untimely death of a loving mother and wife.

Of the immediate relatives surviving are a father Conrad F, Bohn of North Adams, a brother Carol Bohn, a sister Jennie Bohn two half sisters, Mrs. Alexander McBeth and Mrs. Dell Burke all of Detroit and a half brother and sister Charles and Frances Bohn of this locality besides a host of relatives and friends who were shocked and saddened by the news of her death.

The remains were brought to the home of C, F. Bohn from which funeral services were conducted by Rev. Virgil Hunt Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock and she was laid to rest amid a bank of flowers beside her mother in the North Adams cemetery.

Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So hereafter the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25. Please bear in mind this is final and cancel all other announcements. To those who subscribe for McCall's let us say don't be alarmed if it takes a couple of weeks to ge the ceive McCall's the next day don't get nervous. It'll come in due time magazine coming. Of late the publishers assure us the volume of business coming in requires time to straighten out,

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Tuesday—Free School Childrens day, a big day for the children. See that they don't miss it. Athletic events on the infield. School declamatory and oratorical contests in the Woman's Congress building. Boys' stock judging contest and good band music. **Wednesday**—Judging of exhibits will be complete. It is the best time to see the awards. First game of the Base Ball Tournament LITCHFIELD vs. QUINCY. First day of Trotting and Pacing Races. Horse Shoe Pitching Contest near Educational Building. More good music. **Thursday**—THE BIG DAY. Everybody's Day. See the Shetland Pony Race for the children of the county. Trotting and Pacing races in the afternoon. Music by Bronson Band. Hear the program in the Womons' Congress building. **Friday**—It is another big day....Second Base Ball Tournament Game—HORTON vs. ALBION See the MULE RACE. Trotting and Pacing Races in the afternoon. Hillsdale Band....**Saturday** Free Soldier's and Sailor's Day. The last day but JUST AS BIG. Exhibits will remain in place until 3;30 p. m. Final Base Ball game between 2 winners. Final Harness Races; [illegible] general good time in all parts of the grounds for Everybody. Pioneer Band.

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2:30 Trot	350.00
Thurseday, Oct. 1	
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2:12 Pace	350.00
2:16 Trot	350.00
Saturday, October 3	
2:20 Pace	$350.00
2:14 Trot	350.00
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Friday, October 2	
2:22 Pace	$350.00
2:24 Trot	350.00
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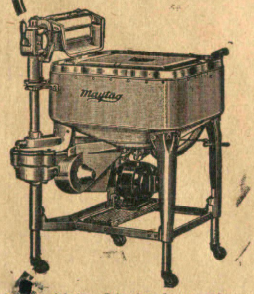

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Born to Leonard Harrington and wife Tuesday Sept. 29 a son.

Born to Glen Benedict and wife Thursday Sept. 24th a daughter.

Miss Genevieve Evans is spending the week at her home in Kalamazoo.

Fred Denning expects to remove to Northern Michigan to spend the winter.

T. N. Lamb and wife are spending the week with relatives in Goshen, Indiana.

Mrs. Etta Pray of Jonesville is at home this week on account of the week's vacation in our schools.

Fred Payne and Sanford Green spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. Payne's parents in Hillsdale.

W. H. Hoadley and family of Jonesville has removed to rooms over the shoe repair shop of Isaac Starr.

Mrs. Frank Bates and husband of Ransom visited Mrs. Bates sister Mrs. Nellie Hill and family Sunday.

The Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Wednesday October 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Olus Vaughn and baby of Fort Wayne Ind. were guests of Dr. McFarland and family this week.

Mrs. Theodore Ziegler and husband of Fort Wayne Indiana were guests of her son Dr. McFarland and family on Tuesday.

The Baptist church is now ready for use and services and Sunday school will be conducted there next Sunday, Oct. 4th at the usual hour

Miss Delia Olmstead, George Unger and wife and Mrs. Jacob Cattieu, all of Newark N. Y. were week end guests at the Carrel home

Everyone buy their eats of the S. P. I. Class at their food sale next week Saturday, Oct. 10th. Anyone having a special order please phone Maud Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Fish of Glendale California were pleasant callers last Monday at the homes of Lester Daniels and family and Geo Holcomb and family. Mr. Fish is a brother of Mrs. W. Schilling now of Glendale California.

The largest farm agency in the world is making arrangements to come into Hillsdale county, attracted here by our system of T. B. tests for cattle and advertising which this county has had through the papers as a throroughbred cattle country.

Ezra J. Whitmore of Suttons Bay Michigan was in North Adams the first part of the week calling on old friends. He is postmaster at the above town which he says is a burg of about 600 population. His son Glenn Whitmore formerly of this place is located in the Bank at Suttons Bay.

Ex-Judge Willis L. Watkins and wife of Manchester Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Morton E. Thierwechter (nee Lynda Watkins and children Douglas, Emery and Margaret, of Harvard Boulevard, Toledo, Ohio, were the guests of their aunt Carrie Bryant Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Bryant is great-great aunt of the children.

The S. P. I. Class held their regular meeting Friday at the home of Pauline Gray with a good attendance to enjoy the following progrnm: "My trip to Niagara Falls" Eva Overley; "My trip to the State Fair" Lois Holcomb; "My trip to the Adrian Fair" Cora Franks all of which were given in answer to roll call. Duet Lois and Muriel Holcomb book report "The Harvester" Cora Franks; monologue, Belle Sweezey; The next meeting will be with Maud Anderson.

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Jay North and family attended the Fair on Tuesday.

George Walworth and family attended the Fair on Tuesday.

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Mrs. Minnie Vreeland of Lansing was calling on friends in town this week.

Owing to the home folks all being at the fair this week items are very scarce,

John Williams has an exhibit of farm implements at the Hillsdale Fair this year.

The Woman's Club will meet at the home of Fannie Fowler Monday, Oct. 5, 1925.

John Keefus whose leg was broken in Jackson some time ago, is able to be about the streets with a crutch

Mrs. Myron Burger died at her home in Blissfield Monday morning Funeral services will be held today (Friday) at Osseo.

The S. E. class meets at the home of Fred Wisner and mother Oct. 6 for the annual meeting. Program and bring either cake or wafers.

Fred I. Williams & Son this week are building a new loading platform on the east side of the mill, the old one having been found unsafe for use.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday, October 6th at the home of Mrs. Mary Wertz for an all-day meeting. Potluck dinner and sewing for the bazaar.

A collision occurred on the highway one and a half miles south of Jerome between a Ford truck and a Ford touring car about midnight Monday. The touring car was smashed to a wreck and the truck sustained a broken spring and radiator and the left hand fender was smashed. The truck was south bound and driven by Ralph Totten of Pittsford and the touring car was using only one head light and driven by Mr. Krow of Wheatland. Mr Krow and his sister were injured but not seriously. The truck was brought to Sharp's Garage for repairs.

The Friendly Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school of Montgomery gave a public reception at the church Wednesday Sept. 23rd for the pleasure of their teacher Mrs. H. E. Wylie, and their pastor Rev. Wylie, who leave this week for their new pastorate in North Adams. The congregations of west Reading, Algansee and California responded to the invitations issued by the class and a large company filled the church which was arranged as a parlor for the evening, with two floor lamps, floor vases filled with autumn flowers. A grogram consisting of readings by Mrs. Genevra McNaughton, vocal duet by Misses Alice Small and Mildred Aukerman, piano duet by the Misses Maxine and Maurine Todd and congregational singing added to the enjoyment of the evening. A potluck supper was served after the program. Mr. Wylie began his pastorate last Sunday, in his new work, he will have two appointments—North Adams and Wheatland.—Montgomery Record

Report of Hoxie Aid

Year ending Sept. 1st, 1925

Amount in treasury	$12 90
Amount taken for suppers	30 80
" " dinners	19 63
Socials, community gatherings	31 64
Flower fund	5 00
Baked goods sale	5 95
Strobel Auction	32 09
Dues	26 67
Total	$164 68

Expenditures

Ministers salary	$40 00
Screens basement	10 00
Sheets, hospital	20 10
Silverware, cases	7 96
Money flower fund	26 30
Church bulletins	5 00
Other expenses	37 64
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Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

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The Debate At Jerome

On Saturday evening there took place at Jerome Methodist church a debate on the queston "Resolved That no individual should engage in War" and Rev. Scott took the affirmative and Harley Lane took the negative side of the argument. Both gentlemen created quite a stir with their talks and both did ample justice to the subject. The house was well filled with spectators and the judges decided that the negative had won. Both gentlemen put up mighty good arguments. George B. Smith was chairman of the meeting and judges were Harley Voorhees, C. W. McGregor and I. W. Wertenberger.

Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kempton of North Adams celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Saturday, September 26th. A banquet was served in the parlors of the Congregational Church to about fifty guests, following which there was a short program.

Mr. and Mrs. Kempton have been residents of Hillsdale County all their lives. Mr. Kempton is a son of David B. Kempton who took up the land which Mr. Kempton still has in his possession from the government in 1837. Mr. Kempton's ancestory in this country dates back to 1623, when the first immigrant, Ephriam Kempton, arrived at Plymouth, Mass. in the ship Ann, which was one of the companion ships of the Mayflower.

Until the last few years Mr. Kempton has resided on his farm one half mile west of North Adams, always taking an active interest in civic and political affairs. He was for over twenty years a member of the school board and for several terms acted as supervisor of the township. In 1919 he was elected Treasurer of Hillsdale County, serving for four years at which time Mr. and Mrs. Kempton resided in Hillsdale later returning to their present home in North Adams. He is a past master of the Masonic Lodge, in which he has always taken an active interest.

Mrs. Kempton is the daughter of Joseph and Lydia Noyes Bagley whose ancestry dates back to early New England stock. Mrs. Kempton is a descendant of Colonel John Franklin who played such an active part in settling the land controversy between Connecticut and Pennsylvania before and during the Revolutionary War.

For many years both Mr. and Mrs. Kempton have been active supporters of the Congregational Church. In early years they did much to aid in a musical way, and Mrs. Kempton has always been a devoted worker in church and Sunday School activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Kempton have four children—Mrs. Fred Randolph of Jerome, Michigan, J. E. Kempton of North Adams, Dr. R. M. Kempton of Saginaw and L. R. Kempton of Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

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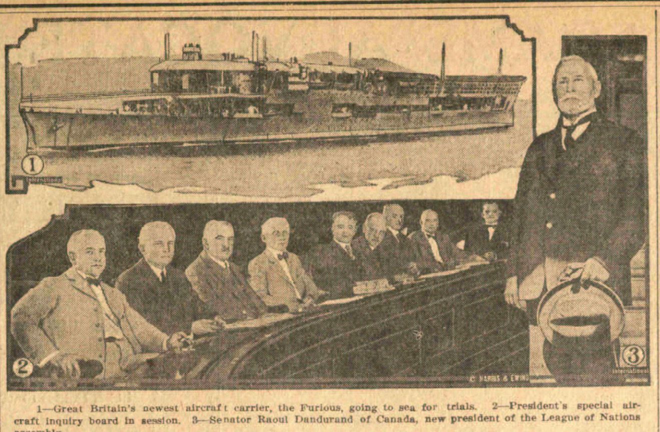

1—Great Britain's newest aircraft carrier, the Furious, going to sea for trials. 2—President's special aircraft inquiry board in session. 3—Senator Raoul Dandurand of Canada, new president of the League of Nations assembly.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

What the Aircraft Board Is Learning From Army and Navy Officers.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL'S pet scheme, the creation of a separate department of aeronautics, received many sharp blows during the first week of the hearings held by the President's special aircraft board. For the army, it was opposed by Acting Secretary of War Davis, Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, chief of the army air service; Major General Hines, chief of staff, and Brig. Gen. Hugh Drum, assistant chief of staff. For the navy, vigorous objections were voiced by Secretary Wilbur, Admiral Eberle, chief of naval operations; Admiral Moffett, chief of the bureau of aeronautics, and Admiral Strauss of the general board. Incidentally, Colonel Mitchell has been suspended from active service.

Mr. Davis told the board and the American people that there was "no need for fear about the condition of the nation's air forces," insisting that the service would be quickly put in excellent shape if congress would grant larger appropriations. General Patrick, though opposing a separate aeronautics department in the cabinet, did favor the consolidation of the War and Navy departments into a department of national defense; furthermore, he supported the charges made by Colonel Mitchell, that the development of an adequate air froce has been hampered by higher officials who do not comprehend its vast importance. He justified the policy of conservative building of planes until there is more certainty as to the types wanted for quantity production. But in contrast with Mitchell's assertion that the army has but a handful of effective, up-to-date planes, General Patrick said he has 396 fit for use in an emergency. Of these, 90 are bombardment planes, 249 observation planes, 26 pursuit planes and 31 training planes. He stated he had no attack planes. In addition, he has 40 obsolete planes and 1,000 others that could not be used in war.

Asked just what is the matter with the air service, General Patrick replied:

"The air service is not treated as a real member of the family. Our recommendations are frequently ignored and our motives questioned. The fact is that the development of the air arm has lessened the importance of every other arm of the national defense.

"Aircraft reaching out over sea have minimized somewhat the need of coast defense.

"Scouting far in advance, they have made cavalry less necessary for reconnaissance.

"Conducting operations far beyond the range of land guns they have made artillery less important, and even the infantry, the backbone of the army.

"So, coming into being as it has, the air arm has not been welcomed. The recommendations for its development must be passed on by officers belonging to these various other arms whose importance is being minimized by the new force and they—well, they don't realize the importance of the new weapon. It was a long time before I could get any recognition of the air force in the War department."

Generals Hines and Drum disagreed with General Patrick as to the superior importance of the air force to infantry, cavalry and artillery. In the matter of congressional appropriations, Representative Vinson of Georgia, a member of the board, asserted congress had voted all the air force funds the War department had asked for.

NEXT the navy came to bat, and Secretary Wilbur led off with the declaration that to divorce the aeronautics arm from the navy arm would be "a well nigh irreparable mistake." Admiral Eberle asserted that adoption of the Mitchell proposals would "bring disaster to national defense interests"; and Admiral Moffett argued that because of the intimate connection between naval vessels and naval aircraft in the fighting of future sea battles, it would be suicidal to take aviation away from the navy and put it in a separate department.

"Such a change in organization would violate the fundamental requirement of national defense, which is unity," he explained. "The plan for a separate department is unsound strategically, tactically and economically. The organization of a single air service would fatally complicate the national defense problem. This has been amply demonstrated abroad. Commander J. H. Towers, a naval aviator of wide experience, who has lately returned from duty abroad, has stated, 'The more I see of the separate air force idea the more opposed I am to it.'"

Admiral Strauss said that the experiment of England and Italy with a unified air service has been a failure and England is reverting to the old system.

Secretary of Commerce Hoover and Postmaster General New were called on to tell the board about commercial aviation prospects, and they agreed that America is about to witness the development of the greatest commercial air transport system in the world, if only the government does its part.

Mr. Hoover told the board that commercial aviation can be established on a vast scale in this country without the payment of the large government subsidies to private enterprise which have resulted in the development of the European aerial carriage systems and, he believes, without the payment of any direct subsidy at all. But it will be necessary for congress to enact air transport legislation analogous to the merchant marine law, he said, and to provide for air navigation service by the government such as is afforded water navigation.

BESIDES starting its technical investigation of the causes of the Shenandoah disaster, the naval court of inquiry brought out a number of facts concerning the dirigible's fatal flight. It was learned that Lieutenant Commander Zachary Lansdowne had recommended that the flight be deferred until the second week of September, but this was not because of probable weather conditions, but solely on the ground of the limited time for receiving, regassing and refueling the airship at Scott field, Illinois, and at Detroit. The Navy department already had deferred to the opinion of Lansdowne that the flight should be made in September instead of July because the earlier month was the season of violent storms in the Middle West, but it disapproved of his suggestion to wait until the second week of September because it was desired that the dirigible should fly over a number of state fairs held during the first week.

JOSEPH CAILLAUX, French finance minister, together with his colleagues of the debt-funding commission, arrived in Washington, prepared to settle the French debt terms quickly and avowedly hopeful of that result. On the way across the Atlantic M. Caillaux formulated the terms he intended to offer the United States, but he did not tell them to anyone, not even to the other members of the commission. Moreover, the American commission has agreed that the proceedings shall be in secret, so probably the public must await their conclusion to learn authoritatively what is offered by the Frenchman. It was stated in Washington that if no agreement has been reached before October 3, when Caillaux must leave for home to prepare for the opening of the French parliament, he will offer annual payments, beginning in 1926, of $40,000,000, to be increased after 1931. If this is not accepted he will ask the United States to send a commission across to study France's financial situation and capacity to pay. He frankly said he expected easier terms than those granted Great Britain.

AS WAS expected, the League of Nations found the Mosul question too hard for it to settle, and so referred it to The Hague court. The British and French members of the inquiry committee had agreed that the league should handle the problem, but the Swedish delegate was obdurate, and as the constitution demands unanimity of all committee reports, he carried his point and had the matter referred. The British, both the delegates in Geneva and the officials at home, are much disgruntled and now some of them begin to doubt the full efficacy of the league. As for Turkey, there is no assurance that she will accept the decision of the world court if it is adverse to her claims.

ACCORDING to the London Daily Graphic, the British government has learned that since 1922 more than $3,000,000 of Moscow gold has been paid to Socialist members of parliament, trade union officials and prominent radical leaders. The home office has the details of the case and the paper says there would be a tremendous political sensation if the names of the recipients of the propaganda money were made public. The largest payment to an individual is said to have been $26,000. Another London paper says Georges Tchitcherin, soviet foreign minister, is likely to be removed because he failed to prevent Germany's turning to England and France instead of to Russia for a security pact. He may be succeeded by M. Karakhan, now ambassador to China.

AMERICAN aviators who are in the service of the sultan of Morocco in the Riffian war have been warned by the State department that they are violating the law and are liable to arrest and punishment in the United States. But they assert they have taken no oath of allegiance, have signed no enlistment papers and feel quite justified in serving under the sultan. They declare they will remain there throughout the campaign. The French commander is making use of them continually and they have demonstrated their efficiency in many bombing operations, these frequently being against undefended Riff villages. It is reported in Fez that Abd-el-Krim has offered $5,000 for every member of the Sherifian squadron brought to him dead or alive. The French and Spanish armies are still advancing into Riff territory but will soon be compelled to dig in for the rainy season, when the more mobile natives will have a chance for swift raiding. Their foes hope and expect that the winter season will bring famine that will compel the Riffians to submit.

INSIDE facts of the futile campaign to secure for Gen. Leonard Wood the Republican presidential nomination in 1920 were brought out in Chicago in the suit of William Cooper Procter of Cincinnati to recover $50,000 from Col. A. A. Sprague of Chicago. During the campaign they jointly signed a note for $100,000 to obtain a loan from a bank. The defense alleged the campaign cost $1,750,000 and was conducted entirely by Procter who had sole control of the expenditure of the money, telling those who protested against extravagance that it was none of their business.

PROMINENT men who died during the week included James Deering, Chicago and Miami millionaire and former official of the Deering Harvester company, who succumbed to a complication of diseases while at sea on his return from France; Sir Francis Darwin, son of Charles Darwin and himself an eminent scientist; Paul Bartlett, American sculptor, at his home in Rome; A. C. Bedford, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey; and Sir Pratap Singh, the maharajah of Jammu and Kashmir, whose nephew and heir was the "Mr. A." of the blackmail case which created such a sensation in London last winter.

RESUMPTION of civil war in China between the forces of General Feng and Marshal Chang Tso-lin is expected "within a few days," according to dispatches from Tokyo. The first fighting will be for the control of Shansi province, and Marshal Wu Pei-Fu is likely to take an active part there. The Japanese government has declared it will maintain neutrality.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE has issued a proclamation recommending that the week of October 4 be observed as national fire prevention week. He appeals for "earnest study of the principles of fire protection" and asks all state and municipal officials and citizens generally for fullest co-operation.

Bribery Charged to British Labor Leaders

London.—London is much aroused over the exposure of the chief Communist agitators among leaders in English life who have received money from Russia.

A. A. Purcell, Labor member of parliament and one of the leaders of the left wing of the Labor party, was a member of the British trade union delegation which visited Moscow last December. On his return he was closely interrogated on December 29 by the executive committee of the trade union congress, of which he is a member, about an alleged receipt for £5,000 ($25,000) from the Soviet government.

Mr. Purcell said the money was his own. When pressed he said he had been robbed of £5,000 on the train going to Moscow and the Soviets made good the loss. Pressed to tell where he got so much money, he said it was intrusted to him by friends for a private trade deal.

Five days before the opening of the Labor party congress at Liverpool Ramsay MacDonald, leader of the party and former prime minister, had launched a vigorous attack on Communists who are seeking admittance to the party. Writing in the Forward, a Glasgow labor paper, he says their admittance is impossible.

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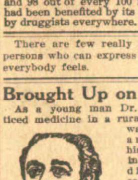
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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Ann Arbor—A report on the advisability of erecting a new stadium is expected at a meeting of the regents of the university. A special committee of the senate council will make the report.

Grand Rapids—The Consumers Power company soon will offer to purchase the municipal lighting system which furnishes power to city-owned buildings and boulevard and corner lights.

Paw Paw—In recognition of 50 years membership in the Odd Fellows Lodge of this place, an appropriation medal was presented to Captain James D. Bullard, of St. Cloud, Fla., formerly of Paw Paw.

Lansing—Mrs. Georgia White, of Grand Rapids, was chosen leader of Michigan's woman Democrats, when the minority party executives met here to bolster up its spirits and make preliminary plans for 1926.

Trenton—Mail delivery for the village of Trenton has been authorized by the postoffice department, Fred Pomering, postmaster, announced. The new service will be started November 16, covering the village twice a day.

Grand Rapids—An inquiry into the collection of a toll fee from motorists at the temporary bridge on the Bridge road as in the days when a ferry was operated at the spot, revealed that Ottawa County officials had sanctioned the charging of the toll.

Port Huron—U. S. Representative Louis Cramton will be the guest of the city October 15. He will deliver an illustrated lecture on "Hawaii." Representative Cramton also will receive the thanks of the city for his efforts in obtaining the lighthouse park from the government.

Ann Arbor—Debaters from the University of Michigan will make a trip to seven of the largest English universities during the coming spring, it was announced by Professor Thomas C. Trueblood, head of the public speaking department of the university, and coach of the varsity debating team.

Utica—Announcement was made by the comptroller of currency that a charter has been issued to the First National Bank of Utica, Mich., with a capital of $25,000. The new bank succeeds the Farmers' and Merchants' bank at Utica. August B. Hahn, is president and E. F. Schulz is cashier.

Saginaw—Miss Ottilia M. Frisch, Saginaw county school commissioner, was elected secretary of the commissioners' department of the Michigan State Teachers' association at the final meeting of the commissioners' conference. Fred Fischer, assistant commissioner at Wayne county, was named chairman.

Bay City—Bay City is to be host to a group of Red Cross workers during the first week of November, when a regional conference is to be held here. About 20 Michigan counties will be represented. The National Red Cross will send a speaker of wide repute here, and the veterans bureau will also be represented.

Bay City—Martin H. Carmody, of Grand Rapids, deputy supreme knight of the Knights of Columbus, has accepted an invitation to visit Bay City on the occasion of the installation of new officers on October 7. A number of men prominent in the Knights of Columbus from various points in Michigan will also be present.

Lansing—The State Conservation Commission passed a resolution Sept. 21 attributing the serious forest fire losses of the last summer to the fact that Michigan has no slash law, and calling upon Gov. Alex. J. Groesbeck to call a conference for the drafting of a uniform slash law for submission to the Legislatures of Ontario, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan.

Ionia—The Ionia Water Power Electric company will be purchased by the Consumers Power company, according to information here. It is an old established firm, dating from 1888, with one of its original stockholders, H. R. Wagar, as present president. The Consumers company purchased the Ionia Gas company a few weeks ago. It is understood the gas and electric offices will be combined here.

Saginaw—County school commissioners from all over Michigan, state department of public instruction officials, officials of the Michigan State Teachers association and others were here Sept. 23 and 24 for a two day conference. Subjects of general interest to the commissioners were discussed. The educators were entertained at a dinner at the Hotel Bancroft, and an address by Dr. Hilton Ira Jones followed.

Lansing—The State Conservation Commission has decided tentatively that it will be necessary for the state to disguise its game and fire wardens as land experts and send them out to decide what lands are eligible for registration under the Pearson timber land tax act. The act was passed to encourage the holding of potential timber land. Under its terms all general property taxes would be set aside in favor of an annual acreage tax of 5 cents a year on pine lands and 10 cents a year on hardwood lands.

Lansing—Approximately 350 miles of highway construction work will be completed this year, compared with 849 miles last year, according to an estimate by Frank L. Rogers, state highway commissioner. The marked slump in the amount of mileage is in line with the announced policy of Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck and members of the State Administrative Board to cut down to a 'pay as you go" basis. The cost of road work this year averaged about $35,000 a mile for concrete and around $11,000 for gravel according to Rogers.

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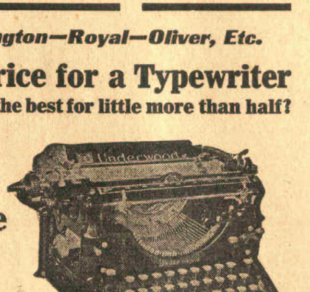

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Why Is a Newspaper Publisher a Goat?

We have often noticed during the 30 years we have been in the printing trade that a large amount of free advertising goes with the business, and the newspaper publisher is constantly menaced by some form of circular of publicity cunningly disguised, and which he should receive pay for, and if he could collect would amount to thousands of dollars during the year, and the question naturally arises "Why the free publicity?" Some forlorn rascal who engaged in the art preeervative way back in past years, no doubt started the notion by "passing the buck" to some one who wanted a little praise for something he had done or undone, and thus the miserable business got a foothold, which it has maintained ever since.

The days of the one-horse four-corners weekly with subscriptions paid in wood and pumpkins have about ended, and a man either runs a paper of consequence with real currency of the realm or he quits right quick—in other words the running expenses of the average paper in country villages to-day is no small item, and he who would succeed and realize a profit must look to his pay roll. Help and materials are terribly high and it costs 80 per cent more to keep the wheels turning than 15 years ago. and the man who fritters away his time and space for less than $2.00 per hour or 25c per inch is bound for ruin at a galloping pace. Hence the wide-awake publisher declines with thanks most of the sugar coated propositions sent out by publicity sharks throughout the United States. The chances are the man who invents this cunningly camouflaged stuff is paid a tremendous salary (so great is the stake) and so important and lucrative the results, and any man who resides in the country districts and is foolish enough to publish this line of gaff will eventually become an easy mark. We do not presume to mention names but it is a fact that many of the fairs and carnivals make it a point to sandwich in line upon line of readers free accompanying their paid space, which under the circumstances the publisher cannot easily refuse.

In small villages of 500 population more or less, it is indeed fortunate to keep a real live paper as it should be kept, since the business of little bergs is so seriously cut into by near-by cities, but most of them are making manful struggles to keep the newspaper going.

There is in every small village a class of disgruntled birds who get slightly offended with the local editor and develop a strong admiration for the publisher of the big daily and they believe the daily paper in an adjoining city is their salvation when in reality the daily is their worst enemy, and if they knew the injustice it worked to the home publisher, they would quit at once. If you should see the local paper moving out you would at once want the reason, and no one removal would land your village in the cemetery quicker than this.

If you have an idea the daily has any interest in the welfare of North Adams other than the size of your pocketbook you are mistaken, for its little they care for your ideals or your troubles. They'll soak you $7.00 to $10.00 for an auction bill ad set off on the back page in small type and laugh at your joke. Nine tenths of their circulation for which you pay 40c to 50c per inch and get only one-tenth benefit, is in the distance, several miles away—too far for you to draw from.

Do they pay your village tax?

They do not.

When a loved one dies, do they publish the obituary?

They do not except as you pay them by the word.

You send an item with a number of people's names not familiar to the daily force and Jim Johnson is quite likely to appear as John Jackson, and so it goes.

Finally, we don't believe there is a person in North Adams or vicinity whe would like to see the village without a paper.

Death of Augustus Borden

Augustus Borden, brother of J. H. and Ed Borden and Mrs. Edd Carter, an uncle of Everett Borden the old-time singing master of this village, passed away last week Wednesday afternoon at the home of his son, Charles, near Jonesville aged 85 years, after a long illness from kidney trouble. Augustus was a ranking craftsman, being one of the oldest Masons in Michigan, having been born in the state of Ohio Dec. 27, 1839. He joined the Hamilton Lodge at Moscow one year after the breaking out of the Civil war, and later joined the Royal Arch Masonry at Jonesville. He resided in North Adams, Moscow, Chicago, Mt. Pleasant and at other points during a long active life, He was the father of one daughter Carrie, also musically inclined, now Mrs. Stogvill of Buffalo, and one son, Charles Borden of Scipio township.

Many were the happy singing schools conducted by Mr. Borden in the community and the vocal music of the times received an uplift.

Funeral services were conducted at the home of his son Sept. 18th and the remains conveyed to Mt. Pleasant, Michigan for burial.

"There is a reaper grim, whose name is death, and with his sickle keen he reaps the bearded grain and the flowers that grow between"

We Attended The Jackson Fair

And we wish to state right here that it was managed on a strictly clean basis this season for we understand Police Chief VanDeBogart had his strict orders to pull any and all offenders who seemed the least little bit off color or who wanted to pull off any buzzing little wheel deals. We saw no gambling devices of any nature inside the grounds. The splendid exhibits of vegetables and fruits such as Jackson county is noted for, was wonderful and no mistake The exhibits of splendid automobiles was beyond comparison and stock entries we suppose up to the standard.

The sore thumb of the Fair this season was the terribly inclement weather which kept a large delegation away—and also we hate to say it—but the sky high price of admission (50c) was beyond a large number of pocketbooks among certain classes of people who might have ran the perilous chance of exhausting the family exchequer by paying 35c and 40c stiff though it might seem. These two factors we are sorry to say entered in with brazen impudance and practically swamped what might have been a successful enterprise. We are genuinely sorry for the officials of the organization, since it is plain they have labored and sweat blood to build up what the Burris administration failed to conceive—viz., a thoroughly clean and well financed fair.

It is too bad the powers behind the throne in Jackson county could not have seen the dilemma better than three years ago when things began to go awry. At that time a strong clean hand could have brought the Fair out of the woods, but alas and alack! The burnt out ashes of a mis-managed and immoral exhibition are the reward. We feel sorry for ourselves—since we did our best to advertise the Jackson Fair this season, and we suppose we are among a bunch of watching and waiting creditors—but it cannot be helped. Let the county fairs of the state of Michigan profit by Jackson's fiaso, and see to it they build on the solid rock of reputability, not the shifting sands of a "get-the-dough-at any-price" philosophy. Many a man has lost his soul by reaching for more a little too far out, likewise many a Fair has gone to the junk heap by public approval simply because they followed the God of Mammon at the expense of decency.

Hillsdele Fair this week.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF HILLSDALE.

At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said county on the 8th day of September A. D., 1925.

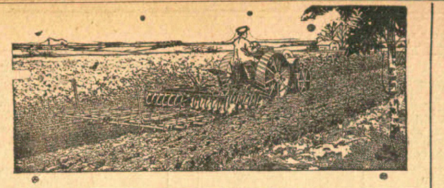
Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Emily Carter incompetent.

Jay D. Knowles, guardian, having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof, said ward being deceased.

It is ordered that rhe 8th day of October A. D., 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
5lt3 Judge of Probate



RADIO IS GREAT BOON TO AGRICULTURAL PROGRESS

No Invention Since the Steam Engine Has Such a Widespread Influence Upon Rural Life, Says Radio Head.

FARM'S ISOLATION NOW PAST

Broadcasting Has Banished the Dullness, the Utter Monotony and Lack of Recreation That Were Causing the Girls and Boys and the Hired Hands to Desert the Soil and Seek the City.

In an address before the Advertising Club of New York City General James G. Harbord, the commander of the Marines at Chateau Thierry during the World War and who now holds the position of President of the Radio Corporation of America, said radio has a greater application to the farm and farm life than to any other phase of our national life. General Harbord speaks with authority on this topic for he is not only one of the leaders of radio in the United States but his boyhood days on a farm have given him an intimate insight into the problems which confront the American farmer. His address in part follows:

GENERAL J. G. HARBORD, U. S. A., Retired, President of Radio Corporation of America.

As more or less of a Kansas farmer I am glad of this opportunity to say a few words to you on the relation of radio to the farmer. Though I must confess that I have not worked steadily at farming—indeed have missed quite a number of crop seasons during thirty-four years of absence in the Army and several more covering my recent activities in the radio industry, my memories of sixteen-hour-days on a Kansas farm, as we lived it forty years and more ago, are keen enough to give me a sympathetic understanding of the farmer's major problems. I spent my boyhood on the Kansas prairies, went from the farm to an agricultural college, where I managed to graduate, supposed to be in possession of whatever science there was in the farming profession at that time. To the end of my days, while memory endures, I shall continue to have an appreciation of life as the farmer lives it.

Radio a Rural Regenerator

So that it is with the feeling that I am, perhaps, in some small measure discharging the obligations of forty years ago, that I see radio—my present field of endeavor—becoming more and more a factor in the life of the farmer.

A brief consideration of the farming industry will help us to appreciate what radio has done and can do for the farmer. Most of us, as city dwellers, do not take the farming industry at its full face value. We fail to recognize its tremendous magnitude and its paramount importance to the nation. Farming is not only our greatest industry, but is greater than all our other industries combined.

The sometimes inarticulate and unappreciated farmer—the symbolic Man with the Hoe—is the most important single element of our many millions. There are thirty-one millions of American farmers, nearly thirty per cent of our total population. If we add those persons living in agricultural communities, though not actually engaged in farming, we have a total of fifty-one millions, or nearly half the total population of our country.

With the tremendous expansion of farm wealth in the recent decades the problems of farm management and farm labor have more than multiplied. The great growth of our urban population in recent years has been due, in large measure, to migration from the rural districts. This represents a great loss of man-power on the farm; and it is a grave problem which affects you and me ultimately, just as it now concerns the farmer of the North, South, East and West. A similar movement from country to city preceded the fall of the Roman Empire.

The immediate reason for this exodus from the countryside, aside from its part as possibly one of the great cycles of history, lies primarily in the greater opportunities for recreation and interest afforded by life in the city.

Something has had to be done to cherish our farm life and safeguard our great farming industry. The farm has had to be made more attractive, both in the actual work done, and in the actual living of its life. Much has been done and much remains to be done.

The rural telephone first came and, to some extent, helped to end the isolation of farm life. The farmer and his family, even though many miles distant, could keep in touch with their neighbors when the telephone line came to their home. The rural telephone line is usually a purely local institution. It is of practical utility, but it is also a convenient means of keeping in touch with friends living too far away for face-to-face conversation and exchange of gossip. Farmers' party lines, I have an idea, are largely supported by the exchange of news between the women of the rural neighborhood. The farmers' party line, with numerous eavesdroppers listening in on conversations not intended for them, must have been a legitimate ancestor of the broadcasting of our modern day.

Magic Advent of Broadcasting

The memorable year of 1920 marked the magic advent of radio broadcasting. In that year dawned the art of disseminating information and entertainment to unlimited audiences—and with it there dawned a new era for the farmer and his family—and farm isolation became a matter of history.

Radio broadcasting, I devoutly believe, is the greatest force yet developed by man in his march down the slopes of time. Since Gutenberg devised his crude wooden type and made printing possible nearly five centuries ago, there has been no single invention so closely touching human interest and human welfare as this miracle of the ages. The voice of radio broadcasting penetrates the cottage of the humblest farmer as readily as it does the palace of the Fifth Avenue millionaire. It laughs at distance. It recognizes no distinctions and plays no favorites. It is the entertainment and the education for the million and as such is available to everyone, being literally as free as air.

For a fraction of the cost of his motor car the farmer buys his seat in the radio audience, in the form of a receiving set. Thereafter the farmhouse is in touch with city life; its isolation has forever gone. Via radio the farmer goes to distant markets to learn conditions and better to direct the shipment of his crops and live stock. Through radio he receives the advice of agricultural authorities. It is a friend in the time of the farmer's need. Be it insect plague, animal epidemic, threatening weather or other adverse condition, the radio brings to the farmer the information necessary to meet the problems of the time. With these utilitarian benefits of radio there come a wealth of entertainment.

Gives Information and Entertainment

Now for a few of the details of these varied services which roughly divide into the two parts of information and entertainment.

The chief handicap to the farmer in marketing the results of his labor has been his lack of knowledge of market demands and the trend of prices on the day when he started his products to market. Radio can supply the need by giving market information, accurately and timely. That is what is being done by broadcasting stations throughout the country with the free co-operation of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, similar bureaus in the states, and certain farm journals whose interest in this work extends quite unselfishly beyond their printed pages or their subscription lists. With accurate crop and market reports the farmer, in full confidence, can work with his radio information in much the same manner as the stock broker does with his ticker tape in buying and selling stocks and bonds.

The city listener, tuning in on a station only to hear a voice reeling off the price of White Leghorn eggs, fancy cabbage, red onions and pork, where he had hoped to hear jazz, may not be much impressed with the value of market reports. He may even deprecate the use of radio facilities for matters that are without interest to him. But at that very moment there are thousands of men on farms who have laid aside everything else in order to listen in on what is, to them, business information—a matter of dollars and cents in handling the crops of the season.

To the city dweller, luxuriating in a steam-heated apartment, it may matter little to know that a cold spell is expected within forty-eight hours, but to the farmer it means the orchard to be protected from frost, the hen houses to be closed, the pumps and pipes to be drained, the emptying of tractor and automobile radiators. Weather reports are very valuable in times when perishable crops are being gathered. The farmer must make his hay while the sun shines.

There are many uses of radio broadcasting in connection with the securing of labor in time of scarcity; in coping with epizootics among farm animals; in battling against insect pests; in furthering the mission of farmers' organizations; and in developing better methods of farming. In rush seasons broadcasting may well call attention to the availability of labor supply. It may contribute to the fluidity of such supply by enabling one region to draw on the labor surplus of another.

In animal epidemics there is, generally, no lack of information as to the proper procedure. The problem is to make such information instantly available The farmer who, in times of emergency, must act promptly, has the time or the inclination to

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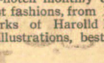

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 24th day of August. A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Carter Deceased.

Augustus Borden having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Jay D. Knowles or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered: That the 8th day of October A D., 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition,

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspeper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
15t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March. A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savinge Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale. and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now. therefore. notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest btdder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy ths amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said morigage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
John F. Steward Mortgagee
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich,

Mortgage Sale

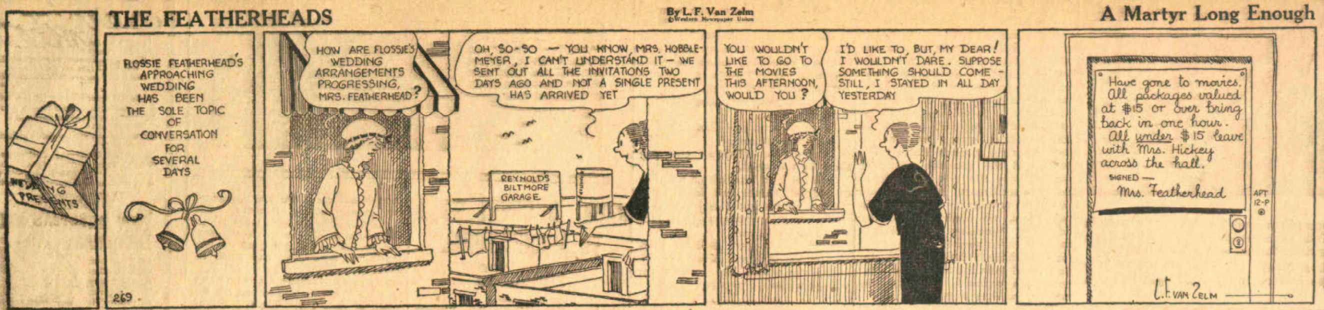
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N, Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Morıgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, 1131t
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.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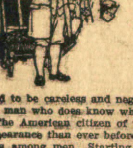
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN appeared at the French court dressed like an ordinary farmer. The treaty of alliance between the united colonies and France was signed against a most sumptuous background of gorgeously dressed courtiers in satin breeches, gold-braided coats, buckled slippers and powdered wigs. The king was there in all his regal splendor. The assembly room was bedecked with the most lavish brilliance of the period.



And in the midst of all this splendor stood the American envoy in his faded old brown suit and holding a shabby, fur cap in his hands. This incongruous appearance was taken, both at home and abroad, as being representative of American simplicity and democracy, but nothing could be further from the facts. Franklin had, it was afterward learned, ordered a suitable court costume from his tailor, one that would enable him to take his place with satisfaction among the diplomats and nobles of Europe. But the costume was not finished in time.

The effect of proper dressing is just as great upon a man as it is with women. It gives him a self-confidence and self-esteem that is not gained in any other way. The very fact that some men tend to be careless and negligent about their clothes gives an added asset to the man who does know what to wear and when to wear it.

The American citizen of today demands a higher standard of tailoring and appearance than ever before. Each year has brought an increased fastidiousness among men. Starting with a well-tailored custom-made suit, the 1925 man selects shoes and socks a few shades darker, a hat that will tone with but not match the suit and a tie that affords a pleasing but not pronounced contrast. He looks well, he knows it and is in keeping with the slogan, "dressed to succeed."

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Five Years Of Prohibition And Its Results

In its June-July-August issue, The North American Review published ten articles, written from the point of view of those opposed to the present system of National Prohibition. In the September October-November issue appear corresponding articles written from the point of view of those who approve and support the Eighteenth Amendment. The editors tell us that "both sets of articles were written and received by The North American Review at the same time so that neither was prepared with any knowledge of the contents of the other, or with any reference to it." We quote in part from the current number:

"Is there prohibition? And to what extent? asks Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League of America, and pertinently suggests that we must "determine progress by measuring distance from the starting point rather than from the goal."

He says, "The extent of prohibition's success is evidenced by the revolutions it has caused in private and public life, in social and economic fields, in the realms of crime, povery, disease and insanity. These, with kindred social indicators, are the sole trustworthy witnesses we may summon to join the history of license days in testimony to the achievements of this new national policy. If we had no prohibition, conditions today would probably be as they were before the Eighteenth Amendment, with the natural increases incident to population growth and the unwholesome stimulation ot immorality and crime that usually comes as the aftermath of war. Our memories are rather short. Prohibition has accomplished so much that we expected it to build Rome in a day It has cleaned up so much of the moral and social wreckage of a century in which Booze was King that we are shocked today to find hidden away furtively in the corner, some of the debris from the old Belshazzar's Feast." Mr. Wheeler follows with a convincing deadly parallel of conditions before prohibition and at present.

PROHIBITION AND RESPECT FOR LAW

James J. Britt, chief counsel of the Prohibition Unit, says in part: "Upon the whole, the progress made has justified the hopes of all familiar with the history of great reforms. At the beginning many thought it would take a generation to effect the end. We are dealing with human aptitudes deeply ingrained and long abiding It took more than three hundred years to lead the people of Israel from the practice of idolatry, and more than forty years for the Amer icag people to stop the slave trade after Congress had made it unlawful. In the light of human experience, we should not expect complete prohibition for some time yet, but that it will come and be a part of the nation's order of life, let none doubt. Nor has prohibition injuriously affected respect for law in general. The charge is a gratuitious assumption made for anti-prohibition propaganda. There is no logical connection between the alleged cause and effect. The writer asked that keen observer, Secretary Mellon, whether in his opinion prohibition is responsible for the prevailing disregard for law to which he replied, 'I think not. I believe it to be due, at least in part, to the general let down and disorganization following the War. Of course the prohibition law has suffered in the general breakdown in common with other laws.' Unbiased opinion everywhere supports this view."

PROHIBITION AND CRIME

On the theme, "Prohibition and Crime", the Hon. Richard J, Hopkins, Justice of the Supreme Court of Kansas, states: "Liquor can never 'come back'. Those who have hopes or misgivings as to the ultimate outcome of the struggle should consider the history of Kansas. Kansas is forty-five years removed from the thought of legalizing the saloon. Liquor is an outlaw within her borders. She does not want it and would not tolerate modification. Conviction of violators is easier than in the past, because public sentiment has been crystallized; her people realize that intoxicating liquor is a commercial and social detriment to any community. Kansas officials and private citizens are agreed that prohibition is the state's best business asset."

PROHIBITION AS SEEN BY A BUSINESS MAN

"I am not blind to the fact that the prohibition law is being broken," says Richard H. Scott, a business man, "there is no news in that, Liquor laws were being broken when I was born. But there is news, financial news; stock market ticker news, in the fact that the law is being observed and enforced, As observance and enforcement grow, business will continue to improve. Accepting at its face value the swollen propaganda of the wets about law violators, the bank clearings, commerce reports and business indicators generally are evidence that prohibition, even when diluted by moonshine, is far superior to licensed liquor. That is the business man's view of prohibition."

(Continued next week)

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The Grim Destroyer Needs No Invitation

Good parents we want a little converse with you regarding some of the things which you have been advocating for Lo! These many years.

It wasn't more than a month or so ago we heard a mother say who had a son and daughter neither of them over ten years of age: "Well if the measles and whooping cough comes this way during the winter I sincerely hope Charlie and Jennie will catch both of them and be done with it. I do not want them to grow up without ever having had these diseases." And this mother was smart too, supposing she knew what she was talking about. This is the grim tale you often hear from mouth to mouth after some child has died from the maladies. I often wonder if the parents who talk this way really know the danger and percentage of cases which are fatal in whooping cough measles, scarlet fever, chicken pox, mumps, etc. classed as children's diseases. I am afraid they little realize what they are entering into. I wonder if they know how many little children develop the nasty, troublesome, abhorrant chronic diseases such as eye weakness. kidney disease, meningitis, rickets, tuberculosis, ear trouble, nervous prostration, and hundreds of other troubles and deformities just because their measles, whooping cough or scarlet fever was not properly treated?

Fond mother, do you realize that in the United States in one year 13,000 deaths occurred from measles alone; did anyone ever tell you that over 90 percent of the deaths from measles were among children under five years of age? Please do not think your child is in duty bound to contract these maladies. It is a mistake. And you are running an awful chance by wilfully exposing the little one, Whooping cough causes more deaths than scarlet fever and 90 percent of deaths from scarlet fever are in children under ten years of age. It is vital to see that children do not contaminate one another from throat and bronchial diseases practically all of these ailments are contagious and can be spread by excretions from the nose or throat.

Don't you think for one minute your child needs to catch any of these diseases! It is a fallacy.

Marl To Lower Farm Liming Cost In State

That increased use of marl on Michigan farms will result in a material saving on the state's "liming" bills in the future is indicated by results of an extensive summer marl extraction demonstration tour just finished by the M. S. C.

More than 5,000 yards of marl were actually dug during the demonstration meetings, and carefully figured costs show that in many sections of the state the material can be "extracted" at a saving of a dollar or two a ton over ground limestone, according to Larry Livingston, extension specialist at the college in charge of the marl work. This fact points to a great saving for farmers in future liming operations where the local marl beds are developed.

"The whole marl extraction situation is still in its infancy", says Livingston. "Thousands and thousands of yards will be used in the state in the future, and at a saving over the cost of commercial ground limestone."

Two demonstration crews started work the first of July and finished this week. They held 31 demonstrations, with an attendancc average of 128 farmers to the meetings and actually dug 5,506 yards of marl in connection with the demonstrations.

Counties in which the meetings were held were: Tuscola, Livingston, Hillsdale, Branch, Cass, Allegan, Newaygo, Oceana, Shiawassee, Eaton, Kalamazoo, Kent, Montcalm, Mecosta, Wexford and Grand Traverse.

Plan Harvest Home Gathering at M. S. C.

There will be something new in farm gatherings in the state this fall. Members of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association and their families will gather at the M. S. C. for a special Harvest Home meeting on Nov. 6 and 7.

Winter and summer meetings of various kinds have been held at the state college for years by various farm organizations, but the coming conference of Crop Improvement Association people is said to be the first "harvest" festival of its kind.

In addition to inspection of the crops and seed work of of the college farm crops department, a variety of entertainment and general "picnic" features will be planned for the November meeting. These will include a Halloween party and attendance at a football game it is said.

H. C. Rather, secretary of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association and extension specialist at M. S. C., is arranging the program for the gathering.

Watch Your Diet, Says Prima Donna

Cyrena Van Gordon.

Cyrena Van Gordon, prima donna of the Chicago Opera company, believes in the flapper and her privileges. She believes in the practice of this much-discussed person in wearing no corsets, in wearing short skirts, going in for athletics and outdoor life and in thoroughly upsetting the theories and practices of her mother and grandmother. Miss Van Gordon, who is, in private life, Mrs. S. Bogart Munns, the wife of Doctor S. B. Munns, says that all of these things are woman's right and are necessary if a woman is anxious to keep her youth and beauty. But exercise is not the only thing that is necessary for the woman who is desirous of being attractive. She must watch her diet and be careful not to eat anything that will, in any way, be fattening.

There are certain dishes to which Miss Van Gordon is partial and to which she gives the credit for the retention of her beauty. These dishes. she prefers to prepare herself and, when on tour with the Chicago Opera company, she carries a small electric stove in order that she will not be deprived of the food she deems necessary. These dishes are easily prepared.

Miss Van Gordon uses for

Celery and Cheese Casserole.

1 cup cheese	1 tbsp. butter
2 cups chopped celery	1 cup cooked spaghetti
½ cup evaporated milk	½ cup buttered bread crumbs
½ cup water	½ tsp. salt
2 tbsp. flour	

She makes white sauce of milk, water, butter, flour, and salt, and mixes it with all ingredients except crumbs. She then places it in an oiled baking dish and covers with crumbs, baking in a moderate oven until brown.

Chicken a la King.

2 cups cold chicken, diced	1 cup evaporated milk
3 tbsp. butter	¼ lb. mushrooms
3 tbsp. flour	1 cup chicken broth
½ green pepper, shredded	1 egg yolk
½ pimento, shredded	Salt and pepper

Cook the peppers (also mushrooms, if they are used) in the butter for 15 minutes, keeping them covered while cooking slowly. Add the flour and seasonings, also the milk and broth. Stir to a smooth sauce. Put chicken in sauce to heat, and just before serving, stir in beaten egg yolk. Cook in double boiler to prevent curdling.

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King Tommy

BY GEORGE A. BIRMINGHAM

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CHAPTER XV—Continued

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Then Janet talked to the police officer in German. He was evidently relieved by the withdrawal of the threatening chauffeur and was quite ready to send for Allen.

There was an awkward silence for five minutes. Then Allen appeared and took command of things at once. He began by taking the passports out of the officer's hands and giving them back to Tommy. Then he made a speech. It began mildly. It increased in speed as it went on. It became domineering and even threatening toward the end. The police officer was visibly uneasy while Allen spoke. Before the speech finished he was completely cowed. Allen had vouched for Tommy's identity with Colonel Heard and had spoken with an assurance which carried conviction.

"I told him," he explained to Tommy, "who you were, and that you were in search for the graves of British soldiers. I said to him that if he interfered with you in any way I'd see to it that Germany's bill for reparations was double and that he wouldn't be particularly popular with his own people when that happened and it came out that it was his fault. I said that the way he was behaving looked uncommonly as if he had something in this neighborhood to conceal and that if you found a single British soldier in an unsuitable grave, I'd put a fine of a million and a half marks on the city. I couldn't have done it, of course, any more than I could have doubled the reparations, but he didn't know that."

Tommy felt deeply thankful that Mrs. Heard had been kind to Allen's sister in her canteen in 1915. He was glad that he had not shrunk from discussing Soapy Simpson and Collins, who married the red-haired V. A. D., and the other members of "the old regiment." Allen could not have spoken as he did unless he had felt that Colonel Heard was a familiar friend of his.

"I say," said Allen cheerfully, "what a funny-looking bird your chauffeur is. Where did you get him?"

"Oh, just picked him up," said Tommy. "Fancy he's a Pole or a Russian."

"Looks to me like a brigand," said Allen. "The sort of fellow I shouldn't care to be left alone with on a dark night if I had any money in my pocket. Well, good-by, and good luck."

Tommy shook hands with him gratefully and stepped forward toward the car.

Then an odd thing happened. The tall chauffeur left his place, opened the door of the tonneau of the car, took Janet Church by the wrist, and, quite gently, pulled her out. For the moment Janet was too much astonished to protest or resist. The man, bowing low, motioned Tommy to enter the car and take the seat beside the princess.

"I thought he was an odd-looking bird," said Allen, "and he is. Fancy his dragging Mrs. Heard about like that."

Janet, furious at being treated with a total want of respect, forgot that the man knew no German. She told him angrily that she was a representative of the League for Establishing World Peace Through the Unity of Christian Churches, and that she would sit where she chose in the car. The only effect of this speech was to astonish Allen, who understood it, and to make Tommy uncomfortable because he did not.

Fortunately Calypso kept her presence of mind and quacked out a series of orders to the chauffeur.

"It's all right," she said, "he's mistaken you for my maid. That's all."

Janet took her seat again sulkily. Tommy sat down beside the chauffeur. Allen, really bewildered, waved a feeble farewell. He found it difficult to believe that any chauffeur, even a Pole, could mistake his master's wife for the maid or a secretary typist.

Two days later he wrote a letter to Collins, at the Monte Carlo chicken farm, and told him that Heard was running a regular rig about Europe with a d—d good-looking girl, who certainly wasn't Mrs. Heard, but must be pretty well off because she traveled about in a big motor with her own maid. Colonel Heard, a most respectable man, spent months contradicting that story.

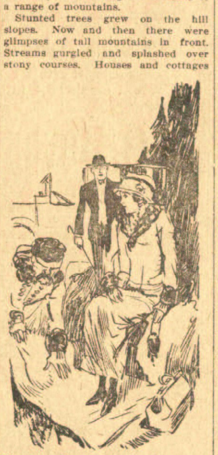
CHAPTER XVI

The chauffeur, who was a Lystrian, looked like a brigand and no doubt was far from being completely civilized. But he was a good driver and competent mechanic. The car threaded its way through the traffic of the Breslau streets smoothly and evenly. When it reached the open country the speed increased to thirty-five miles an hour along a good road. Once, at about eleven a. m., something went wrong with the engine. The tall chauffeur understood what the trouble was and set it right in two minutes.

Shortly after five o'clock, the car turned off the broad main road on which it had been traveling. The chauffeur, who seemed to know exactly where he was, drove confidently along a number of byroads which were often little better than muddy lanes. At about seven o'clock they entered a thickly wooded district. The last glimmerings of daylight faded away among the trees. The car's headlights were switched on and for a while they traveled along a moving patch of white light between two walls of impenetrable darkness. Soon after eight o'clock they reached a little village. At one end of the street stood an inn with brightly lighted windows. The party was received by a fat and obsequious innkeeper, who treated them as guests whom he had been expecting. Whether it was Count Casimir or the Lystrian chauffeur who made the arrangements for the journey, the thing was well done. An excellent warm supper was ready. On the table were set jugs of hot Tisch Wein pleasantly spiced. Tommy, at least, probably the princess, slept soundly in marvelously soft feather beds. Perhaps Janet Church slept well, too; but she ought to have lain awake tormented by her conscience. For the third time since she came to Germany she had been false to her temperance principles. But hot spiced Tisch Wein is a sleeping drink. It may have overpowered even Janet's conscience.

Next morning the party started early and drove along roads which were even worse than those of the evening before, roads with vile surfaces, sharp corners and sudden steep gradients. The chauffeur was forced to drive cautiously, but he kept up at a good pace. After a while they emerged from the woodland and Tommy saw that they were among the foothills of a range of mountains.

Stunted trees grew on the hill slopes. Now and then there were glimpses of tall mountains in front. Streams gurgled and splashed over stony courses. Houses and cottages were few and far between. The cattle which grazed in the open spaces were small and lean. At rare intervals the car slowed down to allow a peasant to coax a frightened mule past it. This plainly was a country in which motor cars were few.



The Chauffeur Took the Rugs and Curtains From the Car and Spread Them on the Wiry Grass Which Grew Beside the Road.

Shortly after one o'clock the car stopped and the chauffeur got out. He said something to the princess and held open the door of the car.

"He wants us to get out and have lunch," said Calypso.

"Good," said Tommy. "I feel nearly starved. This sort of driving makes one furiously hungry and the Germans, though they have an excellent idea of dinner, simply don't understand breakfast at all."

"I always make it a point," said Janet, "of carrying some malted milk lozenges in my pocket."

That is the sort of thing I should expect of Janet. I have never to my knowledge seen a malted milk lozenge. I have certainly never tasted one. But I have a feeling they are insipid and slightly sickening.

The chauffeur took the rugs and cushions from the car and spread them on the wiry grass which grew upon the rocks beside the road. He made a kind of throne for Calypso, much, I suppose, as the Israelitish captains did for Jehu with their garments. Then, when she sat down, he bowed before her three times, so low that his forehead touched the ground. After that he kissed the toes of each of her shoes. Calypso received the homage with dignity.

Tommy was invited to sit down on an inferior throne and was only given one bow. Janet was left to settle herself as best she could on a single rug laid flat on the ground. The chauffeur did not bow to her at all, and though her feet stuck out when she sat down he made no attempt to kiss them.

The chauffeur brought luncheon baskets from the car. The meal was excellent. The wine, there were two bottles of a red wine new to Tommy, was very good. There were knives, silver forks beautifully polished, fine china plates and napkins. At last came coffee, hot from a large thermos flask. The chauffeur was evidently by no means such a savage as he looked. Tommy enjoyed his luncheon thoroughly, all the more because Calypso talked to him amiably and pleasantly while they were eating it. She was by that time exceedingly tired of Janet, who had been discussing the plans of the society for establishing world peace ever since they left Breslau. Tommy might be—she only half believed he was—an unscrupulous betrayer of innocent maidens, like Miss Temple and herself. But even a Lothario is a pleasant change after hours of Janet Church.

After luncheon the chauffeur made a long speech to the princess. He spoke earnestly and pointed forward along the road with outstretched hand.

"He tells me," said Calypso, "that we are quite near the German frontier post. We'll reach it in another twenty minutes and of course there'll be an examination of our passports."

"I hope it'll be all right," said Tommy. "We passed the man at Breslau, thanks to Allen. I dare say these people won't stop us."

"A few yards beyond the German post," said the princess, "we'll come to the Megalian frontier guards. They'll want our passports, too."

"Well," said Tommy, "the passports are all right in themselves, properly fixed up with diplomatic visas and all that. No one ought to object to them."

"Let me look at them," said Janet.

Tommy took them from his pocket and Janet examined them carefully.

"We don't any of us look much like the photos," she said. "You," she looked at Tommy, "ought to have a mustache."

"A man might shave off his mustache," said Tommy. "Lots of fellows do, quite suddenly, without telling the Foreign office or asking for new passports."

"And Miss—looks a great many years younger than I am," said Janet.

"Let me look," said Calypso. She studied the photographs of the two ladies. "It seems to me," she said at last, "that I'd better be Miss Gisborne."

"But then," said Janet, "I should have to be Mrs. Heard. That is to say," she looked fiercely at Tommy as she spoke, "your wife."

"Only quite temporarily," said Calypso.

"Well, I won't," said Janet.

"One of you has got to be," said Tommy, "and we'd better decide which before we get there, in case we're asked, and very likely we shall be asked."

"I can't possibly say I'm his wife," said Calypso to Janet.

"Why not?" said Janet. "He's going to marry you, isn't he?"

"He's going to marry Miss Temple," said Calypso.

"No, I'm not," said Tommy. "If you'd only allow me to explain—"

But Calypso having remembered Miss Temple's pathetic appeal to her, was not going to listen to anything Tommy had to say.

"You must," she said to Janet.

"No, I won't," said Janet.

"One of you will have to," said Tommy, "or else we'll certainly be stopped and probably be arrested."

"I won't," said Janet doggedly.

"I promise faithfully," said Tommy, "that I won't take any advantage of the position."

Calypso, I am sorry to say, giggled. It was a vulgar thing to do and she checked herself immediately. Janet became very angry. Tommy got red and stumbled on.

"I mean, that I won't hold your hand or—or—kiss you, or anything like that."

The princess went beyond giggling. She laughed aloud.

"You appear to forget," said Janet, "that I am a Scotswoman."

"I don't see how that can make any difference," said Tommy.

"According to the Scotch law," said Janet, "if I say that you're my husband, and you say that I am your wife in the presence of witnesses, then we are married."

"Is that really the law?" said Calypso. "How dreadful it must be for actors and actresses on the stage with lots and lots of witnesses listening."

"It's Scotch law," said Janet.

"But we're not in Scotland," said Tommy.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

In Ancient Oxford

There is, perhaps, no more interesting place in the whole world than Oxford, the ancient English university town. Any one who likes quaint old things can agreeably spend weeks there. Oxford university is not a single institution like practically all American schools, but a group of 26 separate colleges, all linked together in a sort of league. The oldest one, Balliol, was founded away back about 1260. The buildings of Christ Church college are the largest and most imposing of the lot. Many of the stone steps of these old Oxford buildings have been worn nearly through by the footsteps of succeeding generations of students and have had to be replaced.

"Prisons" May Yet Be Maintained in Open

Prison in the open air seems a contradiction in itself, for the very word "prison" calls up the idea of incarceration in locked and walled-up buildings.

However, there is such a thing, and it is in Holland that very successful experiments have been made with outdoor prisons.

Sixty persons were drafted to the town of Veenhuizen, to serve their term there. Their task was to convert moorland into cultivated field, and they showed themselves very industrious in the undertaking. They are divided into gangs, each containing a few persons, but are not supervised or watched by any sort of warder or official; these prisoners may live in common and advance their social sense, unsubjected to supervision.

The foreman of each gang is, however, not a prisoner, but a workman who joins voluntarily. It would not be difficult to escape under such conditions, but no one has hitherto attempted to do so. The environment is much more favorable than in an ordinary prison, and the Dutch government is considering setting up several centers of this sort.

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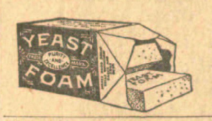

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Electricity to Do World's Hard Work

Electricity costing about one-fiftieth of the present price is coming, predicts the scientist, J. B. Haldane, says Capper's Weekly. Then "to light a lamp as a source of light will be as wasteful as to burn down one's house to cook a pork roast." In England, where Mr. Haldane lives, he thinks the power question will be solved by covering the country with rows of metallic windmills working electric motors, which in their turn will supply current at high voltage to great electric mains.

At suitable distances will be great power stations where, during windy weather, the surplus power will be stored by an electrolytic chemical process and made to run motors as needed. In time to come all the hard work in the house or on the farm will be done by pressing a button.

Seven Hours Over Precipice

An unusual mountaineering fatality is reported from the Italian Alps. Two tourists, a man and a woman, had set out from Trent to ascend Mount Marmolada, and had almost reached the summit when the woman slipped and fell over the edge of the precipice. The rope which linked her to her companion did not break, and with the utmost difficulty he was able to make her fast to a crag. He was unable, however, to haul her to safety and had to leave her suspended in mid-air while he sought help.

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The Denarius

The word penny occurs a number of times in our English version of the New Testament, especially in the four Gospels; for instance, Matt. 20:2: "And when he had agreed with the laborers for a penny a day, he sent them into his vineyard." The coin to which the name penny is given was the denarius, a Roman silver coin in circulation in the time of our Lord and the apostles. It was the principal silver coin then in use throughout the Roman empire. From the parable of the laborers in the vineyard it would seem that a denarius was then the ordinary pay for a day's labor.

Fight Over Lucky Find

The battle over the will in which David Barclay's two daughters were left $60,000 by their father's chance friend reveals the fact that 30 years ago two penniless men found a whale washed up on the shore of Tasmania, says the Los Angeles Times.

The ambergris which the whale contained was sold in London for $100,000, making both men rich. It is over the will of one of the men the fight is being staged in London.

Worn Spots in Floor

Worn spots on polished floors in doorways or at the foot of stairs may be prevented by applying a thin coat of wax once or twice a month. Put the wax in cheesecloth and rub over the worn spots, allowing 15 minutes for drying, then polish. In an hour or two apply a second coat of wax and polish again.

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An irrigation well near Broome, Australia, sunk to a depth of 1,775 feet, yields 1,000,000 gallons of water a day.

When a girl thinks a man doesn't care for her she begins to try to make him.

Social Position Assured

"I hope this expulsion of ours isn't going to injure me socially," remarked Eve ruefully.

"Oh, I think not," returned Adam calmly. "Nothing of the sort can prevent us from heading the list of first families, you know."

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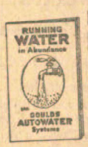

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Jonesville

Born to A. C. Johnson and wife on September 25 a son.

Loraine Marvin spent the week end in Pentwater, Michigan.

Mrs. Richard Hamilton is ill at the Doty Hospital in this village.

Claude Lusk and wife now occupy the Sibbald property on West Street.

Carl Bauerly and wife will leave soon for Florida to spend the winter.

Mrs. Etta Pray entertained the Investigator Club on Tuesday Sept. 29.

Miss Elizabeth Graves will teach chemistry in the public school at Birmingham the coming year.

Mrs. L. J. Foster and Mrs. L. A. Rainey visited Mrs. Alice Proper and family in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Russell Hitchcock of Detroit is here caring for her mother Mrs. Scott who has been quite ill.

Mrs. Bruce McDuff of Flint is here on account of the serious illness of her mother Mrs. Victor Hawkins.

Mrs. Ida Dohner, Fred Anderson and wife and Frank Satterlee were week end visitors in Elkhart and Bristol, Ind.

A farewell reception was given Rev. I. T. Welden and wife last Monday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Walcott.

Friends here have received the announcement of the arrival of a son to Glen Morrison and wife of Detroit September 25, 1925.

Over 100 people came from Battle Creek last Tuesday to attend the double funeral of Clifford Shafer and wife. Mrs. Shafer was the daughter of David Bunting of this vicinity.

Jerome

Clayton McGregor and Rev. Scott were in Hillsdale Saturday.

Guy Baker and Harold Sterling are spending the school year at Ypsilanti Normal.

Chas Foster and wife also J. E. Lane and family of Hillsdale were in town Saturday.

Floyd Sawdey and family moved from Hanover last week to the Boyay farm east of town.

Will and Ervin Bickford have been engaged at interior work at the school house during the week.

I. W. Wertenberger and wife, Mrs, Chas Rynex, May Anson, George Bascom and Bertha Olney put up an excellent school exhibit at the Fair during the first of the week.

$28 was cleared at the church social Saturday evening. Grant Sawdey auctioneered the boxes and the one belonging to Lena Sawdey sold for $4 the highest in the list. Music for the program was furnished by Ford McCowan, Dorothy Linsday and Phyllis Walworth. The debate on "Pacifism" Rev. Scott, affirmative and Harley Lane negative, was won by the negative. Chairman of the program was George B. Smith while the judges were I. W. Wertenberger, H. A. Voorhees and Charles McGregor.

Town Line

Eugene Draper is on the sick list

Mrs. vera Morehead and Mae Anson of Jerome were callers at the Abner Jennings home Tuesday evening.

Geo. Fast and wife and J. Cooper add wife of Haviland, Ohio, are spending a few days at the home of Ray Fast.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anson were called to Blissfield on Tuesday by the sudden death of Mrs. Anson's mother.

Mr. Havens, tacher in the Viele district, was hastily called to his home at Hillsdale Friday afternoon on business.

Mrs. George Ziehrs of Hillsdale was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Brown Tuesday assisting in canning peaches.

A slight error was made in this news last week. We should have stated it was Carrie Jennings instead of Clarence Jennings who lost a cow.

Arthur Westcott who has been confined to the house by illness, went to North Adams Monday to consult Dr. McFarland but owing to the over-exertion he has not been as well since.

Local News

John C. Oberlander will conduct an auction ot his home on the LeGrand Rickerd premises in North Adams on Saturday, October 10th, 1925, beginning at 12:00 noon, and will sell to the highest bidder a quantity of household goods and a milch cow five years old, giving 14 quarts of milk. Terms: Sums of $10 and under cash, over $10 six months on approved bankable notes at 7 per cent. James Post, auctioneer, John Williams, clerk.

Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So here. after the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25. Please bear in mind this is final and cancel all other announcements. To those who subscribe for McCall's let us say don't be alarmed it it takes a couple of weeks to get the ceive McCall's the next day don't get nervous. It'll come in due time magazine coming. Of late the publishers assure us the volume of business coming in requires time to straighten out,

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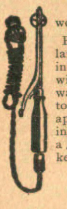

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Death of Andrew Roose

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Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the home, Rev. Jagger of Osseo, officiating, and he was buried in Osseo cemetery.

Primary School Money

North Adams' share of the primary school money under the terms of the Bohn primary school fund law will be increased when the next primary money apportionment is made, according to Thomas E. Johnson, superintendent of public instruction. Had the 1923 legislature passed the law North Adams' share of the increase would have been $130.00. North Adams' increase will be in the neighborhood of that figure unless the population materially decreases.

Work of compiling the 1925 census under which the new apportionment will be made is now under way in Johnson's office. Private and parochial school enrollment figures are considered in the rearrangement of the fund.

The new school census for Hillsdale county shows a total of 7,675 pupils in the schools in that county. The total primary school money available for Hillsdale county this year is $105,147.50.

Michigan Sunday School Convention

Dr. Kurtz, President of McPherson College, McPherson, Kansas, is to be one of the chief lecturers at the great State-wide Sunday school gathering to be held at Detroit Nov 3 to 5 under the auspices of the Michigan Sunday School Council of Religious Education. Four thousand Sunday schools in all parts of Michigan will be interested in this event, and in this announcement.

Dr. Kurtz has 2500 friends in Michigan won at the Kalamazoo convention in 1921 by his series of lectures on Christian Doctrine.

He is a man who made himself coming up through poverty and destitution finally landing in Universities of theology where he graduated.

Plans are now well laid by the Detroit committee for a creditable meeting and entertainment. It is expected that at least 1500 from out of the city will be in attendance. 17 Protestant Evangelical denominations are co-operating in the council and its activities. Each county has a quota of delegates to secure, Hillsdale county's quota is 45. All registrations, requests for lodging, and reduced railroad rates may be sent to Jessie S. Allison, Reading, Mich., county secretary. This convention will provide an abundance of help for all Sunday school leaders in the county.

Death of Mrs. Henry Porter

Our community was shocked on Saturday afternoon to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Clara Porter which took place at her home west of Hoxie. She had not been real well for some years, although able to be about her social and home duties as usual up to within a short time of the Grim Reaper's call that came to her as appoplexy.

Dr. McFarland was summoned and Mr. Porter came to North Adams but she died before he returned

Deceased was 63 years of age and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Edwards formerly of Hillsdale. She is survived by her husband, Henry Porter, two daughters, Mrs. Mable Ossmer of Jackson, Mrs. Louise Knight of Jefferson, three sisters Bertha, Erma and Mrs. A. C. DuBois of Bankers, her father, two grand-children and a host of friends

She was a faithful member of the North Adams Methodist church and kindred societies, a good mother, wife and citizen: she has been a stand-by in church and neighborhood affairs and her passing leaves a gap which cannot be filled.

Funeral services were held at the late home on Wednesday at 1:30 p, m., Rev. Harry D. Henry of the Hillsdale Methodist church assisted by Rev. Wylie of the local church. officiating. Music was rendered by members of the local church choir.

Floral tributes testified mutely to the respect of large numbers of neighbors and friends, and interment was in Oak Grove cemetery, Hillsdale beside her mother.

If your receipt says your time on the Advocate has expired, call in and renew.

Growing Interest In Railroad Safety

Great and growing interest in the promotion of safety on railroads is indicated by the preparations for the sessions of the Steam Railroad Section of the National Safety Council, which open in New York next Tuesday. The attendance will be a record breaker, judging by hotel reservations made.

It is now the practice for the railroads to send representatives of different classes of employes from various points on the system as one of the many means of stimulating interest in the movement. For example, the New York Central Lines will have no fewer than one hundred employes from various points and branches of the service.

The program for the four sessions of the Steam Railroad Section is of unusual interest, including addresses by R. H. Aishton, President American Railway Association, W. G. Lee, President Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Cyrus Locher, Director of Commerce of the State of Ohio, Chairman Chas. E. Hill, General Safety Agent New York Central Lines, L. V. Hart, General Chairman International Association of Machinists, and the superintendents of safety of principal railroad systems. The sessions will close with a round table discussion intended to bring out an exchange of practicable methods of promoting safety in various railroad operations.

M. S. C. Farm Courses To Start October 26

The first of a series of special winter courses in agriculture which will be given at the M. S. C. this year in connection with the regular college short course work will open on October 26, according to announcement made here this week.

The sixteen weeks course in general agriculture, running for two years, is the one which opens on that date. Other courses start just after the first of the year. The sixteen weeks course is the longest and most comprehensive of all the short courses offered, and is said o give a very complete practical course in scientific agriculture.

Be A Real Sport

It is a peculiar thing, something that has so far been quite unexplained by the so-called modern psysico-analists, but the moment some folks take to the open country in their automobiles they become changed individuals. People who are the very acme of uprightness at home, seem to have no hesitancy in climbing out of their machines and descending upon the farmer's crops along the highways and appropriating unto themselves whatever seems to strike their fancy, It is a practice that is wrong, both in mannerism and principle, and should be stopped.

Not that we say that all motorists are addicted to this pernicious habit, for the great majority would no more think of following such a practice than they would think of breaking into a neighbor's home, but enough have been guilty of this petty form of thieving to cause state-wide comment. If the rural folks were to come to town and invade your dooryards in search of flowers, or went into the business districts and picked up numerous small articles, right away we'd probably counsel the authorities to have them stowed away in the local bastile.

Yet in every way they are just as much entitled to do this as the people who steal their flowers, fruit or vegetables and seem to think it a huge joke. Don't make the mistake of unthinkingly joining this band of petty marauders, but be a real sport and respect the other fellow's property, just as you expect him to respect yours.

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both on year for the small sum of $2.25 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions, from Paris, the best works of Harolld Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

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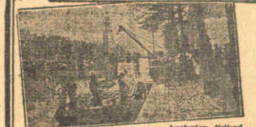
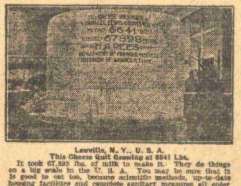


Amsterdam, Holland
Unloading Cheese Along the Canal at Amsterdam
Thousands of tons of Dutch cheese like those in the picture are consumed annually. A big percentage is exported. Holland is one of the most productive dairy countries, size considered, in the world. The most intensive and scientific methods are practiced. Cow testing associations are numerous.

Chile, South America
A South American Milkman
This picture was taken in Ancud, Chiloe Island, Chile. A can of milk slung on either side of a mule or some other native beast of burden and a quart measure are all this milkman needs to serve his trade. The quart measure has seen hard service. The lady customer wears an intent look—on the lookout for short measure.



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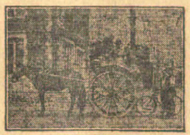

New Zealand
Early in the Morning the Milkwoman Arrives
Wellington, N. Z., milk supply is all under the control of the City which permits no milk to be sold except that which has been inspected and certified by the Health Officials. The City buys the milk from the farmers and allows peddlers to sell it at a fixed price—No profiteering here.

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Antwerp, Belgium
The Lady Milkman Makes Her Daily Trip in Her Dog Chaise
In Belgium, you know, as well as in Holland, it is a very common thing to see a team of dogs hitched to a milk wagon, but usually the owner of the team gives them a helping push. This lady must have been tired or she would surely have helped out her little team.

AUCTION Bills

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It is quite important that people coming to North Adams from a distance to get Auction Bills should be able to get the work at once and take it away with them. This is what we aimto do, and if you will call the Advocate on the telephone we can so arrange the matter. You furnish the copy we do the rest. Bills are necessaryfor stores.

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Local News

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Claude Reed was in Jackson Monday on business.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, O ptometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

The Hoxie Ladies Aid has been postponed two weeks and will be held October 29th with Mrs. Etta Welker.

A special meeting of Adams Lodge 189 F. & A. M. will be held Saturday evening October 10th at 7:30. Work in E. A. Degree.

Mrs. Eugene Rogers will coduct a recital of her pupils at the Methodist church Friday evening at 8 o'clock standard time. Attendance will be by invitation.

J. C. Schauppner and son John and wife of Detroit were guests of Frank Foster and family and Will Corey and wife in this village for a few days and attended the popular Hillsdale Fair last week.

Rev. Selden B. Ford and wife of Maple Rapids were guests of friends in this village and vicinity the first of the week being called here by the death and burial of Mrs. Margaret Shepard.

Reports have been circulated in this vicinity that the Jackson Fair had gone bankrupt on account of the extremely bad weather this season but it is not correct. The Society expect to pay their premiums and running expenses.

A public Reception will be held for Rev. H. E. Wylie and family at the parlors of the Methodist church Monday evening, October 12th. Refreshments will be served and invitation is extended to all denominations in or out of the church.

Farmers in this vicinity are about to protect their farm property and interests by posting "No Hunting" signs in conspicuous places. The Advocate supplied them with 300 signs recently. Mr. Hunter please take notice and remember the law is rather strict along this line.

Rev. C. W. Long and wife of Grand Rapids came to this county the first of last week to attend the Hillsdale Fair and returned home the latter part of the week after visiting C. W. Bleech and wife and other friends at North Adams. Mr. Long is doing occasional ministry work and also has a good real estate business.

It will be extremely good news for our citizens to learn that M-14 is to be asphalted next season from the present asphalt this side of Jackson clear through to its junction with M-23 at Somerset Center. While a good gravel surface is preferable to drive on yet none of us will register many kicks if the state sees fit to asphalt this important artery of traffic.

In compliance with the request from the W. C T. U. a temperance theme "The Temperance Question and Personal Interests" will be presented by the pastor of the Methodist church next Sunday morning. The evening service from now on through the winter months will be held at 7 o'clock with Epworth League service at six o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

North Adams Hive L. O. T. M. elected the following officers for the ensuing year on Wednesday evening: Commander, Grace Williams; lieutenant commander, Murel Owens; record keeper, Addie Van-Aken; finance keeper, Inez Alpaugh mistress at arms, Allie Holkins; sergeant, Ettie Corey; chaplain, Mable Goodacre; sentinal, Lida Keefer; picket, Effie Barber; past commander, Ida Relyea. Installation of officers occurs October 28th with potluck supper.

Two accidents occurred in this vicinity on Friday morning of last week owing to the extreme foggy condition of the weather. At Ferguson's Corners three miles east of the village the Greendale milk truck being driven by Homer Sturdevant was crashed into by a machine from the cross roads with the result that the truck was overturned and Mr. Sturdevant escaped death only by a narrow margin. His life was saved by a cream can which held up the machine off his body. The radiator and left front was badly damaged. The touring car which collided with the truck was badly smashed and rendered useless. It was left standing by the road and the following night thieves stripped off the balloon tires and wheels. The same day Sherman Tower of Jerome was rounding the Main four corners in this village from the east and his touring car collided with a Ford truck driven by Otis Metcalf east-bound. The radiators of both machines were smashed and the Ford truck sustained a broken windshield and front wheel. Several dozen eggs were ruined and the highway in the immediate vicinity looked as if a rotten egg party had been pulled off by a mob. Nobody was hurt.

Methodist Bazaar at the church basement Wednesday, Dec. 2.

Parents Teachers meeting at the school house Monday evening, Oct. 12th.

Lee Alpaugh of Pittsford and Hal Alpaugh of Detroit spent Sunday with Chester Alpaugh and family

Cottage prayer meeting will be eeld at the home of Mrs. Fred Westcott next Tuesday evening October 13th.

Mrs. Don Watson of Hillsdale spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Alpaugh.

The Friendship Club will meet with Lillie Gary Friday, October 16th, for an afternoon meeting. Remember the shower.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter, No. 288, O. E. S. on Tuesday evening, October 13th. A good attendance is hoped for.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayhoe of Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Het Kinch of Lansing visited Geo. Hayhoe and wife the last of the week and attended the Fair on Friday.

Frank Helmick and wife of Churches Corners and his nephew John Blodgett, wife and son, Bernard of Hudson spent Sunday with Mr. Helmick's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Helmick.

Everyone buy their eats of the S. P. I. class at their food sale to be held at Wertz's store Saturday Oct, 10. Anyone having a special order please phone Maud Anderson. The eats will be there in plenty of time for your Saturday's dinner.

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both one year for the small sum of $2.25 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions, from Paris, the best works of Harolld Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

Friends from away who attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kempton besides the children were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ressler and Mr. Snow Marlatt and daughter, Zona, of Lansing, Luther Thompson, wife and son, Ford, Mrs. Minnie Ford of Detroit. Mrs. Janet Collins went home with Lansing relatives.

Some Home Brew Undoubtedly

We note with alligator tears in our eyes and a lump the size of a qumquat in our throat that the flow of "booze" in Hillsdale last week at the Fair went to high tide something like the saloon days of slippery, slimy Broad street. Whether this means the officers are unusually zealous or the human race is decoming rottener, we cant say And then to think these boys probably drive machines! Following is the roll of the besotted ones:

Lester Betts, Melvin Weeder each paid a fine of $26.10.

Ralph Anderson paid the same.

Will Hammond had no lucre in his clothes and went back to jail in lieu of $25.75 fine.

Tobe Martin of Ohio paid $25.75 because "it stingeth like an adder

And one amateur jollyfier by the name of Rutledge was jugged and celebrated her 18th birthday during Fair week.

Death of Margaret Shepard

Mrs. Margaret Shepard passed away at her home Monday forenoon and was laid away in the North Adams cemetery Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Shepard lived to the good old age of 88 years and spent most of her life in this vicinity.

Her parents, Horace and Rachel Wisner, were pioneer settlers of Moscow, coming by train to Adrian, thence on by ox-cart from Nunda, New York in 1843, where Mrs. Shepard was born June 21, 1837. Her father, mother and sisters were buried in Moscow.

Mrs. Shepard was married to Samuel Gilmer in 1860 and five children came to bless the union, of whom three are living Minnie Frey of Battle Creek; Ira Gilmer of Salem, Oregon; and Emma Young with whom she has always resided; Emmet who died at this place and Frederick L., another son, in Scipio. Three step-children found in her a mother, two now living, Jonn M. of Jackson and Eliza Sisson of Parma, Martin buried in North Dakota. Mr. Gilmer died in 1886 and in 1892 she was married to Franklin Shepard who passed away in 1906.

At the age of 16 years she began teaching at the Knowles school house. She was a faithful member and attendant of the Methodist church of this place until old age claimed her.

Only three of this pioneer family are now living. Orrin H. Wisner of Hillsdale, Oscar A., of Humble, Texas and Albert B. of Battle Creek.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL HUNT, Pastor

Morning worship at 10:30 at which time everyone is urged to attend. Don't forget that when you are not in your pew, it is vacant.

Sunday school at 11:45.

NOTICE! Watch for announcement for October 25th.

—Weaving wanted. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call Phone 206 17t6 Mrs. Levi Rogers

—Onions for sale at $1.00 per bu Phone Arthur Stevens, North Adams. 17t3

—This office is supplied with carbon paper 8½ x 12 at 5 cents per sheet.

—My Shoe and Harness Repair Shop next door west of Dietz' Restaurant is open for business. All work guaranteed. I. N. Starr 17t3

—Please set out your milk bottles each morning. My supply is running short and I need them. A. C. Haight. 18t3

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewerly and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co,, Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

—We have a good stock of hard coal in the bins now and would advise customers to procure their winter's supply at once. Graves and Ford Lumber Company. 19t3

Mrs. Fred Baker and daughter Rosene, Mrs. E. E. Benge, Mrs. Etta Pray and Mrs. J. Jones were in Jonesville on Tuesday evening to attend a meeting of Vesper Chapter O. E. S. Waneta Chapter, Allen, and Franklin Chapter, Litchfield, were visitors with the Litchfield officers exemplifying the ritualistic initiatory work.

NOTICE

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held Friday, Oct. 9, at 2:00 p. m., at the home of Mrs. George Holcomb. Topic "Christian Citizenship" Leader, Ethel Clement. All interested are invited, whether members or not.

Mrs. George Walworth
Press Committee

AUCTION

For the benefit of the Congregational church on Saturday, October 24, 1925 at or near the Town Hall in North Adams, will be offered a large variety of useful articles such as may be given at that time. Your co-operation in helping to make this sale a success will be appreciated. Sale starts at 1:00 p. m.

H. L. Fry, Chairman
James Post, Auctioneer. 19t3

Mud Lake School Notes

We are having a teeth cleaning contest this month.

There was no school last week on account of the Fair.

We received two firsts and three second premiums on our Fair exhibit.

The fifth, sixth seventh and eighth grades are having a spelling contest this month. A gold star is given for each perfect lesson.

The following received a half holiday for perfect attendance last month: Dorr Harwood, Clarabell Chase, Loceal Shull, Mildred Coryell, Merle Coryell, Claren Foust and Merlin Church.

Senior Lecture Course

The Senior Class of 1926 have obtained the Abbott Lyceum Bureau, the same bureau as last year for Lyceum entertainment the coming winter. The five numbers on the Course are:

1. The Hull Family Concert Company,
2. Christine Grippen, Impersonator.
3. Gladue Concert Company
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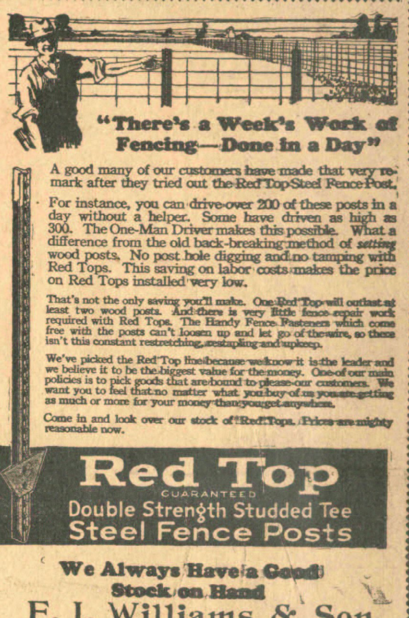

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His Kind

Judge—And what did you say when your wife refused to allow you to go to your lodge meeting?

Defendant (charged with wife beating)—I didn't say nothing, your honor. One of them strong, silent men, that's me, judge.—Life.

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Poisoned Arrows

The poison used by certain South American tribes for tipping arrows is obtained from the same plant which they use for making their daily bread. —Science Service.

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The land and property invested in almshouses in the United States was valued at about $150,000,000 at the end of 1924.—Science Service.

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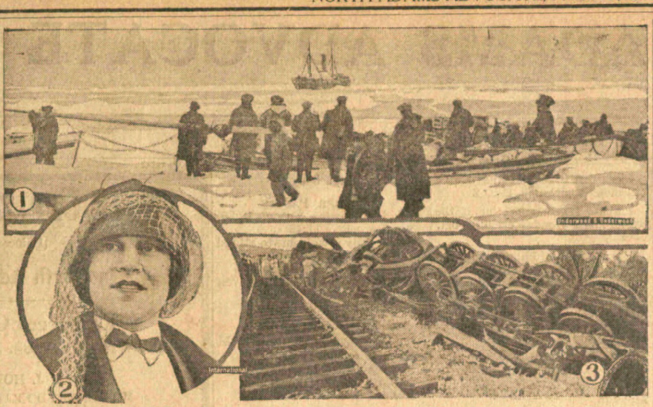

1—Rescue of crew of Hudson bay steamer Bayeskimo from ice floe in Ungava bay after their ship sank. 2—Mrs. Gloria Vanderbilt, twenty-year-old widow of Reginald Vanderbilt, who inherits the bulk of his fortune of $7,000,000. 3—Wreckage of the Dixie Flier after two sections of the train crashed near Whorley, Tenn., one person being killed and fifty injured.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Aircraft Board Hears Col. Mitchell on Weakness of America's Air Defense.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WITH 800 pounds of "ammunition" in the shape of documents and undaunted by his approaching court-martial for insubordinate utterances, Col. William Mitchell appeared before the aircraft board last week and repeated and elaborated on his charges that obstinacy and inefficiency of high army and navy officials have rendered the United States utterly deficient in air defense. He read a prepared statement in nine sections, the main points of which are thus summarized:

Development of air power has made it the chief weapon of national defense, navies and armies becoming subordinate and auxiliary to it. As airships can destroy any surface ships, the submarine becomes the backbone of the navy. The army, unchanged in constituent elements, will function as the last line of defense when the air and sea forces have failed to stop the enemy, or offensively only when control of the air permits transport of troops at sea. Anti-aircraft guns are ineffective and always will be, crippling only a very small percentage of planes. The United States has no air forces worth mentioning and if involved in war today would need from three to five years to develop an adequate air force properly equipped. Great Britain could invade America with a thousand planes in eight or ten days and a few days later would reach the heart of the country; and Japan could invade America by way of Alaska. In future wars the nation losing control of the air will capitulate to desolation by unrestricted air attack. An adequate air and submarine force would make this country invulnerable to attack, and the cost would be but a fraction of that of the army and navy at present. Finally, the United States should have a department of national defense, comprising the navy, army, and air force, and a department of aeronautics, comprising military and civil aviation and aircraft manufacture.

The mission of the land, sea and air forces, said Mitchell, should be definitely stated by law. That is:

"The army to be charged with the defense of all land areas;

"The navy to be charged with the defense of all sea areas, on or under the water beyond the control of missile throwing weapons from the shore or effective aircraft operations from shore bases;

"The air force to be charged with the complete defense of operations and the aerial attack of all enemy targets on sea and land."

To the self-asked question why the air service is in such sad plight, Colonel Mitchell replied:

"Because air matters are entrusted to the army and the navy which are handled and governed and dominated by non-flying officers. They not only know next to nothing about aviation, but regard it merely as an auxiliary of their present activities and not as a main force in the nation's military equipment. Their testimony regarding air matters is almost worthless, sometimes more serious than this."

Next day Colonel Mitchell continued his attack and criticized the navy for the Shenandoah disaster and the failure of the Hawaii flight. Then he was questioned at length by various members of the board and finally Chairman Morrow asked Admiral Fletcher of the navy and General Harbord of the army if they desired to put any questions to the witness. To the surprise of everyone, both declined to do any cross examining. Mitchell himself was evidently disappointed.

IN THE naval court of inquiry at Lakehurst, Capt. Anton Heinen, former German Zeppelin pilot who instructed the crew of the Shenandoah, expressed the opinion that the wrecking of that airship was primarily caused by the failure of the officers in charge to heed danger signals that were "shrieking out loud." Specifically he blamed Commander Lansdowne, saying: "In my opinion the ship ran deliberately into the center of the storm for at least half an hour after danger signals had been shrieking out loud. With the ship having sufficient power for steerage way, she easily could have got out of danger. I stand ready to prove this from the evidence presented to this court."

Captain Heinen criticized certain structural changes in the Shenandoah, and said he had heard from many members of the crew that they mistrusted the airship because of her condition.

Lieut. J. B. Anderson, aerologist on the Shenandoah, testified that Commander Lansdowne disregarded his advice to change the course.

ANOTHER misfortune befell the navy in the ramming and sinking of the submarine S-51 about twenty miles from Block island. Struck by the steamship City of Rome, she sank immediately and of her crew of 36 men only three were saved. Every effort to save the men imprisoned in the vessel's hull was made, but in vain, largely because of stormy weather and swift tides. After several days divers brought up the bodies of two of the victims, and operations to recover the others and to raise the submarine were continued. Blame for the distressing accident has not yet been fixed.

GERMANY accepted the invitation of the allies to a conference on a security pact, and this week the foreign ministers are assembled in Locarno, Switzerland, discussing the terms of the proposed treaty designed to give lasting peace at least to western Europe. The Germans sought to stipulate that their country should be purged of guilt for the war, but this was firmly refused by England and France. Probably the request and its rejection were designed to satisfy the nationalists in both Germany and France.

DISTINGUISHED statesmen from thirty-six countries are in Washington attending the sessions of the Interparliamentary union. The conference was opened Thursday with addresses by Secretary of State Kellogg and Senator McKinley of Illinois and a response by Baron Adelswaerd of Sweden, president of the council of the union. Silly friends of various factions in foreign lands took advantage of the arrival of certain of the delegates to exhibit their silliness. For instance, Gen. Richard Mulcahy of the Irish Free State was mobbed, both at his landing in New York and on his visit to Philadelphia, by Irish republic sympathizers; and the Italian delegates who are Fascists were attacked by anti-Fascist Italians in New York.

NO SETTLEMENT of the French debt was reached because M. Caillaux was unable to offer terms that the American commission would accept, and the negotiations have been suspended indefinitely, the French mission returning to Paris. However, a temporary arrangement was proposed by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and this was carried back by M. Caillaux for submission to the French parliament, which probably will agree to it gladly. This plan is that France shall pay the United States $40,000,000 a year for five years and that at the expiration of that period the discussion of the definite funding of the debt shall be resumed. The sum suggested amounts to 1 per cent interest on the total French debt with accrued interest. In reality the payments by France would be increased only $20,000,000, as she has been paying a like sum annually as interest on the A. E. F. war stocks she purchased in 1919.

M. Caillaux could not commit himself on the American offer, because, as he explained, he was vested with full powers to reach a conclusive settlement but held no mandate to sign a temporary makeshift agreement. But he assured Mr. Mellon he would support the plan before parliament.

Caillaux's final offer, which was found unacceptable, was that France should pay $40,000,000 annually for the first five years, $60,000,000 annually for the following seven years, and $100,000,000 annually for the next 56 years, thus spreading payments over 68 years. To this was attached a "security clause" providing that France might at any time reopen the question and attempt to show that the terms should be revised owing to her incapacity to carry them out. This was objectionable to the Americans, especially to Senator Smoot, and rejection of the offer followed. Senator Borah took a hand in the affair by going to the White House and warning the President not to permit the American commission to grant to France easier terms than were granted to Great Britain. Both he and Senator Smoot told Mr. Coolidge there would be violent opposition in the senate to any such settlement as Caillaux proposed. Mr. Borah was highly displeased, also, by the makeshift plan of Mr. Mellon.

M. TCHITCHERIN, soviet foreign minister, balked in his attempt to persuade Germany to stand with Russia against western Europe, is now said by Baltic diplomats to be trying to unite Russia, Poland and Turkey in an anti-English bloc. He was in Warsaw recently and induced the Poles to instruct their delegation in Moscow to begin negotiations for a political agreement. This is worrying the Baltic states considerably. Tchitcherin then went to Berlin to discuss a Russo-German trade treaty.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE JARDINE is getting tired of waiting for the Chicago board of trade to take steps to prevent manipulation that causes wild price fluctuations. Last week he issued another warning, saying: "A failure on the part of the board to take these steps immediately will leave me no alternative but to inaugurate action looking to suspension or revocation of the designation of the Chicago board of trade as a contract market."

COMMUNISTS of Great Britain fared badly in the national congress of the Labor party in Liverpool, and the more conservative elements carried out their expressed determination to rid the party of the Reds entirely. Chairman Cramp in his opening speech declared the Communists were a hindrance to the labor movement and traitors to its tradition. The Reds met their first defeat when the congress by a tremendous majority refused to reverse a vote of last year by which members of the Communist party were excluded from membership in the constituent Labor party. Former Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald, J. H. Thomas, leader of the railway men, and the chiefs of the miners all took severe whacks at the Reds, and the latter brought on their final and conclusive defeat when they demanded that MacDonald apologize to Russia for the action of his foreign office in making public the notorious Zinovieff letter just before the last election.

YOUNG Robert M. LaFollette, Jr., had a walkover in the Wisconsin election to fill the vacancy in the United States senate caused by the death of his father. His majority over the field was about 2 to 1. E. F. Dithmar of Milwaukee, who was the only "regular" Republican candidate after Roy P. Wilcox had been forced out by the national organization, ran second but never threatened the winner. The votes for the others were negligible.

GOV. AL SMITH'S campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1928 was actually launched at a big picnic of the Cook county, Illinois, Democracy in Chicago. The popular New Yorker in his speech especially attacked the economy record of the Coolidge administration and promised to do much better in that line if he were sent to the White House. He made a great hit with the 100,000 persons who heard him.

OVER the protest of Chairman O'Connor, the federal shipping board rescinded the resolutions designed to divorce the Fleet corporation from the board and readopted a resolution of 1921 under which the board keeps full control over the actions of the corporation. President Palmer of the corporation is likely to resign, for it is understood he accepted the office on condition that he have certain authority. Chicago business men are asking that the shipping board be abolished.

Federal Convicts Will Make Shoes

Fort Leavenworth, Kan.—A $1,000,000 factory within the prison walls of the Fort Leavenworth federal penitentiary will begin making shoes for the men of the army and navy and federal institutions next January.

One of the serious problems with which Warden W. I. Biddle has had to contend is that of finding employment for his prisoners. The shoe factory will put to work 700 convicts now idle. The men will be taught a trade; a small remuneration will go partly toward the support of their families and partly into a fund at interest, to be paid them on their release. The government will take a profit from production.

The plant is expected to turn out from 2,500 to 3,000 pairs of shoes daily when operating at its capacity, but this will not be possible until skilled labor has been developed among the prison laborers.

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Immediate action had to be taken to avert this calamity, which would have plunged the countryside in darkness and disorganized its transport. Engineers rushed to the spot, the mountain was shored up with concrete, and all was well once more.

Second Niagara

A waterfall as great as Niagara in the midst of a barren desert was one of the sights seen by Mrs Agnes Chase, botanist of the United States herbarium, who has just returned to the United States after seven months n Brazil.—Popular Science Monthly.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

St. Louis—W. A. Carpenter, who has been managing editor of the St. Louis Leader for the last year, has bought an interest in the Imlay City Times, where he assumed the editorial management October 1.

Ionia—Laurence I. Hale, well known miller here, was elected commander of the John F. Girard post of the American Legion, to succeed D. O. Mellinger, who will serve as past commander the coming year.

Lansing—The state administrative board recently released $35,000 to the Michigan State college for additional work on the new horticultural building. It was estimated this amount will complete the structure.

Marshall—The Southern Michigan Transportation company has started its auto bus service in connection with the Michigan Electric Railway company. In this section, the busses operate between Kalamazoo and Jackson.

Lansing—Corporation tax receipts for the year will yield about $6,000,000, according to department of state estimates. Collections thus far total $5,784,691 and considerable of the levy is outstanding. Last year the yield was $5,803,865.

Marshall—William Felter, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Felter, of Marengo township, disappeared over a week ago and nothing has been heard of him since. He was last seen at the fair grounds, where he assisted in erecting the merry-go-round.

Lansing—The counties should look after persons afflicted with tuberculosis although the work should be under the supervision of the State, Dr. R. M. Olin, State Health Commissioner, told delegates to the Mississippi Valley Conference on Tuberculosis.

Ypsilanti—The enrollment at the State Normal College here now is 2,379, about 300 fewer than last year, according to figures given out by Registrar C. P. Stemle. Many of last year's graduates experienced difficulty in obtaining positions because of the over-supply of teachers.

Grand Rapids — Vice-president Charles G. Dawes is being sought by C. Wellington Koiner, of Pasadena, Calif., president of the International City Managers' Association, as a speaker during the annual convention of that organization to be held here Nov. 17, 18 and 19. Mayor Elvin Swarthout has joined in the invitation.

Sault Ste. Marie—Despondent over his slowness in school, Stewart H. Faulkner, 17 years old, committed suicide by swallowing a strychnine capsule. A physician was called, but the boy died three hours later. He had returned from a Chicago school recently and was attending the local high school. His father is a dentist.

Lansing—A return to the former limitations regulating ages of women operating dangerous machines in Michigan factories is to be asked of the coming legislature by Carl Young, commissioner of labor. The session of 1923 changed the minimum age from 18 to 21 through the passage of a House bill, which was amended in the Senate.

Ann Arbor—Construction of new buildings for the Department of Architecture and the museum will constitute the program of expansion for the University of Michigan during the next year, according to J. Christensen, assistant secretary. The Architecture building will be started on the $400,000 provision made by the state legislature last spring.

Saginaw—Pastors and teachers attending the seventy-fourth annual convention of the joint synod of Ohio and other states at the St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church voted unanimously for a union of the Ohio and Iowa synods. Delegates were directed to instruct their respective congregations to vote on the matter before November 1.

Baldwin—Michigan's right to fish in Michigan streams was assured temporarily here recently, when the jury hearing the case of Frank Collins, of Toledo, O., owner of stump lands on both sides of Pine River, against Gideon S. Gerhardt, of Reed City, who crossed Collin's river fences while wading in the bed of the stream in fishing, returned a verdict of no cause for action.

Cheboygan—Instead of the elaborate wedding festivities planned, a very simple, quiet ceremony marked the union of Miss Celia Brovage and her second cousin, Louis Brovage, of Riggsville. The groom, while taking the bride's father, Anthony Brovage, to the wedding by motor car met with a serious accident, in which he was hurt painfully and the elder Brovage was injured so seriously he lies in an unconscious condition in the hospital in the city.

Lansing—A new high record for gasoline tax collection was set in August a report completed by the Department of State shows. The two-cent levy netted the State $977,010, an increase of $29,232 over the net return of $947,677 in July. Gross collections in August were $1,025,433, refunds totaling $48,423. That the total yield of the new weight and gasoline highway finance plan will yield in excess of $21,000,000 appeared certain. The weight tax, up to Sept. 1, had turned $12,866,638 into the treasury and the total probably will run close to $14,000,000.

Lansing—Asserting that the drainage of water from the lakes through the Chicago drainage canal is becoming an increasingly serious matter to Michigan, the state administrative board authorized Edgar Cochran, secretary of the conservation commission, to appear at meetings scheduled in Indiana, Ohio and Illinois, to explain the gravity of the situation. Cochran will attend conservation and other meetings for the purpose of telling about the recession of water in northern Michigan resorts, the destruction of shore line and damage to property.

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Amazing results in the railroad safety movement were announced by Charles E. Hill, General Safety Agent of the Steam Railroad Section of the National Safety Council, now holding its fourteenth annual congress in this city. Addressing the opening session of the Steam Railroad Section at the Hotel Cleveland, Chairman Hill said, among other things:

"Fourteen years ago, or about the time organized safety started functioning on American Railroads our progress at first was measured almost wholly in the elimination of physical conditions contributing to the casualty toll. As time went on we gradually passed from the physical aspect into the realms of the human equation.

"Man has kept pace with progress in that he has modernized machinery, renovated industrial plants, put his house in order, so that accidents from the proper use of these agencies have been rendered almost negligible.

"The progress of things inanimate has been greater than the progress of man himself. While he has been busy in delving into the intricacies of the things which are for the betterment of mankind he has neglected to train the mind to meet the new order of things as they exist to-day. Thus, we find the human element as the potent factor in our safety program we must train the mind so that man in the performance of his duties will pursue the course that is efficient and safe.

"In analyzing employee casulties we are stunned at the disclosures. When we find that out of the 1,479 employees killed and the 124,655 injured on the railroads of the United States last year that 90 per cent of the entire number was due to the human element—that the fault lies either with the victim or one or more of his coworkers, we then realize what a tremendous responsibility we have.

"I am glad to say that leading railroad men are fully in accord with the general policies followed in our efforts to prevent accidents. They recognize the fact that safety is a vital factor in railroad operation and the financial and moral support they are giving this movement is indicative of their great interest in conserving the lives of their employees.

"Organized safety has indeed been a vital factor in railroad operation. In 1923 before constructive safety work had an opportunity to make itself felt, 10,964 persons were killed and 200,308 persons injured. In 1924 there were 6,617 persons killed, a reduction of 39.6 percent, and 143,739 persons injured, a reduction of 28.2. It must be remembered that this reduction in casulties—which refers to all classifications—was made in the face of a material increase in the number of railroad employees, an increase in the volume of freight and passenger traffic, and what is still of greater moment and increose of 167 percent in the number of casualties at railroad highway crossings. If we confine ourselves to employee and passenger falalities our record of achievement would show the phenomenal reduction of 58 per cent.

"The duty is ours to carry on this great work and it must be pursued with greatest zeal than ever before. Where cooperation is greater, accidents are fewer."

State Police Are "Go-Getters"

To those who suppose the State Police are a drag on the body politic and a useless appendage, we want to warble a few notes relative to the work done the past summer—some of it right here in our midst—during the month of July alone, and we ask you can your local officers do any better? Can they do anything at all on some cases. We believe you will agree with us that some of this work is entirely out of the catngory of local officers—at least they can't do it and never have. For instance we hear mighty good reports of the patrol work done on the angling road between North Adams and Hillsdale during the Hillsdale Fair, to cut off "speeders" "road hogs" and other general nuisances Let them go to it.

July arrests by the Michigan State Police totaled 424, one of the biggest months of the year, being exceeded by only one, when a few over 500 were arrested. Of the arrests there were 268 convictions, another near record for a single month. The other cases mostly are pending, though a few were discharged.

The 268 convictions brought fines of $4,841 into the state library fund. During July cases which were held over from the previous month resulted in 58 convictions and fines of $3,181. The costs assessed in the 326 convictions amounted $1,423.95.

Assistance of various kinds was offered by the State Police in 120 cases during the month. The assistance is classified as follows: Local officers, 34; federal officers, 7; auto accidents, 47; pay rolls guarded, 3; miscellaneous cases, 29. In addition 228 complaints were received and 195 of them were answered. Two hundred and twenty six prisoners were transferred during the month.

The liquor seizures during the month netted 7,793 quarts of whiskey, 23,686 quarts of beer, 967 quarts of wine, 20,252 quarts of mash, and 17 stills. Wayne county (Detroit) led in the whisky and beer seizures, alleged blind pigs, rum running launches and the like, contributing 3,793 quarts of whiskey and 20,231 quarts of beer. Monroe county, which is along the Ohio border, was a close second in the amount of whiskey seized, 3,520 quarts being taken. This county led in the amount of mash.

The bureau of identification, one of the most important of the State Police branches, made 564 identifications during July; mailed out 4,620 circulars and had calls for the assistance of finger print experts 19 times. These calls came from Wayne, Paw Paw, Jackson, Baldwin, Haslett, Lansing, Northville, Adrian, Holt, Elk Rapids, Manistee, Monroe, Howell, Dowagiac, and Hart. One thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven prints and 1,213 photographs were received by the department from other parts of the country.

The fire marshal's division, which has to do with oil inspection and investigation of suspicious and incendiary fire, collected $11,000 in fees in the oil inspection work and investigated 17 fires in different parts of the state. Building inspection by officers of this department covered 250 private buildings, for which 207 orders and 374 recommendations were issued; two for private schools and two orders for their repair, and two motion picture theatres, repair orders being issued for each of them.

The State Police recovered seven stolen automobiles valued at $2,900, and confiscated 14 autos valued at $8,500 in booze raids. Six boats valued at $6,000 were also confiscated by the river patrol.

OPTIMISM EXPRESSED BY SEC. W. M. JARDINE

Government Agricultural Officer Feels Sure Rural Electric Problem Will Be Mastered.

Secretary of Agriculture W. M. Jardine is confident that the right steps are being taken to discover the key to the farm electrification question. He feels certain that a satisfactory solution of the matter will be finally arrived at.

Secretary Jardine has expressed his views in a letter to the electric utilities of Nebraska, in which he summarizes the problem and declares it to be an undeniable truth that the farmer would find himself better off in every way if he could make liberal use of electric power.

"The farmer needs electrical power," said Mr. Jardine, "both because of the added pleasures its use brings to farm life and also because of its economic value to the agricultural industry. The use of electrical energy not only makes a more efficient application of power possible in many cases, but it opens up an extensive field of new uses for power application for which other types of power are not adapted.

"Agriculture has benefited from the use of power as well as other industries, but unfortunately it is handicapped in the efficient application of its power due to the diversity of the operations, the small size of the power unit usually in the hands of one operator and the seasonal demands for the power in proportion to the quantity of work to be done. This situation has resulted in a relatively high cost per unit of power utilized, and it would appear as though the adoption of electrical distribution of power might reduce this cost in many cases if an economical method of rural electrification can be developed.

"The utilization of electrical energy for curing foods and field crops, combating insect pests and for the stimulation of plant and animal growth, while not as yet fully understood, would appear to have considerable possibilities that may also in time prove of great aid to agriculture.

"While undoubtedly the rural electrification problem is such that it will require serious thought and extensive research before its final solution can be obtained, I believe that the right steps are now being taken to reach this solution and that the electric light and power companies should look forward to this field as one that will prove to be of great importance to their industry in the future."

Electric Way of Threshing Grain

If experiments conducted on an Illinois farm can be taken as a guide, the threshing of wheat and oats by electricity offers attractive possibilities for economy. Two young farmers near Bloomington, Ill., DeLoss and Eugene Funk, have demonstrated to their own satisfaction that electrical threshing is 60 per cent less costly than steam threshing, in the case of oats, and less than half as expensive for wheat.

They gave both methods a thorough trial, and in addition also experimented with a gasoline tractor. Their figures, however, compare steam and electricity.

The cost of their steam equipment amounted to $4,772, with operating costs of $1,577, a total of $6,349. The cost of the electrical equipment came to $2,260, and the operating costs were $655, or a total of $2,915.

The same amount of work was performed by each method—sixty thousand bushels of oats and fifteen thousand bushels of wheat were threshed.

ELECTRIC LAWN MOWER

Motor-Driven Machine Cuts Swath of 20 Inches in Fast Time.

On farms where the trim appearance of the grounds around the farmstead is part of the daily objective the advantage of an electrically-driven lawn mower is likely to have an appeal. Such an apparatus has recently been brought out, the electrical equipment consisting of a one-half horsepower General Electric motor which operates at 110 volts on either direct or alternating current circuits.

The motor was especially designed for the mower after electrical engineers had studied the particular requirements of this machine for some time. It drives the mower with ease, either on level ground or on grades. Reduction gears carry the power from the motor to the wheels, and these gears are enclosed in dust-proof housings and run in oil.

The machine cuts a swath twenty inches in width, and the revolving cutter is equipped with five blades.

A Superhuman Housemaid

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Trainer of Boxers Gives Diet Hints

To Kid Howard of Chicago and his new system of training and conditioning, Sammy Mandell, the present lightweight boxing champion of the world, gives a great deal of the credit for his meteoric rise to stardom in the world of pugilism. When Mandell first started fighting, he was small, weak and undeveloped, but after turning himself over to Howard it was only a short time before he took the decision from Sid Terris of New York that resulted in him being recognized as the boss of the lightweights.

Sammy Mandell.

Howard's system is unique in that it works no hardship on the athlete who is in training. Unlike the systems that have been used for years, this prominent and successful trainer of men makes conditioning more of a pleasure than a distasteful necessity. Instead of demanding that his men eat only certain things he advises them to eat what they want and when they want it as long as it is cooked in a proper manner. Mr. Howard, in a recent interview on the subject of diet and condition, said, in part: "Years ago it was a task, and an unpleasant one, for a boxer or a wrestler to train for a bout because he was forced to literally starve himself unless he wanted to eat steaks and chops at all times. I remember that when I was training for a match, I was so truly tired of steaks that I choked every time that I ate one but it was steak or nothing. I advise my men to diet at all times but it is perfectly possible for them to diet and, at the same time, to enjoy their food. My only 'don't' is the one regarding the eating of such combinations as fresh milk and cheese, and fruit with cream. In fact, I advocate the use of evaporated milk entirely. Vegetables are fine and the more that the athlete eats the better he will be for it. Pastry, of certain kinds, such as homemade pies, cakes and cookies, if made correctly, and with pure butter, evaporated milk and pure lard, are very beneficial. Stews and boils are ideal. Taken as a whole, any food, with a few exceptions, is all right if properly cooked and eaten without gorging."

And one has but to look at Howard, who is the most religious user of his own system, to realize that it is a success.

STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

On Signing Papers for Strangers

"Did you hear about the terrible thing that happened to Mrs. Thompson, Aunt Emmy?" asked Maud. "It seems that a man came to see her to ask her to invest in some securities his firm was selling, and she said she did not have any ready money. He asked her if she had some Liberty Bonds, and she showed him her one Liberty Bond, a thousand dollar one. He told her that there were a number of counterfeit bonds about and upon examining her bond said there were some marks that indicated it might be spurious. Poor Mrs. Thompson nearly fainted and begged the stranger to tell her what to do about it.

"He told her not to be unduly alarmed, that there was a chance that he was mistaken. His firm was indignant, he said, about the counterfeit bonds that had been foisted on the public and intended to do everything in its power to run down the culprits. They employed a man who was an authority on counterfeits and he could tell in a minute if her bond was good or not. So Mrs. Thompson let him have the bond to take to his office for examination."

"And, of course, he didn't bring it back," commented Aunt Emmy.

"Worse than that!" Maud went on. "He said that, being a widow, she should be very careful in her business dealings, so he made her sign what he called a receipt, although she didn't read it. About a week after his visit she received a number of shares of stock that she says she never heard of and certainly never bought. So she wrote to the investment house the stock came from and said she thought a mistake had been made. Imagine her surprise when she was informed that she had signed an order for those shares of stock in exchange for a $1,000 Liberty Bond!

"First she was coming right over to see you and then decided not to, because she felt ashamed when she remembered that you had warned her about being taken in, now that Mr. Thompson is dead and she has to handle her own business affairs. My brother Tom says he thinks nothing can be done about it, as the receipt bearing her signature is really an order for the stock."

"I am sorry to hear this, Maud," said Aunt Emmy. "What a pity she did not take her bond to the bank to have it examined if that slick salesman aroused suspicions in her mind as to its genuineness. She would have been dealing with people of integrity, whom she could trust absolutely. And yet she allowed herself to be duped by a perfect stranger!

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 24th day of August. A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Carter Deceased.

Augustus Borden having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Jay D. Knowles or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered: That the 8th day of October A. D., 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition,

It is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
15t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March. A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale. and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now. therefore. notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy ths amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the condi4ions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Morrgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said morjgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to wit: the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

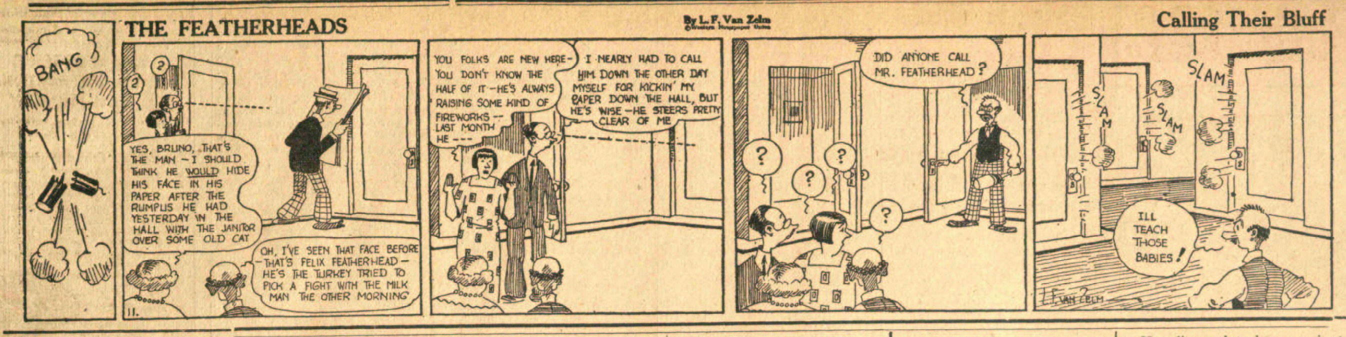
Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler, 11t13
Atorney for Mortgagee,
ness Address; Hudson, Mich.

THE FEATHERHEADS

By L. F. Van Zelm

Calling Their Bluff


BANG
YES, BRUNO, THAT'S THE MAN — I SHOULD THINK HE WOULD HIDE HIS FACE IN HIS PAPER AFTER THE RUMPUS HE HAD YESTERDAY IN THE HALL WITH THE JANITOR OVER SOME OLD CAT
OH, I'VE SEEN THAT FACE BEFORE — THAT'S FELIX FEATHERHEAD — HE'S THE TURKEY TRIED TO PICK A FIGHT WITH THE MILK MAN THE OTHER MORNING
YOU FOLKS ARE NEW HERE — YOU DON'T KNOW THE HALF OF IT — HE'S ALWAYS RAISING SOME KIND OF FIREWORKS — LAST MONTH HE ---
I NEARLY HAD TO CALL HIM DOWN THE OTHER DAY MYSELF FOR KICKIN' MY PAPER DOWN THE HALL, BUT HE'S WISE — HE STEERS PRETTY CLEAR OF ME
DID ANYONE CALL MR. FEATHERHEAD?
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MEN'S DRESS

By

W. A. Churchill, Secretary

BORN TAILORS GUILD

Clothes for Sunday

WHAT has become of the old-time Sunday suit? The one that mother used to lay out on the bed for father every Sabbath morning and whose appearance was a sign for children to straighten up and remember what day it was?

Of course, it was black and very severe looking, with its cutaway coat, high stiff collar and white bow necktie. The Sunday suit, however, is a thing of the past. It was an extravagance to have a suit for only one day in the week. Moreover, the man of today insists on being comfortable. So summer Sunday mornings find him donning a business suit for church, well pressed and enhanced with smart hat, tie and gloves. If he feels he must observe the day by being the least bit uncomfortable, let him wear the vest to the suit to complete the outfit.

Church over, a long afternoon and evening ahead, the business suit is put aside in favor of loose flannels, knickers, soft shirts with turn-down collars. Sports clothes that make him at home on the golf links, at the wheel of his car or when pitching a few good balls to work off that Sunday dinner.

The one requirement of Sunday clothes is that they must make you feel like a different person from the one you are all week long. One day's rest in seven is essential and by rest is meant, for the most part, change. A complete change of clothing is one of the best ways of getting this variety into our lives.

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Five Years Of Prohibition And Its Results

PROHIBITION FROM THE WORKINGMAN'S STANDPOINT

"Labor has learned that there is neither profit nor pleasure in getting drunk," insists John G. Cooper of Ohio, a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and also a member of the United States Congress, in an article on "Prohibition from the Workingman's Standpoint." "Labor gets more 'kick' out of an auto and a decent home than it ever did out of the corner saloon. The bootlegger does not find many of his customers in this social group. The rank and file have learned that drink does not pay. Men might 'drown their sorrows in the flowing bowl' but labor hasn't as many sorrows as joys today and no one wants to drown joy. The older element, conservative and slow to change, may still grumble about a man's right to have a glass of beer when he wants it. The old brewery trades may still orate and agitate in the hope of getting their easy jobs back again. But Labor, as a whole, is back of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act and Labor's wife joins Labor in whole hearted opposition to any attempt to weaken the enforcing laws. That is why each election sees heavier votes cast for dry measures and dry men than the preceding election. Labor is "sitting pretty' just now, with high hopes for the future and with an increasing conviction that drinking never was what it was cracked up to be, anyhow."

PROHIBITION AND THE MEDICAL FRATERNITY

"Most reputable physicians object to excepting our profession from the beneficient law establishing universal prohibition and resent the permission to dispense liquors as an occasion of the lowering of a noble and dignified body to the level of the bootleggers," is the belief of Howard A. Kelly, M. D., Professor, John Hopkins University, in an article entitled, "Prohibition and the Medical Fraternity." "They hold that even if the prescription of liquor does some occasional good, that modicum of benefit is many thousand fold outweighed by the enormous harm done from keeping open this avenne for the easy violation of the law. That better part of our profession which takes greatly to the heart the present great moral problems threatening the very life of so many nations views with no little alarm any parleying whatever, or the slightest compromise with the liquor fraternity, which obviously continually plots to wreck our government for its own miserable profit—we extend this strong feeling also to the predatory rich allies of the liquor men, and the indifferent of all classes.

"We insist with every energy at our command that the state has the inalienable right to restrict any action whatever, whether it concerns our eating or drinking or other personal habits, in order to promote the public welfare. If the government controls our use of opium and of cocaine, then why not by parity of reasoning, alcohol? Communities have frequently been forbidden to drink from suspicious wells, and such wells have repeatedly been closed to the great inconvenience of their near by patrons, and yet no doctor has appeared to insist on reopening such a well to exploit his personal liberty We believe that this 'due regulation' of our conduct for the benefit of the social body is clearly implied in the very word 'government', and so as citizens who esteem the public welfare as an obligation higher than our personal tastes we cheerfully render due obedience to all laws."

PROHIBITION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

"Roughly, there are three points of view from which to judge of the progress of law enforcement," suggests Gifford Pinchot, governor of Pennsylvania, in an article entitled "Prohibition and Law Enforcement". "One is that of the bootleggers and liquor politicians who understand fully that the Eighteenth Amendment is a permanent part of our Constitution, that the laws under it can be and some day will be effectively enforced, but who in the meantime are making their profit out of law violation. Their point of view has the same right to be considered as that of similar criminals engaged in the white slave traffic and their polical backers, and no more.

"Second, a numerically insignificant but often socially conspicuous group of people, mostly rich, who hold that their personal habits are more sacred than the Constitution of the United States, and whose conversation was almost exclusively, and still is very largely confined to the alleged tyranny and unenforceability of the Eighteenth Amendment. Neither the noise they make nor the amount of attention it attracts represents any proportionate influence on public affairs. 'Sound and fury, signifying nothing.'

"Third, the great body of right thinking, law abiding people of the United States who believe in God, believe in the Constitution, and believe in law enforcement and are becoming more and more determined to get it. That means at least nine-tenths of us. From the point of view of these people the Eighteenth Amendment is here to stay. The power to keep it is in their hands."

(Continued next week)

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance—James I. Post 2tf

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Start Super Grade Potato Seed Class

A super grade of potato seed stock, to be known as "registered" seed, will be included among classes certified in the future by the Michigan Crop Improvement Association, according to announcement made here this week by extension specialists at the M. S. C.

Foundation stock for the certified seed potato growers of the state will be provided by the new grade. The result is expected to mean constantly improved quality of seed tubers, as produced under the grading program of the college crops department and the improvement association.

Points upon which the new registered seed will be selected, as drawn up by the seed potato inspection committee of the college, are as follows: freedom from disease; uniformity and vigor of plant growth; yield and quality of crop; known history of seed and at least two years of satisfactory results with the seed in Michigan State College official seed tests; and seed to be grown, harvested, stored and marketed under conditions that meet the approval of the college inspection committee.

Districtive certification tags and special tags for the registered grade will be used for the inspected potatoes, it is understood. The new registered grade was decided upon by the M. S. C. potato certification committee, which includes H. C. Rather, secretary of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association, who is chairman; H. C. Moore and J. W. Weston, potato specialists of the college; R. J. Baldwin, director of extension work; and J. F. Cox, head of the college crops department.

Michigan Cows Rank High In Production

Ranking second only to Wisconsin among dairy states of the country in the number of herds which have qualified for the National Dairy Exposition "300 pound herd average" honor roll, Michigan dairy farmers have made an enviable name for themselves as efficient producers.

A total of 813 Michigan herds are listed in the national roll as having more than 300 pounds of butterfat per cow from the period from July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925 Wisconsin, with 934 herds in the select circle, tops the entire country; while Minnesota takes third place with 387 herds listed. Other leading states are: Pennsylvania, 259; Iowa, 193; Ohio, 150; Indiana 145; and Illinois, 115.

The Michigan herd are all members of 86 of the state cow testing associations. There are 106 active cow testing associations. There are 106 active cow testing associations in Michigan now, according to A. C. Baltzer, extension specialist at the M. S. C. who has charge of the association work. Wisconsin has more than 160 active associations, and Mr. Baltzer points out that Michigan's percentage of 300 pound herds is greater in proportion to the number of test associations than is Wisconsin's.

Special certificates will be awarded the 813 Michigan "300 pound" herd owners during the National Dairy Exposition, in Indianapolis from October 10 to 17. A number of prominent dairymen of the state are also entering animals in the competitive judging classes at the big show.

Our Imperialistic Policies

It is likely that for the past 15 years our national policies have considerably outgrown the Monroe Doctrine and we have practically nolle prossed the old time boasted system which so many seem to think has been our salvation. Not only the Philippine Islands are spoils of our war policies but a number of South and Central American countries are today under our directorate. Cuba, Hayti and other parts of the Indies we have reached out and grabbed and the grabbing process still goes on, so that really it is a parody on the Monroe Doctrine after all. It might surprise you to learn that Hayti under the guise of needed protection had to come under our flag. The Haytians could do nothing to prevent it. Cuba needed "protection" and she still has to ask Washington for some things, although we were supposed to let go of Cuba way back in 1904. When we were in district school we used to read to lot about our wonderful free institutions and our aloofness from the European Mix-up because they said we were happily situated on this side of the big ocean away from the quarreling bickering jealous nations of the Old World and we had no use for their land stealing tactics. What has changed our ideas so extensively? Greed is the only answer. Greed led our gunboats into the harbor of Manilla, greed hoisted the stars and stripes on Hawaii, greed took possession of Guam, greed is tinkering today with Mexico.

A thousand reasons are paramount for our leaving the Phillippines to themselves but the grisly hand of capital lays its bloody talons on the government at Washington and says the investor must be protected. Untold millions of American capital are in Cuban sugar plantations. A lot more went to Nicaragua and Honduras to establish the fruit business and hew out plantations from the tropical jungle of Central America; several million went across the Rio Grande into old Mexico for mining enterprises and the recent up-risings in Mexican states have seriously interfered with the comfort and prosperity of American mine owners and oil well promoters. The Gringoes never hesitate to express their regards for the Yankee wherever they run against his properties. We needed naval stations in Cuba, the Philippines and Hawaii but did we make an honourable proposal of purchase for them? We did not. All these little fellows needed "protection" and they were likely to be "overrun" and "annexed" by old world nations—so of course we had to gather them under our wing, and after we had "protected" them for a period of incubation, Lo and behold! There was hatched a sturdy chick of a new state. The Philippinos have seen quite enough of American protection and would like to try a hand at their own management, but the chances are they will never see the day when they can do it. They will always be considered wee fledglings, cute enough for our dependensies but not quite smart enough to be their own bosses. Of course the explanation is simple. We have sent thousands of teachers to the Islands—a thousand other Americans of wealth have chosen to invest American money in various enterprises; we need the gold, the iron, the tropical woods and other exceptional products of the Islands—hence we are going to keep them.

State Sunday School Convention

Nearly four thousand Sunday schools in Michigan are expected to send delegates to the all state convention which takes place at Detroit November 3 to 5 inclusive this fall.

The Convention is to Sunday Schools of the state what the State Teachers' Convention is to the Public School Teachers; not so much a program of business or of controversial discussion but three days packed by contacts with International thinkers in the field of character building through religious education. The platform and discussion groups will fairly bristle with suggestions for building a Christian Community cooperatively.

Educators are coming—folks who know what to teach and when to teach it. The Week Day School of Religious Instruction will be discussed in its many phases. Those who are in a position to know the trend of things in Michigan state with emphasis that this subject will soon be receiving careful consideration in practically every town and city in the State, that civic leaders will be making a study of it, that church leaders will be coming together to discuss it; in fact the Boards of Education will soon be working on its introduction.

Of immediate interest throughout the State is the announcement of quotas of delegates expected from each county. Local leaders will be asked to secure advance registrations to cover the quota. According to the early plans of the big State Committee of seventy representing seventeen Protestant Denominations, the Convention will be of special interest to pastors, directors of Religious Education, Sunday School superintendents, Community and public school leaders. The rank and file of Sunday School class work in the Conference sessions arranged for their special benefit daily. The rural Sunday School will be given a larger place than usual on the program.

This will undoubtedly be a fine chance to hear the head officials of the Sunday school work in Michigan tell all about how to do it, and not only that but famous educators will be there. You should go if at all interested in Sunday school activities. Any delegates wishing lodging and meals will please communicate with Jessie Allison, Reading Michigan.

Owing to a raise in the price of McCall's excellent magazine we are unable to longer offer it for $2.00 with the Advocate. So here. after the price of McCall's and the Advocate will have to be $2.25.

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CHAPTER XVI—Continued

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"Wherever a Scot happens to be," said Janet, "is Scotland."

"The law can't really be exactly like that," said the princess. "It would be too inconvenient."

"That is the law," said Janet. "If I say that I'm married to him, I shall be, and there'll be no getting out of it. That would be intolerable."

"It wouldn't be particularly pleasant for me, either," said Tommy.

He ought not to have said that; but he was getting angry with Janet. A woman has a perfect right to refuse to marry any man who asks her; but she ought not to tell him to his face that he is intolerable. No man can be expected to submit tamely to that, particularly when he has not really offered himself as a husband.

"Besides," said Calypso, "if he married you, what would happen to poor Miss Temple?"

"I wish to goodness Miss Temple was here," said Tommy; "you won't listen to me. But if she were here she wouldn't want to marry me any more than either of you does. But anyhow, if we're to go on at all, one of you must own up to being my wife. "I'll leave you settle it between yourselves."

He walked off, walked to the car and looked at it, walked a little way along the road and back again, finally sat down on a stone and looked at the river, which ran, turbid and yellow, under a little bridge.

But Tommy's ill temper never lasts long, and he is a man of active and resourceful mind. In a quarter of an hour he was back with a proposal to meet the difficulty.

"According to that Scotch law of yours," he said to Janet, "would you be married to a man if you said you were his wife, but he didn't say he was your husband?"

"Of course not," said Janet.

"Even if there were witnesses present?"

"That wouldn't matter," said Janet. "Unless we both said we were married we wouldn't be married."

"And supposing while you were saying you were his wife another man said he was your husband—quite a different man whom you didn't claim at all—which of them would you be married to?"

"I shouldn't be married to either," said Janet.

"Even according to the Scotch law?"

"Of course I shouldn't."

"Very well," said Tommy, "when we get to that frontier post you say that Colonel Heard is your husband. He can't say that you're his wife because he won't be there. Therefore you won't be married to him. I shall say that you're my wife, but if you don't claim me as a husband, which you won't, having already claimed Colonel Heard, then you won't be married to me and I shan't be married to you. In fact, we shan't either of us be married to any one, even by Scotch law. That will be all right, won't it?"

"Besides," said Calypso, "Colonel Heard seems to be married already, and nothing you could say would make any difference to that, would it?'

"Exactly," said Tommy. "That's another point. Even Scotch law can't let a man in for bigamy, in that casual way, especially against his will, and I don't suppose Heard particularly wants to marry you."

"So that's settled," said Calypso.

Janet did not seem satisfied, and I can scarcely wonder. A woman as intimately connected as she is with the movement for reuniting the Christian churches of the world has to be very careful of her reputation. It would be a terrible thing for her if it were to become generally known that she claimed a married man as her husband. That is the sort of thing a woman never quite succeeds in living down, and the world is censorious.

The men at the German frontier post turned out to be peaceful and quiet. They looked at the passports but made no comment on them. They inquired whether the travelers were taking any new clothes, gramophones, photographic apparatus, surgical instruments, telescopes or dyes out of Germany. The princess said that their dresses were years old, that they all hated gramophones and never took photographs. Janet added solemnly that the party did not possess a single lancet or a telescope. Tommy, when he understood what was happening, said "Nein" four or five times emphatically. Then there were some inquiries about the car. The princess asked the bearded chauffeur to produce his papers. In getting at an inside pocket he displayed his pistols and knives to great advantage. The Germans asked no more questions about the car, did not look at the papers and permitted the travelers to go on. Very likely, like Dogberrys' watch, they thanked God they were well rid of a knave.

The Megalians, when the car reached their post, turned out to be men of quite a different kind. They looked as savage and were quite as well armed as the chauffeur. They spoke a tongue which was neither German nor the quacking language of the Lystrians. Tommy and Janet did not understand a word of it. Even the princess seemed puzzled.

"As well as I can make out," she said, "they're saying that the photographs on the passports are not in the least like us."

"Tell them," said Tommy, "that that's a matter of opinion, and that if they know anything about the recent Cubist and Vorticist developments they'll see at once that these photographs represent our subconscious selves and are exactly like them."

"I don't believe I could say all that even in German," said Calypso, "and I don't know two hundred words of Megalian, which is what they're talking."

The chauffeur, seeing that something had gone wrong, left his car and approached the Megalians with his overcoat flying wide open. They were less impressed than the Germans by his display of weapons. In fact they were not impressed at all. All they did was unbutton their own coats and show that they possessed weapons of similar kinds.

"This," said Tommy, "is getting quite like Ireland."

The chauffeur quacked at the Megalians in Lystrian. They replied in Megalian, a language which consists principally of sounds like hisses. He quacked again, but mingled a few hisses with his quacks. They hissed in reply, but uttered a few quacks too. Gradually the speakers drew together until the Megalians were quacking nearly as much as they hissed and the chauffeur was hissing frequently. The princess understood about half of what each party said.

"They've just asked him," she said, "which of us is your wife."

"Tell him," said Janet, "to say I'm not."

But it was too late to tell him anything. He was making a long speech in mingled hisses and quacks.

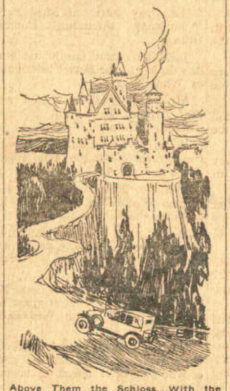
The princess giggled again.

"He's just told them," she said, "that I'm Mrs. Heard, and that we're all French subjects."

"I won't be called French," said Janet.

"I hope he'll be careful," said Tommy. "I can't talk French any more than I can German. Why didn't he say we were English?"

"It's no use saying that to the Megalians," said the princess. "They think the English never send armies anywhere or do anything except pay other people's debts for them. But they're desperately frightened of the French."



Above Them the Schloss, With the Light Still Bright on It, Looked Like a Fairy Palace.

The chauffeur quacked and hissed a little more.

"I'm awfully sorry," said Calypso to Janet, "but he's just told them that you're my maid."

The man had been treating Janet as if she were a servant ever since the party left Breslau. She was determined to assert herself and not to leave the Megalians under a false impression.

"Please tell him at once," she said, "to say that I'm the European representative of the League for Establishing World Peace Through the Union of Christian Churches."

She spoke so fiercely that Calypso dared do nothing but obey her. She did her best to explain to the chauffeur Janet Church's position in the religious world. I do not know what the chauffeur thought or how much he understood of what was said to him. Nor is there any way of finding out what he told the Megalian soldiers, or how much they understood. But the effect on them was excellent.

They all took off their hats, knelt down and crossed themselves piously.

They must somehow have gathered that Janet was an ecclesiastic of an unusual kind. They continued to kneel for several minutes in hope of a benediction which Janet did not give them.

Troyte tells me that Megalians have the reputation of being the most religious people in Europe. They take the greatest delight in Passion Plays, which they continually perform, keep rows of spittoons in their churches (a sign of real reverence) and have several well authenticated miracles every year.

As soon as they realized that Janet was a priestess, deaconess or abbess, they made no difficulties about allowing the party to go on.

Calypso's spirits rose after passing the frontier posts. That corner of the Megalian territory consisted of the old kingdom of Lystria, so that the princess was at last back in her own land. The few peasants who were herding cattle on the hillsides were Lystrians and no doubt talked to one another in the quacking language which the chauffeur used. The cattle were Lystrian cattle, long-horned, active little beasts, which looked as if they afforded little milk when alive and not much meat when dead. The cottages were Lystrian, the roads, the heather, the mountains themselves, all were Lystrian. Calypso drew deep breaths of Lystrian air with keen delight, pointed out one thing after another to Janet, who was not deeply interested. Now and then she clapped her hands with joy.

The spirits of the brigand chauffeur rose too. He still drove carefully. Any other kind of driving would have brought swift disaster on the Lystrian roads. But he blew his horn whenever he saw a man, woman or child, however distant. He threw off his cap and let the mountain air blow freely through his thick curly hair. Once, for a short while, he quickened the car's pace and pursued a hare which was foolish enough to run straight along the road. After a while he began to sing, mere snatches of song at first, in the end whole verses. This was highly unconventional behavior in a chauffeur driving a royal car. But Calypso did not resent it. She seemed actually pleased. Soon she joined him in singing. When the man heard her high treble ring out he dropped naturally into a bass part. The Lystrians, like most half-civilized people, are very musical, and every kind of singing is a delight to them.

Calypso started the Lystrian national anthem, a wild tune, as exciting as the Marseillaise, with something in it of the grandeur of the old Russian czarist national air. The chauffeur joined in with a kind of fierce enthusiasm. They sang the tune through together three or four times. Then Calypso leaned forward and laid her hand on Tommy's shoulder.

"Join in," she said. "You sing, too. Let's all sing."

She shook up Janet, who was dozing, and told her to sing.

Janet has no more ear for music than a crow has. Hymns are the only things she ever attempts to sing, and I am told that when she does the rest of the congregation suffers acutely.

It was her attempt at the Lystrian national anthem which put a stop to the singing in the end. Janet, who is quite unconscious of her infirmity, sang loud when she began to enjoy herself. She has a very powerful voice. The chauffeur must have been actually musical, more musical than either Tommy or the princess. His face twitched when Janet's high notes reached him. His steering became very erratic and once or twice he ran the car dangerously near the edge of the road. He tried to assuage his misery by sounding his horn fiercely when he knew a high note was coming in the song. I suppose this only made the discord more intolerable. At last he stopped the car, turned round, and quacked out an angry speech to the princess.

Calypso understood what he said well enough. She would probably have understood his feelings even if he had not spoken, for she was sitting beside Janet. But she was very tactful.

"Sandor says that we had better stop singing. The mountain air is bad for the voice and we shall have sore throats tomorrow if we go on."

What Sandor really said was that unless the English housemaid stopped squalling he would be forced by uncontrollable emotion to stab her and throw her out of the car.

They drove on without singing for the rest of the afternoon, steadily climbing into the mountains by twisting and sometimes perilous roads. At about six o'clock they reached the highest point of a lofty pass. On each side the mountains rose to snow-clad peaks. In front the road dipped steeply into a narrow valley. Beyond the valley stood, steep and frowning, another mountain. On its side, perched on a plateau—Sandor gripped Tommy's arm and pointed forward—there, a gray pile of masonry, stood the schloss, oldest, most impressive and least comfortable of the palaces of the Lystrian kings.

The car plunged into the valley, out of the sunshine into deep shadow. Above them the schloss, with the light still bright on it, looked like a fairy palace. They crawled over a narrow bridge which crossed a foaming torrent. They began a winding ascent along a singularly stony road.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Lenny Really Didn't Know Weight of Hog

If old Lenny Foskett was anything more than deliberate, he was exasperating. He moved, spoke and lived at his own sweet will, and no one had ever been known to budge him. He came into the village store one morning, threw himself down on the bench in front of the counter and announced that he had just killed his prize hog.

"Guess how much he weighed, boys," he drawled.

"Two hundred and seventy-five," ventured one of the loungers.

Lenny shook his head.

Others offered suggestions; the guesses grew so brisk that it began to sound like an auction. All sorts of weights were given, but to all of them Lenny merely shook his head. The others began to lose patience. From mere curiosity they began to long passionately to learn the weight of the hog and pass on to another subject.

"Well, for heaven's sake, how much did your old hog weigh?" somebody demanded. "We've guessed every figure possible! How much did he weigh?"

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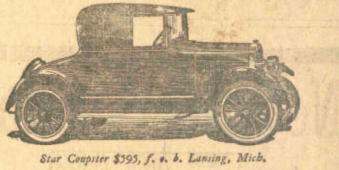

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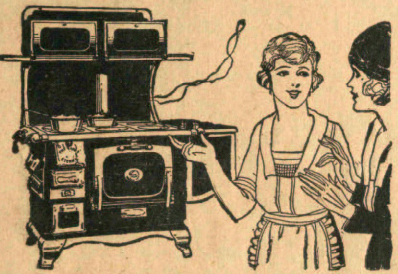

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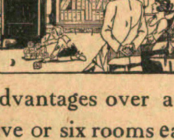

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Jonesville

W. M. Carpenter is ill at his home here.

C. G. White was in Clare Michigan the first of the week.

Mrs. W. M. Wetmore is spending a few days in Grand Rapids.

Dr, and Mrs. Garrett Walcott visited friends in Vicksburg last week.

Martha Ditmars of the Ypsilanti Normal spent the week end at her home here.

Mrs. Leo Mott and son Robert and Mrs. F. T. Dryer were in Dowagiac the first of the week.

A. L. Massey and wife are visiting their daughter Mrs. D. J. Donahue and family in Toledo.

Floy Jacobs of Toledo spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Olive T. Wisner, West street.

Mrs. Alice Dingfelder, Mrs. Ralph Powers and daughter Mary Alice spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Lucy Ross in Coldwater.

Mrs. R. B. Howard, Mrs. R. S. Varnum and Mrs. C. S. Brooks entertained a company of ladies at the Howard home on Reading Ave. this week Wednesday. A one o'clock luncheon was followed by cards. The out of town guests were: Mrs. Archie Jackson, Mrs. Gerald Fuller, and Mrs. Ollie Bassett of Angola. Mrs. H. C. Clark of Hillsdale, Mrs. W. W. Ostrom and Mrs. Charles McGregor of Jerome.

Somerset Centre

Orin Parish of Jackson called on relatives the week end.

A number attended the Hillsdale Fair from this vicinity.

Mrs. Eldridge was able to resume her school duties last week.

Mrs. Lawrence Parish of Jackson was a visitor at the Rant Rutan home.

Miss Higbee and sister Wavah were callers in Montgomery the week end.

Bart VanAllen and wife were callers at the Earl Rutan home Friday night.

Earl Rutan and family were callers at the Tom VanAllen home Sunday night.

Vern Fouty and family have moved to the Harry Spencer house in Somerset Center.

E. A. McGregor and wife started for Auburn Indiana where they will visit the latters sister Mrs. E. H. Ballard.

The Church services were held in the evening Sunday Sept. 27 while the Horton chorus entertained us by singing.

Eva Clark, daughter of Clifford Clark and wife, and Orley King son of Chas King had the misfortune to break their arms while jumping from the swings at school and Florence Parker also was injured at school.

Jerome

W. E. Alley has installed a radio.

Mrs. T. W. Tryon is visiting in Toledo.

W. W. Ostrom was in Jackson Thursday.

Harley Lane was in Hudson one day last week.

Harry McClanahan and wife were in Jackson recently.

Murl Morehead and wife are entertaining relatives from Toledo.

George Morehouse of Vandercook Lake was in town Sunday.

Homer Marvin and family have moved to the White farm near Jonesville.

Edward Thompson of Jackson has been visiting his daughter Mrs. Nellie Sterling.

Wendell Horton spent the past week with relatives at Kalamazoo and Montgomery.

Ira Wertenberger has completed two new porches which add to the attractiveness of his residence.

The Boy Scouts have rented the Buroker place where they will hold their meetings during the winter.

C. W. McGregor picked up an aviator who was half a mile in the air south of Toledo with his radio last week.

Wilbur Sawdey of Battle Creek, Mrs. Chas Harper and daughter of Marshall, H. A. Voorhees and family of Hanover have been recent visitors at the R. O. Sawdey home,

Rev. Scott and H. Lane have accepted an invitation to debate "Capital Punishment" at a social to be held at the Somerset Center church on Saturday evening of next week.

James Dubois attended the Hillsdale Fair Wednesday making the fifty second year that he has attended the fair in succession. Mr. Dubois says that he intends to keep right on going every year until the association goes out of business if such a thing ever does happen.

Center Adams

Will Sabin who has been ill for sometime, remains about the same.

Will Myers and wife of Adrian visited over Friday night with Will Keith and wife.

Mesdames Addie Wyman and Sadie Gray were at Mosherville Wednesday attending Pomona Grange.

J. R. Dewey and family ate Sunday dinner at the Bert Foster home in Wheatland.

Mrs. Linnie Post visited with Mrs. Addie Taylor in Hillsdale Tuesday afternoon.

Nathan Webster and family were Sunday visitors at the Dan Rowse home in Netheway District.

Mrs. Roy Johnson of Toledo visited over Wednesday night with her cousins James Post and wife.

Mrs. L. E. Chase spent from Monday until Thursday in Steamburg, with her sister Mrs. Sam Long.

Will Lauder of Silver Creek Nebraska was an over night guest at the Will Keith home Wednesday night.

Harry Foust drove to Hicksville Ohio Friday taking home his mother who had been spending several days at his place.

Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks was in Hillsdale from Wednesday until Saturday visiting her daughter Mrs. Robert Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Bull and children of Topeka Indiana were Sunday visitors at the Carl Shull home. Mrs. Bull and Mrs. Shull are sisters.

Mrs. Tom Willey and daughters of Concord spent from Friday until Sunday with her mother Mrs. L. E. Chase. Mr. Willey coming for them on Sunday.

Bert Wisner of Battle Creek is spending a few days with Robert Wyman and wife. Mr. Wisner was called here by the death of his sister Mrs. Margaret Shepard of North Adams.

Central Moscow

Len Dewey and wife attended the Fair Saturday.

Mrs. Parks who has been quite ill is better at this writing.

Mrs. Geo Brayton visited her sister Mrs. Bascom one day last week.

Mrs. Fred Carpenter is home after spending a week in Jackson.

Mrs. Len Dewey's brother and wife of Waldron visited her the week end.

Mrs, Lee Kies visited her parents Than Linsday and wife of Jerome. recently.

Andrew Richards and wife attended the funeral of his uncle O. Richards Tuesday.

Levi Lockwood and family visited their grandparents John Adams and wife Sunday.

Mrs. John Adams visited her daughter Mable Sturdevant and family the week end.

Too late for last week

Lucell Post was a caller at John Adams Sunday.

Alger Turner and family were at the fair Tuesday.

Andrew Richards and family attended the fair Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Carpenter is visiting in Jackson for a few days.

Mrs. Len Dewey and son Gerald visited at John Adams Friday.

Lucell Post of Cleveland Ohio visited her grandfather L. L. Sloan the week end.

Len Dewey and family visited her parents at Waldron Sunday.

George Brayton and family attended the debate in Jerome Saturdpy evening.

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Local News

On October 5th the Woman's Club met at the home of Fanny Fowler with the following program: Roll call—Cute savings of children; "The Ideal mother" Bertha Young; "Moral Education of the Child" Mary Wertz; music in charge of Grace Williams; Next meeting will be a banquet held October 19th.

Ob Richards of north Moscow township, a life-long resident of the farm on which he died, passed away Saturday evening at the age of 73 years from a complication of diseases. He was a High Mason, having joined Hamilton Lodge at Moscow when he was a young man. His splendid farm home is a land mark on the highway, being supplied with large and commodious barns well kept, and the farm has never had any other owners than Mr. Richards and his father who took up the land from the government in territortorial days. Funeral services were held Tuesday at the home and interment was at Hanover.

Judge Chester's Decision Reversed

It will be remembered that in 1923 Marjorie Kuhn was tried and convicted in the Circuit court of the poisoning of Zelon Lake at Jonesville. The jury found her guilty and Judge Chester sentenced her to life imprisonment at Detroit. News comes that the Supreme court has handed down a decision reversing the verdict, and the case must be tried over again at several thousand dollars expense. The results will hardly justify the effort but justice must be satisfied. It is possible the jury and court blundered in this case, and we recall that many of our citizens remarked at the time they could not understand how the woman could be sent up for life on what appeared as purely circumstantial evidence.

You Want This

There has just been issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture a very timely bulletin on the making of bread and other baked goods. This bulletin is entitled "Home Baking" and is prepared by Charlotte Chatfield, of the Bureau of Home Economics.

Some kind of bread is served on the average American table three times a day. The quality of that bread is an important matter. The food value depends on the materials which go into it, whether it is made at home or in the bakery. This bulletin has been planned primarily as a guide in home baking but through its discussion of materials it offers help also in the choice of commercial baked products. Copies of the bulletin may be secured, without cost, by addressing Congressman Joseph L. Hooper, Washington, D. C.

If your receipt says your time on the Advocate has expired, call in and renew.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance—James I. Post 2tf

—Please call in and renew your subscription to the Advocate. as we need the money and you need the paper.

—Made-to-Measure Suits and Overcoats guaranteed to fit made by "Golden Rule Nash" sold by Frank Dunnavan. agent for Hillsdale county. At North Adams every six weeks. 44tf

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Fremont, Indiana

Dairy Cow Efficient Food Producer

Properly built stalls cut down work and bacteria.

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Keep the utensils clean.

With increasing rentals and values of farm lands, dairy farming is rapidly replacing other types of live stock farming. A dairy cow producing 8,000 pounds of milk a year furnishes 1,000 pounds of dry matter, all of which is edible and digestible. A two year old steer weighing between 1,200 and 1,300 pounds furnishes about 550 pounds of dry matter, not all of which can be used for food. In other words a fairly good producing dairy cow furnishes twice as much edible dry matter in one year as a good two year old steer when he is killed for meat. A cow can be kept for additional years of service, while to replace the steer, another animal must be fed for a period of two years.

The United States consumption of milk per capita has increased from 42 gallons of whole milk in 1918 to more than 54 gallons in 1925.

With growing acceptance of milk as a food has come an increasing knowledge of the proper care of milk on the farm. Because odors from foods and animals in the cow stable are easily taken up by milk, injuring its flavor, they must not come in contact with the milk. Removal of the milk from the stable as soon as possible reduces the amount of dust and dirt entering it and keeps down the bacterial growth in the milk.

Bacteria increase rapidly in warm milk causing it to sour quickly. Removal of the animal heat from freshly drawn milk by lowering the temperature to that of cold well water (approximately 60° F.). greatly aids in preventing bacterial growth. A well lighted, well ventilated milk house, not too close to the stable, is also very helpful.

Cleanliness in the stable is vitally necessary. The stall platform should be just long enough for the cow to stand comfortably without room to spare; otherwise, the cow will become dirty from droppings when she lies down. The gutter should be wide and deep. A good gutter is 16 inches to 18 inches in width and 9 or 10 inches below the platform. Bedding should be clean and plenteous.

Long hair on the flanks, udders and tail above the switch of the dairy cow should be removed at regular intervals. Removing this long hair removes the clinging places of dirt which otherwise will fall into the milk pail in quantities. Keeping the hair short on these parts of the cow permits cleaning in much less time and more thoroughly. Brushing should never be neglected. It removes loose particles sticking to the body. When the hair is short, wiping the udders with a damp cloth just before milking, is an easy and important aid in securing clean milk.

It is generally recognized that most of the bacteria found in milk finds its source in dirt clinging to the cow and dropping into the pail during milking time. Simple precautions will practically eliminate this source of bacterial growth and dairymen find themselves well repaid for the little time necessary in taking such precautions,

Copyright 1925 News Bureau of Animal Husbandry

This is "Brother Charlie" who came nearer baing Vice President of the United States than his brother, William J. Bryan ever got to the presidency. However, a miss is as bad as a mile, and Charles Bryan could hardly qualify for such a scrap in the Senate as has been put up by Colonel Dawes. The Democratic timber is scarce but it is more than likely by the time another Presidential Election rolls around, another star will have been born into the realm of politics. There is considerable speculation as to who will be the next Colossus of Rhodes spanning the straits of Democracy.

AUCTION Bills

Printed at this Office while you wait

It is quite important that people coming to North Adams from a distance to get Auction Bills should be able to get the work at once and take it away with them. This is what we aimto do, and if you will call the Advocate on the telephone we can so arrange the matter. You furnish the copy we do the rest. Bills are necessaryfor stores.

Syrup Labels and Stationery, Ballots and township orders

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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

Arthur Westcott is not so well at this time.

—Turnips for sale at McLaughlin's Berry Farm. 20t3

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

Frank Sears arrived home from a stay in Georgia on Thursday.

The S. P. I. class meeting will be held at the home of Maud Anderson with a pot luck dinner.

Mrs. Lonsdale of Chicago is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Asa Crane and husband in this village.

Born to Gaylord Fry and wife near Churchs Corners Wednesday October 14th, a daughter.

Friday, Oct. 23rd in the evening the Methodist church will give a birthday supper and entertainment. Pot-luck. No charges.

Rev. Hunt attended a meeting of the Southern Association of Congregationalists of Mich. held at Clinton Mich. Wednesday.

Gurney Baker has been quite indisposed for a few days from an abscess under the tongue. He is now improving under the care of Dr. McFarland.

Eugene Rogers and family entertained on Sunday the following: His brother, L. M. Rogers and wife and Mrs. Mary Hulce of Union City, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hall and children of Jackson.

Postmaster VanWert will attend the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge at Grand Rapids next week. Mrs. Gertrude Walters will assist at the office during his absence.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt entertained at dinner Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kiess, Miss Aletha McClintic of Hillsdale and George Andrews of Cleveland Ohio.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet in the I. O. O. F. Hall in North Adams next week Friday October 23rd. Pot luck dinner and program. Answer to Roll call with quotations from Will Carleton.

The W. C. T. U. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Della Holcomb Feiday, Oct. 9. There was a very aood attendance and two new members were taken in this time, they being Rev. and Mrs. Wylie. The hostess served refreshments as a surprise.

Henry J. Sawin and wife of Grand Rapids were in North Adams accompanied by Mrs. O. J. Fowle of Moscow on Monday. Mr. Sawin formerly resided here and sees a number of changes in the village since he went away. He made the Editor a pleasant call.

The National Dog Field Day trials will be held at the home of Eugene McBain south of North Adams October 27, 1925. This event brings a lot of famous dogs to this community, and Mr. McBain has been appointed judge of all breeds by the Association.

A Hillsdale county boy, Edward Jennings, of Frontier, will be one of three debaters at Western State Normal to meet Cambridge University at Kalamazoo Saturday night. The debating teams of the great English University are touring the United States meeting many of the leading colleges and universities on various questions of the day.

Elmer Allen will sell at Public Auction on his premises one mile north, one half mile east and one half mile north of North Adams beginning at 12 o'clock noon on Thursday October 22, 1925, the following property: Span of matched mares weight 1050 lbs. 6 head of cattle and household goods. See his ad on back page. James Post, Auctioneer.

The barn of Charles Burnett north of Osseo was burned to the ground on Tuesday evening about nine o'clock from causes unknown. Neighbors arrived on the scene at once and by hard work saved the chicken house and other buildings. A quantity of hay was burned and an automobile belonging to Clarence Sloan who with his family occupy the house on the property. This is a serious loss to Mr. Sloan but the barn was insured we understand. The flare of the fire was seen by many North Adams residents.

A. J. Hoffman made a trip to Kentucky the first of last week and he reports that the roads enroute are simply fine. He says that from Quincy Mich., to South Bend is all concrete and then comes a stretch of fine gravel and then the rest is concrete clear into Louisville Kentucky. He drove the Marmon car from North Adams a distance of 422 miles in exactly 10½ hours. This of course eclipses any train records and is so much more convenient and pleasant than railroad travel and he says it may become the regular mode of travel—in fact it is.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel were in Litchfield Friday last where they attended, and Rev. Carrel assisted in the funeral services of R. A. Miller.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will meet in the church parlors Tuesday, October 20th, for an all day meeting with pot-luck dinner, Work for Bazaar.

The regular meeting of the Congregational Ladies Aid will be held at the church parlors Wednesday evening, Oct. 28th. A good attendance is desired as there is a comfortable to tie.

Claude Reed who has been spending the summer at the home of Fred Rock in this village, departed last week for Warren, O., to join the Clark Listers show, now touring the Central states.

Wanted—Man with car to sell complete line qualtty Auto Tires and Tubes. Exclusive territory. Experience not necessary. Salary $300.00 per month.
Milestone Rubber Company
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The sewing classes of Mrs. J. M. Williams will display their work at Masonic Hall in this village Saturday afternoon October 17th, at 2:30. Everyone interested is asked to come and examine the work. New sewing classes are about to be organized.

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both on year for the small sum of $2.25 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions, from Paris, the best works of Harolld Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

Following is the evening program of the Hillsdale County W. C. T. U, convention to be held at the Congregational church in this village Oct. 21 and 22: Music, Wheatland Loyal Temperance Legion; devotionals; greeting, Rev. Virgil Hunt; response, Mrs. Lillian Hawley; solo, Mrs. Mildred Hunt; address, Rev. A. F. Leckliter; music, Wheatland Loyal Temperance Legion.

Mrs. Flutell Thompson was hostess to a company of ladies at her home near Hoxie on Wednesday afternoon. Games, stunts and social visiting were pleasant features. The hostess served dainty refreshments. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will leave in November for Pasadena, California, to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Jay Carney and family. Mrs Thompson was presented with a suitable gift by the company.

Postmaster VanWert has announced the following requirements relative to outgoing mails since the change in schedules, in effect after October 5th, 1925: Mail intended for dispatch will be posted as follows: Train 52 due at 8;31 a. m. must be posted not later than 7;50 a. m. Train 51, due at 10:34 a. m., not later than 10:00 a. m. Train 54 due at 11;50 a. m., mail must be posted not later than 11:20 a. m. mail for Train No. 53 due at 3;10, must be posted not later than 2:45 p. m.

Old Resident Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Josephine Thompson of this village entertained a company of relatives at her home on West Main Street Sunday, Oct. 11 in honor of her eighty-first birthday which occurred the following day, October 12th. Twenty-six people were present to partake of the pleasant occasion, coming from Hanover, Mosherville, Jefferson, Plymouth and other points to join the home town folks in reminding Mrs. Thompson that she is remembered most cordially by them all.

Bertha Powell of Hanover produced a beautiful appetizing cake with 81 candles which were duly lighted. All too soon the hours slipped away when it was time to wend the homeward way and all departed, wishing the hostess a large portion of the joys that come as a reward for a life well spent.

Mrs. Thompson has been a resident of this village about 20 years and has two sons, George Smith of Plymouth and Neil Thompson of Hillsdale.

Notice!

We will make cider at our mill on the angling road east of Hillsdale Tuesdays and Fridays until further notice. Shull Brothers
20t2

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Emma Young and Mrs. J. A. Frey wish to thank our friends for their kindness sympathy and beautiful flowers during our late bereavement.

Card of Thanks

We most gratefully thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly stood by us in the hour of bereavement, also extend appreciation to Rev. Henry and Rev. Wylie for words of comfort and to the singers
Henry Porter and Family

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL HUNT, Pastor

The sermon topic for this Sunday will be "Witnesses". You are urged to feel your responsibility at these services and keep them alive and full of interest.

Sunday school immediately following the morning worship.

Please bear in mind the following announcements:

The W. C. T. U. meeting is to be held in our church this coming week. You are invited whether a member or not. Come! You will receive good from the meetings.

Saturday October 24 is the Church Auction to be held for the purpose of helping us to pay off some more of the debt of our church building. The public are urged to come and buy from the auction. There will be articles there of interest to all. Come and see! Sale starts at 1:00 p. m. at or near the Town Hall.

Sunday October 25 the Women's Missionary Union will hold a Thank Offering service in the church at 7:00 p. m. A choir from Hanover will render special music and a short address will be given by Rev. Hunt. Following this service the entire audience are invited to adjourn to the parlors of the church where light refreshments will be served and a quiet "Get-together" will be enjoyed. Noise this about among your friends so that a good attendance may be had.

Keep these announcements where U will not forget them and tell your friends so that all these meetings might be a success for the welfare and betterment of the community at large.

For Sale—Brood sow due to farrow now. Arthur Stevens. 20t3

For Sale—Quantity Carmen potatoes, also pears. L. M, Covey on David Watson Farm. 20t3

—Weaving wanted. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call Phone 206
17t6 Mrs. Levi Rogers

—This office is supplied with carbon paper 8½ x 12 at 5 cents per sheet.

For Sale—Tom Thumb Pop corn at 4c per pound. L. W. Hersh
Phone 6418. 20t3

—Please set out your milk bottles each morning. My supply is running short and I need them. A. C. Haight. 18t3

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewerly and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co,, Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

—We have a good stock of hard coal in the bins now and would advise customers to procure their winter's supply at once. Graves and Ford Lumber Company. 19t3

—Special attraction at the Congregational church Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mr. Leckliter, a nationally known speaker. Free admission. Auspices W. C. T. U.

—When in town call on Carpenter, the Harness and Shoe Repair man. He can furnish you anything in the Harness line at a price that will save you money.
29t3

AUCTION

For the benefit of the Congregational church on Saturday, October 24, 1925 at or near the Town Hall in North Adams, will be offered a large variety of useful articles such as may be given at that time. Your co-operation in helping to make this sale a success will be appreciated. Sale starts at 1:00 p. m.
H. L. Fry, Chairman
James Post, Auctioneer. 19t3

Mud Lake School Notes

The teacher was pleasantly entertained at the Carl Shull home last Thursday night.

At the present time the spelling contest is tied by Loceal Shull and Mildred Coryell.

The school enjoyed another watermelon feast on Thursday of last week when Loceal Shull hrought two large melons.

We have decided to have a Thanksgiving instead of a Hallowe'en social to raise money for our warm lunches, which we will have during the winter months.

The report of our Fair exhibit should have read two firsts and four second premiums, a total of $3.75. It was voted to keep this money for the warm lunch fund,

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affords benefit as well as pleasure.
Healthful exercise for the teeth and a spur to digestion. A long-lasting refreshment, soothing to nerves and stomach.
The Great American Sweetmeat, untouched by hands, full of flavor.
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All Set for Wheat Cakes

Just at the opening of the buck wheat cake season came word that 65,000 gallons of molasses was produced in the Barbadoes this year and that Hawaii had shipped 105,000 gallons to this country.

Enough

"Do you know how old she is?"

"No; but I know how old she tries to be!"

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SAMUEL HERSOM
THE WEST HAM FIGHT
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1—Bryant Baker, New York sculptor, and his statue of the late Chief Justice Edward D. White which is to be placed in his birthplace, New Orleans. 2—Orville Wright, inventor of the airplane, who has become chairman of the advisory committee to the new school of aeronautics in New York university. 3—Communists of Londca parading in protest because reckless grants of poor relief were checked.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Federation of Labor Spurns Briton's Plea for Union With Russian Workers.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

GREAT BRITAIN is alarmed by the spread of communism in that country, but Americans need not worry about it over here, if the words of President William Green of the American Federation of Labor and the cheers that greeted them in the federation's annual convention are a true indication.

Arthur A. Purcell, member of the British parliament, president of the International Federation of Trades Unions and a fraternal delegate in the meeting in Atlantic City, told the convention of his recent visit to Russia and his study of industrial conditions there, and then advised the workers of America to establish the closest relations with the Russian workers.

"We must not be afraid of new ideas," he said. "It has often struck me that, while the Americans have been the most advanced, the most receptive, in ideas concerning mechanical inventions and business organization, they have been slow in accepting new social and political ideas. Just as British workers have sent delegations to Russia, so I hope and trust the American Federation of Labor will do the same. Do not be afraid of being called names. Were Abraham Lincoln, Samuel Gompers or "Gene Debs, those great sons of the American people, ever afraid of being called names or being reviled, maligned or persecuted?"

Whereupon President Green arose with fire in his eyes and said: "We in America know something of the teachings of communism and the control the communist party exercises over the so-called Russian internationale. We know that influence emanating from Moscow is seeking, as it has always sought, not to co-operate with us but to capture and control us. They call the officers and representatives of the American labor movement fakers, crooks, and scabs. Frankly they say they do not believe in collective bargaining. They do not see in any strike an opportunity to increase wages, to shorten hours, to improve the condition of the employment for workers, but they see in every strike an opportunity for revolution.

"The Trade Union Educational legaue here in America, which is a creature of the communist party, frankly announces that its policy is to bore within the labor movement, to destroy it and substitute for our philosophy the philosophy of communism. We are not ready to accept that, and we wish that our friend who has so kindly offered such frank suggestions might take back to the Russian Red Internationale this message: That the American labor movement will not affiliate with an organization that preaches that doctrine."

Jumping to their feet, the delegates all shouted their approval of Green's declaration.

In the opening of the convention Mr. Green voiced the determination of organized labor to fight for passage of the child labor amendment to the Constitution. The executive council reported an increase of 43,000 in membership over last year.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE won new laurels for himself by his address before the convention of the American Legion in Omaha. "Tolerance" was his main theme, and he pleaded eloquently with his fellow Americans to drop every vestige of racial, religious and sectional intolerance. "It seems clear" said he, "that the results of the war will be lost and we shall only be entering a period of preparation for another conflict unless we can demobilize the racial antagonisms, fears, hatreds, and suspicions, and create an attitude of toleration in the public mind of the peoples of the earth. If our country is to have any position of leadership, I trust it may be in that direction, and I believe that the place where it should begin is at home.

"If we are to maintain and perfect our own civilization, if we are to be of any benefit to the rest of mankind, we must turn aside from the thoughts of destruction and cultivate the thoughts of construction. We cannot place our main reliance upon material forces. We must reaffirm and reinforce our ancient faith in truth and justice, in charitableness and tolerance. We must make our supreme commitment to the everlasting spiritual forces of life. We must mobilize the conscience of mankind."

Mr. Coolidge paid warm tribute to the service rendered to the country and to humnalty by the members of the Legion, and thus summarized remarkably well America's effort in the World war:

"In the victory which was finally gained by you and your foreign comrades, you represented on the battlefield the united efforts of our whole people. You were there as the result of a great resurgence of the old American spirit, which manifested itself in a thousand ways, by the pouring out of vast sums of money in credits and charities, by the organization and quickening of every hand in our extended industries, by the expansion of agriculture until it met the demands of famishing continents, by the manufacture of an unending stream of munitions and supplies, by the creation of vast fleets of war and transport ships, and, finally, when the tide of battle was turning against our associates, by bringing into action a great armed force on sea and land of a character that the world had never seen before, which, when it finally took its place in the line, never ceased to advance, carrying the cause of liberty to a triumphant conclusion. You reaffirmed the position of this nation in the estimation of mankind. You saved civilization from a gigantic reverse. Nobody says now that Americans cannot fight."

Earlier in his address he said he was "a thorough believer in a policy of adequate military preparation, and after the cheers subsided he continued:

"No doubt this country could, if it wished to spend more money, make a better military force, but that is only part of the problem that confronts the government. The real question is whether spending more money to make a better military force would really make a better country. I would be the last to disparage the military art. It is an honorable and patriotic calling of the highest rank. But I can see no merit in any unnecessary expenditure of money to hire men to build fleets and carry muskets when international relations and agreements permit the turning of such resources into the making of good roads, the building of better homes, the promotion of education and all the other arts of peace which minister to the advancement of human welfare."

The Presidential party, which included Mrs. Coolidge, returned at once to Washington, with a short stop in St. Louis.

The Legion gathering was considerably stirred up over Colonel Mitchell and his air service charges and theories. Finally a compromise resolution was adopted which, without naming Mitchell, recommended the reorganization of the national defense under one cabinet officer with subdivisions of equal importance for land, sea and air.

Philadelphia was awarded the convention of 1926 and it was decided to hold the meeting of 1927 in Paris, France.

WITH Judge E. Finley Johnson of Michigan, a member of the Philippines Supreme court, presiding, the international judicial commission to investigate the Shanghai riots opened its inquiry. The body is composed of American, British and French judges, and, according to the Chinese, is dominated by the British with the Americans as their dupes. Therefore the Chinese are violently opposing the investigation, asserting that there is no chance of a fair decision.

ALTHOUGH the allied and German statesmen in conference at Locarno, Switzerland, are working earnestly and apparently amicably to draft a security treaty, they have not, at this writing, solved the main problem, the eastern frontiers of Germany. Briand insisted that France should have the right to guarantee the arbitration treaties between Germany and Poland and Germany and Czechoslovakia, and Chamberlain for Great Britain supported him, but the Germans, Stresemann and Luther, objected, preferring England as the sponsor for the treaties. They also declared firmly that they would not agree to any provision in any of the treaties which would prevent Germany's seeking revision of the eastern frontiers. The security pact for the Franco-German frontier could be fixed up speedily except for one point—the right of France to send troops through German territory to aid her allies of the little entente in case they are attacked.

ITALY'S Fascists are going ahead at a great pace. Last week they brought about an agreement of closest co-operation between the confederation of industry, representing the employers, and the federation of Fascist labor unions, and then the grand council of the Fascisti framed constitutional changes giving the government absolute control of every phase of industrial, political and administrative activity. One provision creates a board of compulsory arbitration for industry and labor, and another makes strikes crimes punishable by death. The Fascisti also are conducting a violent campaign against Freemasons and there have resulted serious disorders in various cities, especially Florence where several murders were committed.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL, on the eve of court-martial for insubordination, was ordered by the adjutant general of the army to appear before the naval court investigating the airship Shenandoah. He showed up in full uniform and accompanied by his counsel, Congressman Frank Reid of Illinois. The colonel objected to taking the oath but asked leave to read a brief statement. Admiral Jones, president of the court, refused to allow this and Mitchell still declining to testify, the court took the matter under advisement.

The President's air board heard a large number of officers of the various services. The air officers were about equally divided for and against the proposition of a defense department with a separate air force. Rear Admiral Moffet, chief of the bureau of aeronautics, was an especially interesting witness, giving his opinion of the air service as of the greatest value and telling the board at length what he thought should be done to improve it. On Wednesday the board adjourned to attend the three days of air racing at Mitchel field.

DEFYING the known wishes of the President, the federal shipping board, after depriving the Fleet corporation of its powers, removed Leigh C. Palmer from the presidency of the corporation and ordered that Elmer E. Crowley be elected to succeed him. Palmer was offered a vice presidency in charge of European affairs but declined and severed all connection with the corporation. Other changes of personnel were ordered by the board and carried out. Rear Admiral Cone, retired, vice president and general manager of the Fleet corporation, then resigned, telling Chairman O'Connor that "without regard to other considerations, I cannot, as a retired naval officer, serve any organization that defies the wishes and policies of the President of the United States."

FRENCH and Spanish forces in eastern Morocco have effected a junction, the former advancing northward from Kifane and the latter moving south from Alhucemas bay. Thus the Riffs are completely surrounded. But the rainy season on which Abd-el-Krim has been counting has come and the Europeans are finding their operations increasingly difficult. Jules Steeg, minister of justice, has been selected as resident general of French Morocco to succeed Marshal Lyautey, who resigned.

In Syria the rebellious Druses have been thoroughly routed by the French tanks and bombing planes.

JUST as the world's championship series between the Washington and Pittsburgh ball teams was opening, all lovers of the national game were saddened by the word that Christy Mathewson, one of the most famous and best loved of all pitchers, was dead at Saranac Lake, N. Y. "Big Six," as he was called, succumbed to tuberculosis which attacked him after he was gassed in the World war.

Special Schools for Filipinos Great Need

Manila.—That a special system of instruction is desirable for the non-Christian peoples of the Philippines, especially for the Moros, who inhabit Mindanao and Sulu and who are Mohammedans, is the conclusion of a board of American experts, headed by Dr. Paul Monroe of Columbia university, which spent four months in making a survey of the educational system of the islands.

The board suggested that a special department of the bureau of education be created to take charge and make a close study of school work among these peoples. The board's report says: "The non-Christian peoples need a system of education that in many essential respects should differ from that developed for the great mass of the Filipino people. Only by such special treatment can the non-Christian peoples be brought up to the cultural and economic level of the Christian population."

A bill providing for separate schools for boys and girls in the departments of Mindanao and Sulu, where nearly all the inhabitants are Mohammedans, has been introduced in the house of representatives by J. P. Melencio, son-in-law of General Aguinaldo. Co-education in the elementary schools of Mindanao has not produced good results, in the opinion of Representative Melencio, who believes the enactment of the bill into law will greatly improve the public school system among the Moros.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Lansing—A permit to operate a motor bus freight line from Benton Harbor to the Indiana state line was granted Mammina Bros. Motor Express by the public utilities commission. The line will also operate in Indiana to South Bend.

Saginaw—The contracting firm of L. A. Davidson company, Flint, was low bidder with an estimate of $18,405 for the construction of the bridge on the east side Bay City road across the Cheboyganning creek, the county road commission announced.

Lansing—Adolph Ackerman, employe in the Fisher Body company plant here, suffered a fractured neck when a box fell on his head at the plant. He was removed to the St. Lawrence hospital, where it was reported his condition was extremely critical.

Grand Rapids—Indictments against Gerrit and Jacob Viser, brothers, charging them with having failed to file income tax returns, were among the 27 true bills reported by the district court grand jury. It is the first time such action has been taken here against delinquents.

Ann Arbor—In memory of the late Charlotte Blagdon, of Jackson, who died last August shortly after completing her term of office as president of the University of Michigan League of Women, a scholarship fund, to be called the "Blagdon Memorial Fund," will be established by the league.

Lansing—The state will complete the pavement between Ypsilanti and Saline, on M-24, this year, if possible, the state administrative board directed recently. The board also directed the highway department to complete 2.26 miles on the same route in Hillsdale county, from M-14 east to the county line, when no bids were received.

Lansing—Fear that continued rains will cause damage to stocks stored in basements near the Grand River, which is at its highest level since last spring, has caused a number of business men to transfer their merchandise to higher ground. The river has risen several feet in the last few days and has over flowed its banks at several points.

Grand Rapids—Disregarding traffic signals and traffic officers stationed along the route, John Rood is believed to have saved the life of his 2-year-old son, Otto, by rushing him on a truck from his home to Butterworth hospital, after the child had swallowed a cupful of kerosene. Delay by observing the traffic signals would have caused the child's death, hospital attaches said.

Manistee—Ground was broken recently for Manistee's new high school on the northern half of Sanda Park. The excavating will be completed in about two weeks, preparatory to building the foundation. Actual construction will be started this fall if the weather remains moderate. It is to be a three-story building, capable of filling the needs of this city through years of ordinary growth and will be completed in time for occupation early in 1926.

Battle Creek—Declaring their city market a proven success, and the space provided for it to be inadequate the federated clubs composed of practically all women's organizations in Battle Creek, and with a membership running into the thousands, has petitioned the city commission to investigate existing conditions and provide adequate space for the parking of wagons and trucks and to provide shelter for the same during inclement weather.

East Lansing—Representatives of Michigan scientific and agricultural interests will hold a meeting in Detroit October 22 to plan a campaign against the cornborer, following an inspection trip which has just been completed through southeastern Michigan, northern Ohio and Ontario. The cornborer, which originally came from Europe, started its depredations in the eastern part of the United States, reached Michigan three years ago and now has advanced as far as Livingston county.

Grand Rapids—The attitude which many citizens have assumed toward the federal prohibition law has created "a terribly menacing situation" in this country, declared District Judge C. W. Sessions in his charge to the grand jury. Discussing the point that there is a prevailing opinion that the prohibition act should be repealed or modified, Judge Sessions said, "It requires a two-thirds vote of both houses of congress and the affirmative vote of 36 states to repeal a constitutional amendment. Do you imagine for one moment enough votes could be mustered to repeal the prohibition amendment?"

Saginaw—Although the Consumer's Power company declares it has the right to put into effect lighting rates submitted a week ago to the council and which are materially higher than the present schedule effective for the last 10 years the company is willing, according to John K. Samson, district manager, to follow the state rates. These are considerably lower than those offered. The council which received this statement has asked the city attorney to prepare a statement defining the city's rights in the matter.

Lansing—"Trouble in industry the last few years has been due to lack of understanding and co-operation of the human elements in industry and the Y. M. C. A. can, through developing a better understanding between men and management, do much to avert misunderstanding in the future," declared H. M. Taliferro, general manager of the American Seating company, at an industrial conference here called to discuss human relationships in industry. About 50 plant executives from several states and larger cities and industrial secretaries attended.

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Jug The Trespassers

We are hearing a large number of complaints this fall from farmers of this section because careless knights of the gun troop across their farm property leaving gates open, cutting wire fences and shooting their livestock in its tracks. Many of the property owners are becoming a little savage about such trespassing and they are posting signs right and left warning all hunters to veer off. We never owned a farm but we think we can sympathize with most of these fellows, and while we have no bones to pick with hunters we believe that a man who is mean enough to shoot a helpless sheep or lamb through, simply for the sport of ohe thing should be dealt a dose of real live medicine by organizations for the purpose, and if such a miscreant could be taken to a secluded spot and tied to a tree and whipped severely, we are of the opinion such care free indulgences would become obsolete at once. Probably one whipping would be sufficient to spread the propaganda If not, then it might be real timely to administer one more and follow it with the tar and bird ornaments. We have in mind one instance a few years ago where a farm dweller owned a fine flock of turkeys. They became restless and made a practice of wandering a half mile from home to a secluded wood lot. One evening the turkeys did not return home and the next morning a search revealed several of them riddled with shot and others so badly frightened they fled in all directions. More than a quarter of the flock had been killed outright by hunters supposedly for deviltry. A Moscow farmer reports recenty one sheep was killed by somebody, name unknown, and at times we have listened to similar tales of woe. These farmer gentlement are not lying or exaggerating, and we feel it is shameful they cannot be protected as well as the banker or the merchant. The fact that livestock, often times valuable, is far away from human habitation don't give tho gunmen a license to practice marksmanship on them, and we would advise the farmers to organize vigilance commitees on the plans of many years ago in the mining regions of the west. One or two examples as above mentioned ought to help a little anyhow. We don't claim the hunters are all irresponsible drifters—far from it. Some of them may be your own sons for aught we know. So much the more deplorable when a neighbor might trek across a man's farm and slaughter his valuable livestock sometimes by accident but more often by intention. The farmer must be protected.

The New Line Is Ready For Business

The Consumers Power Company of Jackson which has undertaken the erection of the first high powered electric line in Hillsdale county have a large force of laborers putting up wires through this section and already the line is completed through the east end of our village The high tension wires are cables larger than one's finger and carry all the way from 20,000 to 60,000 volts so it is claimed and it is easy to see results would be very disasterous should one of these wires become loose and fall to the ground or across a telephone line anywhere Therefore the poles are higher in the air and average 20 inches in diameter at the base. The buried portion of the poles have been treated to resist decay and all important ones are guyed securely four ways to the ground making a practically indestructive construction.

Farmers along the line are talking a little louder than they did since it is beginning to be seen the Consumers representatives did not enlighten them as to all which would be put on the land when they made the contract. In some places the poles are standing out in the fields instead of by the fences and this with the guys causes no end of trouble and always will.

We are very glad to see this high powered line come to the county and should welcome more of them. The selling of electricity is now only a lusty infant, but twenty years hence we are expecting to see wonderful developments in all kinds of work performed by it. Even on small farms homesteaders will saw wood, grind feed wash clothes, shell corn, pump water, run sewing machines, cream separator, and light and heat their homes. It's coming to this very rapidly, because the increase in quantity is going to make the juice a little cheaper than it is now. However in this immediate territory of southern Michigan where available water powers are scarce it is not due to fall in price very much since coal is constantly getting higher and scarcer, but in central and northern counties where rivers are abundant and power dams easy to get, we look for electric current to be so cheap that house uses of it will be general, in fact a few years hence we shall be living in a complete electrical age. The western builders of lines use an iron support for the wires which lasts indefinitely and gives the best satisfaction but of course here we find the steel products so expensive that wood poles are better. The life of a good cedar pole is surprising. For instance the telephone line which followed the highway from Hillsdale to North Adams and thence north to Jackson built forty or more years ago using common white cedar pole is still intact with the most of the original material. In some places on marshes and low spots the poles have been re-placed two or three times but as a rule many of the original ones till stand.

Proprietors of small plants of all kinds operating light machinery find in the high power line great satisfaction as small horse power motors are cheaply bought and installed anywhere or taken to the work. In garages, feed mills, blacksmith shops, wood working shops, cabinet shops, machine shops, or any place where machinery is used the lightning bolt is harnessed to man's treadmill and does his work quietly and well.

When the immortal Ben Franklin went out in a thunder storm and placed his kite in the heavens he little dreamed of the achievements of the race and if the old boy could rise from the mould of the church yard and remain here just one week which would enable him to inspect most of the paraphernalia of electricity he would be so weary and so beat out he would ask to be laid away again for a thousand years.

HOW EXCESSIVE TAXES BLIGHT A NATION'S LIFE

Productive Effort Stops if Government Takes Undue Share of Profits, Says Treasury Official.

WEALTH IN RUSSIA FLED BEFORE THE TAXGATHERER

Men in America Prefer Golf to Giving Fruits of Three Days Work a Week to Income Taxes

The blighting effects of excessive taxation, leading to a nation's economic destruction, are described in the current issue of the American Bankers Association Journal by Garrard B Winston, Under-secretary of the Treasury. Citing possible effects on the Ford Motor Car Company, he declares that "the value is so large and its ownership so centered it is conceivable that collection of inheritance taxes may check, if not destroy, that unit of policy which has created and expanded that industry and thus prevent its future prosperity. Of what avail, then, is it to any government if it collects one hundred million dollars once in estate taxes and destroys a source of income upon which it can rely for revenue year after year?

"Success of the Ford Company does not mean simply that Mr. Ford and his son have grown wealthy. It means employment of tens of thousands of men and women; that mines, forests, railroads and vessels are brought into use; that the public has received an efficient and inexpensive means of transportation; that the farm is in touch with the city, and the worker with his office." Mr. Winston says in part:

Wealth Flees Oppression

"Upon first impression it might appear that a nation could take all of the earnings of its citizens or all of their property. The Soviet government proposed to appropriate all instrumentalities of trade and commerce. Yet, when the state reached out to grasp this wealth, it disappeared and left nothing but a few tangible objects, such as gold and jewels, which were easily transported to other countries. Wealth in Russia ceased to exist.

"If income tax rates are placed so high that capital in productive business no longer gives a net return commensurate with the risk, capital will go out of productive business, lie idle, go abroad, go into tax-exempt securities, or find other ways of avoiding the tax. If income tax rates are so excessive that a man of ability finds he must work more than three days a week for the government, he will become discouraged and decide that the result is not worth the effort. Less income will be produced and less will be realized from the tax.

"Recently a letter came to the Treasury from a small farmer. He owned a few acres which in 1913 were assessed at $900 and on which a tax of $13 was levied. In 1924 the assessed value increased to $3,200 and the tax to $123, but the farm failed to produce any more. Taxes exceeded the rental value of the land and more than the net earnings of the property were taken by the state. The farm was abandoned and now produces no tax.

"Often there come to notice cases where a particular improvement is not made, or a particular business is not started, because after deducting taxes the risk exceeds the value of the expected return. Men have dropped business, spent their winters in Florida and their summers abroad, because what they are permitted to retain under present tax rates is not worth the labor they must give to acquire it. They prefer golf to the further development of the country

Unscientific Taxes Destroy a Nation

"Unscientific methods of taxation may actually destroy the very earnings or property which it should be the principal interest of a government to foster. When it reaches the limits of what is known as its taxable capacity, a nation has begun to die. If taxes are raised too high, a country will slowly but surely destroy itself. It will use for daily consumption the seed corn on which its future life depends, and the spirit of initiative and adventure in its people will finally disappear. One or more of three things happen: The quantity of consumption is cut down, which means a lowering of the standard of living; or capital accumulations for extensions, improvements and new undertakings must diminish, resulting in a slowing up of progress and lessening eventually of taxable revenue; or, thirdly, a slackening of effort on the part of the citizen will take place when too large a part of his earnings are taken in taxes.

"The effort in taxation should be to find the tax which will continue to raise money over a period of years. Invariably, with an excessive tax, its yield has fallen off year by year while each rate reduction is reflected in an increase of taxable income. If the Treasury is to be assured a continuance of revenue, our citizens must prosper. If they are to prosper, the appropriation by the state of their earnings and property must be based upon economically sound principles."

Health and Home

FEEDING BABY DURING SUMMER

Milk is recognized as the ideal food for young children. It should be carefully guarded during the warm summer months, to insure its freedom from germs or bacteria that might cause harm to the child. Because of its nature, it is, under certain conditions, a breeding and propagating ground for germ life and may soon become unfit for use unless it is handled with the utmost care and vigilance. Perhaps the ideal way to obviate this risk is through the use of evaporated milk. This milk is only pure milk with sixty per cent of the water removed from it and is absolutely sterile. It is of double richness but may be modified by the addition of water, which will return it to its original volume with a greatly enhanced food value.

Evaporated milk is sterilized and has a high nutritive content. This causes it to be a very excellent food for the young child and the infant. In fact, many of the leading pediatricians of the country advocate its use after the child is deprived of its mother's milk. A formula, evolved by these pediatricians, through experimentation, is as follows:

From Sixth Week to Third Month.

Milk, evaporated	6 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	26 ounces

Seven feedings in twenty-four hours; 4 to 5 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and four-hour intervals at night.

From Third Month to Fifth Month.

Milk, evaporated	7½ ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	29½ ounces

Six feedings in twenty-four hours; 5 to 6 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and a feeding at 10 p. m.

From Fifth to Seventh Month.

Milk evaporated	10 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	29 ounces

Five feedings in twenty-four hours; 6 to 7 ounces at four-hour intervals, the last feeding to be given at 10 p. m.

From Seventh to Ninth Month.

Milk, evaporated	11 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	35 ounces

7 to 9 ounces at four-hour intervals during the day. Last feeding at ten at night.

From Ninth to Twelfth Month.

Milk, evaporated	12 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Barley water	34 ounces

8 to 9 ounces at four-hour intervals during day. Last feeding at ten at night.

Health and Home

CAMPING AND PROBLEM OF FOOD

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But due to the entirely inadequate means of food preservation and refrigeration found in the majority of camps, there is the ever-present danger of sickness from infected foods. The utmost care must be taken in order that this may be avoided. Butter and eggs should be bought only as used. The milk is a problem in itself. Perhaps the solution lies in the use of a milk other than market milk, in order that purity and sterility may be assured. For such use, evaporated milk is ideal. Many people are wont to confuse evaporated and condensed milk but there is no similarity between the two. Condensed milk is a combination of sugar and milk and can be used only when both of these substances are desired. Evaporated milk is merely pure, fresh milk with about sixty per cent of the water removed and the nutrient content left intact. It is absolutely sterile and pure, having been sterilized before leaving the factory. The water, removed by evaporation, may be replaced very easily and the milk returned to its original volume. Evaporated milk may be obtained in small cans, containing six ounces or in larger ones containing sixteen and can be taken to the camp in quantities sufficient for the needs of the entire period, thus assuring a constant supply of pure, fresh milk without the worry or the danger attached to the use of the market product.

Following are recipes for a few dishes that are best adapted for camp consumption because of ease of preparation, purity and food value.

Tomato Soup.

1 pint tomato pulp or canned tomato soup
1¼ cups evaporated milk
1¼ cups water
Salt and pepper to taste
⅛ tsp. soda

Bring tomato pulp or soup to the boil, add the seasonings and soda. Heat the milk and water and combine slowly with the tomato mixture.

Shirred Eggs.

¼ cup evaporated milk
¼ cup water
⅛ tsp. pepper
¼ tsp. paprika
6 eggs
2 tbsp. fat
Grated cheese

Beat the eggs, add the milk, water and seasonings. Melt the fat in a frying pan. Add the egg mixture and stir until the mixture is creamy. When almost done, sprinkle with grated cheese. Serve on slices of bread, toast or crackers.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Defaulthaving been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March. A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savinge Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amountingto two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars [$2610] and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy ths amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said morgage provided. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four (24) Town six [6] South, Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

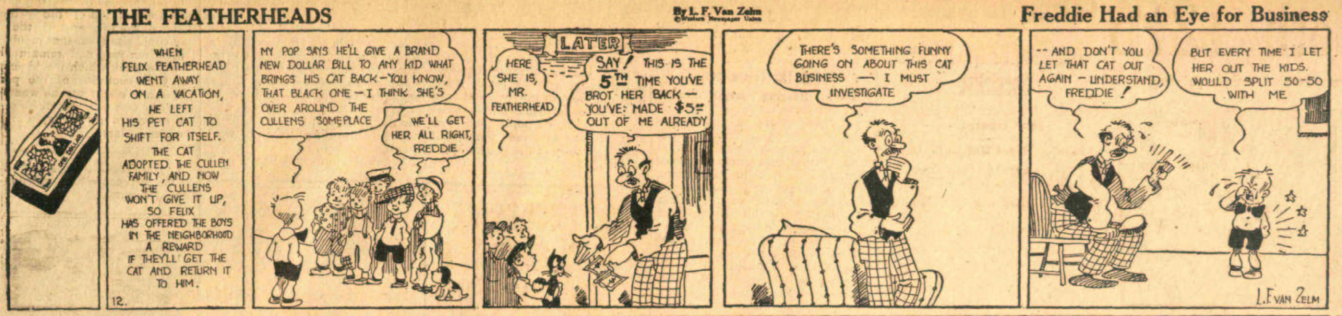
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N, Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said morgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit; the north one half of the southeast quarter of section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
D. Chandlor 1121t
Atorney for Mortgagee,
ness Address; Hudson, Mich.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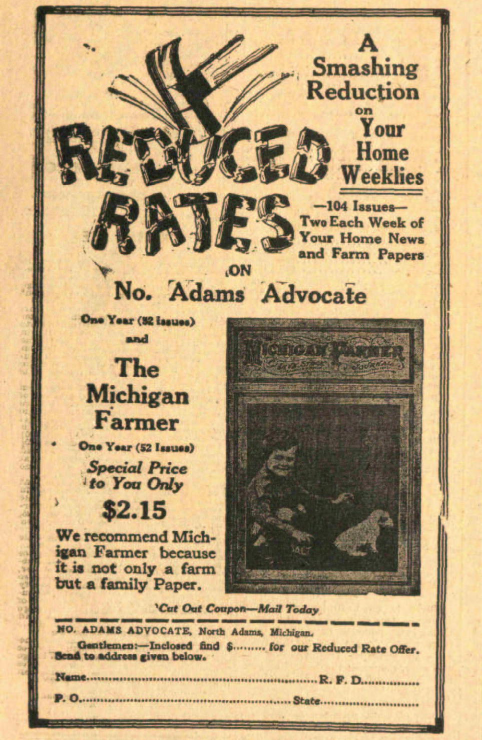
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THE weary waistcoat and the tired trousers—these are not fancies of the imagination but cold realities. You wouldn't make your horse go day after day without a rest or run your car without giving the engine a chance to cool off. And in just the same way your clothes have an occasional vacation coming to them once in a while if you want to get the most wear out of them.

It is known that even steel, when constantly used, gets what engineers call "metal fatigue." Wool is no exception. The sturdiest wool fibers become flattened and pressed out of shape by continuous use. Their strength returns, if they are allowed to rest up a bit.

Fortunately, you do not have to send fatigued suits to the seaside or mountains to recover their vigor. A nice, dark closet and well-fitting hanger make an ideal vacation for their jaded nerves. What you do need, though, is enough suits to keep them from getting too tired out. Two suits worn alternately wear considerably longer than three suits purchased one at a time and each worn continuously every day until worn out.

What is true of suits is equally true of shoes. Besides the greater economy of having two or three pairs of everyday shoes going at once, the man who has to stand or walk a great deal will find it much easier on his feet to have a Monday-Wednesday-Friday pair to alternate with his Tuesday-Thursday-Saturday brogues.

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Five Years Of Prohibition And Its Results

(Continued from last week)

MORAL AND ETHICAL ARGUMENT FOR PROHIBITION

"If the moral quality of an act is in the motive, then the Eighteenth Amendment has the quality of an honest effort to enhance human values", is the statement of Rev. Walter A Morgan, chairman Law Enforcement Commission of the Congregational Churches of the United States. "If concrete results achieved against tremendous opposition and in five years reveal the ethical and social results of a law, then this particular law has made the future safer for everybody. In America, at least, the will of the people increases in its determination to go the way that promises most for the coming generation. The moral significance of the whole matter is just in this social will and its concrete results under law."

PROHIBITION AND THE YOUNGER GENERATION

"The whole question of the effect of prohibition upon the young is a question as to how adequately we safeguard and protect our children," says Cornelia James Cannon. "Can we deny that we have largely left them to find their way in the wilderness of temptation we have allowed to grow up about them? Prohibition has succeeded with our young people in proportion as it has succeeded with us—no more and no less. If we can gather hope for the future, it will not come from deploring present conditions nor from commiserating ourselves, but from the contemplation of the developement in our midst of vigorous, independent youth, which bears promise of courage enough to make its own judgments and genuinely establish standards, which we have indicated by a graceful gesture in the form of a law but have been too supine to enforce. Our hope lies in the honesty of the younger generation and the clearsightedness with which they watch our blundering and our fumbling. They will never allow their children to do the things we have allowed them to do, and, from the bitter knowledge gained through our weakness and indecision, will be able to throw round the next generation a protection which we have failed to give them."

PROHIBITION AND PROSPERITY

"There are many factors in the prosperity of any country or of any class," asserts Thomas N. Carver professor in Harvard University. "It would be useless to argue that prohibition has been the only or the chief factor in the prosperity of this country or of our laboring population. That it has been one of the factors is a reasonable inference from such acts as we have, by any process of reasoning which we would apply to a similar problem. When it comes to a pinch, practically every one admits that prohibition or severe restriction of liquor consumption is necessary to secure the maximum economy of man power. Such a pinch came in the World War. Not only this country, but England, Germany and Austria as well found it necessary greatly to reduce the consumption of liquor. That was a time when every unit of man power counted; when no country could afford to waste any of it. No one doubted that drunkenness, at such a time, was a waste of man power that might produce tragic results. In these times of peace, the waste of man power is not so dangerous, nor are its results likely to be so cataclysmic, but it is pertinent to ask whether in the long run, they may not be as definite. Since the prosperity of a country depends upon the economizing of its man power, that prosperity must be at least retarded by wasting it. In the long process of economic competition, the country that economizes its man power through sobriety—even enforced sobriety—may gain as definite an advantage as in the acute struggle of a great war, over a rival that wastes its man power in drunkenness. The advantage of conserving food may eventually be almost as important in time of peace as it proved to be in time of war."

"I am one of those who were opposed to prohibition", says Horace D. Taft, headmaster of the Taft School. "I believe enormous good has followed the adoption of prohibition. It has resulted in enormous benefits for the whole country. A man who will consider the overwhelming evidence to this effect may also get some understanding of the fixed opinion of a large part of the American people in favor of prohibition. He will find the results in a great increase in savings, in the marked improvement of the appearance of the school children from the homes of the poor, in the strong conviction on the part of great employers of labor as to the benefit derived by their workmen, in a great lessening in most of the country of the diseases arising from alcoholism and of the large class of petty crimes connected with the same."

(The end)

Latimer Propaganda

Thirty six years ago R. Irving Latimer of Jackson was convicted and justly so, of murdering his mother by brutally shooting her as she was reposing peacefully in sleep. He was an only son and had had every advantage mother love and ample finances could give. But he loved the fast life, and to keep up his end at that cheap game the while acting as superintendent of a Sunday school, he killed the best friend he ever had, and has never been known to shed a tear over it since.

The writer knew his mother—used to run errands for her, and we can truthfully say no sweeter, more lovable old lady ever lived. Latimer's father died under mysterious circumstances and many Jackson people following Mrs. Latimer's death firmly believed he had poisoned his father. Later he poisoned a guard in the prison and escaped, the death of the guard now being classed as an accident by Latimer. But it wasn't so considered at the time.

Since his return to prison he has been a model prisoner, so he says. Why shouldn't he be? He was too cowardly to make even a fight for his freedom once he had attained it, but crafty enough to figure out that only through being a model prisoner over a long term of years could he ever hope for eventual freedom. And now he is going after it, and working for him, conscientiously, working hard, is Murl H. DeFoe, editor of the Charlotte Republican, one of the most influential men among the newspaper and political circles of Michigan. As a result R. Irving may again gain his freedom.

Knowing what we do about the whole sad affair, we hope for once Murl fails. And we know there are hundreds of old time Jackson residents who feel the same way we do about it.—Sim. R. Wilson.

Call Trip To Study Corn Borer Control

Still greater activity in efforts at control of the European corn borer destructive crop pest, will follow a special inspection trip called for October 22, in the opinion of specialists at the M. S. C.

Representatives of all phases of agricultural service in the state will join in this observation tour, which will cover some of the most heavily infested sections of Ontario, Canada. Fields are to be seen in this section which are almost total economic losses as a result of corn borer damage, according to Professors J. F. Cox and R. H. Pettit of the college staff, who have just returned from a visit to the fields in question.

The corn borer was introduced to our eastern states some years ago, an unwelcome guest from Europe, and since has spread as far west as Michigan, being reported even in Livingston county this summer. Quarantine work which has been carried on very effectively by the Michigan State Department of Agriculture has slowed up the spread of the pests in the state, and similar work has been done in other sections.

Entomologists who have been studying the situation for years, however, fear that the borers will eventually spread throughout the corn belt, unless something startlingly effective shows up to check them. As a result, farms crops men are planning to bend every effort toward learning ways and means of growing corn in spite of the pest; entomologists are speeding up their experimental program seeking effective parasitic control; and quarantine and other regulatory steps are being continued.

The inspection trip on October 22 will start from Detroit in the morning, covering many corn borer sections of Ontario before night Plans for the establishment of a special corn borer test station in southeast Michigan may grow out of the trip, it is said by the college men interested. The State Department of Agriculture and the U. S. Department of Agriculture would undoubtedly join in the establishment of such a station.

Growers Confuse Two Pests of Apple Crop

Marked infestations of apple maggots in the orchards of many sections of the state, and the danger of confusing the maggots with the codling moth in planning spray campaigns, have caused the issuance of a special warning by Prof. R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology department at M. S. C.

Examination of orchards in some parts of the state has revealed the presence of the most serious infestation of apple maggot that has come to my attention, says Professor Pettit. It is important, in this connection, for growers to know the difference between the work of the maggot and of the codling moth. The codling moth spray will not more than partially control the apple maggot, and growers are likely to lose faith in the codling moth spray if they are contending with apple maggot and do not know it.

Cutting the apples open and examining the grub inside is said to be the easiest way at this season of the year of telling whether the work is that of the maggot or the moth. The maggot is about one-fourth inch long, white, and legless; while the larva of the codling moth is about three fourths inch long, pink in color, and provided with six legs.

Proper spraying and destruction of the maggot infested apples as soon as they fall to the ground, in order to prevent the maggots from getting into the ground for their winter home, are means suggested for controlling the maggot. County agricultural agents of the state or the entomology department department, M. S. C., East Lansing are said to be ready to furnish detailed information on identifying and controlling the apple maggots.

Detroit Grows

We have often mentioned what we thought was an awful good place to invest your hard earned dollars and we are going to repeat it. Detroit real estate has got them all beat and we know it. Do you know what the population of Detroit is? On July 1, 1925, the population of the city was over 1,200,000 souls and growing like a mushroom.

Now the talk of St. Lawrence to Ocean Waterway is going to help matters a little in Detroit and there's honest Uncle Henry Ford who keeps reaching out and getting something all the time to convert into a factory of some kind where he puts a large force of men and starts the wheels going.

Uncle Henry is an awful good man to get next to as he makes two blades of grass grow where only one grew before, figuratively speaking. The suburbs of Detroit now called River Rouge, and other outskirts are being built up and made into busy factory towns by his money. Great smelters and roller mills are there and already power houses for distribution of electric energy seem to hatch out as it were, in a fortnight. In other words Henry tooka think some time ago—and you know what happens when Henry takes a think. Every time Henry has taken a think late years a great Genii has sprung up to do his bidding.

A thousand dollars invested in some parts of Detroit should in or about 1935 be worth $10,000, and in the right location it is going to exceed that figure. Remember we are not talking for any real estate sharks but we are saying from the bottom of our heart "get while the getting is good" and don't for God sake put your money into Florida swamps or lakes. We like Florida's climate all right but the price of the climate asked with some worthless land thrown in, is a little too high. The fact that William J. Bryan and Henry Ford both bought property in Florida don't indicate that the state is absolutely a safe investment. Put your money in some place where the prospects are looking up, and the fickle Goddess of opportunity is certainly infatuated at present with Detroit.

Intellectual Honesty

According to Judge Gary absolute honesty is a most important thing in a business man, and next to honesty he places accuracy. The judge emphasized the necessity of a good education and the desirability, if possible, of a college education, with all of which ideas we agree. We should like to go a little further and define honesty. The refusal to abstract our neighbor's purse or resolutely avoid second story windows or refrain from putting slugs in subway stiles in place of nickles are not necessarily manifestations of honesty. Feeling a little cynical, we often wonder whether the United States is better served by that kind of honesty than it would be by intellectual honesty. As a people we measure up to the general standard of honesty. But that standard is one which contrasts honesty with the larceny of the penal codes. We suffer enormously in this country from intellectual dishonesty both in public and private life although we can never assess in dollars and cents the exact amount. A man with a crooked mentality is worse than a pickpocket. However, we have no desire to amend the penal code and reduce the penalty for larceny. If we did amend it, we would put in intellect crook in jail for eighty years and as long thereafter as he lived.

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CHAPTER XVI—Continued

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Casimir's preparations for the reception of the princess were complete.

The greater part of the Lystrian army was there to greet her, drawn up on each side of the road. As the car passed the men fired their rifles into the air, each one shooting off round after round, refilling his magazine when it was exhausted. There was plenty of ammuntion, which showed that some of Cable's money was wisely spent. No doubt is was his money, too, which had provided new uniforms for the whole army, not dingy khaki tunics and breeches like those worn by unimaginative soldiers of western lands, but fine blue cloaks and crimson tunics and great boots with fur tops to them and wide black trousers or short pleated petticoats like Highland Scottish kilts. Some of the men wore caps with tall green feathers in them. Some had shiny metal helmets.

At the gate of the palace stood a group of the magnates of Lystria, the very least of them a count by right of four or five hundred years' descent from other counts. Perhaps half of them were Casimirs, members of one branch or other of the family of which Count Istvan was the head. They, like the soldiers, were splendidly clad. Some of Cable's money had gone in providing gold-laced coats, fur-lined cloaks and green breeches. But their jewels were their own. Blue turquoise, red garnets and green stones like emeralds shone on the gilt metal belts which held their swords, on the broad collars round their necks, on multitudinous buttons of their clothes, on tall cap badges, even on their spurs.

In the middle of the group of nobles stood the patriarch, perhaps the tallest, certainly the broadest man there. He wore a long purple cassock and a purple cape lined with white fur. Round his neck, on a heavy gold chain hung a double-armed Greek cross, thickly studded with jewels. On his head was a shiny miter. Behind him stood four priests, white-robed, with long black silky beards. One of them held the patriarch's immense pastoral staff. Another carried a tall ebony pole with a gold star on it, a very large and splendid star with sharp pointed rays sticking out of it in all directions. The other two held aloft a kind of canopy made of embroidered silk, not unlike a huge two-handled umbrella. If they had held it, as they should, over the patriarch's head, it might have kept the dew from settling on his miter. Held crooked, a little behind him, it served no useful purpose. But it was highly striking and ornamental.

Calypso, now at last a veritable princess, stepped from the car, paced slowly forward to where the patriarch stood while the magnates cheered wildly and the army fired its guns. The patriarch raised a plump, pudgy hand in benediction. The four priests behind him wailed a loud "Amen." The nobles shouted and the guns fired. Calypso stood erect. The patriarch, a heavy man, afflicted with rheumatism in his legs, knelt slowly and stiffly. He gravely kissed Calypso's hand.

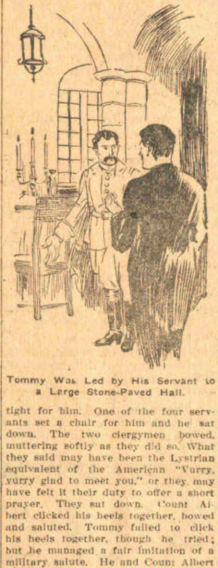
Then one by one the nobles stepped forward, headed by Count Albert Casimir. They bent until their foreheads touched the ground and then kissed the toe of one of Calypso's boots. The patriarch was, I gathered, the only man entitled by his rank to kiss her hand. Cheers and more firing of guns greeted each act of homage. When the last was accomplished a band, set on the battlements above the gate of the schloss, began to play the national anthem, the same tune which Calypso and the chauffeur had sung in the car earlier in the afternoon. The whole mass of men, the patriarch and his priests, the nobles and the army, down to the remotest of them, shouted the song whole-heartedly. Tommy, excited by all he had seen, joined in and sang as bravely as the best. Janet Church would no doubt have sung, too, but Sandor, the chauffeur, stood beside her with the most murderous looking of his knives in his hand. He made it clear to Janet—indeed she could scarcely have mistaken his meaning—that if she attempted to sing she would immediately be killed.

When the whole ceremony was over the princess and Janet Church were led away together to the state apartments in the schloss. Count Albert Casimir conducted Tommy to the suite of rooms which had been prepared for him. Albert's English was not nearly so good as Istvan's. Indeed, he seemed to be able to say very little except "Please." He said that every time he said anything, and he always smiled in a friendly way. But language, for the simpler affairs of life, is not really necessary. Tommy understood without difficulty that the rooms were entirely for his use, that a bearded savage, who bowed to the ground every time any one looked at him, was his servant, that there was hot water for the bath, and that as soon as he was ready he could descend to— There he would have been thankful for a few intelligible words. He had to descend somewhere and supper would be waiting for him when he did, but where the place was Tommy could not make out.

Half an hour later, washed, brushed and very hungry, Tommy was led by his servant to a large stone-paved hall. It was an immense room with a vaulted roof, high-placed tiny windows, and a raised dais at one end. On this dais a small table was spread. Four servants stood stiffly behind the chair set for a solitary dinner. They wore dark green liveries decked with silver buttons nearly as big as half-crowns, and had silver epaulettes on their shoulders. The whole scene was strikingly medieval, and Tommy, who was fond of Scott's novels, appreciated it. There was just one jarring note. A stone-flagged vaulted hall in a medieval schloss ought to be lit with torches stuck into iron brackets on the walls, or—and even this would have been a concession to modernity—with tall wax candles in silver sconces. But King Wladislaws, who used to come to the schloss occasionally, had conceived the idea of making use of the water power supplied by the torrent in the valley. The whole castle, from turret to dungeon, was lit by electric light. Bright groups of bulbs hung from the vaulted roof of the hall. On Tommy's table stood a silk-shaded lamp, like those in use on the table is the Mascotte.

After supper, just as Tommy had lit his first cigarette, the patriarch entered the room. He came in some state, clad in his purple cassock, accompanied by Count Albert Casimir and two of the Lystrian clergy.

Tommy, rather uncertain how he ought to receive such company, laid down his cigarette, stood up and bowed. The patriarch bowed, a little stiffly. He was a portly man and had no doubt supped somewhere else. The girdle of his cassock seemed a little tight for him. One of the four servants set a chair for him and he sat down. The two clergymen bowed, muttering softly as they did so. What they said may have been the Lystrian equivalent of the American "Vurry, yurry glad to meet you," or they may have felt it their duty to offer a short prayer. They sat down. Count Albert clicked his heels together, bowed and saluted. Tommy failed to click his heels together, though he tried; but he managed a fair imitation of a military salute. He and Count Albert sat down. The patriarch gave an order and a servant brought a fresh bottle of wine. One of the priests drew a box of cigarettes from some pocket among the folds of his cassock and handed it round.



Tommy Was Led by His Servant to a Large Stone-Paved Hall.

The business of the meeting began. Count Albert acted as interpreter.

"Sprechen Sie Deutsch, please," he said.

Tommy understood that and replied emphatically that he did not.

"Franzosiche?"

Tommy with an effort recognized Franzosiche as the German for French.

"Nein," he said. "That is to say Non, at least nothing worth mentioning, though of course I know a few words like petit-dejeuner, and bonjour, and l'etat c'est moi."

"Italianisch?" said Count Albert, but not very hopefully.

"No," said Tommy, "I don't. Nor Spanish, Portuguese, Swedish, Russian, nor modern Greek. In fact, I may as well own up at once, that it's English or nothing with me."

It was evidently very difficult to communicate with Tommy. There was consultation in the course of which one of the priests made a suggestion which was regarded as hopeful. Count Albert turned to Tommy.

"Patriarch," he said, pointing to him "Lateinisch."

"All right," said Tommy, "I'll try. I've learned Latin of course and I used to know it quite well, but not conversationally."

The patriarch was not so fluent with his Latin as he might have been. It is the ecclesiastical language of the world, but— Well, I once knew a priest who asked whether temere in the title of the famous Ne Temere Bull was a second or a third conjugation verb. Yet that man read his breviary faithfully. There was more excuse for the patriarch than for him. The services of the Lystrian church are not said in Latin.

But even if the patriarch's Latin had been much better than it was, there would have been difficulties. Our English schools have, of late years, altered their way of pronouncing Latin. No doubt the new sounds are better than the English a's, i's, and soft c's to which I was brought up, but we have not yet achieved the true Italian ecclesiastical whine. Tommy did not understand the patriarch, nor could he make the patriarch understand him.

"Es ist trauerlich," said Count Albert at last. "A pity, not so?"

Every one, especially the stout patriarch, was extremely good-humored, but no one knew how to say what had to be said to Tommy.

"If—" Count Albert's English came very slowly. "If—here—were—Casimir Istvan Graf—Ach!"

"I say," said Tommy. "What about getting the princess to come and interpret? She knows all the languages there are."

He must have pronounced the word "princess" very badly, for no one knew what he meant.

"Calypso," he tried.

This time the patriarch understood; but he shook his head decisively. For some reason the presence of the princess was not desirable.

"Well, then, try Miss Church," said Tommy. "She knows German though she can't talk Lystrian."

"Mees Zurz?" said Count Albert doubtfully.

"Yes," said Tommy. "Miss Church: Fraulein Kirche. That is to say, if you really speak French, Mademoiselle Eglise, or"—here he turned to the patriarch and spoke very clearly—"Ecclesia—Virgo Janetta Ecclesia."

The party of Lystrians was entirely bewildered; but Tommy was not beaten yet. He took a pencil and a piece of paper from his pocket and made a rapid sketch of Janet. Tommy was no artist, and any resemblance his picture bore to Janet must have been that of a caricature. But it was instantly recognized and greeted with applauding laughter.

"Ach so," said Count Albert. And the patriarch made sounds which are the Lystrian equivalent of "Ach so."

One of the priests was sent to fetch Janet. The patriarch ordered a fresh bottle of wine. The cigarettes were handed round and the party settled down very comfortably to wait. There was no conversation, for the Lystrians were much too well bred to talk to one another in a language which their guest did not understand. But everybody smiled amiably at everybody else.

Janet had gone to bed; but the priest who was sent to fetch her was a determined man. A quarter of an hour later he led her into the hall. She was clad in the pink dressing gown and the slippers, which she had worn when Tommy first saw her in the corridor of the Adlon hotel.

Janet was not in the least embarrassed by her costume, or by the company in which she found herself; but she was very much annoyed at being roused out of her first sleep.

"I wish to goodness," she said to Tommy, "that you'd learn enough German to be able to get on without perpetually appealing to me."

The patriarch unfortunately shared the view of Sandor the chauffeur, that Janet was the princess' maid. He neither stood up to greet her nor invited her to sit down. This, very naturally, increased her feeling of irritation. If Tommy had not rushed off to get a chair for her, the chances of the reunion of the other Christian churches with that of Lystria would have been compromised.

The patriarch spoke to her. Janet listened for a while and then cut the poor man short in the middle of a sentence.

"He says," she told Tommy, "that the marriage is fixed for tomorrow morning."

"Marriage! The princess and I?"

"I suppose so," said Janet. "It's certainly not you and I."

"But he can't do that," said Tommy. "Marriages can't be rushed in this way. It takes a fortnight to get a license. If he calls the banns it'll take three weeks."

Janet said something to the patriarch and he replied.

"He's surprised," she said to Tommy, "to hear that you are unwilling to marry the princess."

"I'm not in the least unwilling," said Tommy. "Tell him there's nothing in the world I'd like better. Make that clear to him, will you? It's a most important point, and I don't want any misunderstanding about it."

Janet translated; but Tommy did not altogether trust her. He tried an explanation of his own in Latin.

"Jucundus et laetus ero," he said "reginam in matrimonium ducere, any time you like."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Inventor Had Taken No Chance of Losing

Surely, the Scotch are the most tolerant people in the world, as they bear the brunt of most of its so-called humor. But there is considerable basis for the well-circulated theory that the Scot is canny. Here is an authentic yarn, vouched for by Harry Furniss in his "Some Victorian Men" that illustrates the point.

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A marked rise in the interest in history since the World war is seen in the increased enrollment in history correspondence courses of the University of Wisconsin extension division says an official bulletin. Some 226 students completed their history courses in the two years from 1922 to 1924, as compared with 232 who completed their courses in the twelve-year period from 1908 to 1920. In 1918 the enrollment in history was 895, and in 1924 the total had climbed to 3,442.

"The popularity of the course reflects public opinion decidedly," said Miss M. L. Edwards, in charge of the extension history department. "After the war the demand was chiefly for a general European history course. After the Egyptian tombs brought the King Tut craze, our ancient history courses swelled in enrollment. The demand for American history is constant."

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Costumes of Old Days

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Faustina Zappi

Faustina Zappi was the daughter of a painter, Carlo Mazzati, and wife of Gambatista Zappi, who was born in 1668 and died in 1719. Faustina was very lovely and also wrote very beautiful poetry. Some of her sonnets are very fine. She resided principally at Rome, being very happy in her composition and in the love of her husband.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jerome

Mrs. M. H. Morris has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Lee Rutan of Liberty was in town Monday.

Mrs. H. W. Morheir of Jackson was in town recently.

A calf belonging to Otto Miller hanged itself Monday night.

Eugene Baker and wife are moving into the S. N. Ostrom house.

V. C. Green and wife of Pittsford visited at the T. J. Lane home Sunday.

Dick Fowle of Jackson visited at the home of Charles McGregor one day last week.

Theron Randolph has been elected president of the Freshman class at Hillsdale College.

Joe Baker of Somerset Center has been repairing the road which runs north and south through town

Mrs. Chas Westripp and son Chas Jr. of Chicago have been visitors at the C. W. McGregor home.

The families of Mark Clement and Wm Sheldon of Jackson spent Sunday at the home of R. M. Seeley and wife.

Rev. Scott will commence a series of three sermons Sunday beginning with the book of Job and the problem of human suffering.

Mrs. Wm Anson, post mistress is taking a week's vacation the first in nearly three years. Mrs. Henry McGregor is substituting in the office.

The house of T. J. Lane caught on fire Friday from a defective flue burning a hole through a partition but was put out before much damage was done.

The first of a series of young people's meetings for Jerome and Somerset Center was held at the home of Vernon Ballard Thursday evening. 17 were in attendance.

The auction held by Walter Sawdey at the former home of C. E. Depue was not as well attended as might have been because the busy time and cold weather. Robert Cowen and Grant Sawdey were auctioneers while C. W. McGregor was clerk.

Jay Chandler and wife have traded their farm comprising 255 acres for the Welch apartments on First street in Jackson. Mr. Chandler was born on the farm which has been traded and has lived there all his life. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler still own about 150 acres which was not included in the transaction.

Last Thursday, Murl Morehead caught a 31 inch pickerel weighing seven pounds at Moon lake south of Somerset Center. This and one caught about two years ago in Goose lake by Thomas Tryon are about the largest specimens ever caught in this section. Murl has been under the weather ever since he caught the fish and says he has a bad cold but the chances are that the pickerel just about did him up in the struggle which took place in the lake.

Just as Otto Miller, Wayne Miller and Glenn Kane were driving onto the Adrian road Tuesday they were run into by a traveling salesman in a Hudson Six. No one was hurt except Glenn whose hand was cut by windshield glass while Otto was deluged by a ten gallon can of kerosene near which he was sitting. Miller's car was badly wrecked while the Hudson suffered only slight damages.

West Hoxie

Received last week

Burl Shambaugh and family were in Hillsdale on business Saturday.

Roy Householder of Clinton and Iris Sutton spent Sunday at Reading.

Ervin Sprague who has been quite sick is better and has returned to school again.

Lillian Pendell of Hillsdale spent the week end with her parents Ben Pendell and wife.

Mrs. Cora Franks will entertain the Larkin club in the near future at her home near Hoxie.

Will Bloemker and family spent Tuesday evening at the Purcell home and got a supply of apples for the season.

Charles Sprague of Tontogany Ohio was in this neighborhood selling a load of peaches and he expects to take back a load of apples.

Wilbur Sprague and Gwendolyn McLaughlin of Detroit spent the week end at the home of the former's parents Ellsworth Sprague and wife.

Somerset Centre

Tom Dunn is on the sick list.

George Becker has his new barn completed.

Mrs. J. M. Parker was in Jackson Saturday.

LaVal VanCamp spent Sunday in Toledo Ohio.

Loren Shock spent the week end with his parents William Shock and wife.

Carrol Lewis of Jackson spent Sunday with his parents Harry Lewis and family.

Lottie Higbee and sister Wavah spent the week end with relatives in Montgomery.

Leon Mercer and family were visitors at the home of G. J. Pullen and wife Sunday.

Born to C. J. Lent and wife Thursday Oct. 8 a nine pound son to be known as Daniel Edward.

J. G. Smith and wife were callers at his brother's Aleck Smith and family of Hillsdale Sunday.

Mrs. Lawrence Parish of Michigan Center was a caller at the home of Leon Mercer and family Tuesday.

Rant Rutan and wife, Mrs. L. A. Mercer were in Jackson Wednesday

George Becker and wife spent Sunday with their daughter Mrs. Henry Didama.

Rant Rutan and wife were callers at the home of Homer Adams and wife Saturday.

Mrs. Orin Parish, son and grand children of Jackson have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Holdridge of Somerset Center.

Mrs. C. H. Freer a former resident of Somerset Center died at the home of Mrs. Homer Adams in Liberty Friday morning Oct. 9. Funeral Monday at 2 p. m. Burial was in the local cemetery.

Town Line

Arthur Westcott is still confined to the bed with very little improvement.

Mrs. Belle Jennings and Mrs. Etta Fast made a business trip to Osseo Tuesday.

Gurn Baker is very sick with throat trouble. Dr. McFarland is the attending physician.

Howard Maloney and mother of Addison spent Tuesday evening with Abner Jennings and wife.

George Fast and Mr. Cooper of Haviland Ohio are helping with the fall work at the Ray Fast home.

Mrs. Loyal Brown is still under the care of Dr. Sterling of Jerome Mrs. Payey of Hillsdale is with her at this writing.

Perry Foust and wife, Ervin Shaw and family of Scott Ohio were pleasant callers at the home of Ray Fast and wife Tuesday forenoon.

Mesdames Jennings, Culbert, Giddings and Lee attended the Congress social gathering at the home of Mrs. Alexander Stock in Hillsdale the afternoon of October 9th. Mrs. Stock is indeed a Royal entertainer.

A farewell party for J. Oberlander and family formerly of North Adams was given by about 40 friends at the home of Ray Fast and wife of Wheatland last Sunday A potluck dinner was served. Music vocal and instrumental was in order many good wishes tendered them to their new home in Illinois.

Center Adams

Master Olin Vincent of Frontier is spending the week with James Post and wife.

Will Houser and family of Hudson visited Sunday with Eugene McBain and wife.

G. R. Ambler and family were Sunday visitors at the Glen Butler home in Jefferson.

Mrs. Linnie Post spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed Berwick south of Osseo.

Clarence Webster and family of Ransom visited his brother Nathan Webster and family Sunday.

Mrs. Will Peterson of North Adams is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. E. S. Gray.

Will Sabin who has been ill for sometime is not improving as his many friends would like to hear.

Mrs. R. H. Wyman spent Tuesday with friends in Hillsdale and called on Mrs. Alta Schilling who is slowly recovering from a very serious illness.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance—James I. Post 2tf

Jonesville

F. G. Varnum was in Fort Wayne last week.

Mrs. Fred Curtis was in Toledo over the week end.

Carver Walcott, wife and baby of Ypsilanti visited relatives here over Sunday.

Carl Bauerly and wife left last Saturday for Florida to spend the winter.

Newman A. Freeman and family of Holly, Mich. spent Sunday with Richard S. Varnum and wife.

N. B. LeFurgy and wife left last Tuesday for Monmouth, Oregon where they will spend the winter.

Henry Varnum of Detroit came Sunday for a visit with his father E. C. Varnum and other relatives here.

E. M. Collins and wife now occupy their new home on Evans Street purchased of Mrs. Kittie B. Wicks.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church met Wednesday for an all day work meeting with Mrs. Charles Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. George McKercher and brother Ed visited their sister Mrs. A. J. Curran in Elkhart Ind. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling of Belleville were here recently for a visit at the home of their daughter Mrs. George Ewing.

Charles E. Sangster, wife and daughter Evelyn of Detroit were guests over the week end at the L. E. Swan home here.

Mrs. Arthur Merchant, Mrs. E. B. Gregory and Mrs. Leo Mott are attending the State Federation of Women's Clubs this week at Benton Harbor.

Friends here were shocked to learn of the death of Jay Wisner on Monday in Toledo. The funeral was held at his home in Toledo on Wednesday and the remains brought to Jonesville for burial.

A Banquet was held Tuesday evening in Castle Hall by members of Pythagoras Lodge K of P No. 165 in honor of Wm M. Wetmore who was elected Grand Chancellor at the recent session of the Grand Lodge held in Jackson. Several grand lodge officers were present at this meeting.

Local News

Parent-Teachers Association Meets

The first meeting of the P. T. A. was held on Monday evening at the school house, opening the season with a good program, and an attendance which would have been large but for other gatherings in the village. Meeting was called to order by the vice president Mrs. Laura Meeks. Myra Beecher read a paper on the early history of Michigan; Laura Meeks read a paper on the early educational history of Michigan; Favorable mention is given the piano selections of Miss Naomi Crapser of Moscow township who is an advanced pupil of Mrs. Eugene Rogers.

Recital At Methodist Church

The pupils of Mrs. Eugene Rogers gave a recital at the Methodist church in this village on Friday evening last and the attendance was quite large and we hear very good reports of the program which was given as follows: Three-piece orchestra, Arthur Holcomb, Fay Stevens and Clark Pierce. Greeting Song, Pauline and Marjorie Gochanour Moscow.

Ethel Struble, Martha Morton both of Jerome and Marie Wilcox of this place, all first graders, about six years of age, surprised the audience with their remarkable rendering of difficult selections.

Bettie Westcott Jerome; Muriel VanAllen and Bessie VanAllen Jerome; Ervin Wells; Bacarolle "Tales of Hoffman" Genevieve, Louise and Janett Roberts and Ethel Rogers; Dorothy Linsday Jerome; Alice Brooks musical recitation Jerome; Lola Bishop Moscow; Geraldine Baker; Three-piece orchestra, Mrs. Grace Hall of Jackson piano, Ethel Rogers, banjo ukelele, Fay Stevens, saxaphone; Marian LaCore Jonesville; Margaret Shambaugh gave a very hard classical piece "Spinning Song" Leah Holcomb; Veral Adams Moscow; Virginia Roberts; Alvin Wells played the "Curious Story"; Muriel Holcomb did the Minuet in G by Beethoven; Muriel Shambaugh gave a splendid selection; Kathryn Sherrard Moscow; Marjorie Gochanour Moscow; Naomi Crapse gave an extra fine rendering of a waltz on the piano and her playing as an advanced pupil was certainly meritorious.

The church was beautifully decorated in green and white with gladiolas, asters and other flowers.

Reception For Rev. Wylie

At the Methodist church parlors on Monday evening occurred a reception for Rev. H. E. Wylie and family and a large crowd were present from all denominations in the village. Impromptu speeches of welcome were made by Rev. Hunt, Rev. Carrel, Jay Knowles, R. C. Young to which Rev. Wylie fittingly responded. Music was furnished by Frank Holcomb, Cleve Crater Percy Wells, Ethel Crewer and Margaret Meeks. A reading was given by Miss Otis and much appreciated. Refreshments were served informally and after a real social time the crowd broke up feeling that the church year was very well launched.

Death of Mrs. Adam Hergert

Mrs. Adam Hergert who has resided in this county practically all her life, passed away at the home of her son, Perry Hergert, near Jonesville at about 8:30 Wednesday evening. She was 79 years of age and is survived by two sons, Perry and Lew, and 2 daughters, Mrs. Earl Norris of Reading and Mrs. Clyde Godfrey of Milnes, one brother, George Schmitt, and grand-children.

Her husband, Adam Hergert, died 13 years ago since which time she has resided with her children.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday at the Moscow Plains church at 2:00 p. m. and interment in the Plains cemetery beside her husband.

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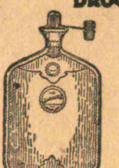

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Local News

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—Turnips for sale at McLaughlin's Berry Farm. 20t3

—Lights sewed in curtains. 21t3 I. N. Starr's Shoe Shop

Miss Frances Young was home from Ypsilanti over Sunday.

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

For Sale—Brood sow due to farrow now. Arthur Stevens. 20t3

Mrs. Lizzie Northrup and daughter Helen, and Mrs. Lester Ford were in Jackson on Thursday.

A. J. Carpenter and wife moved last week into the Sarah Kinney house in the northeast part of town

Mrs. Herman Wilson who is being cared for at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Heath, is improving.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance—James I. Post 2tf

Mrs. Edna Hewitt expects to spend the winter in Mississippi with her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Ellis and family at Pascagoula.

The Congregational Ladies Aid Society will meet at the church October 28 for an all day meeting Dinner will be served by Division No. 3.

There will be a Home Economics Project on Household Management organized at the Grange hall Saturday, Oct. 24th at two o'clock Every housewife is welcome.

C. S. Wertz is making some extra cheap prices on notions and Rexall preparations. See his ad on back page. Denatured alcohol 75c per gallon.

Rex Northrup and wife were called to Reading on Wednesday to attend the funeral of his grand mother, Mrs. VanVlack, who passed away quite suddenly the first of the week in Ohio.

Dates for four county dairy alfalfa campaigns, scheduled for this fall and announced previously, have been set by the extension staff at the M. S. C. Allegan will be "covered" by the intensive better farming drive from Oct. 29 to Nov. 6; Genesee from Nov. 2 to 13; Ionia Nov. 16 to 20; and St. Joseph Dec. 8 to 18.

E. C. Williams expects to close out his stock of drugs and groceries and quit business on account of poor health. Commencing Tuesday, Oct. 27th, he will slash the prices on everything in the store as all must be closed out. See his ad on back page. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will spend the winter In California, hoping the change in climate will benefit his health.

We note that on last week Thursday at the Michigan Com. of Optometrists held at Port Huron. Dr. C. J. Howe of Hillsdale was appointed as State President of the organization. Dr. Davenport of Battle Creek was appointed fourth vice president. The organization perfected plans for a series of public clinics to be held in different parts of the state and the next meeting in 1926 will be at Holland Mich.

The Advocate received very neatly printed announcements last week which read as follows: "William H. Kerman C. P. A. and Leland Kerman C. P. A. announce the formation of a partnership under the firm name of Kerman & Kerman for the general practice of Public Accounting, with offices at 602 Tri-State Building, Fort Wayne, Indiana" These gentlemen are both natives of North Adams, graduates of our high school and nephews of E. R. Benson. Best wishes for their success.

In honor of Michigan's poet, Will Carleton, whose birthday is today (October 21), The Will Carleton Memorial Association will sponsor a celebration on October 31 when in connection with the Hillsdale College Homecoming Day, a bronze tablet will be unveiled on the site of the old Poor House which was made famous by Carleton's best known poem, "Over The Hill To The Poor House". The day's celebration will include chapel readings of some of Carleton's poems by Miss Ellen Austin, class 1909, of Detroit, who will recite "Jonathan Jarvis" and "Goin' Home" and Miss Elva Lehman, class 1909 of Cleveland who will recite, "Tom was Going for a poet." Speakers for the ceremony at the Poor House are Judge Chauncey L. Newcomer of Bryan, Ohio, presiding officer; Elizabeth Mansfield Irving of Toledo, Ohio; James Schermerhorn of Detroit Michigan; Byron A Finney of Ann Arbor, Michigan; Charles T. Schermerhorn of Detroit, Michigan; and Elmer W. Adkinson of Chicago Illinois. Messers. O. C. Kimball, E. T. Prideaux and E. C. Shupp are the Citizens' Committee of Hillsdale who are cooperating with the Memorial Association.

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both on year for the small sum of $2.25 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions, from Paris, the best works of Harolld Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

There will be a Halloween program and Toe Social at the Grubby Knoll school house Thursday evening October 29. Candy and fortunes will be sold. A real good time is expected. Everyone come. Potluck supper served cafeteria style. Witches, ghosts, goblins etc, will be on hand waiting for a chance to scare you.

The Annual Banquet of the Womans Club occurred on Monday evening October 19th at the Methodist church in this village and to say it was a highly successful affair is hardly necessary since everything passed off in a merry style and the black cats and spooky goblins which walked the boards and scooted among the audience added zest to the occasion. The following program was given: Music, orchestra; greeting, by President Alice Williams; "What is a good Wife?" a question which is much desired in these days of chivalry was ably discussed by L. B. Eggleston; music orchestra; "Pigmies and Giants in The Home" Gladys Williams; "Grouches and Gardens" Anna McFarland; vocal solo, Mildred Hunt; "Value of Men's Clubs in The Community" Josephine Jones; "Value of Women's Clubs in The Community" Virgil A. Hunt; music, orchestra. Following was the menu: Veal croquettes, mashed potatoes, squash salad, jelly, pickles, rolls, brown bread, ice cream, cake, coffee. After the program a very weazened and sharp nosed old char-woman witch appeared on the scene from somewhere an the forecasts she made for the futures of some of the persons present were conducive of chilly sensations in the region of the vertebrae.

Hunting Chances Have Gone Glimmer-Glum

Judging from the number of "No Hunting" signs which the Advocate office is putting out the only place where a man can hunt will be at some remote spot ten thousand feet or so above the earth. as there will not be a square foot of territory in this county where the festive sportsman can roam this fall.

It is possible the craze is being worked to the limit but the farmers are inexorable for it is undeniable they have been long patient sufferers.

There are various expressions of opinion among the hunters but as a rule they must admit that the farmer should be protected, and the wild denizens of the wood also. Personally we feel that the fertile farming country of Southern Michigan is not suited for a game preserve, but in northern counties the vast tracts of uninhabited cut over pineries and slashings where everything from a partridge to a deer abounds is the proper Mecca of the sportsman, The State of Michigan should take the matter in hand and establish a game preserve including several thousand acres of this worthless land.

Hillsdale County W. C. T. U.

The Hillsdale County Womans Christian Temperance Union in convention assembled at North Adams, Michigan, on Oct. 21 and 22, 1925, in grateful recognition of God's blessing upon the work of another year, and realizing the responsibility which the opportunities and needs in County. State and Nation, as well as the whole world, placed upon us, make the following declaration of ideals, appreciations and purposes.

I. RESOLVED: That we are unalterably opposed to any change in the Volstead Act.

II. RESOLVED : That we urge all local unions which have no work among the children to endeavor to organize Loyal Temperance Legions.

III. RESOLVED : That we use the periodicals and literature published by the National organization for the education of the public, especially along the lines of law observance and peace.

IV. RESOLVED : That we express our appreciation of the able enthusiastic and courteous, presidency of the Convention by our District President Mrs. French.

V. RESOLVED : That we desire to express our appreciation of the work of the Hillsdale Daily News and the North Adams Advocate in publishing items concerning the progress of prohibition and law observance.

VI. RESOLVED : That we extend to the North Adams Union our hearty thanks for their splendid hospitality to us and for the excellent music rendered, and hope they may be very successful in their work.

Respectfully submitted.

Mrs Emma Wylie
Emma L. Coldsen
Florence Stephenson

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A. REISER, PASTOR

Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL HUNT, Pastor

The regular morning worship will be held at 10:30 o'clock to which you are cordially invited to attend. Sunday school immediatly following this service.

The evening meeting will be of interest to everyone. The Hanover choir of about 30 voices will give us a 30 minute musical program. This will be of interest to young and old alike. Following this Rev. Hunt will give a brief discourse on "Values of Missions."

Help make this Missionary Thank Offering Service a big success by being there and by contributing to the cause.

Following the address we will all go into the parlors of the church for light refreshments and a quiet get-to-gether meeting. Everyone is invited to stay for this part of the service. Don't forget the time 7:00 p. m.

Remember the church Auction to be held Saturday of this week at the Town Hall. Be there to bid and to buy. We need U! And you will need us!

A cordial welcome is extended to all who have no church home to join in our services.

—Don't forget the Halloween social at Grubby Knoll School house Thursday evening October 29.

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The North Adams Co-ops have purchased a car-load of yellow cedar fence posts from 7 to 9 feet in length and 5 to 8 inches in diameter which will be sold at actual cost plus the carriage expenses to this point. Call up phone 1104 or see Everett Williams. 21t3

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Notice—My shop will be open evenings as follows: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, or any other evening by request.

21tf A. J. Carpenter.

Beg Your Pardon

In last week's issue of the Advocate in the write up of the Recital by pupils of Mrs. Eugene Rogers we accidentally omitted the name of Hazel Walworth from the program. She gave a splendid piano selection. Not being present at the recital we had to get this second hand and presumably in the copying from another item the mistake was made.

AUCTION

For the benefit of the Congregational church on Saturday, October 24, 1925 at or near the Town Hall in North Adams, will be offered a large variety of useful articles such as may be given at that time. Your co-operation in helping to make this sale a success will be appreciated. Sale starts at 1:00 p. m.

H. L. Fry, Chairman
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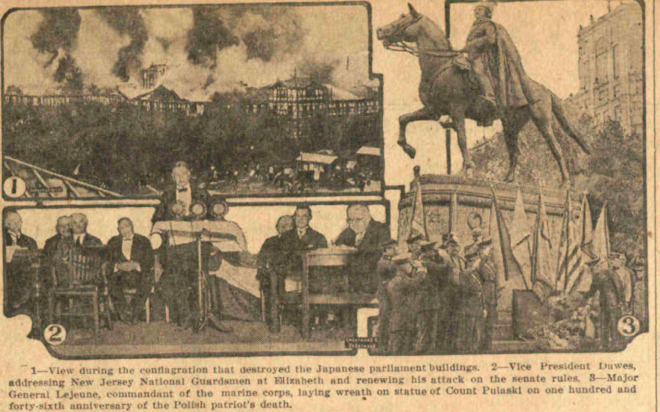

1—View during the conflagration that destroyed the Japanese parliament buildings. 2—Vice President Dawes, addressing New Jersey National Guardsmen at Elizabeth and renewing his attack on the senate rules. 3—Major General Lejeune, commandant of the marine corps, laying wreath on statue of Count Pulaski on one hundred and forty-sixth anniversary of the Polish patriot's death.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Allied and German Foreign Ministers Agree at Last on the Security Pact.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

SECURITY for western Europe appears to have been achieved by the agreement reached last week by the conference of allied and German foreign ministers and other statesmen at Locarno, Switzerland. Great tact and a spirit of conciliation were displayed by all concerned and obstacles that for a time seemed insurmountable were climbed over or removed. The most serious of these were the demands of Poland, but Poland's political and financial position is exceedingly shaky, and so she was brought into line by pressure from those on whom she depends. Germany was most insistent on a provision exempting her from application of article 16 of the covenant upon her joining the League of Nations, but was persuaded to accept a "gentleman's agreement" by which the allies promised to use their good offices to obtain for her this exemption and also to provide eventually for colonial mandates.

It was agreed that the Polish and Czech arbitration treaties with Germany should be guaranteed by the league, France undertaking to look after the interests of her eastern allies. If those allies get into a quarrel with Germany, France is to have the right to send troops through German territory to their aid only if the league council unanimously declares Germany at fault.

France gains in the agreement a guarantee of her eastern frontier with assurance of safety from attack from the east; and this presumably will make it possible for her to decrease her armed forces and so reduce substantially her military budget. Great Britain and Italy guarantee that the Rhine frontier shall not be disturbed.

Germany is to be readmitted to the concert of European powers on an equal footing; the Cologne zone is to be evacuated, conditions in the Rhineland are to be ameliorated and the status of the Saar region is to be reconsidered; rehabilitation of Germany's commercial aviation industry is to be permitted, and there will be no further fear of sanctions for her failure to fulfill the Versailles treaty.

After the drafts of the agreements had been approved by President Von Hindenburg and the German cabinet, Premier Mussolini, who is also foreign minister of Italy, went to Locarno to sign for his country as guarantor with Great Britain of the security pact. Only the drawing up of the four arbitration treaties remained to be done, and it was planned to have all the documents ready for signing by Saturday night. Too much credit cannot be given the statesmen who have brought about those pacts, and when the treaties go into effect the whole civilized world will breathe a sigh of relief.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE has let it be known that the attitude of the administration toward foreign loans is based on the principle that those nations that have funded their debts to the United States will be more likely to obtain loans over here than the nations that have not made such settlements. This view is confirmed by statements of leading bankers.

It was admitted by the White House spokesman that the government has no legal authority over the making of loans to foreign governments, but it was pointed out that where loans are to be floated by public subscription it has been the practice for American bankers to make inquiry of the State department as to whether there could be any objection to such loan.

No mention was made at the White House of any individual European nation and what was said there was not believed to have been aimed, in any direct sense, at least, at France, although certain reports have indicated that loans which France was seeking to negotiate in this country probably must be delayed on account of that country's failure to reach a final agreement on debt funding. M. Caillaux is in the midst of a hard fight to sustain not only the temporary debt arrangement made in Washington, but his entire financial policy.

Czechoslovakia's debt mission, headed by Dr. Vilem Pospisil, successfully concluded its business with the American foreign debt commission last week and an agreement was signed for the funding of the Czech obligation to the United States of $115,000,000.

TAKING advantage of general dissatisfaction with the high rents imposed on poor householders in Panama City, the Reds there promoted a series of bloody riots which the local police were unable to stop. Therefore President Chiari called on the United States for help and three battalions of the Thirty-third infantry from Fort Clayton, in the Canal Zone, entered the city and took command of the situation. About the first thing the Yanks did was to raid the Bolshevist headquarters. One of the Reds was killed by leaping from a window. Quiet was restored in a day or so and business was resumed, but the clubs and saloons were kept closed by the Americans. Printers and signers of incendiary proclamations were arrested. The Panama government recognized that there was reason for complaint of high rents and President Chiari persuaded the landlords to promise a reduction of 10 per cent for the cheaper dwellings. The American troops, which were commanded by Brig. Gen. C. H. Martin, it was announced would remain in the city until the landlords and tenants had reached a definite settlement.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE announced on Tuesday that he had accepted the resignation of Secretary of War John W. Weeks, and at the same time he appointed Dwight F. Davis of Missouri to the cabinet position. Mr. Weeks has been incapacitated by illness since last spring and Mr. Davis, his assistant, had been acting secretary. He performed his duties well, and dealt so satisfactorily with the crisis precipitated by Colonel Mitchell's aircraft charges that the President concluded he was the best man to succeed Mr. Weeks. He is a young man, the youngest in the cabinet, but has a fine record, as a civil official in St. Louis, as a hard fighting officer in the war in France and as a member of the war finance corporation after the conflict ended. He is a leader of the Missouri Republicans and in 1922 nearly beat the late Senator Spencer for the nomination.

Col. Hanford MacNider of Iowa, former national commander of the American Legion, was made assistant secretary of war. As a banker he is a capable buisness man and his selection is pleasing to former service men.

The passing of Mr. Weeks from public life, foreseen for months, was pathetic. He has been the trusted adviser of two Presidents, a strong man in his party and one of the best loved men in Washington throughout twenty years. He is only sixty-five years old but his health is broken and it is understood he will soon leave for the South.

UNITED STATES SENATOR SAMUEL M. RALSTON of Indiana, who had been suffering for months from a disease of the kidneys, died Wednesday night at his home, just outside Indianapolis. He was almost sixty-eight years of age. Mr. Ralston was born on an Ohio farm, earned his living while acquiring an education and became a leading member of the bar and of the Democratic party in Indiana. In 1913 he was inaugurated governor of the state, and in 1922 he defeated A. J. Beveridge for the United States senate. He was a prominent candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination in the national convention last year but, being already in ill health, he withdrew from the contest. The release of his votes started the break that resulted in the nomination of John W. Davis.

Another death that must be recorded is that of James B. Duke, the tobacco magnate and former president of the American Tobacco company, at his New York residence. It was only a few months ago that Mr. Duke gave $40,000,000 to educational institutions in the South, most of it to Trinity college in Durham, N. C., the name of which was changed to Duke university in memory of the donor's father.

PROTESTANT Episcopalians in their triennial convention in New Orleans have been attracting a lot of attention. In the first place the conviction of Bishop William M. Brown on charges of heresy was confirmed by the house of bishops and, despite his resort to the civil courts, he was deposed from the ministry. Then the house of deputies voted to exclude the word "obey" from the marriage service and the proposal went to the bishops for acceptance or rejection. Next, the church abandoned its practice of filling the place of presiding bishop in accordance with seniority of consecration and resorted for the first time to election. Bishop Brent of western New York and Bishop Gailor of Tennessee were the leading candidates but neither could command a majority. Finally as a compromise Rt. Rev. John Murray, bishop of Maryland, was elected. He is sixty-eight years old and is classed as a conservative.

OF MANY witnesses heard by the aircraft board last week, the most interesting was Rear Admiral William S. Sims, retired. As has always been his habit he "talked right out in meeting," devoting his remarks especially to the Navy department and its administration at present and in recent years. This he described as "unreasonable, unscientific and unmilitary," and he respectfully but unmistakably let the board know that his opinion of Secretary Wilbur was nothing for that official to be proud of. The department's conservatism in the matter of new weapons, marksmanship and other advances he described as unutterably stupid. He urged the necessity of a definite aircraft policy, asserting that the Navy department has not and never has had such a policy. He praised Colonel Mitchell but disapproved of his proposal for a separate air force. Four generals of the army, Summerall, Ely, Drum and Parker, also disagreed with the Mitchell plan, and Ely said officers who were asking it were not playing the game because they were not supporting the other arms of the service in time of peace and lacked loyalty and discipline. All agreed that the doughboy is and always will be the decisive element in warfare.

AMERICAN capital is to regenerate Liberia, the little Negro republic on the west coast of Africa, and at the same time is to undertake to smash the British and Dutch control of the world's rubber production. Harvey S. Firestone's rubber company is the one that plans all this and he announces that it will expend $100,000,000 in Liberia, setting out great plantations, building towns, harbors, railways and highways and giving employment to some 300,000 natives. A concession has been obtained from the Liberian government, contracts have been let and work already has begun.

RENEWED attempts of communists to commit the American Federation of Labor to recognition of soviet Russia and to co-operation with the Russian trade unions were frustrated by the vote of the convention in Atlantic City. The delegates also rejected a resolution attacking training camps, instead declaring their approval of national defense and denouncing communist pacifists. Other actions of the federation were condemnation of ship subsidies in all forms, of the proposal for a uniform industrial court law, of "speeding-up practices" in government departments, and of Public Printer George Carter for alleged discrimination against union employees. President William Green and all other officers of the federation were reelected.

ON THURSDAY the new prohibition enforcement machinery devised by Assistant Secretary Andrews of the Treasury department went into full operation, and as a starter in the way of economy two thousand prohibition agents and employees of the service were severed from their jobs. Some of these will be reappointed. Mr. Andrews has announced that the administrators would be held responsible for the conduct of their forces, and that they would be given a free hand in naming their subordinates in order that the latter could, in turn be held responsible to them.

Loot So Large, Thieves Found No Sale for It

Philadelphia.—A tale of an alleged secret rendezvous in the Russian quarter in New York city, where gems and negotiable securities of fabulous amounts were piled high on tables, and a coterie of men (including a lawyer and a bank examiner) who had possessed them, but were afraid to place them on the open market for sale, was unfolded before a jury in the Federal District court.

The narrative was given by Earl Victor von Brandenburg who, with eight other men, is under indictment here charged with participating in the disposal of more than $300,000 worth of the $1,300,000 securities stolen by Gerard Chapman and his pals in the holdup of a mail truck in New York four years ago.

He was a government witness against A. W. Perelstrous and Stephen Robinson, Jr., of this city, who are charged with conspiracy in aiding the pledging of the $300,000 in securities with the Corn Exchange bank here for loans of $271,000.

"Perelstrous told me how the deal had been put through in the Corn Exchange bank with the securities," testified Brandenburg. "He told me that he had been taken from place to place until finally he found himself in a room—he didn't know the location—where there were a large number of Russians whom he did not know. He said there were diamonds, rubies, and gems of all kinds, and securities piled high on large tables."

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Flint—J. Elwood Andrews, former president of the Michigan Real Estate Association, was elected president of the Flint Chamber of Commerce by directors of that organization.

Grand Rapids—Proposed construction of a $450,000 jail and detention hospital combined, will be submitted to the board of supervisors at the present session by the committee on buildings which has received tentative plans and sketches from the architects.

Flint—Further reduction in Federal income taxes by the next congress is likely, Rep. Louis C. Cramton, of the Seventh district of Michigan, told members of the Flint Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon. He also predicted a reduction of the automobile excise tax by the same body.

Owosso—Owosso property owners have failed to pay special assessment taxes to such an extent that it may be necessary to stop all further public improvements until they have been paid up, or to require those seeking further improvements to make substantial payment before the work is started.

East Lansing—The student council of the Michigan State college adopted a resolution placing it on record as opposed to "the type of humor that recently appeared in the Green Onion," a campus humorous publication criticised, was one in which an editorial advised students to "be collegiate—drink and neck," and containing many alleged off color jokes.

Battle Creek—Half a million dollars has been donated to Battle Creek College for immediate use, Dr. J. H. Kellogg, chairman of the board, announced at a banquet of the men's class. Dr. Kellogg, when seen later, refused to give any information that would lead to the identity of the benefactor save to say that the man was interested in the principles to which the college subscribed.

Ann Arbor—Sir Robert A. Falconer, president of the University of Toronto, has been invited to deliver the address at the annual Washington's Birthday convocation at the University of Michigan, Feb. 22, 1926. Sir Robert was to have delivered the address at the convocation last year, but the gathering was omitted because of the illness of the late Dr. Marion Leroy Burton, president of the university.

Muskegon—A tax burden of $30,000 was switched from the city of Muskegon to the county townships through the re-equalization of the tax roll by the state tax commission at a hearing before Muskegon supervisors. The hearing followed a bitter controversy between township supervisors and city commissioners which resulted in a petition to the state commission. It reduced the city tax roll by 3 per cent.

Monroe—Board of Supervisors accepted the petition of 100 residents of Berlin township, asking for the incorporation of Estral Beach as a village and adopted a resolution ordering a special election to be held Wednesday, December 16, at which time the proposition will be submitted to the electors. There are about 1,200 acres in the proposed area. Estral Beach is located about 13 miles north of Monroe on Lake Erie.

Lansing—To spur the school children of Michigan to greater achievement and health education work, a bronze lion, to be awarded at the close of each semester, is being offered as a trophy by the Lions Club of Lansing to the school room in the state whose record of accomplishment of such work is greatest. Should any room win the trophy three times in succession it will become the permanent possession of that room.

Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids memorial to the veterans of all wars, to be erected in Fulton park at a cost of $35,000 will be completed by next Memorial day, Stephen W. Collins, president of the Grand Rapids council of the American Legion, has announced. Contract for construction of the memorial to consist of two pillars, on which the names of Grand Rapids Gold Star service men and women will be subscribed, will be let about November 1.

Fremont—The fifth annual agricultural and horticultural fair will be held in the local community building October 29, 30 and 31. The arrangements are being made by the county agricultural agent, Harold Stinson, with the assistance of the agricultural committee of the chamber of commerce. The dairy department has been added to the fruit, vegetable poultry and household arts displays. The judges for the fair will come from the Michigan State College.

Lansing—Rights of the State of Michigan to refuse, through the Conservation Commission, to lease lands formerly forming lake bottom at St. Clair flats, is to be attacked in State Supreme court Oct. 27, when action brought by Detroit interests will be heard. The case consists of filing an application by George Netdwig, Detroit, asking that the court grant a writ of mandamus to force the conservation department to issue a lease to certain lands which have been drained and have been developed as a summer resort section.

Port Huron—Mayor John B. McIlwain and members of the city commission have called a meeting at which it is announced an amendment to the city commission will be introduced giving the city officials the power to install a system of busses and assume charge of the transportation system of the city. This is the answer of the city to the threat of the receivers of the Detroit United Railway, which controls the Port Huron street car system, that service will be suspended or curtailed unless a seven-cent fare is granted.

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What of The Railroads?

Reports received here would seem to indicate that the local railroad lines through the neighboring small villages are not as prosperous as they once were. This is entirely wrong in principle and wrong in effect but not much can be done to ameliorate the condition since for some years the patronage of steam passenger trains has been falling off, and business in the ticket line has gone to the bad.

In the beginning the railroads assumed a large share of the responsibility in developing the nation and in pioneer days the railroad meant volumes to the naked territory of Michigan. It is with a tinge of regret we mention the swan song of the railroad. Even in our short time we can remember when the coming of the railroad was an enthusiastic event, hailed by every body young or old. As children we journeyed to the distant town to observe the construction of a new railroad and we delighted to watch the "pollocks" and "mud hogs" as they wallowed in the slime of the grades and cuts, manipulating the wheel barrow and transported the soil to grade the road bed. The laying of steel rails was a highly interesting process to us and then came the gigantic "Brooks" engines—that what we thought of them—now mere babies compared to the Juggernauts that haul the through limiteds.

Time was when the citizens of our country welcomed the railroad as his savior but in these days it is vastly different. The cunning Henry Ford put his ingenuity at work some years ago and he made a machine which would run without horse power. It glided over the highways like a serpent, it rambled up hill and down wherever there was a good road. When Henry perfected his little machine he began to sell them to the nation. You know the result—demands were at once made for gravel highways passable in winter and free from mud. This demand became a craze, and the craze became habit. No doubt the railroads saw at this time the handwriting on the wall, but the hallucination went on and on, until to-day with the exception of a few trunk lines in Michigan it is a sad but deplorable fact the railroads are not wanted. Nobody weeps when their steel rails are pulled up; nobody will sob on their urn when they are dead industrially.

Motors run by internal combustion will race about the countryside and bring man's freight to his door, and bring it on an instant's notice. He can board a motor bus and reach any city in the land by direct route much quicker than he could do so by rail. The days of the small railroads are numbered.

The Cincinnati Northern R. R. has extended from Addison to Marshall and Homer for forty-one years and in the palmy days carried a tremendous amount of coal and other heavy material from the mines of Southern Ohio and Pennsylvania but with the building of other lines this route lost its popularity and became a "go as you please" jerkwater road. Things have gone from bad to worse until it is impossible to attract enough hauling to pay the actual running expense—in fact this has been the case for several years. Such petered out lines are known as feeders and had much better be known as eaters, since they are a drag on the general system. Laws of the state of Michigan place upon railroad corporations certain restrictions—and without the consent and authority of the Public Utilities Commission a line cannot be discontinued so the company has made the best of its trouble by running one train each day. The news comes that the company is now endeavoring to get permission to tear up this branch entirely which will leave several towns with no connections for mail and freight Moscow, one of the old towns on the Detroit-Chicago Turnpike will suffer irreparably from this arrangement. When Chicago was a half Indian village of log huts. Moscow was on the map bigger and better than it is to-day. When Adams township was carved out of the howling wilderness by Salmon Sharp and William Cutler Moscow was already started but when the Cincinnati Northern pulls up its rails the last vestige of the outside world will have left the berg. What the result is can be foreseen.

As in some parts of Indiana the streets of Moscow will become a wheat field and the sand hill crane will keep this lonely vigil in the brush grown swamp of what was once a town.

Poultry Men To Hold First State Meeting

Several hundred leading poultry men of the state will be at Lansing on October 29 and 30 for the first annual meeting of the newly organized Michigan Poultry Improvement Association.

Nationally known poultry authorities have been scheduled for the two-day conference, in effort to insure unusually high class material for the first state meeting. Dr. M. A. Jull, senior poultryman of the U. S. department of agriculture; Prof. W. R. Graham, Ontario agriculture college; and other equally prominent speakers are included in the announced program.

Complimentary banquets and other features of entertainment are listed, in addition to the strictly business side of the gathering.

Chief work of the new poultry improvement association lies in the field of certification, according to J. A. Hannah, M. S. C. poultry department, who serves as secretary of the association. About three million egg hatching capacity in commercial hatcheries of the state has been signed up already for inspection and certification this year it is said. Election of officers and nal plans for the certification ork will be handled at a business ssion of Friday, Oct. 30.

The Fire Losses Usually Begin Now

The note of warning sounded by state officals and Fire Marshals as to preparing your chimneys and heating apparatus for the hot fires which are soon to be kindled, is something more than a far cry. It is vital and we hope sincerely that the people of this vicinity will heed such advice and see that chimneys are properly cleaned, and defective flues rebuilt.

In most of the houses in our immediate village and vicinity, this is a neglected item. Consequently when the cold weather comes and stoves and furnaces are fired with light combustable materials the results are quite often disasterous.

The big insurance companies are constantly circulating propaganda begging people to beware of taking chances. In this section we find many cement block chimneys which are a fire hazard under all circumstances. No cement block chimney is safe for any kind of building since it will not stand intense heat, and if it burns out is quite liable to check lateaally, opening wide cracks and if it does not fall at once, may stand for years in an unsafe condition literally unnoticed if covered with wall-paper.

If you must use cement blocks at all your chimney should be lined with flue tile of rectangular shape made to fit inside. Old brick chimneys often develop mortar cracks between the brick which are above the living rooms in the garret out of sight and live cinders will ignite cobwebs and dust, causing roof fires. Another nuisance is the crook oftentimes built in a chimney in order to conform to the roof plans and cut down costs. No wise house builder will allow this extremely dangerous practice because the weight from above will in a short time open cracks on the bottom side of the angle thus exposing your roof to great hazards. Don't build that way!

Last of all see to it that your home is protected with a force pump of some kind, preferably at well or if not there, on your cistern and not less than 20 feet of hose with a nozzle that can be quickly attached. It may save you several thousand dollars.

Big Potato Show Is Farm Week Features

A big state potato show, with all potato interests of Michigan joining hands to put on a blue ribbon exhibit, will be one of the features of Farmers Week at M. S. C. this year. The potato show is the first of the Farm Week meetings and attractions which has been announced formally.

The East Lansing show will be a championship event, the best entries from former local exhibits being shown. Potato shows have been held in connection with farmers week exhibits in former years, but this will be the first year of the state wide exhibit.

Practically all potato associations and interests in the state are represented on the committee which is handling arrangements for the show. H. C. Moore, extension specialist at M. S. C. is serving as chairman, along with the following members: A. C. Lytle. Gaylord; E. W. Lincoln, Greenville; V. I. Whittemore, East Lansing; John Sims, Caro; Wm Bowers, Central Lake; Ernest Pettifor, Gaylord; David Inglis, Van.

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CARE OF CONVALESCENT IN SUMMER

For those who are just recovering from a serious illness the problem of food is a serious one. The patient, though well on the road to recovery, is usually weakened by the rigors of disease and the excessive heat is wont to sap his energy. Hence, the foods that are consumed during this period should be considered carefully as to digestibility, food value, ease of assimilation, purity and sterility. These are important in any food but especially so when the consumer is not strong and healthy.

In most cases, the one who is convalescing consumes milk in large quantities. This food contains all of the elements that are essential to the body. If milk is pure and germless, it is easily digested and assimilated.

Where the milk supply is uncertain or the quality not of the best, evaporated milk should be employed. It is sterile; it is just pure milk with about sixty per cent of the water removed. Its double richness may be modified, if desired, by the addition of water or it may be used just as it is, where rich, creamy dishes are desired.

Many people make the mistake of confusing evaporated milk with condensed milk. They are not at all similar in appearance, composition or taste. They cannot be used for the same purposes; condensed milk is a combination of sugar and milk; evaporated milk has no added sugar, being pure milk of double-rich quality and food value.

Following are recipes of easily prepared dishes and foods that are well suited for the invalid and the convalescent.

Loganberry Cream.

¾ cup evaporated milk
¼ cup water
½ cup loganberry juice
2 tbsp. lemon juice
Pinch salt

Put all ingredients in a Mason fruit jar and shake thoroughly. Chill and serve in glasses filled ¼ full of ice chips. Raspberry, blackberry, and cherry juice may be used instead of the loganberry.

Iced Cocoa.

3 tsp. cocoa
3 tsp. sugar
¼ cup water
Pinch salt
½ cup evaporated
milk diluted with
½ cup water
⅛ tsp. vanilla

Mix cocoa and sugar thoroughly and add the ¼ cup water and boil over a low flame for 15 minutes. Scald the diluted milk and add cocoa syrup and salt. Continue cooking for 15 minutes in double boiler. Add vanilla. Chill and serve with chipped ice. Top with whipped cream.

ELECTRIC DATA SENT CONGRESS

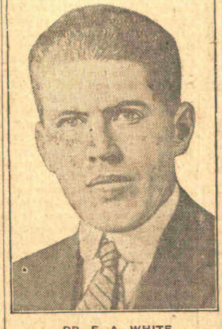
Report Tells What's Being Done in Fourteen States to Study Electricity on the Farm.

IN CONGRESSIONAL RECORD

To have on record with the Congress of the United States the plans of the Committee on the Relation of Electricity to Agriculture, Dr. E. A. White of Chicago, the committee director, has sent a complete statement to Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas. At the instigation of Senator Capper this statement has been printed in the Congressional Record.

Dr. White's report reviews the circumstances that led to the formation of the committee, outlines its purpose and lists the states where electrical farm experimentation is going on.

He points out that the National Electric Light Association some five years ago appointed a rural lines committee, now called the rural service committee. This committee, Dr. White says, became convinced that the farm-electric problem could not be solved without the active co-operation of agricultural interests.



DR. E. A. WHITE
Director Committee on Relation of Electricity to Agriculture.

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WHAT IS EVAPORATED MILK?

Did you ever stop to figure out the exact meaning of "Evaporated Milk"? The word "evaporated" may give you the idea that in the process of evaporation the milk has lost some of its valuable qualities. It hasn't. It has lost only water. Sixty per cent of the water is evaporated from the milk after it comes fresh from the cow.

The first step in processing the milk is the evaporation, when a portion of the water content is removed. The second step is the homogenization, which insures the cream being distributed evenly throughout the milk. The third is the canning. The fourth is sterilization, which takes place in the can when the milk is subjected to sufficient heat to destroy the bacteria. Thus evaporated milk remains as pure and fresh in the container as when it foamed into the pail in the farmer's barn.

Evaporated milk is now generally recognized as the freshest milk available to those not living on farms and producing their own milk. For freshness in milk means purity.

Transportation of milk from the dairy country to the city is well systematized and rapid and yet owing to the immense quantities of milk that must be rushed in daily, much of it must be obtained at considerable distances and a large per cent is necessarily some days old when it is delivered by the milkman.

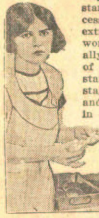
Evaporated milk, on the other hand, is last night's and this morning's milk. From the dairy barn, always under rigid inspection, it is hurried by farmers to factories located in the heart of the dairy country and delivered when it is fresh. Evaporated milk is canned just at its "freshest moment," when it is in its finest state. It is never allowed to get old. The whole process from cow to can requires only a few hours. It may be interesting to know that the process of sterilizing takes place after the milk has been sealed in its containers. Once in its sterilized containers, there is no possibility of deterioration.

The sterilizing of evaporated milk insures its purity—it makes a safe milk for the children. Evaporated milk is boiled milk, and this makes it more digestible.

It may be used for any milk need with safety and economy.

For ordinary cream needs, use it just as it comes from the can. When a rich milk is desired, add an equal part of water. For cooking and baking, two parts water and one part milk will usually suffice.

Rising Young Star Fond of Cooking



Claiborne Foster.

Claiborne Foster, that clever little lady who makes Barry Connors' play, "Applesauce," the outstanding comedy success of the year, is an extraordinary young woman. She is generally recognized as one of the rising young stars of the American stage and her services and company are always in demand but such is her nature that she shuns the "bright lights" and leads a simple and unostentatious life wherever she may be. She is essentially a home girl, being passionately fond of cooking, an art at which she is very adept, and much of her leisure time is spent in the modest little kitchenette of her apartment. When not playing in some production, Miss Foster may be found at her home a short distance from New York city, where she revels in the joys of cooking for the whole family and her friends and spends her vacations doing the work of the ordinary housewife.

There are two dishes which are regarded with more favor by Miss Foster, than are any others. These are Bronk shrimps and chicken en casserole. She uses the simplest of formulas but insists upon the purest of ingredients, using pure butter, and evaporated milk. The recipes that she uses are:

Bronk Shrimps.

2 cups shrimps, canned or fresh
4 tbsp. fat
½ tsp. salt
Few grains cayenne
Yolks 2 eggs
½ cup evaporated milk
½ cup water
1 tbsp. flour
2 tsp. lemon juice

Clean the shrimps, and cook in half the fat for 2 minutes; add seasoning and lemon; cook 2 minutes longer. Remove shrimps and make a white sauce of the remaining fat, flour and milk; when thickened add yolks of eggs slightly beaten, stirring in quickly and cooking two minutes; add the shrimps.

Chicken en Casserole.

1 tender chicken for roasting
2 tbsp. butter
2 tbsp. lard
Salt and pepper
1 pint hot water
1 cup evaporated milk
1 tbsp. chopped parsley
2 cups chopped mushrooms

Clean chicken, split down back, and lay breast upward in casserole. Spread fat over breast, dust with salt and pepper, add hot water, cover closely and cook in hot oven one hour. When nearly tender put in evaporated milk, mushrooms and parsley. Cover again, and cook 20 minutes longer. Serve hot in casserole.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 18th day of March, A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savinge Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610] and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said morgage provided. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee

John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N, Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit: the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee 11t14

. D. Chandler
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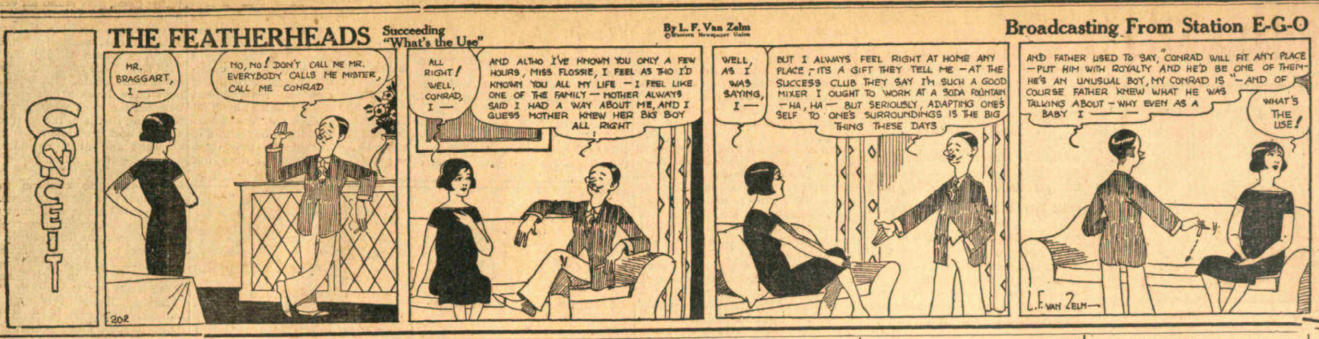
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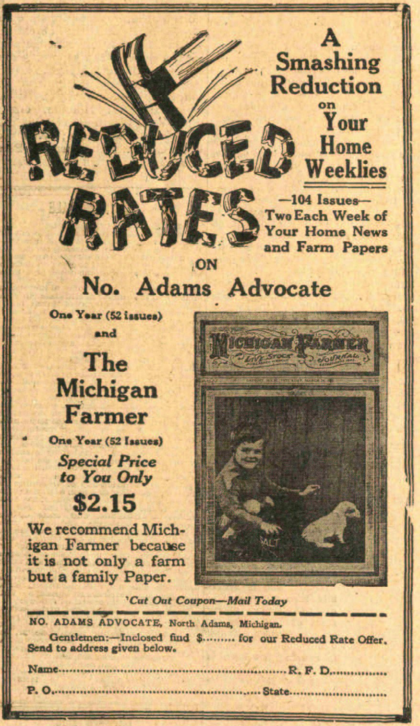
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The Decay of Decency

Dear Comrades:

We, who live in the quiet little towns are unaware of the awfulness of crime of every sort in the large cities. Even in Battle Creek, a lady who lives there informed me that she and her husband attended what they supposed was a clean show, and girls, perfectly nude, came out and danced, and formed "living pictures." What are we to do about it? God grows seed for the birds, but the birds must fly for it. We must pray, but we must help God answer our prayers, by doing. Deets Pickett says: "We want you to know these things. We are going to have to fight, fight in the nation in every state, in almost every locality." He further says: "The men and women who stand for the old American ideals must awake if those ideals are not to be hopelessly and irrevocably submerged under a flood of European sensualism, foulness not tolerated by immense portions of Europe. The peril is new, but it grows, grows."

Read this with care, then pray for God to lead you in things you shall do to help put down and out this terrible monster.

Nina G. Tasker.

THE DRIFT IN PUBLIC MORALS

Under this title Deets Pickett, a well known authority, has written a leaflet from which we quote:

Aside from the one matter of prohibition, the public morality of America has dropped to almost unbelievable depths. We have been so absorbed in the prohibition issue that we have failed to notice the utter rout of the friends of decency and American civilization.

The matter of prize-fighting belongs here. The invasion of the fighting services of the United States Government by this degrading, corrupting evil is one item in the count. The degradation of the dance is another. The waltz of former days typifies modesty and propriety beside the dance of today. And the worst dancing is not to be found in the public dance halls. It is to be seen in the best hotels, and, if we are not misinformed, in many of the "best" homes. Petting mashing and automobile spooning are the by-product of the erotic stimulation of jazz music and close dancing.

The third charge that we bring is against the theatre. Mr. James S. Metcalfe in the Theatre Magazine for November writes under a head, which reads: "A flood of indecency is sweeping the stage and official control seems the only remedy."

Mr. Metcalfe for many years was theatre critic of "Life," a man whose every conviction and prejudice is "liberal." The statement is fully justified. In New York at the present moment one show displays its chorus girls entirely naked except for a whisp of chiffon which could hardly be dignified by the name of loin cloth. The girls dance in this state of disarray. This is at one of the most prominent and the audience is composed of men, women and young girls. Another show displays its girls nude to the waist only slightly draped below. Not only that, the jokes and dialogue of this show are positively obscene. Much of the humor is double in meaning. One sketch is entitled "If Ford were President," and shows a hypothetical cabinet meeting. Bryan is there with a bottle of whisky in his pocket. Ford jumps up every now and then to kiss Edsel who is called "Axle." When "Axle's" ability is questioned Ford says, "Is he not my son," and "Axle" replies, "Mamma says I am."

Another sketch in the same show is a burlesque on "Rain" which as a play was an arraignment of the sincerity of the Protestant ministry The scene of this sketch is in a Pacific Island. The dialogue is principally between a minister and a fallen woman. The humor of the thing is in the dirty meaning of the lines which are intended to show the hypocrisy of the ministry The woman hangs a red light in front of her door. The men, some of them in uniform, flock in until the room is crowded and then she replaces the red light with a green light, One of her visitors is the minister himself. Much of the talk is blashemous. The show is far fouler than the worst burlesque show of ten years ago, but the place is packed with women and young girls as well as men.

Another show in New York glorifies prostitution. Another leading play is full of such searing profanity and obscenity as would be resented by the roughest of ignorant men if uttered in the presence of his wife.

A fourth count is in the matter of indecent literature. A justice of the Supreme Court of New York placed in my hands a book called "Women in Love" which describes in great detail fondling and caresses leading to sex contact. This book had been procured by his daughter from a circulating library and to his astonishment he found it available at many circulating libraries. He tried to arrange for the prosecution of this offense and found that the matter had already been before the courts and the magistrate had expressly commended the book.

Another work which is freely on sale is supposed to describe the mental reaction of a young girl and the gossip of herself and companions. One part of the book tells how she viewed through a window the conduct of a married couple and most of the descriptions would be startling to the average married person.

Perhaps the worst count of all is the present circulatian of magazine indecency and obscene pictures. Small pocket magazines containing the foulest of bawdy house humor are freely on sale. Successful court action has been had against the worst of these magazines, but the situation is still bad. Do you realize that your adolescent son can pick up magazines which go into the best homes and find advertised there pictures of nude women which will be sent to anyone who remits the price? Perhaps you think these pictures are no worse than what your boy sees at the art gallery. That is the suggestion of your decent mind. As a matter of fact, they are unretouched photographs of life, no corrections being made which minimize the sex suggestion. This kind of picture used to be "bootlegged" and at great danger to the "bootlegger." Today the "bootlegger" of obscene literature restricts his sale to pictures far fouler. Mere nudity brings him no customers.

Pioneer Sketches

Ninety-three years is a long ways to look back and when Edward Bellamy wrote his famous novel "Looking Backward" he took long privileges with posterity. Since that time many of his seemingly ridiculous prognostigations have been made perfectly correct, and we are wondering what next?

Ninety-three years ago this part of Michigan was a howling wilderness inhabitated by a few straggling whites and bands of roving Pottawattomie Indians whose savagery equalled if not exceeded the fierce Miamis and Winnebagoes south and west of us. Where North Adams stands today was an unbroken forest and wolves howled through the long winter nights and a cold heavy snow fell among the straggling oaks, whitewoods and maples. Following is an account written by C. F. Hoffman a New Yorker, who traveled this way in 1833 on horseback, presumably down the Moscow turnpike. He went to Chicago and found quite a flourishing village there. He said:

"Being now on the mail route between Detroit and Chicago, I am travelling very comfortably in a four-horse wagon, with the gentlemen mentioned in my last. I found my horse's back so chafed at White Pigeon, that it was unpleasant to use him any longer under the saddle; and having met with my trunk at Niles, which was forwarded from Monroe by a friend, I am in a measure compelled to adopt what is certainly the most agreeable mode of travelling at this season through a bleak prairie country.

"The cold winter moon was still riding high in the heavens as we ferried over the Joseph's at Niles this morning. A low-sided scow was the means of conveyance; and after breaking the solid ice near the shore to loose us from our moorings, it required some pains to shun the detached cakes which came driving down the center of the dark rolling river, while, near the opposite shore, they had become so wedged and frozen together that it required considerable exertion to break a way with our long poles, and make good our landing. At length, ascending the bank, a beautiful plain, with a clump of trees here and there upon its surface, opened to our view.

The establishment of the Carey Mission, a long, low white building, could be distinguished afar off faintly in the moonlight while several winter lodges of the Pottawattamies, three or four hundred of which tribe inhabit this fine district were plainly perceptible over the plain. The moon, indeed, shone with effulgence such as I have never witnessed, except beneath the pearly skies of the west. Morning came at last; still, excessively cold, our horses' manes and our own clothes being covered with hoar-frost, while each blade of grass that shot its wilted spear above the snow glistened like a diamond's point beneath the uprising sun."

He May Be But We Doubt It!

The Manufacturer makes the observation that a man commanda salary of $25,000, $50,000 and $100,000 or even $150,000 a year who can give us better roads, better radios, unlimited gasoline, universal telephone service, cheapest automobiles, washing and ironing machines etc, etc, is well worth twice what he gets to the nation. This might be true then again as Josh says "It Mightn't."

In the first place no one's head is big enough to contain all these ideas and work them out; in the second place thousands of these wonderful appliances spoken of were brought to pass stage by stage, and gradually by hundreds of men. Henry Ford for instance is given credit for introducing the automobile when it is positively known he only improved the machine. Way back in dark ages when the first steam engine was invented a steam automobile was in use but of course it was crude and cumbersome and the intense ignorance of the day prevented the development of such a machine.

A good many of these high priced men are figureheads purely—men who have by diligence and attention to business worked up to the salaries which they are receiving but this is no sign they are worth what they get as values go in this country. While there are some like A. H. Smith deceased late president of the great New York Central Lines who no doubt was worth twice what he received there are hundreds of swivel chair workers whose principal asset is the ability they display in making managers and others believe they are par excellence and drawing their pay.

The Manufacturer then goes on to say that these most highly valued men in time of war made the best soldiers, sailors, officers and doctors because they served for glory and duty without thought or care for recompense.

We do not believe these men made much greater sacrifice than the private man of the line who often times left his all to participate in the great struggle to save the honor of a few rip-goats at Washington who wanted to demonstrate to the world what we could do in a military line if necessary—and they insisted it was necessary to slaughter thousands of our best blood on foreign soil because Kaiser Wilhelm had accidently sunk one of our boats in endeavoring to enforce his blockade of foreign ports. While we are glad Germany is humbled and no doubt she deserves it, yet in the quarrel across the Atlantic we had mighty little interest except as the millionaires and rich producers of materials wanted to seize that opportunity to increase their wealth.

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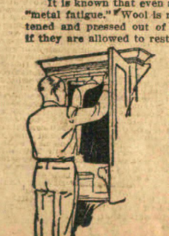
It is known that even steel, when constantly used, gets what engineers call "metal fatigue." Wool is no exception. The sturdiest wool fibers become flattened and pressed out of shape by continuous use. Their strength returns, if they are allowed to rest up a bit.



Fortunately, you do not have to send fatigued suits to the seaside or mountains to recover their vigor. A nice, dark closet and well-fitting hanger make an ideal vacation for their jaded nerves. What you do need, though, is enough suits to keep them from getting too tired out. Two suits worn alternately wear considerably longer than three suits purchased one at a time and each worn continuously every day until worn out.

What is true of suits is equally true of shoes. Besides the greater economy of having two or three pairs of everyday shoes going at once, the man who has to stand or walk a great deal will find it much easier on his feet to have a Monday-Wednesday-Friday pair to alternate with his Tuesday-Thursday-Saturday brogues.

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CHAPTER XVI—Continued

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Either Janet had translated faithfully, or the patriarch understood this Latin. He smiled benignantly.

"But," said Tommy, "or rather sed nolo— Oh, look here, Miss Church, tell him that I won't have Calypso driven into marrying me, if she doesn't want to. She said in Berlin that she wouldn't marry me, and if she feels the same way still, she mustn't be bullied into it."

The patriarch explained at some length that the princess' feelings did not matter in the least. He had brought her up himself and taught her the duties of a princess. She would marry the man she was told to marry. This did not satisfy Tommy.

"Tell the patriarch," he said to Janet, "that unless the princess agrees of her own free will, I won't stir a foot in the matter."

But Janet thought the conference had lasted long enough and she was getting chilly about the legs. A stone-floored hall is apt to be draughty at night and she had no stockings on. She said good night to the patriarch and walked off to bed. Tommy was left to his own resources.

He got out his notebook and pencil again. He could not draw a picture of himself refusing the hand of an unwilling princess in the Lystrian Chapel Royal; so he wrote down a Latin sentence. The patriarch did not understand the language as Tommy spoke it, but he must surely be able to read it.

"Nisi regina ne amat," he wrote, "nihil faciam in re."

That, if not in Ciceronian style, was a plain statement of his meaning. The patriarch understood it, smiled and waved his pudgy hand. Then he patted Tommy on the shoulder in a most friendly and confidential manner. Count Albert attempted an explanation in English.

"That is good," he said. "Sehr gut, right. Not true? Please?"

The patriarch ordered more wine. There was much drinking of healths. Tommy's health, the patriarch's, Count Albert's, the health of each attendant priest, Calypso's (all standing), and finally Janet's. The patriarch held up Tommy's sketch of her while he drank.

The party broke up, all sober, but as Tommy said afterward, "Another bottle would have finished us."

The Patriarch Menelaus would not be happy in America. His strict views about marriage might get him into trouble with the people who appreciate the advantages of divorce.

CHAPTER XVII

Tommy slept soundly.

At six o'clock in the morning he was half wakened by the sound of a motorcycle passing close under the window of his room. He felt slightly surprised that there should be such things as motor-bicycles in Lystria. But the subject was not interesting enough to rouse him thoroughly. He slept again.

At half past eight he was wakened again, this time thoroughly, and saw Count Albert standing at his bedside. Tommy looked up and bade him a cheerful good morning. The count bowed stiffly. He held two large, leather-covered books, one under each arm. It would have been difficult for him to bow otherwise than stiffly. Behind the count, standing rigidly at attention at the door of the room, were two soldiers with long rifles on which the bayonets were fixed. This surprised Tommy a little, but he bade the soldiers a friendly good morning. He supposed that it must be the custom in Lystria to send part of the army to waken an honored guest in the morning.

Count Albert laid one of his books on Tommy's bed and began turning over the pages of the other. It was a Lystrian-English dictionary. It's compilation had been the life work of the tutor who had taught Count Istvan to read Shakespeare. It had been printed at the expense of King Wladislaws, and was that monarch's solitary contribution to the cause of literature. Ten copies in all had been published. Six of them were lost. One lay on a shelf in the palace of Count Istvan. One was in the cathedral library under the charge of the patriarch. One was kept by the head clerk of the Lystrian house of lords. The remaining one, which Count Albert was using, was in the royal schloss.

Count Albert found the word he wanted, marked it by digging his thumbnail into the paper, and then handed the book to Tommy. Like most Lystrian words, it was thickly covered with accents, and the letter X was in it several times. The English translation was given as: "Impostor—pretender (historical). One who assumes an identity other than his own. Deceiver."

Count Albert frowned severely to show that he meant everything the dictionary said. The two soldiers held their rifles at the present to show that they meant it all too.

Count Albert took up the second volume of the dictionary and looked up another word. This time the English translation was: "Arrested." To prevent any possibility of mistake, he pointed first to Tommy, then the two soldiers, and then once more, to the word. Tommy had no excuse for not understanding what his position was.

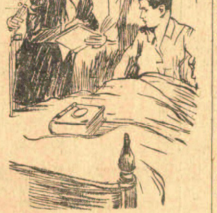
Count Albert looked out a third word, and once more handed the book to Tommy. This was a short word, consisting of three letters, one of which was an X, and three accents. It meant: "Place of execution," and, according to Count Istvan's Shakespearean tutor, might also be translated: "Gallows, scaffold or guillotine." Count Albert nodded grimly and pointed to the soldiers. Then he said, "Please."

"But not at this hour," said Tommy firmly. "It's simply never done as late as this. The regular time for shooting a man is dawn and that's passed for today. There won't be another till tomorrow. Besides, you're bound to give me some sort of a trial."

He took the dictionary with the intention of looking out "shoot," "down," "tomorrow" and "trial," believing in that way to make his meaning clear. Unfortunately, there was no English-Lystrian part of the dictionary, so the book was useless to him. Count Albert, with the air of a great nation which delivers an ultimatum to a troublesome little tribe, turned to leave the room. Tommy jumped out of bed and stopped him. He could not speak Lystrian and he could not use the dictionary. But he was not quite at the end of his resources. He tore out a blank sheet from the end of the dictionary and wrote a letter.

"Ad Reverendissimum beatissimum, excellentissimum Patriarchum, Lystriae, Archiepiscopum, cum Janetta Ecclesia (Miss Church) conversari volo."

Then he remembered that both Count Istvan and Count Albert used the word "Please" with extraordinary frequency in the most unlikely connections. It was evidently a word to which the Lystrians attached great importance. The ancient Romans apparently did not, for he could not remember a Latin equivalent for it. He added "Si vis" to the end of his letter, and then, in order to make it quite plain that he wanted to be polite, wrote, "Bitte. S'il vous plait, please." He handed the note to Count Albert.



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"Patriarch," he said. "Beatitude, Archbishop, please."

Count Albert scowled, but he took the note. He walked over to the door, opened it, turned, said a farewell "Please," to Tommy, and then went out, leaving the two soldiers on guard.

Tommy got up and dressed. That took him nearly half an hour. Then he smoked a pipe. Then he looked out of the window for a while. The view was entirely uninteresting, for his room looked out on a small courtyard, but it cheered him to observe that there were no signs of the erection of a scaffold. In all the romances he had ever read the scaffolds for the execution of the heroes are put up under the windows of their cells, and they are obliged to listen to the sounds of hammering and sawing even if they have enough strength of mind not to look out.

At ten o'clock the door of his room was opened and a soldier came in bringing some breakfast. The Lystrians, alone among central, southern and eastern Europeans, have a good idea of what breakfast ought to be. Except that there was no marmalade, Tommy could not have done better in a first rate London hotel.

At half past ten, before he had finished eating, Janet Church was shown in. Tommy greeted her with an eager flood of questions.

"What's happened?" he asked. "Why am I shut up? Why did that ass, Albert Casimir, wake me up this morning by scowling at me. Why did he shove the great dictionary with the word "impostor" in it—an enormous dictionary in two volumes? Why did he threaten to hang me or shoot me or guillotine me? I don't know which he meant; but he certainly intends to execute me in some way. And what's the Lystrian for marmalade? I'd like some just to finish off a really good breakfast."

"Who are you?" said Janet.

"I'm the Reverend Thomas A. Norreys, M. A., said Tommy. "You saw my passport in Berlin, so you ought to know."

"Not Lord Norheys?"

"I've told you, I've told the other Casimir, I've told the king, I would have told the princess if she'd have listened to me— I've told every one I've met that I am not Lord Norheys. It would be just as sensible, in fact more sensible, to insist that I'm Colonel Heard. But no matter what I said, nobody ever believed me, except that pompous ass, Von Steinveldt. I think he did. If necessary I'll swear I'm not Lord Norheys. I'll swear it on Casimir's dictionary if you like, and that's the most impressive looking book I ever saw."

"What convinced them? I'd like to know; for I never could manage to do it myself."

"Two telegrams arrived this morning early," said Janet, "one from Count Istvan Casimir, sent from Berlin, and one from Lord Edmund Troyte, from London. A motorcycle brought them. They said that you're an impostor, and that the real Lord Norheys is in London. Lord Edmund Troyte is Lord Norheys' uncle, so he's certain to know."

"I expect he'll be Miss Temple's aunt soon. I mean to say, she'll be his niece, if half I've heard about her is true. I never was so plagued about anything in my life as I have been about that woman. How did the princess take the news?"

"The patriarch wakened her about seven o'clock to tell her. She came into my room about two minutes later and I never saw a girl so pleased."

"I call that heartless of her," said Tommy. "Worse than heartless, malicious. I never did her any harm. Why on earth should she be pleased at my being hanged?"

"She's not pleased at that. She doesn't think you will be hanged. Nor do I. What delighted her was the thought that you really had nothing to do with Miss Temple."

"If she would have listened to me," said Tommy, "she'd have known that long ago. However, I'm glad she doesn't want to hang me. Perhaps she'll let me out of prison. Why have they shut me up?"

"I've just told you that," said Janet. "They believed you were Lord Norheys and when it turned out you weren't, they imprisoned you, of course."

"I don't see any 'of course' about it. They can't mean to imprison everyone who turned out not to be Lord Norheys. If they did that the prisons would be horribly overcrowded. Don't you think that you could explain that to the patriarch?"

Janet looked doubtful.

"It's a complex idea," said Tommy "and probably quite new to him. Still with your knowledge of German—"

Janet had no doubt at all about her ability to explain anything in German.

"I'm afraid," she said "that the patriarch isn't as good at German as he thinks he is. He can understand simple things all right, but when anything unexpected is said to him he doesn't take it in. After the princess and I were dressed this morning he came in and had a long consultation with her. They were still at it when I left. They began in German, but the princess had to give up and talk Lystrian after half an hour or so."

"Were they talking about anything very abstruse? Metaphysics, for instance?"

"They were talking about you," said Janet. "The princess said that she was extremely glad to hear that you were not Lord Norheys, because nothing on earth would have induced her to marry him. She told the patriarch all about Miss Temple and showed him some letter or other."

"I know all about that letter," said Tommy. "How did the patriarch take it?"

"He said the princess was perfectly right, and that no man who behaved as Lord Norheys did could possibly be allowed to be king of Lystria. I gathered that he thought there'd been enough of that sort of thing when the late king was here. I hadn't heard it before, but from what the patriarch said I understand that King Wladislaws was a thoroughly immoral man."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Past Tense

The hill was icy and the big colored woman could not control her footing. "Help! Help! Ah'm slippin'!" she screamed, as she began her involuntary journey downward. "Ah'm slippin'! Ah'm slippin'!" she yelled again.

A few seconds later a man who had heard her cry found her comfortably couched in a snow bank. "Ah'm slup!" she remarked as she looked up into his face with a grin.—Boston Transcript.

One Place Where Rat Is Not Thought Pest

A deity whose name is Ganesha is worshiped by the Hindus.

Because Ganesha is always pictured riding on a rat or attended by one, the rat receives part of the homage directed to the god. For this reason many rats live in state in the temple at Deshnoke, India, where there is an old and interesting shrine erected to this mythological god.

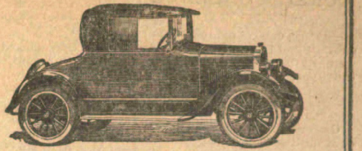
Pilgrims prostrate themselves before a group of rats, which have no idea in life beyond that of eating everything available and keeping a safe distance from cats and hawks. But they represent the rat god, Ganesha, and the temple in which they live is sacred on account of their presence. It is even called "the Rat Temple."

According to Hindu mythology Ganesha was the lord of the Ganas who were a group of inferior deities. Ganesha removes obstacles. He is propitiated at the beginning of any undertaking. He is particularly endowed with wisdom and judgment.

Not Likely to Have Any

The generous mind least regards money and yet most feels want of it.—Benjamin Franklin.

Sage grows wild in many parts southern Europe.



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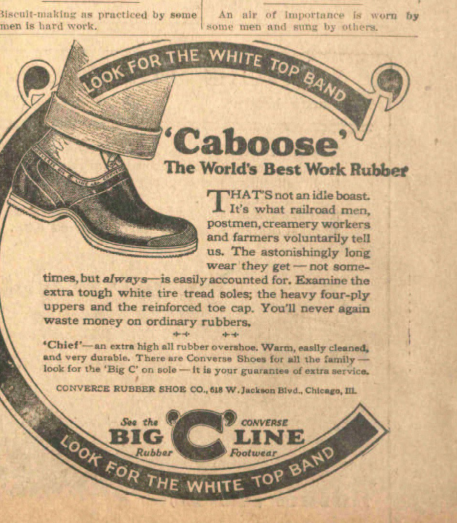

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—Ladies' Rest Room at I. N. Starr's Shoe Shop. 21t3

The Ladies Aid will meet with Etta Welker the 29 of October.

George Hayhoe and wife spent Sunday at the Sprague home.

Grace and Billy Fowler were callers at the Bloemker home Tuesday.

Warren Goble and family called on the Will Bloemker family Sunday afternoon.

Will Bloemker called at the Sprague home Sunday to see Charles Sprague and family.

Albert Sprague of Bowling Green Ohio has bought all of Edgar Kempton's Ben Davis apples and expects to sell them in Ohio.

Edward Bloemker will give a Halloween Social the 29 of October at the Knowles schoolhouse. Every one invited.

Albert Sprague and wife of Bowling Green Ohio and Charles Sprague and family of Tontogany Ohio were callers at the Sprague home Sunday

Bert Keeler, Will Kern, wife and son of Toledo Ohio spent Sunday at the Sprague home. Mr. Keeler and Mrs. Kern are brother and sister of Mrs. Ellsworth Sprague. The brother expects to go to Florida where he will reside.

It is reported that Jay Hayhoe has rented the Porter farm for the coming year. Mr. Porter will retire and will make his home with his daughters Mrs. Mable Ossmer of Jackson and Mrs. Minor Knight of Cambria.

Jonesville

Chas Cronk and wife were in Chicago last week.

Wm Bater has purchased the Proper property on East street.

Roy Howard who has been in Florida for sometime returned to his home here Tuesday night.

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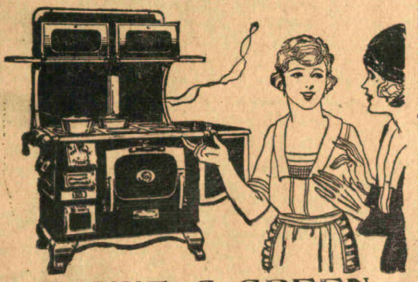

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Many a man has lost his all by putting off until tomorrow what should be done to-day.

The Wednesday 500 club met with Mrs. Harry Leiss this week.

Frank E. Howland and wife will leave soon for Florida for the winter.

Mrs. Rose Sharr of Morenci is a guest at the home of her daughter Mrs. C. O. Alverson.

Earnest Howard and wife of Chicago were over Sunday guests of their mother Mrs. C. V. Burnett.

Miss Grace VanHorn returned to Kalamazoo this week after visiting her parents here for ten days.

Hugh Burnett and wife, Harry Burnett and wife and Ray Vroonan and wife leave soon for Florida.

Robert Curtis who has been in Florida for the past six weeks returned to his home here on Wednesday of last week.

The Culture club was entertained by Mrs. F. W. Graves last Thursday afternoon. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. W. Price.

Henry Varnum of Detroit came for a visit with relatives here the first of last week and attended the K of P. banquet Tuesday evening.

Among those from away who attended the K of P banquet last Tuesday evening were Ed Jones of Kalamazoo and Supt. J. V. Gibson of the Leslie school.

The death of John Potter 15 year old son of L. W. Potter and wife occurred at the family home on Wright street last Friday after a two week's illness. The funeral was held Monday. He leaves besides the parents, two sisters Joyce who is attending Hillsdale College and Ruth at home. The family have the sympathy of the entire community.

Center Adams

Will Sabin whose illness was reported better last week is not so well.

Will Keith and wife were at Pittsford on Tuesday visiting O. M. Keith and wife.

Nathan Webster and family visited Sunday with Frank Harmon and wife at Shadyside.

Will Burse and wife of Osseo were callers at the home of E. S. Gray and wife Sunday.

Master Howard Foust went to nn Arbor Wednesday to remain few days to have his limb treated.

Ervin Hinkle, wife and son Clare of Detroit Minnesota are here for a visit with old time friends and neighbors.

Earl Gordon and family of Hillsdale and Arthur Gordon of Lansing spent Sunday at the J. H. Gordon home.

Robert and Clarence Worthing went to Jackson Tuesday where they expect to work the coming winter.

Alberta Worthing and friend Mr. Smith of Detroit visited M. C. Church and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Will Wheaton and wife of East Adams and E. S. Fuller, wife and two girls of Hillsdale visited at the McBain home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Linnie Post spent Saturday in Frontier at the Carl Vincent home, going to take home Master Olin Vincent who has been visiting at the Post home for the past week.

John E. Foster and wife of Clinton Indiana are visiting Eugene McBain and wife and will remain until after the Field Trials starting October 26. Mr. Foster will act as one of the judges at the Trials.

Eugene McBain and wife entertained their children over the week end E. D. Whalton and family of Detroit from Saturday until Monday and T. H. Tierney and family of Toledo coming Sunday.

—Best of Leather used in Shoe repair work at my shoe shop. 21t1
I. N. Starr

Somerset Centre

Bernard Phillips and wife have a new player piano.

Tom Dunn went to Jackson for Medical treatments Friday.

Mrs. J. M. Parker and daughter Florence were in Jackson Saturday.

Leon Mercer and daughter Elaine were in Hillsdale on business Saturday.

Rev. Scott's subject for next Sunday at 11:30 is the "Unpardonable Sin."

Homer Adams and wife of Liberty spent Sunday with Rant Rutan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinsion have moved in the H. M. Tearney house in Somerset Center.

Jake Warner of Bronson was a caller at his sister's Mrs. Jennie Tearney recently.

J. G. Smith and wife have gone on a two week's trip to Kansas city Kansas to visit friends.

Earl Eggleston and wife, Ellsworth Eggleston and wife and Lee Fuller were in Perrysburg, Ohio on Monday.

Mollie O'Brien who has been staying with her sister for some time has gone to Ypsilanti to visit friends.

Paul Becker who has been a member of the U. S. Marines has fulfilled his enlistment and has returned home with his parents George Becker and wife.

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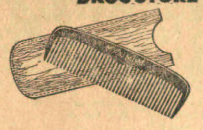

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A Debate was held at the M. E. church of Somerset Center Saturday evening on the subject of Capital Punishment. Harley Lane taking the affirmative and Rev. Scott the negative. The Judges Mrs. Eldridge, Miss Higbee and H. M. Tearney deciding in favor of the affirmative. Afterwards a box social was held in the basement.

Jerome

Jay Pullen has been on the sick list.

Jay Chandler will hold an auction at his farm Thursday.

Rev. Scott spent Saturday night at the Leon Walworth home.

Rev. Scott will preach next Sunday on the "Unpardonable Sin."

Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson visited Mrs. M. H. Morris Saturday evening.

— I am in business to please and give satisfaction. I. N. Starr's Shoe Repair Shop, 21t3

Chas Foster and wife, Mrs. Ellwood Foster, J. E. Lane and family were in this vicinity Saturday.

C. W. McGregor has been appointed agent for the Globe Radio Co. and the Go Quick Chewing Gum Co.

Mrs. C. W. McGregor has sold several of her Persian cats to various persons in Michigan and other sections. One cat went to South Carolina.

—Hallowe'en social at Knowles school house Thursday, Oct. 29th at 7:30 p. m. Program and lunch served cafeteria style. Everybody invited. Proceeds to go toward equipment of school.

Saturday was the 47th birthday of Chas W. McGregor and a large number of his friends remembered him with presents which were both attractive and useful. Mr. McGregor expresses his appreciation.

W. W. Ostrom has traded his stock of hardware, groceries and clothing to Charles Burnett, Osseo Merchant, for Mr. Burnett's farm of about 200 acres near Osseo. Mr. and Mrs. Ostrom have moved to their farm while Mr. Burnett expects to move the stock of goods to his Osseo store soon. Mr. Ostrom retains the buildings of the Walworth estate.

Lost— Part of Parker fountain pen, black, in North Adams. Oct. 19th. Finder communicate with O. C. Holcomb. 21t2

Grubby Knoll School Notes

Myrna Thrasher recently entered school.

Report for month ending September 25th 1925.

At the beginning of the year we organized a Good Citizens Club President, Lorraine Beach, vice president, Grace Beach.

Those who have won the largest number of gold stars for good citizenship are; Beulah Robb, Mildred Robb, Ronald Anderson, Louis Meyer, Myrle Beach, Margaret Meyer and Louise Shepard.

There will be a Halloween program and Toe Social at the school house Thursday evening October 29. Candy and fortunes will be sold A real good time is expected. Every one come. Potluck supper served cafeteria style. Witches, ghosts, goblins etc; will be on hand waiting for a chance to scare you.

Enrollment of eighteen, te[illegible]irls and eight boys. The following won gold stars for perfect attendance the first month; Lloyd Robb, Beulah Robb, Mildred Robb, Joseph Johns, Gerald Allen, Marie Wilcox, Ronald Anderson, Louis Meyer, Margaret Meyer and Louise Shepard.

—Weaving wanted. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call Phone 206
17t6 Mrs. Levi Rogers

For Sale—Quantity Carmen potatoes, also pears. L. M, Covey on David Watson Farm. 20t3

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewerly and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co,, Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

—We have a good stock of hard coal in the bins now and would advise customers to procure their winter's supply at once. Graves and Ford Lumber Company. 19t3

Crawls Into Tree To Fight Forest Fire

Crawling into a hollow tree lying on the ground and extinguishing the fire burning within the tree was the unusual experience of Fred Call, a fire guard on the Boise National Forest in Idaho, reports the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture.

Fire Guard Call was on duty when a bolt of lightning set fire to a yellow-pine tree 42 inches in diameter. This tree happened to be hollow, and Call chopped it down in order to extinguish the blaze. Even then he was unable to get to the flames, so he crawled into the trunk, chipped away the burning wood with his knife and crawled out with it on his shovel. He made many trips into the tree, crawling about 60 feet each round trip.

C. W. Smith, Canadian entomologist, will guide the Michigan borer inspection party during its visits to Canadian infested areas on October 22, according to Prof. R. H. Pettit of M. S. C. The corn borer party will start from the Michigan Farmer offices in Detroit at 9:30 a. m. (eastern time) on Thursday, Oct. 22. Thetrip through Canada will cover about 125 miles, taking in the heavily damaged corn borer sections, All corn growers and others interested in the crop have been invited to make the inspection trip, which is to furnish information for further steps in corn borer control work.

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Local News

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21t3 I. N. Starr's Shoe Shop

Harold Shults was home from Kentucky over Sunday.

Clyde Wertz is making some cheap prices on Toilet preparations and groceries. See ad on back page

Mrs. Etta Pray, Primary teacher had the misfortune to fall and break her arm near the school house Wednesday morning.

The Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. M. Kempton Wednesday afternoon Nov. 4th, 1925.

Lawrence Wylie of Albion College came home Friday evening to spend the week end with his parents Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Wylie.

Mrs. Candace Shiel and son, Porter, of Toledo, visited Montie Shults and mother for a few days last week. They were neighbors when living in Tennessee.

The Misses Lorita Wertz and Anna Lawrence, Rev. H. E. Wylie and Lawrence Wylie drove to Jackson Saturday and attended a district Epworth League Institute at the Ida F. Stiles Church.

Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Wylie motored to Albion Monday morning with their son Lawrence, who returned to his work in the college. They transacted business in Jonesville and Hillsdale before returning home.

The body of Mrs. Brubaker of Battle Creek was brought to this village on Wednesday and interred in the local cemetery. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. Ernest Gilcrist formerly of this village, and passed away the first of the week.

Next number on the Senior Lecture Course occurs Saturday, November 9th. The Gladue Concert Co. consisting of three members, will be the attraction. Their repertoire includes both instrumental and vocal selections, and vaudeville work.

A post card received recently from Art Crane displays a great fish and Art reports the fishing mighty good in Florida. Judging from the great exodus of people from Michigan this fall most of them will be spending the winter in sunny southern climes. Art is at Orlando.

Dates for four county dairy alfalfa campaigns, scheduled for this fall and announced previously, have been set by the extension staff at the M. S. C. Allegan will be "covered" by the intensive better farming drive from Oct. 29 to Nov. 6; Genesee from Nov. 2 to 13; Ionia Nov. 16 to 20; and St. Joseph Dec. 8 to 18.

It is claimed that M-23 will be paved to its junction with M-14 in about two weeks unless the cold weather intervenes. It is the intention of the highway department to pave M-23 through the state next season and connect at the border with Indiana highways This will mean a paved highway to the Pacific Coast or to Detroit.

Arthur Stevens living west of North Adams, brought to this office on Thursday a bunch of red raspberry twigs bearing a large number of berries—some ripe and some green, but fresh up to the last two or three days of severe weather. He reports that Mrs. Stevens has canned two quarts of these berries during October besides they have served fresh berries on the table for sauce and would have canned more if the recent cold snap had not interfered. The berries are not Everbearing, but common varieties and Mr. Stevens is satisfied that Michigan is getting to be a semicropping state and you won't be obliged to visit Florida for your winter fruit. This raspberry twig is at our office for inspection.

The concert at the Congregational church last Sunday evening by Horton-Hanover talent was certainly much appreciated. We should say that the two towns are well supplied with vocal music. The trio by Harley Voorhees and wife and Vern Hatch was very well rendered also the lady quartet. Practically all of these numbers called forth applause from the audience. The men's quartet composed of Charles Eddy, Harley Voorhees, Vern Hatch and Mr. Reynolds sang very creditably in fact the whole program under the efficient direction of Mr. Reynolds was well worth a much larger attendance and should have received it. The piano rendering of Miss Hatch, accompanist, is highly spoken of. After the program an informal lunch was served in the basement of the church and a real social get to gether was the outcome. Everybody seems much pleased with this idea and we are hoping to see our friends from Horton and Hanover again soon.

—Best of Leather used in Shoe repair work at my shoe shop. 21t1
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The Womans Club will meet at the home of May Bauman Monday afternoon November 2nd.

Wanted—Old buildings to wreck in or near North Adams Michigan. Elmer Allen, North Adams. 22t3

For Sale—Well seasoned hard maple wood delivered. Hard and Anderson, Wheatland. 22t3

Saginaw has really and truly developed an oil well at the depth of 1835 feet, with a production of 30 barrels daily.

The big sale at E. C. Williams' store is progressing finely. See the prices quoted on back page this week. You can't afford to miss it.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. H. G. Wells Tuesday Nov. 3 for the annual meeting with potluck dinner.

Oscar Burger and wife of Middleville were dinner guests on Tuesday of C. H. Stranger and wife in this village and also visited other friends.

By request there will be a meeting of the Home Economics of Town Line Grange at the home of Mrs. Addie Taylor on West Main street Monday evening Nov. 2nd.

Mrs. Anna Payne has purchased the Clarissa Benson place in the north-east part of the village and moved her goods into same. E. R. Benson will remove to his farm southeast of the village.

The S. E. class of the Congregational Sunday school will meet in the church parlors Tuesday evening November 3. Potluck supper and program. Answer to roll call with quotations of Peace.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Olive Crater Wednesday November 4th. Potluck dinner and bring articles intended for the Christmas Box.

Sometime ago the Hillsdale Daily News stated that an application had been made to the Public Utilities Commission at Lansing to Inaugarate a bus line from Jackson to Hillsdale via North Adams. Since that time nothing has been heard of such a line here and we naturally wonder what has become of the proposition. Such an arrangement would be very acceptable to the citizens of this village.

Edward DeLamater, of North Adams, who attended the National Dairy Show at Indianapolis last week had a splendid opportunity of studying the effects of better methods of breeding and feeding of cows. He and more than 300 other members of boys' and girls' clubs represented 24 states at the Show. Fourteen of these, each the champion dairy calf club member in his state, were brought to the Show by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute.

Ira Weeks, a long time resident of Hanover and Liberty township Jackson county, passed away at his home in Hanover Sunday morning from old age and complication of diseases. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and had been a resident of Hanover village thirty years. He leaves to mourn the aged wife, a son Wayne Weeks of Hanover and a daughter Mrs. Ralph Sanderson of Jackson and grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at the Odd Fellow Temple in Hanover at 2:30 Tuesday and interment took place in Hanover cemetery.

Chicago's great Livestock Stock Show which occurs November 28 to December 5th at the stock yards is one of the events which always draws a big concourse of citizens to the city. This season it is going to be a wonderful aggregation of animals and sights. Outside the stock yards there is much of interest to the casual observer. There will be representative exhibits from every state in the Union and foreign countries and the crops of Michigan will be played up in great shape we are promised. A large number of Hillsdale county's young people who are interested in cattle raising and potato culture will attend this show.

Hillsdale College Annual Homecoming

The annual Homecoming and Will Carleton Day will be observed on Saturday, October 31, beginning with chapel exercises at the College at 9:30 a. m. At 1:00 p. m. a bronze tablet will be unveiled in honor of the famous poet at the former poorhouse east of town at the summit of Emery hill Addresses will be made by Judge Newcomer of Ohio, James and Charles Schermerhorn of Detroit, Byron Finney of Ann Arbor and other notables. At 2:30 p. m. a foot ball game will be staged at Martin Field. A theatrical at 7 o'clock is scheduled for the College theatre, followed by a reception and open house in East Hall. This it open to all and you will find it well worth your time to attend.

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Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Prof. W. H. Roberts of Hillsdale College will speak on the theme, "Outlawing War", under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. at the North Adams Methodist church next Sunday evening, Nov. 1, at seven o'clock. Special music suited to the theme will be rendered. Everybody is invited.

A freewill offering will be taken to defray the expenses of the speaker.

The special music at the Peace Service Sunday evening will be in part, a solo "Jerusalem" by Mr. Perkins, and a duet "Twilight" by Ione Young and Margaret Meeks.

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL HUNT, Pastor

The regular morning services will be held at the usual hour. Following this the Sunday school will convene to which you are all invited to attend.

Don't forget the Sunday school party given by Rev. Hunt's class for the young people of the other two churches, Friday (to-night) in the parlors of the church. Its a Hallowe'en masquerade party.

The next picture will be next Sunday evening Nov. 8th. "Ginger" is the title, having been disappointed in getting "Silas Marner" but this is highly recommended.

Feel it your duty to attend all church services and a cordial welcome is extended to all who have no church home.

For Sale—My house and lot on North side of Wilber street. Inquire of Miss Florence Benson. North Adams Mich. 22t8

For Sale—Quantity Carmen potatoes, also pears. L. M, Covey on David Watson Farm. 20t3

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Running every week day. If you have not the apples, bring barrels, kegs or jugs for cider and jars for jell. Leave order for what you want and I can furnish you apples to fill containers. W. H. Little. Northeast of Moscow. 21t2

Farmers Please Take Notice

The North Adams Co-ops have purchased a car-load of yellow cedar fence posts from 7 to 9 feet in length and 5 to 8 inches in diameter which will be sold at actual cost plus the carriage expenses to this point. Call up phone 1104 or see Everett Williams. 21t3

New Shoe Repair Shop

Bring your auto curtains in and get New lights or the old ones patched. I also have a cement you can patch your taps and they sure stay.

Notice—My shop will be open evenings as follows: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, or any other evening by request.
21tf A. J. Carpenter.

Mud Lake School Notes

Loceal Foust has entered the chart class.

Monthly tests will be given in all subjects Thursday.

The second and third grades have been making "Pussies-in-the well."

Our spelling contest closed Wednesday with Dorr Harwood as winner.

We are very grateful to our school board for having the wood put in the shed.

The following have visited school Howard Foust, Lorena Shull, Ethel Miller and Eudora Binkley.

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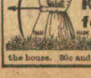

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1—Red Cross hydroplane removing wounded Spanish soldiers from scene of battle with the Riffs at Alhucemas. 2—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon giving house committee on ways and means his plan for reduction of income taxes. 3—Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes, ex-factory girl and prominent radical, divorced by her millionaire husband, James G. P. Stokes.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Secretary Mellon Advises House Committee How to Reduce Income Taxes.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

OPENING its hearings of tax revision plans, the house committee on ways and means first called on Secretary Mellon to tell what the Treasury department thought would be a safe reduction of income taxes and how it should be made. The heaviest cut advised by the secretary is in surtaxes, now paid on net incomes in excess of $10,000. He argues that reduction of surtaxes will divert investment from tax-free securities to industrial and commercial enterprises; that more business will make more profits and more profits will make more tax revenue, and then it will be possible to reduce taxes again.

Summarized, Secretary Mellon's proposals are:

1. Reduction of taxes in the aggregate to the extent of from $250,000,000 to $300,000,000.
2. Reduction of normal taxes to 1 per cent, 2 per cent, 3 per cent, and 5 per cent, instead of 2 per cent, 4 per cent and 6 per cent.
3. Reduction of surtaxes to a minimum of 20 instead of the existing 40 per cent.
4. Surtaxes to begin at 1 per cent at $12,000 instead of $10,000, and run up 20 per cent above $150,000 instead of 40 per cent above $500,000.
5. Elimination of the 25 per cent deduction on earned income.
6. Reduction of and eventual repeal of the estate tax.
7. Repeal of the gift tax.
8. Retention of the taxes on admissions and on passenger automobiles.
9. Repeal of the taxes on trucks, tires and accessories.
10. Repeal of the taxes on art works and several other minor imposts.
11. Repeal of the provision for publicity of tax payments.
12. Enlargement of the board of tax appeals.

Mr. Mellon told the committee that although the soldier bonus will cost $100,000,000 more than was estimated, tax revenue also has increased and there will be approximately a $290,000,000 surplus on July 1, 1926. He guessed the surplus would be from $250,000,000 to $300,000,000 the following year, so it would be safe to reduce taxes that much.

Next day representatives of the National Association of Manufacturers appeared before the committee and made suggestions substantially in accord with those of Mr. Mellon. The secretary's plan was supported also by 50 representatives of Iowa tax clubs, who asserted the sentiment in their state was strongly for the administration's advocacy of repeal of the federal estate tax. A similar group from Texas said the same for that state. Chairman Green of Iowa and Representative Garner of Texas, ranking minority member of the committee, both favor retention of the federal estate tax, and both refused to admit that the tax club men fairly represented the sentiment in their respective states.

FEELING sure that it would be impossible to secure approval by the French parliament for the temporary arrangement plan of the French war debt to the United States, the Painleve cabinet rejected the plan when it was formally presented to it by Finance Minister Caillaux. It was then announced semi-officially that within a few days the government would submit to the American debt funding commission through the French ambassador to Washington new proposals for dealing with the whole debt. What these will be could not be learned, but as Caillaux was severely criticized for offering as much as he did, it is believed the new proposals will be even less acceptable to our commission than were those formerly rejected by it. Some of the finance minister's critics said he did not mean to make an offer that he seriously expected America to accept, but was simply arranging matters so that when parliament assembled he could say that negotiations were continuing, avoiding confession that his debt settlement intentions had failed.

President Coolidge's stand that France need not expect any further loans in America until she funds her debt is backed up by the leading bankers, including President Mitchell of the National City bank and Dwight Morrow of J. P. Morgan & Company. It is known France wishes soon to borrow at least $100,000,000 in Wall street to stabilize her currency on a gold basis. After a conference with the President Wednesday, Mr. Mitchell said to the reporters: "Any large loan to France under the circumstances could be made only on faith, hope and charity."

He went on to explain that it would be necessary to ask the American people to subscribe to any loan to France that might be obtained in Wall street, and with the credit of France impaired by her failure to fund her debts and stabilize her finances, American subscribers would be investing in the loan as a flyer in the above virtues.

PUBLICATION of the full text of Locarno treaties did not lessen the chorus of praise for the achievement of the European statesmen who formulated the pacts, and their acceptance by the parliaments of the nations directly concerned seemed assured despite the opposition of various groups of extreme Nationalists and Communists. The suggestion emanating from the White House that the time was about ripe for the calling of a new armament reduction conference by President Coolidge was not so well received, especially by the French. Indeed, the Paris press frankly told America to mind her own business. Mr. Coolidge agreed that a conference limited to discussion of land forces would be Europe's own affair and could not be participated in by the United States; but he was said to be of the opinion that another conference on limitation of naval forces would stand the best chances of success if held in Washington.

THOSE who were disposed to sneer at the Locarno agreements had their opportunity last week to laugh at the idea that war could be prevented. Greek and Bulgarian troops got into a squabble on the frontier near Demihissar, Macedonia, and a Greek officer and a sentinel were killed. The Bulgarian commander explained it was all a mistake and apologized, but the Greek government at once sent an ultimatum to Sofia demanding $400,000 indemnity, punishment of the Bulgarian officers responsible and formal apology from the Bulgarian government. Meanwhile Greek troops moved up to the frontier to attack the town of Petrich. The possiblity of a new Balkan war was not a little disturbing to the governments of Europe. The situation was said to be complicated by unrest in Albania, where Italian propaganda is active. It was said in Sofia that the cabinet would protest to the League of Nations against alleged Greek invasion of Bulgaria.

REBELLIOUS Druses in Syria, penetrating Damascus, started a serious revolt there, but it lasted only one day, for the French commander, General Sarrail, attacked promptly with artillery, armored cars and tanks and compelled the rebels to surrender. The battle was fierce while it lasted, and the Moslem quarter of the city was largely destroyed by the French bombardment, and by incendiary fires. Two American warships were ordered from Gibraltar to Alexandria, Egypt, to be near the Syrian coast in case American lives and property were endangered.

GOVERNOR JACKSON of Indiana has appointed Arthur R. Robinson to fill out the unexpired term of the late United States Senator Samuel M. Ralston. Mr. Robinson, who of course is a Republican, will sit in the senate until March 3, 1929. He is an Indianapolis lawyer and in 1916 sought the nomination for the senate but was defeated by Harry New. During the World war he went overseas as a first lieutenant and was promoted to be captain and then major. He is married and has one daughter.

North Dakota must get along with only one senator next session, for Governor Sorlie announces that he will not appoint a successor to the late Senator E. F. Ladd.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL was ordered to appear before a court-martial on October 28 in Washington, to be tried for imputation of "almost treasonable" conduct to high War and Navy department officials in the administration of the air defense. Formally, he is accused of violating the ninety-sixth article of war. Maj. Gen. C. P. Summerall heads the court-martial, the other members being Maj. Gens. Robert L. Howse, Fred W. Sladen, Douglas MacArthur, William S. Graves, Benjamin A. Poore; Brig. Gens. Albert J. Bowley, Edward L. King, Frank R. McCoy, Edwin B. Winans, George Le R. Irwin, Ewing E. Booth; Cols. Blanton Winship, Sherman Moreland, and Lieut. Col. Joseph I. McMullen.

Veteran officers predicted that Colonel Mitchell would be found guilty and sentenced to dismissal from the army and that this sentence would be disapproved and changed to a public reprimand.

"MA" FERGUSON, governor of Texas, is threatened with impeachment proceedings, and if her opponents have their way she will be ousted from office as was her husband some years ago. They assert that Mr. Ferguson is really the governor and charge the administration with waste of public funds, inefficiency of management, letting road improvement contracts to high instead of low bidders and other things.

Representative A. H. King called for a special session of the legislature to investigate these and other charges. Ferguson opposed it, declaring it too expensive. King's move has the indorsement of Lee Satterwhite, speaker of the house, who says he will reissue the call. While the constitution provides that only the governor may call special sessions for emergencies, a statute enacted when Ferguson was governor provides that the speaker can call a session when joined by 50 members for impeachment purposes, and Satterwhite and more than 50 legislators intend to go to Austin and investigate.

ONCE more the Supreme court of the United States has upheld the Volstead act. Its constitutionality was questioned by attorneys for Druggan, a Chicago beer "baron," who was in jail, on the ground that it was enacted before the Eighteenth amendment was ratified by the necessary number of states. The court declared that congress had the constitutional authority to pass the Volstead law prior to the effective date of the constitutional amendment and that congress has the right to enact laws intended to carry out constitutional provisions for the future.

THE Episcopal house of bishops, in the New Orleans convention, concurred with the house of deputies in removing the word "obey" from the wedding service, and also voted to eliminate the bridegroom's announcement "With all my worldly goods I thee endow." Proposals that women should be eligible for membership in the house of deputies and that bishops might license women as lay readers were lost. The deputies voted for striking the 39 articles of religion from the book of common prayer; they also passed a resolution urging the United States senate to participate in and to assist in maintaining the permanent court of international justice at The Hague.

WHEN the National Council of Congregational Churches opened its sessions in Washington, President Coolidge, elected and re-elected its honorary moderator, delivered the chief address. Saying that it was his understanding that the purpose of the council was to enlarge and improve the moral and spiritual life of the nation, he declared that at the present time crime and defiance of law are menacing our government; and he called on all churches to contribute their influence in building up respect for the law and strengthening the foundations of the Union.

Frank J. Harwood of Appleton, Wis., manufacturer and leader in Sunday school and Y. M. C. A. work, was elected moderator for the next two years

Metal Seekers Take to the Trail Again

Denver.—Prospectors in large numbers again are tramping the mountains of Colorado seeking precious metals. Mining camps now find it profitable to work grades of ore which, a few years ago, it did not pay to dig from the ground.

Progress in the science of metallurgy, one of the principal factors in rejuvenating the industry, has caused an increase of 20 per cent over the prewar amount of metal obtainable from complex ores, while the cost of handling ore has slightly decreased.

The rise in prices of silver, lead, copper, and even zinc, long considered the "poor relation" among metals, is another factor.

A per cent of the credit for the favorable situation also is given the statesman. Colorado miners declare the fact that Poland was induced by special price concessions to use silver coinage, leading to a generally increased demand from other quarters, was largely the work of American men who used their influence in foreign fields to help American mining.

The advance in the price of zinc is attributed in part to the act of Great Britain prohibiting the shipment of zinc-bearing ores outside the empire.

The Cripple Creek gold-mining district showed a 17 per cent increase in output of metals in August, while the Silvertown district's output was 450 tons above July. Recent strikes of new veins have lent interest to the situation.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Port Huron—Port Huron Junior College has opened night sessions, and 50 students have enrolled in the various courses in addition to the regular day sessions.

Grand Rapids—The Grand lodge of Odd Fellows and the Rebekah assembly, meeting here in their annual conventions, selected Kalamazoo as the 1926 convention city.

Flint—Five hundred fifty thousand dollars worth of Genesee County courthouse bonds were purchased by the Industrial Savings Bank, of Flint, at par plus a premium of $2,806. The bank's offer was $2,000 higher than any other bid.

Ann Arbor—Students of the University of Michigan will have a holiday November 2, the day of the induction of Dr. Clarence C. Little as president. Deans of the university have reversed their decision to hold classes except during the hours of induction.

Battle Creek—Extensive additions are to be made at United States Veterans' hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, in the immediate future. This announcement follows the visit of Charles E. Isbell, construction engineer for the veterans' bureau. The total cost of the additions has not been estimated.

Lansing — Resolutions protesting against holding the Michigan State Fair on Sundays and against the management of the fair renting the grounds for auto races, games and other commercial enterprises held on the Sabbath were adopted at the state convention of Michigan Baptists at their closing session.

Lansing—The 1925 December tax rate here will be $15.31, an increase of 20 cents over the figure of last year, it was announced by the city board of assessors. Of this amount $2.58 is for state, $3.25 for county and $9.50 for the school taxes. The school tax is slightly lower than last year, but both state and county taxes are higher.

Saginaw—Fire broke out in the M. Davidson Auto Sales company building in the heart of the east side business district shortly before midnight last Wednesday and within a short time had gutted the building. Many automobiles were destroyed. James Colburn and his brother, sleeping in an adjoining dwelling, were overcome by smoke and taken to a hospital. The loss will reach $75,000.

Bay City—The Phoenix building, a four-story structure at the corner of Washington and Center avenues, in the heart of the business district, was practically gutted by fire which started here late last Wednesday night. The blaze started in the basement of the building and rapidly ate its way through the intervening floors to the roof. Shortly after midnight the fire was reported under control.

Lansing—A site on Townsend street, next to the Plymouth Congregational church, was purchased for the Y. M. C. A. building soon to be erected. The two lots purchased have a frontage of 115 feet. The property was purchased from R. E. Olds, automobile manufacturer. The building is expected to be ready for occupancy within a year. It is to be five stories high in front and three stories in the rear. Completely furnished it will cost about $300,000.

Flint—All married women employed in city offices, 11 in all, are to be discharged and single women employed in their places, Mayor Judson L. Transue announced. There are plenty of taxpayers of Flint who have daughters who ought to be provided with a means of earning a living," said the mayor. "I do not think that married women should work when they have husbands to support them and thereby keep single women out of jobs they need."

Iron Mountain—Marquette is still isolated from the rest of the upper peninsula while Michigan Bell Telephone company crews are striving to restore at least temporary service. Western Union communication was established, messages being re-routed through Green Bay, Wis. Reports now coming in show that 14 inches of snow fell at Watersmeet, Mich., where 26 cars became stalled in drifts during the blizzard. Small storm flurries are still prevalent.

Ann Arbor—Two score years separate the ages of the oldest and youngest students of the University of Michigan, a canvass of the information of the registration cards here shows. The youngest student is W. G. Baumgartner, Ann Arbor, who was 15 last April. Lillian J. Butler, Saginaw, also is 15, but is two months older than Baumgartner. Howard R. Chapman, Ann Arbor, is the nestor of the students, the records showing he was 57 shortly before the opening of school this fall.

Grand Rapids—This city, the furniture capital of the nation, will be one of the leading centers of airplane manufacturing in the near future, Prof. F. W. Pawloski, head of the aeronautics department at the University of Michigan, predicted in an address on "The Future of Aeronautics," before the Association of Commerce. He said that a survey of the city's industries convinced him the city's woodworking plants would be essential in the making of planes, especially giant multi-planes which he said would be in use later on.

Owosso—The Field Body corporation of this city, manufacturer of bus and truck bodies and cabs, filed a petition in circuit court, asking for the dissolution of the corporation. The Grand Rapids Trust company was named temporary receiver and November 28 was set as the return date. It is stated in the petition that lack of sufficient working capital makes it impossible for the company to operate at a profit and that inability to secure this capital makes it advisable to liquidate and distribute the assets. Assets are given as $1,042,112.91.

Lansing—A genuine effort to secure an air unit for the Michigan National guard has been ordered by Governor Alex J. Groesbeck.

Port Huron—James Dunn, builder and contractor, has filed his nomination petition as candidate for mayor. Until Dunn filed his application it was believed that Mayor McIlwain would have no opposition for re-nomination.

Ypsilanti—A $6,000 printing equipment has been installed in Roosevelt High school, and a course in mechanics of journalism will be given under C. A. Wackman, new member of the faculty. A high school newspaper will be published later in the year.

Owosso—Because the executive committee found hotel facilities here inadequate, the annual convention of the Michigan Dry Cleaners' and Dyers' association, scheduled for Owosso in February, will be held elsewhere, it was announced.

Albion—Announcement was made here by Dr. John L. Seaton, president of Albion college, that Dr. Clarence C. Little, the new president of the University of Michigan, would be the chief speaker at the homecoming celebration here November 7.

Monroe—Fire of undetermined origin, starting in the center of the crushing room at the entrance of the quarry hole, destroyed the stone crushing plant, office and storeroom of the France Stone company here. The damage is estimated at $250,000.

Sault Ste. Marie—Rail communication between Canada and the Upper Peninsula is at a standstill, following the wrecking of the swing bridge across the ship canal by the steamer W. J. Crosby, of the North Shore Transit company of Port Huron.

Stanton—A severe epidemic of typhoid fever is raging in Stanton. The city health officer believes the condition to be due to worn-out tanks of water of the waterworks, which are so porous as to allow the entrance of surface water when the level is low. State authorities have closed a number of private wells.

Springwells — Governor Alex J Groesbeck approved the proposal to amend the charter of the city of Springwells, to change the name to Fordson, in honor of the automobile manufacturer. A special election will be set by the governor soon to allow the residents to approve or disapprove the change.

McBain—Many farmers in this vicinity have lost both potatoes and temper through the recent activities of a gang of thieves. Shotguns, which have not been used since the last rabbit hunting trip last winter, are being oiled and many farmers have announced they will stand guard at night over their potatoes.

Saginaw—A sum of little more than $365,000 has been asked by the county road commission of the board of supervisors, for the construction and maintenance of Saginaw county roads in 1926, together with the operating expenses of the road commission. This amount is $47,000 less than the budget request made last October.

Monroe—The board of supervisors has decided to submit to the voters at the election of April 5 next, the proposition of erecting a new jail, the present structure having outlived its usefulness. The building committee was authorized to get an estimate of the cost, plans and specifications and present same at the December meeting.

Flint—Property and stock damage estimated at $250,000 resulted from a fire which started in a doctor's office in the Bush building at Kearsley and Beach streets. The flames wrecked the entire first floor and the roof of the building before all the available fire apparatus of the city was able to subdue the blaze after a five-hour battle.

Grand Rapids—The passing of the old east side power canal is a matter of only a few months. It was announced the city commission has completed a deal with the East Side Power Canal company and the Consumers' Power company, whereby the canal is to be closed, the bed used for a large intercepting sewer and a way opened to beautify the east side river bank through the downtown district.

Port Huron—A deficit of $83,873.48 in the funds of the Huron Acceptance corporation, a Port Huron finance concern, which went into the hands of a receiver several months ago, is reported to the circuit court by public accountants Ernest & Ernest. The accountants state that "there was an apparent deliberate removal of certain important records, and that certain transactions did not appear regular."

Port Huron—That the proposal to exempt from federal income tax all personal incomes below $5,000 per annum, is designed as a bribe to the general public in an effort to head off the movement aiming at doing away with the issuance of tax exempt securities, was intimated by Hal H. Smith, Detroit, general counsel for the Michigan Bankers' association and other organizations, in an address here before a meeting of the Knights of Pythias.

Lansing—Orders placed by the secretary of state for license plates for the coming year indicate that the automobile registration will reach a total of more than a million pleasure cars and a quarter million commercial vehicles in 1926. The initial order of plates for the coming year calls for 999,999 pleasure car plates and 150,000 plates for commercial class cars. The plates are to be black with white letters, and are to be of two shapes. Pleasure car plates are to be the same shape and size as the present plates.

Lansing—The state insurance department is investigating two companies, said to have been issuing policies in connection with sale of Florida lands. Salesmen, it was alleged, have been selling Florida property in Michigan, with the promise of a Lloyd's insurance policy guaranteeing earnings on the investment. An inquiry by the Michigan Real Estate association revealed that the insurance company was not Lloyds, of England. Lloyds International and Lloyds American were the names given on the policies, it was said.

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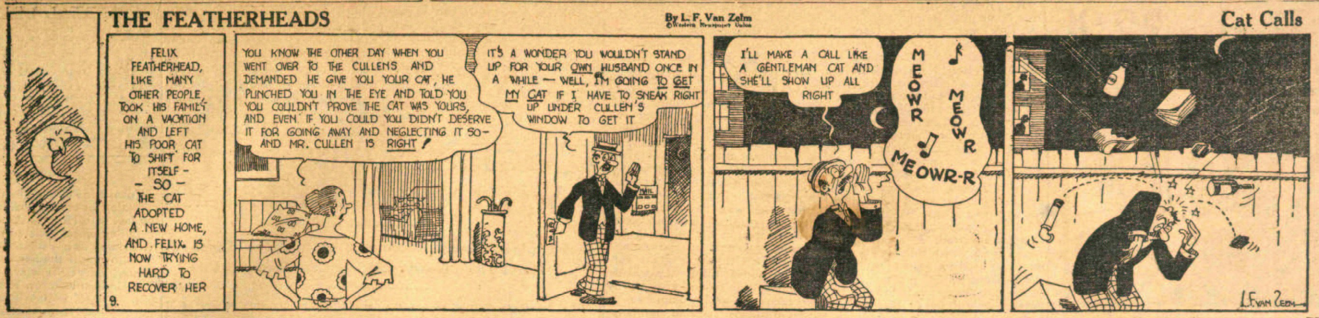
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The Fight Against Drink

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Three items should be covered in the study of this lesson: (1) A general introduction to "Ephesians"; (2) the full meaning of the lesson text, Ephesians 6: 1-20; and (3) the relation to Temperance with much up-to-date data which can be obtained from the daily and weekly press.

Though Paul was a bachelor, he knew the elements that enter into the life of a true home. In the opening verses of our chapter, he states basic principles which would make an appropriate placard for posting in every home. If such teachings were only lived up to, there would not be one divorce for every seven marriages in the United States. Paul gives advice for children, parents and helpers in the home. Selfiehness is to be overcome by calling for service to others and always with the incentive that the ever watchful Christ is to be satisfied. Before any act is committed by a member of the home circle, each should stop to consider how this will affect all the others

A measure of freedom was granted to Paul in Rome as he was permitted to live in his "own hired house," but all the while the fact of his being a prisoner was apparent by the chain which joined the apostle to one of his changing guard. As he states in verse 20: "I am an ambassador in bonds." The equipment of the accoutred soldier at his side was spiritualized by Paul as he describes his armor.

Life is a never-ceasing battle; it has ever been so and will contiue the same, especially for all who are seeking to accomplish anything worth while. Material forces are not the chief obstacles to be overcome. Give the engineer a problem and he will work it out, as he uses constant forces and laws which are always his obedient servants. The real difficulties arise when incalculable elements enter in. The enemy that man must vanquish is the combination of all the forces of evil headed by the prince of the power of evil. When this fact is realized we begin to make adequate preparation to become victors in the strife. Until we appreciate the strength and subtlety of the opposition we are careless about personal preparation, and too often are over come before we even think of arming.

All the parts of an adequate protection are close at hand. Hence the exhortation is to "take up" that which has been provided. Twice it is stated that we are to make use of "the whole armor of God."

"Put on the gospel armor,
Each piece put on with prayer;
Where duty calls, or danger,
Be never wanting there."

Six elements are named and each has a significance. As the wrist is often bound when special strength is needed, so there is to be a close girdling at the waist. Truth is a good test for each of us to use right now, as we examine our own sincerity of purpose. We are not apt to give much attention to the equipment until we have made a complete enlistment. If we are the Lord's soldier; then we will stop at nothing in getting ready to fight to victory. Since no one can establish his own righteousness, we are provided with the righteousness of Christ. Frrands of peace take the feet along life's highways. There is a great difference between fighting for self or national interests and warring that Christ may become a blessing to others.

Faith is the large shield that furnishes further and more extensive protection than the breastplate. Poisoned and flaming arrows of temptation and untruth hurled by the devil and his cohorts, will be stopped and never make any impressions on us, so effective is this covering if always held in place. The head too often stills the appeal of the heart. It is necessary for the will to be in right control, else the outcry of the heart does not lead to any result. Salvation must be fully accepted and all right relationships thought out with this decision in mind.

After naming five elements for self protection, Paul indicates one with which to make the offensive and it is always adequate: "the sword of the Spirit which is the word of God." The javelin was hurled away at the outset: the short sword was held to the last for the hand to hand conflict. When the hand failed to grasp it, all was lost. Read again how Jesus made use of the Word in defeating Satan (Matthew 4: 4-10). A spiritual activity is named which can be regarded as a seventh eqipment. It is prayer and is effective both for self protection and for aggressive attack. Those of us who are old enough can remember the old time prayer meeting, when one under conviction or in special need would arise and say "Pray for me." Knowing about the Christian's armor is not enough, It must be put on. It is put on when it is put to use.

World's Temperance Sunday, just before election day in the United States, is a good time to note facts concerning the increasing victory over the organized liquor traffic. In Collier's of May 2 there was the following summary: "To-day we can directly trace only 19,000,000 gallons of spiritous liquor and 10,000,000 gallons of wine to American mouths—and not that much. Even if we credit moonshiners with 5,000,000 gallons and hoochmongers with 6,000,000 raising the supply to 30,000,000 that is only one-fifth of our old supply. Actual results: whisky prohibition 80 percent.; wine, 75 percent.; beer 100 percent. almost: prohibition all told, 70 percent."—Christian Herald.

M. S. C. Radio School Starts In Nov.

A new radio school, or so-called "school of the air", will be sent out over station WKAR beginning November 2. according to announcement made here this week by extension authorities at the M. S. C.

Success of a ten-weeks school broadcast from the college station last spring is said to have led to expand the educational radio series Two separate schools have been announced for this winter. One will run from Nov. 2 until Dec. 18 while the second will start early in January, running until early April.

The fall courses will include a wide variety of subject matter, eleven different departments of the state college contributing definite courses of study. These will include: History, English literature, sociology, botany, marketing, entomology, forestry, soils, agricultural engineering, and zoology.

The school will be held from 7:15 until 8:00 o'clock (eastern time) from Monday through Friday, inclusive, each week. Each department is to have definite lecture periods during the schedule.

The college station, WKAR, is operating on its old wave length of 286 metres this year, but is now listed as a 1,000 watt station, making it one of the super power stations of the country. After the first of January, a 12 weeks school of special interest to farmers will be broadcast. Detailed programs for this school will depend largely on requests received from listeners, it is said.

To Have Advisory Corn Borer Board

A special advisory committee to cooperate with all existing agencies in helping to control the European corn borer, dangerous crop pest which is invading Michigan will be appointed in the immediate future by R. H. Pettit, entomologist at M. S. C. and chairman of the new committee.

Decision to create the special committee was reached by a group of 87 Michigan men who are directly concerned with the future of the state's corn crop. These men met at Chatham, Ontario, during an inspection trip through corn borer sections of Ontario on October 22, and at this time named Professor Pettit chairman of the committee with power to appoint other members.

Representatives of many agricultural agencies in the state will be included in the committee, according to Pettit, who explains that the work of the new group will be that of assisting agricultural forces, rather than starting any new lines of work.

Miss Gretta Tiffany Married

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tiffany formerly of this place. Miss Gretta, was united in marriage to Warren Gibbs of Indianapolis Indiana. We publish the following account of the wedding as taken from an Indiana paper The "Times".

One of the loveliest fall weddings was solemnized on Saturday evening, Oct. 17th at the Methodist church in East Chicago, Indiana. The contracting parties were Miss Gretta Tiffany, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tiffany of 4817 Baring avenue, East Chicago and Mr. Warren Gibbs of Indianapolis, Indiana.

The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion, tall palms autumn foliage and fall flowers being effectively used. The marriage vows were spoken beneath a beautiful archway, fashioned of varicolored autumn leaves and white chrysanthemums, erected directly in front of the altar.

Mr. Carl Hoffman and Mr. George Gromberg, brother-in-laws of the bride acted as ushers and Mrs. Vivian Meicham presided at the organ giving a fifteen minute recital preceding the ceremony, following which Miss Ethel Jordan very sweetly sang "At Dawning" by Cadman. To the strains of Lokengrin's wedding march Mrs. Chas Tiffany, the mother of the bride, becomingly attired in gray georgette was ushered to her place. The little Misses Gretta, name sake of the bride, and Beverly June Lowden, wearing dainty white gowns of lace and organdy acted as ring bearer and flower girls. Miss Gretta preceded in the line of march carrying the ring concealed in the blossom of a Calla Lily. She was followed by the maid of honor, Miss Dorothy Melching of Fort Wayne, Ind., in a costume of apple green panne velvet with Rhinestone trimmings. She wore slippers to match, flesh hose, and carried an arm boquet of sunburst roses.

Little Miss Beverly June Lowden came next carrying a basket of rose petals on her arm, slowly scattering them in the pathway of the bride.

Last of all Miss Gretta charming in a gown of oyster white silk velvet broche over silver metal cloth, slowly approached the altar leaning on the arm of her father who was to give her away in marriage. Her gown was fashioned on straight lines and elaborately beaded with shimmering silver lined beads and rhinestones. She wore a Dutch headdress fashioned of Spanish lace and trimmed with Rhinestones and sprays of orange blossoms to which was fastened her long white tulle veil. Her only ornament was a beautiful platinum dinner ring set with diamonds—the gift of het groom. She wore silver kid slippers with rhinestone buckles and moon light hose. A shower bouquet of brides roses and lilies of the valley completed her lovely costume.

She was met at the altar by the groom and the best man, Mr. Robert Dorrance of Indiana Harbor, both wore Tuxedo suits and white gloves, The Rev. George Craig now pastor of the Methodist church of Hobart, formerly pastor of the bride and groom led in the beautiful ring service, assisted by the Rev. Morton D. Carrel of the Michigan conference and uncle of the bride. At the close of the service Miss Ethel Jordon sweetly rendered "All for you" and as a recessional the organist played Mendolsohn's Wedding march.

A reception followed at the Tiffany home which was appropriately decorated for the occasion. A delicious four-course luncheon was served in the dining room to about sixty guests, the color scheme of lavender and yellow being carried out, both in the decorations and the menu. The bride's table was most attractive. A large heart shaped wedding cake wreathed in smilax forming the centerpiece. Full lighted candles in lavendar set in crystal holders cast their soft glow over the scene. Mrs. Catherine Booth was caterer, Mrs. Ethel Chartier and Mrs. Nina Lowden presided at the coffee and tea urns while Mrs. Carl Hoffman, Mrs. George Greenburg and Mrs. Mary Lehman assisted in the serving.

The bride's going away gown was a cape ensemble suit of wine silk velvet, embroidered with antique gold braid and trimmed with summer ermine. Her hat was a close model of wine satin trimmed with antique gold lace.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs left later in the evening for an extended auto trip to Denver and other western points.

The out of town guests were Rev. and Mrs. Craig of Hobart, Ind., Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel of North Adams, Mich., and Miss Dorothy Melching, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kennedy of Fort Wayne Indiana.

The Truth About Florida

Returned travelers from the land of the Everglades tell conflicting stories about the real situation that exists in Florida at the present time, each description no doubt being colored to fit the personal experience of the narrator and like the three blind men who examined the elephant, each is sincere in his observations and has no desire to present other than a correct view of a situation that has aroused nation-wide interest.

A commonsense analysis of the situation would suggest at least two things: First, owing to high living costs Florida is no place for workers unless they are highly skilled in the trades that are in demand of skilled labor; and second, men with limited capital have no business going down there and engaging in the wild speculation in real estate unless they are in a position to buy and own whatever they contract to purchase and hold it if necessary until such time when it can be sold at a legitimate profit.

Florida's growth at the present time is not a growth based upont natural reasons, but seems to be the outcropping of that peculiar state of boom conditions that break out here and there over the country during every period of continuous prosperity. It is conceded by close observers that for years to come Florida taxpayers will be burdened by high taxes, brought about by the wild desire of every community to undertake municipal improvements far in excess of legitimate needs and only calculated to entice newcomers to that particular spot. Not until the land sharks and the speculators depart can real permanence in land values in that state be determined. In the meantime unless you are in a position to afford the loss of your investments, if the worst comes to the worst, it is better to keep your money right here in Michigan.

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Belts Versus Suspenders

FOR several years belts have entirely replaced the old-time suspenders. Thousands of men never wear suspenders at all except with formal dress suits. Those who cling to the older fashion claim it is not good for one's health to draw the belt as tight as it is necessary to keep the trousers up, while belt enthusiasts counteract this hygienic consideration with a charge that suspenders tend to make a man round-shouldered.

The kind of belt that is worn, however, is attracting a good deal of attention from smart dressers. Belts are getting wider, more colorful and in a greater range of material than ever before. There are the usual belts of cowhide with smooth or pebble grain. These range from one to two inches in width and usually come in black, russet or cordovan. Leather belts may also be had in bright colors suitable for sports wear and with light flannels.

Silk and leather combinations are on the market, as are the webbing belts in an almost endless variety of regimental orders. In wearing multi-colored belts, select one of the colors as the key for socks, ties and bordered handkerchiefs and stick to it throughout in the matter of accessories.

Predictions are that suspenders will come back to effect the new straight-drape trousers which are to be the successor of the bell-bottomed "bags." Only by hanging on the eight buttonholes of the suspenders can this desirable straight line be obtained. A concealed suspender worn underneath the shirt is due to gain favor.

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Explosive Dust

"Good housekeeping" in mills and grain elevators, advocated as a means of preventing grain dust explosions, is demonstrated in the United States Department of Agriculture educational motion picture Explosive Dusts.

This film was recently revised to meet new practices in removing the danger of explosions in mills and elevators, and additional photography showing the dust removing equipment of two of the largest and most up to date grain elevators is included in the revised edition. Vacuum cleaning systems, bin vents, ventilations, floor sweeps and other new apparatus designed by Federal engineers to carry away excess dust are shown.

Actual scenes of some of the disastrous results of dust explosions in grain elevators, which have taken scores of lives and caused enormous property losses, are included in the film.

Chicago Stock Show To Set New Records

Advance indications are that all records will be smashed at the twenty-sixth anniversary session of the International Livestock Exposition which will be held in Chicago, November 28th to December 5th, according to Secretary-Manager B. H. Heide. He reports that never before in the long and illustrious history of this show has there been so much euthusiasm shown by both exhibitors and prospective visitors.

More than ten thousand of the finest horses, cattle, sheep and swine will be entered in the numerous contests to strive for supreme honors at this acknowledged "Supreme Court of the Agricultural Industry." These animals include the champions of the state and sectional fairs and many others which will be shown at Chicago for the first time and they represent the highest attainments of the master breeders and feeders of the world. In addition to the leading live stock authorities of the United States and Canada, two noted foreign judges will assist in making the awards, J. Egerton Quested of Kent, England, serving in the steer and Red Polled classes and Robert Duncan of Forfarshire, Scotland, acting as judge of the Breeding Shorthorns.

Bat The Bandits

The job of holding up banks in this section of the woods is going to be irksome soon, as most of the bankers are making preparations to scarify the crooks in pretty good shape. First might be mentioned the invention of bullet proof glass which is in fact three thicknesses of plate with a thickness of celluloid between. Next, there comes bullet-proof wire mesh for railings which is coming into universal use. In Detroit the highwaymen attempting to hold up the American Bank are due for a great surprise. The first thing they will be up against will be an arsenal, as port holes will be in readiness to shoot through, and in addition most of the banks will have a steel cage above the vault facing the door wherein two armed men will be in constant attendance with the quickest guns known. Every customer will be in full view the minute he steps into the bank.

Specially designed steel plates are built into the counters and cages to permit the handling of checks and money without exposing the clerks to robbers' fire. Bullet-proof speaking tubes will permit conversation under all circumstances, and in addition to this in the vault itself is concealed enough "oh-be-careful" to give a whole penitentiary of criminals the stomach ache.

International Bridge At Detroit

As previously stated in these columns the City of Detroit has been agitating the question of a suspension hridge across the river connecting the United States and Canada. Now, in view of the tremendous improvements being put over and the liklihood of a Great Lakes to Atlantic Waterway being pushed to completion, it may interest our readers to learn the initial steps of starting the bed-rock foundations of such a bridge have been taken, During the past ten days boring for rock has been started on the approaches and the caissous will be sunk to the bottom of the river, and the work of establishing foundations for the towers begun soon. This great International structure when completed will cost $12,000,000, borne jointly by the two nations.

The bridge as planned will be steel suspended on gigantic cables probably more than a foot in diameter and stretched across the river over the tops of the two towers at opposite sides of the river. This single span will be high enough to allow the tallest ships to pass beneath. The roadway will be double decked and three streets wide as we understand it. The middle will accommodate the electric cars on each side of this will be a road for vehicles, headed both ways, and on the extreme outside two walks for pedestrians.

These projects usually require from eight to ten years for building but we hope the bridge will be finished in a much shorter length of time No expense should be spared in making this bridge an ornament and a work of art. It should so ornate and beautiful that the inhabitants of Michigan a hundred years hence can look upon it with pride. It should contain statuary emblematic of the two greatest Anglo-Saxon Nations, and suitable symbols of the national coats-of-arms—something to be respected and admired for ages.

Is It Fair To the Priniers?

The whole principle involved in the subject of government ownership absolutely of industry is wrapped up in the government printing of envelopes, which is probably one of the worst monopolies the government ever went into.

What right the government has to encroach upon the honest trade of the country printer by putting out a printed envelope is more than we can understand? A large number of lawyers, doctors, stores, banks aud manufacturing institutions which would fight competition in their own lines tooth and nail, will buy a government printed envelope and use it but these same individuals quite freely berate the home newspaper if they are not protected to the limit.

The United States government is seemingly hard up for making a few dollars when it is willing to engage in these petty trades, when as a matter of fact the machinery and equipment at Washington was never intended for that purpose. Not only do the printers of the nation pay their share of the taxes to government upkeep, but their money helped to install the most modern print-shop in the country at Washington, and to be driven out of the envelope trade by UncleSam is a tough proposition for the most of them,

Let Pigs Do Harvesting Says Expert

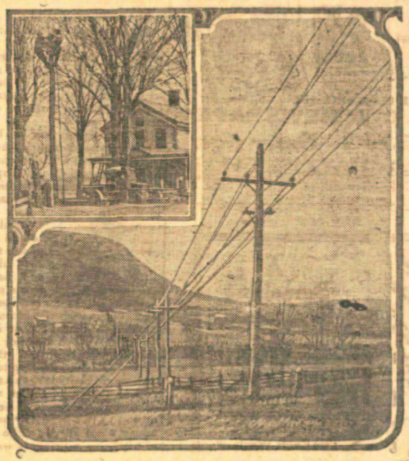
Nearly 7 per cent of the corn in the great corn growing belt is being "hogged down" each year according to a statement by an expert over the radio from Iowa on "hogging down." He says it is good practice to do this if conditions are right. The field must be fenced hog tight, the pigs must be of right size for the process, and sufficient supplementary feed must be available to balance up the corn while the pigs are in the field. The fact that 7 per cent in the middle west is disposed of in this fashion, however, is good evidence that the farmers find it profitable to meet the conditions making "hogging down" possible.

The answer to the growing popularity of the hogging down process is that it is economical, they say. The fact that the same farmers allow their pigs to help themselves to corn year after year shows that rhe practice is standing up under the "hard knocks." The large number of persons previously opposing the practice and now enthusiastic boosters for it is another thing in its favor."

ELECTRICITY WINS WAY WITH NEW YORK FARMS

Power Lines Slowly Reaching Out to Serve Them—A Rural Town Nearly 100 Per Cent Electrified

The Schoharie Valley, one of the most fertile sections in New York state, is fast becoming electrified. The Fulton County Gas and Electric Company now has a network of wires covering approximately 50 miles, supplied with hydroelectric power, and is still active in extending its lines throughout the rural sections.



Above: Linemen connecting a Schoharie valley farm in New York state with power line from a pole transformer. Below: The power line extends through the farm fields for many miles.

"A moral responsibility to the farmer," declared W. J. Fox, district manager for the company, when asked how the development had been undertaken. "Of course it will eventually be good business, but right now it is good will we want of the farmers."

For farm lighting, the company has established a minimum charge of $1 per month with a sliding scale of rates from 15 cents to 6 cents per kilowatt hours of electricity. Where cooking devices are used a flat rate of 4 cents per kilowatt is charged with a minimum charge of $2 per month. Where the farmer extends electricity to his barn for uses other than lighting, including power applications, the rate varies from 2½ cents per kilowatt hour to 10 cents, according to the amount of electricity used.

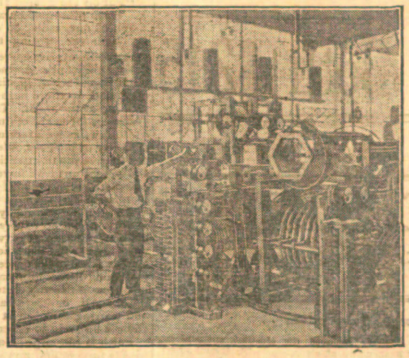
One of the villages served, Cobleskill, is now practically 100 per cent electrified. There are but two or three houses which do not use electricity at least for lighting.

SUPERPOWER IN RADIO IS USED IN FIRST TESTS

Giant Laboratory of WGY Transmits With Greatest Power Ever Used—Engineers Expect Useful Results.

From the largest and most powerful transmitting laboratory in the world WGY, of Schenectady, N. Y., has just broadcast on superpower, using 50 kilowatts on the antenna for the first time in this country or abroad.

This laboratory was erected three miles outside of Schenectady by the General Electric Company for the purpose of making a systematic study of transmission phenomena. It is equipped for research on wave-lengths from five meters to 3,000 meters with power from five watts to 100,000 watts.



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"This laboratory," said Mr. Stein, "is designed to permit a thorough study of radio transmission in general, and broadcast transmission in particular. The laboratory provides equipment for obtaining the transmission characteristics of wave-lengths between five meters and 3,000 meters, and up to powers of 100 kilowatts. In addition, there has been provided sufficient antenna structures so that the best type of antennas or radiators can be determined for the various wave-lengths.

"The laboratory occupies 54 acres of land, and consists of 13 buildings, three towers 300 feet high, one tower 150 feet high, and a multitude of smaller towers ranging from 60 to 100 feet in height. From and between the towers is arranged a network of antennas with which we hope to secure fundamental data on the most efficient antenna for a given wavelength and power.

"To return to the subject of what superpower can be for broadcast reception:

"First, it is obvious that the power of the transmitter, if increased, will provide increased energy at a receiving station, thus raising the level of the signal above that of the noise. This should, to some extent, tend to decrease the effect of static and other disturbances.

"Second, the use of high power at the transmitting station may appreciably decrease the extent to which fading at present interferes with reception. The extent to which superpower may help fading is still one of the unknown facts, and one of the problems which it is the purpose of these tests to determine.

"Third, the effect of superpower is to increase the range of the transmitter so that the program can be satisfactorily received over a greater area, and hence provide better service both day and night."

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Town Line Grange held its installation of officers, Friday evening last with Herman Arbogast as installing officer assisted by Dr. F. E. Caswell as assistant steword.

Following is the list of officeɹs: Master, Bert S. Taylor; oveɹseer, Ray Hainas; lecturer, Eva Overley asst. steward, Parker B. Shepard; lady assistant steward, Gladys Shepard; treasurer, Ross Delamater; secretary, Addie Taylor; chaplain, Lois Holcomb; gate keeper, Lemual Roberts; Ceres, Mabel Patton; Flora, Edna Haines; Pomoua, Lola Wilcox. A pot-luck supper was served and a social time enjoyed. There was a very good attendance of members present.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 26th day of October A. D. 1925

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Adam Sindecuse, deceased.

Jennie Daniels, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered; That the 21st day of November A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
22t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March. A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161 of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.
Addison State Savings Bank
John F. Steward Mortgagee
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the [illegible]rest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit: the north one half of the southeast quarter of section 28 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
.D. Chandler 13t1
Attorney for Mortgagee,
ness Address; Hudson, Mich.

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King Tommy

By George A. Birmingham

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CHAPTER XVII—Continued

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"All the same," said Tommy. "I don't think the patriarch ought to have talked that way to the princess about her father."

"The princess evidently felt that way herself," said Janet. "She changed the subject abruptly, and—well, she beat about the bush a bit, and it was rather hard to make out exactly what she meant. But I think she was trying to explain to the patriarch that she had no objection to marrying you. Of course, that wasn't a thing she could very well say straight out in plain words, and evidently the patriarch didn't quite grasp what she was at."

"How did it end?' said Tommy. "I'm not asking simply out of curiosity. It's really rather an important matter with me."

"I can't tell you how it ended," said Janet. "That tall count man came in who sat at supper with you last night."

"Albert Casimir."

That's his name. He came in and told me that I might come here to see you."

"I wish you'd waited a little," said Tommy.

"I waited as long as I could. I was practically ordered out of the room. But I shouldn't have been much wiser if I'd stayed. They were all three talking nothing but Lystrian. As soon as the princess realized that the patriarch wasn't taking in what she said, she dropped German and spoke Lystrian. So did the count. All I can say is that it sounded as if they were arguing."

"It always sounds as if people were arguing when they talk a language one doesn't understand. Generally, they appear to be quarelling. Which side was Casimir on, the princess' or the patriarch's?"

"It seemed to me," said Janet, "that they were all three on different sides."

"Well," said Tommy, "I suppose it's all settled by this time. I wish I knew how."

"From the way they were speaking," said Janet, "I should say the discussion might go on for hours. They all seemed to have a lot to say."

"I wish you'd go back," said Tommy, "and try what you can do in the way of influencing the patriarch."

"I don't see that I've any right to interfere."

"Still, I think you ought to try. It's a frightfully serious thing for me. As far as I can make out, I'm either going to be hanged or married."

"I'm afraid I've no influence with the patriarch."

"Oh, yes, you have," said Tommy, "as a representative of the League of Christian Churches, you must have. Suppose you were to offer the patriarch to make him president of a world conference of religions, to be held at Chicago or some place like that where a conference of the kind might be held. He'd love that. And at the same time you could tell Casimir that I don't in the least mind whether I'm king of Lystria or not. If I'm allowed to marry Calypso I'd every bit as soon go home as stay here."

"That young woman," said Janet, "is totally unsuited to be a curate's wife."

"She is," said Tommy. "I know that. Perhaps it would be better for you to say to Casimir that I'd make quite a good king from his point of view—give him any amount of balls and dinners, keep up the opera; not have any income tax; and all that sort of thing. The late king told me exactly what's wanted and I'm prepared to do it. It will be easy enough to talk over Casimir. The real trouble is the patriarch. Look here, Miss Church, if you manage to persuade him, I'll promise faithfully to use all my influence as king to unite the Lystrian church to any Christian body in the world you choose to name. Even if we have to wait till the present patriarch dies and I have the appointment of a new one, we'll pull the thing off in the end."

That must have been a strong temptation to Janet. I dare say she would have given way to it and gone to the patriarch with a proposal that he should be president of some sort of world conference. Whether he would have accepted the position or not no one will ever know. Before Janet had made any reply to Tommy, Count Albert Casimir entered the room.

He immediately ordered the two soldiers who stood on guard to go away. He spoke to them in a manner that was actually savage, just as if they had forced their way into Tommy's apartments against orders which he had repeatedly given them.

Then he marched over to the window, where Tommy was standing, and saluted. After that he marched back to the door, flung it open, stood to attention at one side of it and said, "Please."

It was evident that Tommy was at liberty again.

Janet, eagerly questioning Casimir, scarcely pausing to translate his answers to Tommy, got an outline of what had happened.

The princess had carried her point. Casimir, who did not much care who was king of Lystria, so long as there was a king of some sort, backed her up. The patriarch, who was a kindhearted old gentleman and really fond of the princess, had given way in the end.

Part IV
London and Lystria

CHAPTER XVIII

I find myself at last, to my own great satisfaction, able to return to a part of the story in which I myself bore a part. I am no longer writing hearsay, but narrating what I actually saw and heard.

The scene of Lord Edmund Troyte's library in Grosvenor street, when Lord Norheys and his bride walked in, remains vividly pictured in my mind. Troyte sat bolt upright on the edge of a deep chair in which he had been lounging. At his elbow was a little table with the empty coffee cups and the liqueurs on it. Behind it sat Procopius Cable, staring at Norheys with an expression of angry amazement on his face. Half way between the door and the fireplace stood Norheys and his bride. I had never before seen Viola Temple off the stage, and her appearance surprised me. I expected her to be pretty, of course. I did not expect her to look gentle, shy and even timid. A girl who has faced huge audiences hundreds of times would not, one might suppose, be frightened of three old gentlemen sitting round a fire. But she was. Norheys' attitude was protective. He held one of her hands, and kept her close beside him.

The library in Troyte's house in Grosvenor street is a comfortable, and, I think, a beautiful room. There are a couple of good pictures, but for the most part the walls are covered with bookcases. Troyte has spent a great deal on books during his life, rare books, exquisite examples of printing and books which have fine bindings. I do not know that he, or indeed any one, ever reads books of that kind. It is generally easier, and pleasanter, to buy a modern edition of an old author if you want to read him at all. But there is no doubt that the presence in a room of good books, good from a bibliophile's point of view, creates an atmosphere which is very agreeable, especially after dinner.

A Persian carpet, one of the best I have ever seen, covers the floor of the library. Some good chairs, Chinese Chippendale, stand with their backs against the bookcases. But Troyte is too sensible a man to sacrifice comfort to artistic feeling. Round the fire he had deep leather-covered chairs of thoroughly satisfactory late Victorian design.

I, the fifth person present, and by far the least important, leaned back in my chair and giggled feebly.

"Unless it's Emily's curate who's gone to Lystria," I repeated, "I don't know who it can be."

Procopius Cable turned and glared at me with ferocity and contempt. I had been guilty of an ill-timed attempt at a joke in the middle of a very serious crisis. I stopped giggling abruptly and murmured an apology. After that, for a while, nobody spoke.

Troyte was the first to recover his self-possession. He rose from his chair and walked over to where Norheys and his bride were standing.

"My dear Viola," he said, "that stupid husband of yours has never introduced me to you, so I must introduçe myself as your uncle. Won't you come over to the fire and sit down?"

He took her by the hand and led her to his own chair. He set her in it and placed a footstool at her feet. The recognition had been a little long in coming, but there were excuses to be made for the delay. Nothing could have been more courteous than Troyte's manner when he got over the shock of her sudden appearance and made up his mind to accept the inevitable. The girl looked up at him with timid gratitude and blushed in the most charming manner.

"Good old Uncle Ned," said Norheys, "I knew you'd take it like a man. What I always said to Viola was this: Uncle Ned may be a member of parliament and a cabinet minister and all that, but he's still a gentleman."

Cable, his hands thrust deep into his trousers pockets, stood scowling.

"What's happened in Lystria?" he said.

"It seems to me," said Norheys, "that some other blighter has chipped in."

Cable strode over to Troyte's writing table, seized a pen and began to scribble at a terrific pace, faster than any one I've ever seen write, except on the stage. He talked while he wrote, another thing which reminded me of the theater.

"I shall wire to Berlin at once. Casimir is still in Berlin. I shall wire to King Wladislaws. I shall wire to the patriarch in Lystria."

"Seems a pity, doesn't it?" said Norheys, "to butt in like that. What I always say is: If a thing's done, then it is done, even if it happens to be the thing which a fellow would rather wasn't done."

Troyte passed his hand over his forehead anxiously.

"There'll be trouble in the Balkans," he said. "I don't see how this business can end without fresh trouble in the Balkans."

"The marriage has probably not taken place yet," said Cable. "We may be in time to stop it."

"Even if we do," said Troyte, "there'll be trouble.'

"I don't see why," said Norheys. "Of course I'm only an outsider and this is your job, Uncle Ned. But I don't see why. It seems to me things ought to settle down. These mountainy fellows in what-you-call the place—"

"Lystria," I prompted.

"The good old Lystrians," said Norheys, "wanted a king, and they've got one. That dusky queen of yours, Uncle Ned, wanted a husband and she's got one, or will very soon if we don't interfere. He may be a wrong 'un. Seems rather as if he is, but if she's satisfied I don't see that it matters to us. The great thing is not to start interfering with other people's business. That never does any good."

Troyte, who was seriously troubled, murmured something about a war in the Balkans which it might be impossible to localize. Cable crossed the room from the writing table with three sheets of note paper in his hand.

"This," he said, holding out one of them, "is a telegram to Casimir. The other two are to the king and to the patriarch. Can you get them sent off at once, Lord Edmund?"

"I think so," said Troyte. "I can send them round to the Foreign office, and they'll get them off for me. But I doubt if there'll be any operators on duty at this hour in the postoffices abroad. I shall have to write some telegrams myself. I must communicate at once with our ambassador in Berlin, and with our ministers in Prague and Bukarest and—"

"Seems a pity, doesn't it?" said Norheys. "After all, Uncle Ned, that fellow, whoever he is, evidently wants a princess. And what I always say is: Why shouldn't he have her if he does?"

"The patriarch will probably have him shot out of hand when he gets my telegram," said Cable bitterly.

"I hope not," said Norheys. "He may be quite a decent fellow, not a wrong 'un at all. And it isn't every one who'd take on that princess of yours, Uncle Ned. Lots of men don't like it."

"I've told you all along," I said, "that the princess Calypso is as white as you are."

"Still, there's always a risk," said Norheys. "A throw-back, don't you know. What scientific Johnnies call atavism. You never can tell when a perfectly coal-black baby might turn up. Horrid things, black babies. What I always say is that if a fellow is prepared to take the risk, why not let him? No particular business of ours, is it, if the babies turn out to be black, or even brown?"

Troyte was attending to Viola, taking her coat from her, offering her cushions, trying to induce her to drink champagne. Cable grew impatient.

"Perhaps," he said, "you will phone these telegrams through to the Foreign office, or would you rather I sent a messenger with them?"

Troyte got up and went to the telephone. Norheys talked on, addressing no one in particular.

"What I can't see," he said, "is why we should butt in. So far as I can make out, I'm the only one of us with a shadow of a grievance, and I don't want to trot it out. I can't well take an action for breach of promise against an Indian queen. I'd look such an ass, wouldn't I, Uncle Bill?"

He turned to me because Troyte was at the telephone and Cable had turned his back on us.

"I know you'll say she's not an Indian," said Norheys, "but Persians seem to me just as bad."

"She's not Persian, either," I said

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Celibates by Choice

I think that it is true there are men and women who wisely realize that having reached the approach of middle age, it is better to remain unmarried rather than marry from any but the most serious reasons.

Marriages made in middle age may be extremely happy. But there are women, as there are men, who have through experience, through adversity through the need of self-dependence attained so great a degree of individuality that they feel that in marriage, with its enormous need of adaptability they would become lost.

We ought not to dismiss such people as necessarily selfish and self-centered. Probably they know that their capacity for friendship, their ability to be of real service to many widely differing types of human nature, their wider leisure, makes it possible for them to express themselves more generously as unmarried people.—Exchange.

Queer "Felicitation"

Ignorant of English, a Frenchman wished to telegraph his congratulations to an English friend on his marriage.

He wrestled wtih the dictionary until the happy couple were fairly on their honeymoon, and by that time he had evolved the following: "May you be very happy in the workhouse!"

His friend was about to demand an explanation, when it dawned upon him that what was meant was: "May you be happy in the union." [For the benefit of American readers it should be stated that all English workhouses (or institutions for the poor) are known as union workhouses.]

Old Wedding Customs Have Kindly Meaning

The throwing of rice as the happy couple who have just been married emerge from the church, or set out on their honeymoon journey, has almost given way to the throwing of the more harmless confetti.

The custom of throwing rice probably came from the East, where rice is the staple food and where plenty of rice means comfort and prosperity. Thus, to throw rice means: "May you never lack a good meal!" or, in other words, "May your married life be prosperous!"

The Romans used to scatter corn in a bride's path, and in Poland the neighbors throw handfuls of wheat, barley, oats, or even beans, at the bride's door. In Italy nuts take the place of cereals, and one can imagine that the Italian children have a happy time picking them up, just as German children, in country places, pick up the cakes and tiny buns flung from cottage windows at a passing bride.

Snow Reef in Mountains

One of the few snow reefs to be found in all the Rocky mountain range, is on "Snow Reef Top" in Glacier National park. This snow reef is there the year round and is much raved over by landscape painters and camera artists. In some parts of this reef, which forms a crescent near the mountain peak, the snow is drifted 100 feet high.

Helpful Habit

A Chicago newspaper writer went out to investigate Hollywood. She was greatly surprised when she discovered how many of the picture people were happily married, had children in the public schools, and were active in building up the community.

"I always thought," she confided, "that marriage was supposed to interfere with art, but this does not seem to be the case at all."

"It doesn't interefere at all," replied a Los Angeles writer, "if you marry often enough."—Los Angeles Times.

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Those Jolly Deer

The fresh-air children in Center Hall were entertained at a dinner and supper on Thursday at Sunset clubhouse. Most of them saw from one to four deer, and it appears the little animals came out especially on dress parade for the benefit of the new invaders of their fields of sport, for they blinked their eyes until the children clapped their hands and waved an adieu with their bushy tails.—Center Hall Reporter.

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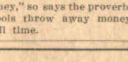

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Arthur Ellsworth of Detroit general agent of the Hartford Fire Insurance Co. was in North Adams last week on business connected with insurance.

Chester Alpaugh is moving into the LeGrand Rickerd house on West Main street. The house vacated will be occupied by Mr. Davis and family.

—Windstorm Insurance. Look out for your windstorm protection I am agent for the State Mutual Insurance—James I. Post 2tf

—Hereafter all bond paper purchased at this office will cost 20c a pound any size which will amount to $1.00 for 500 sheets 8½ x 11, inches $2.00 for 1000. We have been called upon to supply considerable of this lately and find we must have the above price in order to make it an object.

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Jerome

May Anson was in Addison Tuesday.

T. J. Lane was in North Adams Monday.

Murl Morehead and wife spent the week end in Detroit.

Mrs. Mary Kane spent last week with J. Burke and wife at Manitou Beach.

Clifford Baker and son, Herold, of Wayne have been visiting friends and relatives here.

The school faculty attended the State teacher's meeting at Jackson Thursday and Friday.

Robert Frantz and family spent from Friday until Monday with relatives in Ottawa, Ohio.

Dorothy Ward who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Addison Hospital last week is reported as improving.

Leon Walworth and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Walworth's mother Mrs. Clark Baker in Jonesville Wednesday.

Mrs. Della Lowery, R. Moreland and wife, Lena Sawdey, Chas Ramsdell and Harley Lane have been recent visitors at the H. A. Voorhees home in Hanover.

Margaret Tower left Friday for the Fort Wayne Business College where she expects to remain several months, while Blenn Tower expects to study nursing in Hilisdale soon.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Robert S. Carr of Toledo and Katherine A. Carpenter of Jackson formerly of this place to occur October 31. Mr. and Mrs. Carr expect to make their home in Florida.

C. W. McGregor is driving a new Ford on his mail route and in his delivery of chewing gum. Ordinarily one would not think there was much profit in the chewing gum business but Wrigley has piled up several millions and Mr. McGregor is paving the way to success by distributing samples to prospective customers.

Central Moscow

George Richards has a new auto.

Fred Carpenter was in Hillsdale last week on Jury.

L. L. Sloan was a caller at Gene Bakers of Jerome Monday.

William Carpenter is in Battle Creek for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Parks is visiting in Jackson and Mason for an indefinite time.

Earl Sturdevant and wife of Comstock Park are calling on old neighbors.

Mrs. George Brayton visited her sister Mrs. Bascom one day last week.

Len Dewey, Jake Flowers and John Adams were in Jonesville Monday.

Mrs. Len Dewey's brother and wife, Jake Flowers of Waldron visited her Monday.

Max VanCamp is visiting his grandparents John Adams and wife for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Lee Parks and baby have returned home after spending a week with her parents Than Linsday and wife of Jerome.

—Ladies' Rest Room at I. N. Starr's Shoe Shop. 21t3

Jonesville

Mrs. Milo N. Wood is visiting in Howe, Ind.

Wm Mitchell of Stanwood Mich was in Jonesville over the week end.

Clarence Brooks and family of Jerome were visitors in Jonesville Sunday.

Richard Varnum Jr. spent the week end with Mrs. Emma Evans in Hillsdale.

C. G. Bayles who has been in Alpena for some time returned to his home here this week.

Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Fred Mare returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Attello of Paw Paw Mich. were guests at the Dr. M. N. Wood home last week.

The Helen Childs Missionary Society met with Mrs. D. L. Powers Wednesday of this week for a literary meeting.

Mrs. Clyde Zettell and son Dick of Gladwin are visiting her mother Mrs. Alice Shipman and other relatives here.

Robert Curtiss of Litchfield and Edgar Wisner of Jonesville attended the Michigan football game at Urbana Ill. last Saturday.

Jay VanHorn has severed his connection with the George B. Clark store to take charge of the new Standard Oil filling station.

The death of James Benedict occurred at University Hospital Sunday afternoon. Mr. Benedict had been in poor health for sometime and in the Hospital about three months.

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Mrs. Eddeva Davis of Ann Arbor and James Putman of Port Arthur Canada, were visitors at the R. S. Varnum home the first of the week.

Mrs. George Fast, Mrs. H. S. Platte and Mildred Carr were in Grand Rapids last week as delegates from the Rebecca Lodge, to the Grand Lodge convention.

Mrs. Ralph Powers entertained a company of ladies last Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Earnest Howard of Chicago who is at the home of her mother Mrs. C. V. Burnett. The evening was spent playing Bridge after which a dainty luncheon was served.

Local News

Mrs. Bernice VanVleet of Reading spent part of last week as the guest of Mrs. Bert Othoudt and attended the W. C. T. U. Convention here.

William Broadwell, wife and daughter Mildred of Bangor Michigan were guests of Darwin Carney and wife and Thomas Welch and wife of Milnes last week,

The S. P. I. class met last Friday at the home of Maud Anderson with fifteen present. After a bounteous potluck dinner and business meeting, some benefit work was done. The next place of meeting to be decided later.

Dr. F. E. Caswell has erected a poultry building on his premises 20 x 30 feet which is modern and well eqipped as known to the business at present time. He will use this building for experimental work and demonstrating different breeds of poultry.

C. H. Manzer and family are visiting in this vicinity. Mr. Manzer recently sold the Riverdale Promoter of which he has been the editor and is looking for another location. They may spend the winter in Florida.

The first heavy snowfall of the season appeared on Monday and most of the farmers in this section are very inadequately prepared to meet the winter, as large corn crops are yet in the shock and potatoes in the ground undug. Some optimistic ones are predicting a stretch of fine weather just ahead.

Claude VanWert and Perry Holkins attended a meeting of the postal association at Kalamazoo on Saturday evening last and they report a wonderful good time. They listened to some splendid speakers such as John Ketcham and others. The meeting closed with a banquet. Messrs Holkins and VanWert arrived home Sunday morning.

A journal in Marblehead, Massachusetts is opposed to the much talked-of income tax provision which it calls a "snooper's law" The average American does not like to have folks snoopidg around to find out what they can about his private affairs. This species of a law is a misnomer and a nuisance and will drive millions of hard American capital into hiding.

Hillsdale now has a lawyer named Prettie. Most of the lawyers in Hillsdale are pretty (stiff) anyhow. That is they are perfect Adonis' when it comes to expense. Most of the lawyers are handsome men but they never solicit business on that basis. We glean from the Hillsdale Daily that Mr. Prettie is a graduate of Ann Arbor,, so of course handsome is as handsome does and he has a beautiful Alma-mater, He is credited with a pretty record for raising money which will be a handsome revelation to Hillsdale. We have pretty optimistic hopes that Mr. Prettie will find a pretty good clientelle in his beautiful new location, which is stuck full as a pin-cushion of handsome College co-eds and "Willie" boys. This we mention casually—not as a matter of gossip. We note this item is pretty rotten and we are pretty glad to shut up and quit.

Death of Adam Sindecuse

Adam Sindecuse, an old resident of this township, passed away at his home on Saturday evening Oct. 17th after having been slightly ailing for several years but ill only a short time.

He was a highly respected gentleman, a good citizen and for many years strawberry culturist. He was born in the Empire state near Bennington Sept. 15, 1850 and resided here 49 years. He leaves three children, James of Fort Wayne, Frank at home and Mrs. Jennie Daniels of the vicinity and 8 grandchildren. Funeral services were held Tuesday Oct 20, and burial in the Kirby cemetery. He was a kind father and his going will swell the numbers in the realms where trouble cometh not and every prospect pleases. We had an acquaintance with Mr. Sindecuse and in fact we admired his frankness. "[illegible] the midst of life we are but on the edge of death."

We are still giving the Advocate and McCall's Magazine both on year for the small sum of $2.25 and this is the most combination for the money on record. All the home news and a top-notch monthly containing all latest fashions, from Paris, the best works of Harolld Bell Wright, best illustrations, best all through.

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Dr. Miles Heart Treatment $1 size	75c
Dr. King's New Discovery 60c size	45c
Dr. King's New Discovery, $1.20 size	85c
Cuticura Resolvent $1.20 size	90c
Swamp Root 60c Size	45c
Swamp Root $1.15 size	80c
Syrup Pepsin 60c size	45c
Syrup Pepsin $1.20 size	85c
S. S. S. Vegetable Compound $1.10 size	85c
Sloan's Liniment 35c Size	25c
25c Cascarets	18c
25c Figson Wafers	18c
25c Henrich's Pills	18c
25c Miles Liver Pills	18c
25c Nyal Liver Pills	18c
25c Carter's Liver Pills	18c
25c DeWitt's Liver Pills	18c
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Raspberry Preserves Large jar	18c
Strawberry Preserves Large Jar	18c
Vinegar, fagcy Jug	10c
Hershey's Cocoa	15c
Chef Jelly Powder pke.	7c
Jellycon Powder, pkge.	7c
Jello, all flavors, pkge	10c
Macaroni, pkge	7c
Spaghetti, pkge	7c
French's Spices, 10c size all kinds	7c
French's Pepper 8 ozs size	15c
Seedless Raisins per pkge	12c
Seeded Raisins per pkge	12c
Shinola	8c
15c Liquid Polishes	11c
Hooten's Vanilla Sweet Chocolate ½ pound	18c
U J I Green Japan Tea one half lb.	30c
Black Cross Tea one half lb.	30c

E. C. WILLIAMS

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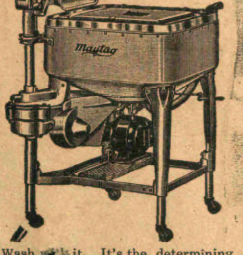

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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

—The big sale is on at Williams store. Prices cheap.

Mildred Rock of Jackson spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. W. E. Kilmer of Jackson spent Sunday with Josephine Jones.

Max Fitzgerald and wife of Adrian spent Sunday at the Harvey home.

Dr. Stoner and wife of Adrian spent Sunday with C, J. Knapp and wife.

Margray Young, a teacher in the schools of Hillsdale, was at home for Sunday.

John Williams and family spent Sunday at the home of Will Bell and family in Ypsilanti.

Will Owen and family of Detroit spent Sunday in this village with John Owen and family.

Horace Greening and wife of Hillsdale, spent Sunday with her parents, Wm. Barker and wife.

Wanted—Old buildings to wreck in or near North Adams Michigan. Elmer Allen, North Adams. 22t3

William T. Ward representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Co. of Chicago was in North Adams on Wednesday.

The Misses Cora Foote and Flaude Cleveland of Addison were Sunday dinner guests of Darwin Carney and wife.

The birthday club met at the home of Lizzie Holcomb last Friday. Pot luck dinner was served and a good time is reported.

Mrs. A. J. Calhoun and son Raymond are spending from Wednesday untill Monday with her sister Mrs. J. R. Wooton at Lansing.

A. J. Calhoun and family and Fred Mergenthaler and family of Litchfield spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ray Kerns and wife at Homer.

Among the young people home from College on Sunday were Margray Hayhoe, Frances Young, Ruth Williams, Theron Randolph Everett Westcott.

Weekly Cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Delcie Shufelt on west Main street next Tuesday evening Nov. 10th. Non denominational and all invited.

Mrs. Olive Crater who has been ill for the past ten days was taken to Hillsdale Hospital where she underwent an operation for mastoid abscess the first of the week. She is recovering.

Mrs. Geo. Ewing and daughters Elizabeth and Edna, Mrs. George Shippy and Joda Banks and wife of Jonesville were Sunday callers on Mrs. Etta Pray who recently broke her arm.

Wednesday was teachers' visiting day at our high school and consequently our school was closed for the day. The teachers visited Jonesville in the forenoon and Hillsdale schools in the afternoon.

Peter Benjamin, who removed to Pittsford some two years ago, has severed his connection with the store at that place and has removed to Hillsdale where his address is 211 E. South street. He is employed in Jackson.

John Williams and family, C. Crater, Everett Williams and wife Art Hoffman and wife, James Jones, Dr. McFarland and daughter Kathleen, attended the Navy football game at Ann Arbor on Saturday last.

Miss Atta Hitchcock of Ann Arbor who has been a student in nursing for the past three years, has graduated and recently spent a few days at the home of her parents here. She returned on Monday to Ann Arbor where she has a position in the University Hospital.

The clerk at Wertz' store recently fingered around a bunch of succulent bananas. He stuck in his thumb and pulled out (not a plum) but a healthy, full-grown specimen of scarabus-tarantula of the in hoc signo vinces type. Montie says such harmless insects are not to his liking.

Dates for four county dairy alfalfa campaigns, scheduled for this fall and announced previously, have been set by the extension staff at the M. S. C. Allegan will be "covered" by the intensive better farming drive from Oct. 29 to Nov. 6; Genesee from Nov. 2 to 13; Ionia Nov. 16 to 20; and St. Joseph Dec. 8 to 18.

The Bell Telephone Co. line gang were in North Adams with their big truck on Wednesday attending to some irregularities on the line just south of the village where the Consumers' Power Co. crosses their wires. The arrangement is reported as unsatisfactory to the Bell company, and will be changed.

Mrs. Edna Hewitt returned on Thursday from a few days' visit with her brother, George Cheever and family, at Detroit.

—"Christopher Columbus and The Discovery of America" a fine film at the Congregational church Sunday evening, Nov. 8th.

George McMullen of Jackson was in town on Wednesday on business connected with the Bell Telephone Co., by whom he is employed.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Clifford Allen on Wednesday, November 11th for an all day meeting.

Western State Normal is alive with plans for entertaining many of the 7,000 alumni scattered through Michigan at the annual homecoming day Saturday.

Regular meeting of Alpha Chapter No. 288, O. E. S. will be held on Tuesday evening, Nov. 10th. Initiation and supper at 6:30 sharp Bring sandwiches for family and one passing dish.

Arthur Hoffman left on Monday for Florida by way of Atlanta, Georgia. He drove the Cadillac eight which he has sold to a man in Atlanta. Mr. Hoffman will do some bidding on road work in Florida.

The Parent-Teacher's meeting which was to have been held Monday evening, November 9th, is postponed on account of the Lecture Course until Monday evening, Nov. 16th, one week later. Please take notice.

Mrs. Emma Young, who has been spending some time with her uncle, Orrin Wisner and family at Hillsdale, has returned to North Adams but expects to spend the winter with relatives at Brooklyn, Mich.

Rev. Hunt's Sunday school class entertained the Epworth League at a Hallowe'en masquerade party in the Congregational church parlors Friday evening October 30. Games, stunts and refreshments of sweet cider and doughnuts were pleasant features of the evening.

The next number on the High School Lecture Course occurs Monday Nov. 9 at Community Hall. The Gladue Concert Company of the Abbott Lyceum Bureau are reputed as high class entertainers. Their repertoire consists of vocal and instrumental selections and vaudeville work.

The W. C. T. U. meeting for Friday, Nov. 14, will be at Mrs. Haight's. Roll call, Scripture texts devotionals, Mrs. Mary Gray; convention report; paper "The Menace of Habit Forming Drugs" Mrs. Francelia Duguid; We need more members to help in the Prohibition crisis our country is facing. Come join and help.

Rev. M. W. Duffey of Albion, the new superintendent of Albion district, will preach at the Methodist church in North Adams next Sunday evening Nov. 8th, at seven o"clock. He will hold the First Quarterly Conference the following day, probably at 6:30 p. m. though this hour may be changed, in which case later notice will be given.

Forrest Marvin, son of Mrs. Wyman Stott, was suddenly stricken with paralysis Thursday of last week as he was driving with his mother east of this village. Mrs. Stott noticed that her son was unable to handle the steering wheel and promptly shut off the power herself. The young man was taken to a near-by house and Dr. McFarland was called. Later the doctor brought the patient home. The entire right side is perfectly helpless although the young man is able to converse. He is an ex-service man and was gassed while in the service. At present his condition remains about the same.

The address on "Outlawing War" given by Prof. Roberts of Hillsdale College at the Methodist church Sunday evening was deserving of much favorable comment which has been given it. As a student of History the speaker showed how the world has come to outlaw early forms of warfare, dwelling etc. and how just as disagreements between individuals are settled by courts so national and international troubles may be adjusted. He brought out the fact that in all wars no nation has been wholly in the wrong and none wholly in the right and showed by historical references that all our great wars arose from causes which might easily have been settled in other ways. The saloon, slavery and some other things are illegal because they have been lawed out but war yet is not illegal, therefore we must make it so. It is useless to try to compute the cost of the late war but it has been estimated that if the whole United States had been sunk in the ocean the world would not have lost as much as the expense of the World war. Let us talk against war, act against war, and vote to make this cause of the world illegal.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. REISER, PASTOR
Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL HUNT, Pastor

We have a real treat for the people of North Adams both in the morning and in the evening. At the morning hour of worship Prof. Trout from Hillsdale College will speak.

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—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewerly and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co,, Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

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For Sale—Two Merino Rams, one sheared 29 pounds. Orson Crapser Phone 6404 21t3

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—E. C. Williams has some dandy bargains this week. Come in.

Farmers Please Take Notice

The North Adams Co-ops have purchased a car-load of yellow cedar fence posts from 7 to 9 feet in length and 5 to 8 inches in diameter which will be sold at actual cost plus the carriage expenses to this point. Call up phone 1104 or see Everett Williams. 21t3

New Shoe Repair Shop

Bring your auto curtains in and get New lights or the old ones patched. I also have a cement you can patch your taps and they sure stay.

Notice—My shop will be open evenings as follows: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, or any other evening by request.

21tf A. J. Carpenter.

Obituary

Delia Almira Giddings, eldest child of Nathan and Frances Giddings was born September 13, 1872 and departed this life October 28, 1925 aged 53 years, 1 month and 15 days.

She was married to Bert Trumble of Wheatland December 6, 1893. To this union six children were born: Mrs. Glenn Mercer and Ralph Trumble of North Adams, Mrs. Frank Laverty and Mrs. Walter Reed of Jackson; and Ross and Eleanor at home. Besides the husband and children, to mourn their loss she leaves a mother Mrs. Quincy Farmer of Wheatland, a sister Mrs. Bertha Hudnutt of Jackson, six grandchildren, and numerous relatives and friends.

Whose love can equal
the love of a mother?
Whose the devotion
so loyal and true?
Who suffers so much
with such joy for another,
Who works with such pleasure
as mother for you!
You hail with delight
the friendship of others,
You revel in love
of the sweetheart you've won,
Yet where do you find
a friendship like Mother's,
Unbroken till death calls,
and life's work is done.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend thanks to the W. C. T. U. and the M. E. ladies aid of North Adams and all friends for the beautiful flowers sent, to Rev. Wylie for his words of comfort, and to the choir for the music during the burial of our loved one.

Bert Trumble
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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trumble and family
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reed
Ross Trumble
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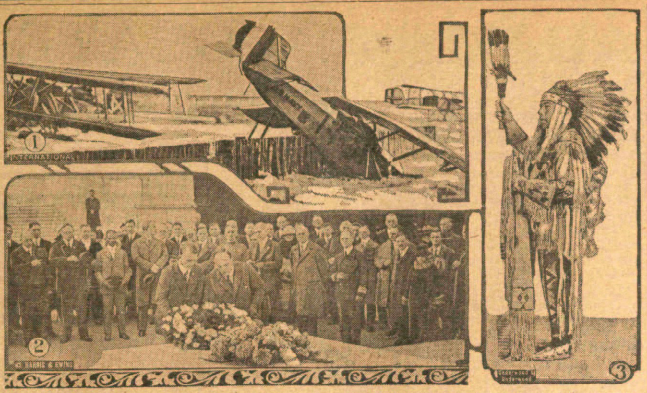

1—Some of the seventeen navy planes that were wrecked at Baltimore by storm which swept the Atlantic coast. 2—International Y. M. C. A. delegates placing wreath on tomb of Unknown Soldier in Arlington. 3—Ignace Garry, full-blooded Indian of the Coeur d'Alene tribe, at great Northwest Indian congress in Spokane, October 30.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

War Between Bulgaria and Greece Is Prevented by the League's Council.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

ONCE more the League of Nations has justified its existence. Functioning promptly and firmly, the league council last week compelled Greece and Bulgaria to refrain from warfare, to withdraw the forces that had invaded each other's territory and to leave to the league for settlement the frontier quarrel that had brought them to actual blows and threatened to start another serious Balkan war.

When the council met in Paris with M. Briand as president no time was lost in informing the two small powers that they must submit to its dictation, and a short time limit was set for obeyance. The Greeks were sulky and inclined to quibble, seeking to present their case at once to the council and to justify their attack on Petrich and other Bulgarian towns. But Briand and his colleagues silenced them and declared the council's ultimatum meant just what it said. There was the plain intimation that disobedience would be followed by a naval blockade of Greek ports. So the representatives from Athens were authorized by their government to promise full compliance with the orders. Bulgaria had given that pledge already. Investigators were sent at once by the council to the frontier to see that the promises were kept, and an inquiry was begun into the causes of the quarrel by a mixed commission under the auspices of the league.

THOUGH the French in Syria speedily suppressed the revolt in Damascus promoted by the Druses, as previously recounted, the circumstances of that suppression have brought forth angry protests from other Christian nations and have aroused the Moslem world almost to the point of starting a general racial and religious war. General Sarrail's troops relentlessly shelled the ancient city, destroying the Mohammedan sections and much of the Jewish section that lay between them. Between two and three thousand persons were killed, many of them being Christians and Jews, for according to the protests of the consulates no warning of the bombardment was given except to the French. One tank, it is said, traversed the Christian part of the famous Street Called Straight, killing and wounding many before the officer in charge found out that he was on the wrong thoroughfare. British and American claims against France will be heavy. In Paris there is strong pressure on the government to compel the recall of General Sarrail, who is high commissioner in Syria.

For the present Damascus itself is cowed, but the Druse rebellion is strengthened by the accession of swarms of Mohammedans who fled from the city and by the continual raids by Bedouin bandits. It assumes importance as a part of the great Pan-Islam movement that is giving the Christian powers serious anxiety.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL'S trial by court martial for his criticisms of the army and navy air services opened in Washington with all due ceremony, and the abandoned census bureau building in which the proceedings are being held was crowded with a fashionable throng that made the affair look like a society function. Congressman Reid of Illinois was Mitchell's civilian counsel, and at the outset he sprung a surprise by challenging three members of the court on the ground that they were unfitted by "prejudice, hostility, bias and animosity to the accused" fairly and justly to try the colonel. Brig. Gen. A. J. Bowley and Maj. Gen. F. W. Sladen first were removed from the bench, their brother officers sustaining the challenges. Then Mr. Reid demanded that Maj. Gen. C. P. Summerall, president of the court, should be withdrawn, asserting that he was prejudiced because Mitchell in 1923 in an official report had severely criticized his (Summerall's) handling of affairs in the Hawaiian department. General Summerall, flushed with anger, said:

"In view of the bitter personal hostility of Colonel Mitchell toward me which I here have learned of for the first time, I cannot consent to sit on this court."

The court sustained this challenge, as it had the others, and Maj. Gen. R. L. Howze succeeded to the presidency.

Mr. Reid then, contesting the court's jurisdiction and protesting that Mitchell should not be tried on the charges brought, disclosed that the defense would be based on the claim that the colonel in making his criticisms had committed no offense against army and navy discipline; that he incited no soldier to mutiny, slandered no individual and named no individuals in his charges, and that he had a perfect right to talk as he did. The lawyer then quoted this from President Coolidge's address to the cadets at Annapolis last June:

"The officers of the navy are given the fullest latitude in expressing their views before their fellow citizens, subject, of course, to the requirements of not betraying those confidential affairs which would be detrimental to the service. It seems to me perfectly proper for anyone, on any suitable occasion, to advocate the maintenance of a navy in keeping with the greatness and dignity of our country."

Reed's contention was not sustained and the trial continued.

LIEUT. JAMES H. DOOLITTLE, with a little black Curtiss racer, won new honors for the navy and the country in the air races at Baltimore. First he succeeded in keeping the Jacques Schneider seaplane trophy in the United States, making the 100 kilometers in the new speed record for the contest of 234.772 miles an hour. A British entry was second and one from Italy third. Doolittle's plane was the same one which, as a land plane, won the Pulitzer trophy when piloted by Lieutenant Bettis. Next day Lieutenant Doolittle took the air again in the same ship and drove it over a three kilometer course in the fastest time ever made by a seaplane—243.713 miles an hour—though the conditions were unfavorable.

JOSEPH CAILLAUX'S financial program for France was so bitterly opposed that the cabinet declined to accept it and he was urged to give up his portfolio as minister of finance. This he refused to do, whereupon Premier Painleve and the entire cabinet resigned. The main reason for rejection of Caillaux's program was his opposition to a capital levy. President Doumergue asked Painleve to form another ministry, which he did Thursday. He continues as premier and also takes the finance portfolio. Briand remains as minister of foreign affairs and Georges Bonnot is given a new portfolio, that of minister of budget. This new cabinet tends more to the left than the former ministry. The premier tried to induce M. Herriot, his predecessor, to form the cabinet or at least to take a place in it, but the Socialist leader declined.

CONSERVATIVES regained control of the government of Nicaragua last week when Gen. Emiliano Chamarro, former president, seized the fortress La Loma, commanding Managua, without opposition, being joined by the garrison. He and his associates in the coup then sent to President Solorzano a demand that he dismiss the liberal members of his cabinet and restore the liberal party to power. At first the liberals were disposed to resist and there was some street fighting, but Solorzano soon yielded in order to avoid further bloodshed. He himself was protected by constabulary commanded by Major Carter of the American marines. The conservatives claim they lost the presidential election in October, 1924, by fraud.

GOVERNORS of a number of states appeared before the house ways and means committee in behalf of the repeal of the federal estate tax. This, said a White House spokesman, was especially pleasing to the President, who believes that by withdrawing from the field of inheritance taxation, the federal government will help make it possible for the states to have their own sources of revenue. Mr. Coolidge thinks there has been too much centralization of authority in Washington and cites as an instance the matter of federal aid for road construction. He would not cut off this aid entirely, but have it limited as nearly as possible to the building of main highways. Several witnesses representing great interests sought the repeal of the capital stock tax. This was opposed by Undersecretary of the Treasury Winston. Indeed, repeal of nearly every tax in the present law is asked by someone, so it is plain that the committee cannot please all.

IT IS no surprise to find that all those predictions of huge grain exports from Russia due to immense crops had no foundation save the wild talk of Soviet officials, and instead of sending grain to other countries, Russia is practically sure to go hungry again this winter. The Soviet government committee to prevent famine is busy in Moscow and has decided to lend seed, grain and flour to eight districts which report crop failure.

The Moscow Economic Life—the official Soviet economics journal—reports the complete collapse of the selling organization of the Soviet government, formed last summer to buy grain from the peasants. In the Odessa, Ekaterinoslav and Nicholaiev districts, where seven organizations purchased grain before the war, Economic Life reports, today there are 170 government agencies competing on the local markets, forcing prices up. Today, according to the paper, the peasants are demanding prices only $2 a ton below the Chicago grain exchange.

In connection with the grain purchasing campaign, scores of "reliable communists" have been arrested, the paper continues, reporting that grain bribery is rampant and the government is losing huge sums through the poorly organized and inefficient grain purchasing department.

ITALY'S mission is now in Washington for the purpose of funding the Italian war debt to the United States, which amounts to $2,000,000,000. Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and the other members of the American debt commission have made a careful study of Italy's financial and economic condition to help in reaching a conclusion as to her capacity to pay.

Concerning the French debt, Chairman Borah of the senate foreign relations committee writes to the president of the Illinois Manufacturers' association saying that without specific authorization from the American people, congress has no right to "unload" the foreign war debts on the taxpayers of the United States. He says the money loaned to France was obtained from the American people under a very specific pledge that the loans would be "repaid with reasonable interest."

CHARLES P. TAFT II of Cincinnati, son of the former President and present chief justice of the United States, was elected permanent chairman of the International Young Men's Christian association convention in Washington. He is a lawyer and only twenty-eight years old, the youngest man ever chosen for the position. President Coolidge opened the convention with an address, and Herbert Hoover and other notables were among the speakers it heard. The secretary of commerce struck a rather doleful note in asserting that by-products of the war and results of our great prosperity are "a weakening of moral fibre, loosening of family and home ties, youthful criminality, the easy breaking of law by adults, the growing intolerance, a leaning upon the state without a corresponding willingness to bear its burdens, waste, and extravagance."

WHEN the International court of justice at The Hague took up the dispute between Great Britain and Turkey over Mosul, the Turkish government sent a telegram declining to present its case because it would not submit to arbitration of the matter by the League of Nations council if the court should so direct. The Turks insist the question is political and so not properly before the court. The case for Great Britain was presented by Attorney General Sir Douglas Hogg and other lawyers.

Crystal Gazer Sees Much Trouble Coming

Paris.—The year 1926 will be an eventful one, fraught with great world changes, if one can believe the annual forecast of Professor Raymond, widely known French crystal gazer.

Raymond has many followers in France, for it is claimed that he predicted the World war, America's entry into the war, the Lusitania disaster and the death of President Wilson.

Among the professor's predictions for 1926 are these: A terrible catastrophe to a transatlantic liner on the high seas bound for the United States.

The death of an American financier.

Greater American interest in European affairs, because of the personal sympathy of President Coolidge, and bankers in Southern and Eastern states.

Steadying of international exchange, France, the United States, Great Britain and Germany coming to an agreement which will stabilize the franc.

The professor's crystal also predicts that sugar, copper, platinum and steel will have a bull year.

England has a melancholy 12 months before her, says the professor, for revolution will break out in three of her dominions, and the armies will have to be mobilized to quell them. A great English author will be killed in a railroad accident.

The professor further foresees earthquakes in Italy and China, railroad accidents in France and the United States, a Bolshevik outbreak in the Balkans, and numberless dire events.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Owosso—With the remark, "I am so tired," George Baslett, 63 years old, dropped dead at the dinner table. Baslett had been ill for several days. Heart trouble was given as the cause.

Port Huron—The work of dredging a channel 25 feet deep from the Fort Gratiot lighthouse, at the mouth of St. Clair river, to a point a half mile north of the lightship of the Corsica Shoal is completed.

Grand Rapids—A rally of all engineers of the state at a spring meeting in Detroit is planned by the Michigan Engineering society, which held its annual meeting here. The society is considering a geographical survey of Michigan by the government, the state paying part of the expense.

Lansing—Two to five years in the Detroit house of correction was the sentence imposed upon Mrs. Gretchen Colt, former leader in Lansing club activities, and cashier of the Michigan Mortgage Investment company, after she had pleaded guilty to embezzling $25,000 from the investment concern.

Kalamazoo—International complications, including a direct appeal by British shipping interests to the American Department of State, and a controversy between Detroit and South Haven, have resulted from the arrival of the British freighter Errington Dunsford at South Haven with a cargo of English clay for the paper mills of the Kalamazoo valley.

Saginaw—The McClure company of Saginaw has orders for 600 sectional houses from the Miami, Fla., chamber of commerce. The houses are to be shipped, knocked down and will form the entire cargo of the steamship Raleigh, of the Saginaw, Bay City Steamship company. Negotiations are pending for 2,000 more houses to relieve conditions in the southern city.

Monroe—A delegation of residents of this city, and farmers living in Monroetown, south of here, called on the road commission recently and requested that Laplaisance road be improved to Otter Creek, a distance of five miles. The road runs along Bolles Harbor and Lake Erie and in the pioneer days was an Indian trail, used by the American forces in the war of 1812. The commission took the matter under advisement.

Lansing—Justice Joseph B. Moore, of the Michigan supreme court, has announced his intention to retire from the bench January 1, 1926, which will mark the completion of 30 years of service as a state supreme court judge. His term of office does not expire until January 1, 1930. Justice Moore will be 80 years old November 3 and will tender his resignation to Governor Alex J. Groesbeck about that time.

Cadillac—Fearing that many bushels of potatoes will be frosted because they cannot be dug on time, farmers in Wexford county have appealed to the business men to set a potato digging day to help with the work. With potatoes almost worth their weight in gold farmers feel that the prosperity of business depends to a large extent on the income from this year's potato crop, the most valuable since the war period.

Lansing—Scott Turner, recently appointed director of the Bureau of Mines, is the son of Mrs. Sophia W. Turner. After finishing a course in the Lansing high school he graduated from the engineering department of the University of Michigan and completed his training in the Michigan College of Mines at Houghton. As mining engineer he was connected with several big concerns. At one time he maintained an office in London.

Pontiac—That the Grand Trunk railroad will spend $1,400,000 in Pontiac next year in the replacement of its present round house and in the building of a machine shop on property it already owns in the western part of the city, was the announcement made here by C. Bowker, general manager of the central division of the Grand Trunk. Mr. Bowker said that increased facilities are needed here because of additions that have been made in automobile factories.

Port Huron—A decision of the Supreme Court gives C. R. Champion, president of the Algonac Savings bank, undisputed possession of one and one-half miles of river frontage on Dickinson's Island. The title of the property has been in question for a number of years. The late Sidney C. McLouth and others, of Marine City, opposed Mr. Champion's title. Judge Harvey Tappan in 1923 gave a decision in favor of Mr. Champion and the Supreme Court sustained the ruling. The property is valued at $100,000.

Ann Arbor—The cast for the twentieth annual Michigan Union opera, "Tambourine," has been announced by E. Mortimer Shuter, director. The cast numbers 10 men as follows: Russell Gohring, of Toledo; Daniel Warner, of Pontiac; Barre Hill, of Reading; Robert Henderson, of Ann Arbor; Stanley Lewy, and Gordon Ibbotsin, of Chicago; Otto Koch and Neal Nyland, of Grand Haven; Valentine Davies, of New York; Richard Lutes, of Duluth, and Walker Everett of Holland. Davies and Everett are the authors of the play.

Ludington—Fifteen thousand bushels of apples still are hanging on trees of members of the Mason County Fruit and Produce Exchange, according to Louis Hawley, manager. Of these, a large proportion will be lost from frost, it is said. The unharvested varieties include the best apples. One member of the association reports a loss of $2,000 in his orchard. The potato situation here is not alarming. While only 50 per cent of the potato crop in Mason County has been dug, the ground is not frozen and no damage has resulted.

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WALT MASON.

Clean Up and Paint Up

Cow Testing Association

Duncan Randall owns the high herd in butterfat production in Hillsdale No. 1. Cow Testing Association. His herd of eight grade Jerseys averaged 935 pounds milk and 42.05 pounds of butterfat.

The high cow in butterfat production is a grade Holstein owned by Henry VanDusen. She produced 59.5 pounds of butterfat and 1566 pounds of milk. The months high milk cow produced 1668 pounds. She is owned by Fred Lawrence of Hudson.

The average cow produced 536 pounds of milk and 21.7 pounds of butterfat.

Of the 273 cows on test, 70 were dry, 11 cows produced above 50 pounds of fat and 24 made 40-50 pounds of butterfat, 7 produced above 1250 pounds of milk, one cow produced 5c above feed cost in the month.

Seven separators were tested for efficiency and 5 tests were made of milk going to the condensary, All but 7 members have silos and all but 2 fed grain last month.

Another Cow Testing Association is being started in Hillsdale County. Six new members are needed to insure this Association for the County. Cow testing Associations are much less expensive than official testing and their value is being realized by the statistics which show that in August 1922 there were 18 in Michigan while in August 1925 there were 103 Associations in the state. In that period of time the number of cows tested increased from 3,690 to 25,268.

The high herd averages in Hillsdale No. 1. C. T. A. in butterfat production for October are owned by D. Randall, J. L. Beal, J. North Walkup Brothers, R. Snow, E. Hinkle, W. Case, M. Monroe, C. Ames, and L. Salisbury.

Three of the ten highest cows in butterfat production are owned by Jay North. Two are owned by J. L. Beal and the others by H. VanDusen, I. Maystead, R. Snow and B. Nachtrieb.

He Had Reasons

In a crowded bus a stout lady vainly endeavored to get her fare out of the pocket of her coat, which was tightly buttoned as a protection to pickpockets. After she had been trying without effect for some minutes, a gentleman on her right said:

"Please, allow me to pay your fare." The lady declined with some anger and renewed her attacks on the pocket. After some little time the gentleman again said:

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Since the company began their educational campaign for safety, they have been much gratified to find a decrease in the number of accidents on the road.

The "Safety Special" left Grand Central Terminal, New York, at 10:30 a. m., October 21, after brief but impressive ceremonies in the presence of a large number of officers and other prominent men.

Vice President Ira Place, General Safety Agent, Chas. Hill and Barron Collier gave addresses and Rev. Dr. Sockman, pastor of the Madison Avenue Methodist church invoked the Divine blessing on the work of the "Safety Special" The New York Police band furnished music for the occasion.

This train consists of a private car, a club car and a coach of the latest model which is used as a meeting place when the weather is sour. Deacon's Johnson's famous colored quartet accompanies the safety special to put "pep" into programs.

It will require three weeks for this train to cover the lines east of Buffalo. At each meeting the audience will pay homage to the dead employees who lost their lives on duty, by standing with bowed uncovered heads for a moment. This serves as a reminder to employees and the public of the importance of "safety first."

It is more than probable that a small number only of the patrons of the New York Central lines bere realize what it costs the company to put across such special work for the upbuilding of a morale among its help, and though the returns in dollars and cents are not visible, yet the officials feel that with all the enormous dividends which the road has piled up during a decade from the patronage of the people of these middle western states it would not be unseemly if the lines should expend a few thousands to protect the lives of its passengers and the property of shippers.

Detroit, which is reputed to be one of the most lusty young growing infants of the American states has doubled its population each ten years for several moons. It is claimed the population to-day is 1,242,044 souls and at the present rate of growth, by 1930 the next census will show more than two million in the metropolis of Michigan. The city of straits apparently has got the better of Chicago and some other cities in the country in rapidity of growth. The Pennsylvania and New York Central Railroad Systems, main links between the east and west, are awakening to the possibilities and are now planning a tremendous terminal on the river front somewhere near the site of the old 3rd Street Michigan Central depot. This will admit of ocean going steamers docking near the tracks and unloading cargoes from Europe right into the train sheds, as is being done in New York, Boston and Seattle. It is significant that an International steamship line has signed up for 1926 to start ten steamers running direct from Detroit to European ports. The day is almost here! We never expected to see it, but next summer Detroit is to become an Atlantic Ocean port with all the chances of becoming one of the world's maritime cities. All the glowing panorama in colors and divers' tongues of the Orient will be at our gates. Michigan history is due for a change; the geogrbphy of thirty years hence is going to say that Michigan is the great summer resort state of the Union and contains Detroit the largest port on the Great Lakes, a city that enjoys the largest maritime trade known with European ports. The other day a tramp steamer loaded with paper pulp docked at a Lake Michigan port; it came from Norway.

Off Seasons

Never in the history of this state has the climate at this particular time of year been so confounded peculiar as this fall. We note many funny things in regard to the weather. Instead of receiving a gradual tightening up of the temperature we have suddenly passed as it were from summer climate into freezing weather over night.

Ten years ago we used to notice along in September the grass and vegetation dried up and became totally dead. There was nary a live spear of grass or a leaf worthy of mention by the last of October but this season behold! The November month brings radically different conditions than it used to do. The grass is as green as it ordinarily should be in June, the maple foliage did not ripen as it should and turn golden yellow along by the middle of October but remained green as in summer up to the heavy freeze. Now as much as a month later than common the yellow leaves are sticking like a burr on the maples. It is true soft maples shed their clothing at the first days of October but they didn't act natural. In the gardens potatoes are lying in the ground because the precipitation of rainfall has interfered with drying them also apparently has refused to ripen them properly. Most of the tubers are green and watery. The plums and late small fruits this season refused to ripen properly and many trees of excellent plums simply stood inanimate until the fruit dried up and instead of developing a rich taste remained sour as vinegar and unfit for use. What is the matter with the season in Michigan? Nobody knows but the deduction is that some of the machinery of the planets has slipped a cog and thrown the seasons gears out of time. Second crops of raspberries (sour and flavorless) are reported all over the country. Dandelions and some other small flowers were yet being picked in out of-the-way places where the cold blast did not reach. The robins and other summer bird are still with us. Very few wild geese and crows or black birds have congregated in the woodlands for the southern pilgrimage this fall. In fact we have not seen a single flock of geese that we remember of. Where are all these flying creatures?

Champion Wrestler Tells What to Eat

Johnny Meyers.

Johnny Meyers, middleweight wrestling champion of the world, is strongly in favor of the use of scientifically prepared foods. He prefers to know that the food he is eating is pure and wholesome rather than to take a chance with any kind of food poisoning by eating food from an unknown source. In a recent interview on the eve of his match with Lou Talaber, from whom he won his crown, he said: "I expect to win the crown from Talaber. He is a fine wrestler and uses more science than any man of the mat today. However, I feel sure that my superior physical condition will prevail and that I will emerge victorious and the champion of my division. Diet is a very important part of my program in training for a match. The system that I use is really very simple, involving only good judgment and caution in the selection of food. I prefer to eat scientifically prepared foods whenever possible and I never eat anything to which is attached the slightest doubt of its purity. I eat a great deal of canned foods because I am sure that they are pure and will have no ill effects on my digestive system. Take just as an example of what food can do for the body—milk. It is the greatest of body builders and a very important part of any man's diet. But is sometimes impure or contaminated and may be the source of illness if used Because of this fact, I use evaporated milk entirely and find it very satisfactory. I know that it is pure and that I will not suffer from its use. I know that it is a great body builder because the concentration of it gives it such food value. I know that it is easily digested, more so than market milk, in fact, because I drink it before going to bed and feel no effects of it in the morning. This is usually hard to do with ordinary market milk. This plan, in substance, is the same one that I use regarding other foods. If there is any chance or suspicion of impurity or low food value, I use something else.

"And if a man is so situated that it is impossible for him to get the proper amount of exercise, he must be doubly cautious not to partake of any but the purest food. On the whole, if a man eats with wisdom and observes the fundamental rules for good health, there is no reason why he should ever have a sick or uncomfortable day."

Master of Grange Likes Electricity

Permanent good is sure to come of the present co-operative investigations of the use of electricity on the farm, according to L. T. Taber, master of the National Grange. Mr. Taber, in an interview just published, says:

"A generation ago it would have been supposed that electrical development and the use of electrical energy was of little concern to the farmer; that those in cities and towns were more vitally interested in this mighty and mysterious power than those who till the soil.

"The last decade has seen a transformation along the lines of the use of electricity in farm homes and farm work. The farm electrical plant has been most valuable. The farmer in many sections will be vitally concerned in the development of high tension power lines and proper transmission of electrical current for rural uses.

"It is probable that we are yet in infancy in the use of electricity. This is obviously true as applied to agriculture. Any organization that directs its attention toward a better understanding of the relation of electricity to rural life will perform an invaluable service."

Health and Home

ICED DRINKS IN THE SUMMER

On a warm and sultry summer day, there is nothing more refreshing to the mind and to the body than an iced drink. Of course, when such drinks are being used, moderation should be practiced, because if taken in excess or too rapidly, they are liable to be injurious to the stomach. However, when taken in a sensible manner, they are refreshing and beneficial to the fatigued. In the manufacture of these drinks, care should be taken to avoid any combination that may be indigestible or hard to assimilate. The drink should be consumed in a slow and leisurely manner.

The greatest danger present in the use of iced drinks is the one that involves the use of ingredients that are possibly impure or contaminated in any way. This is very liable to happen if the juices that are used are allowed to stand until they become soured and unfit for use, or if the milk or other ingredient used is not strictly fresh. The predisposition of milk to spoil quickly at summer temperatures makes it ofttimes necessary to use evaporated milk, which after all is just pure fresh milk with more than half the water taken away. It is sterile and, therefore, always safe. For use in iced drinks, it is ideal.

Following are several formulas used in the manufacture of iced beverages. If these formulas are followed religiously, the results will be found to be very satisfactory.

Chocolate Malted Milk.

1 cup evaporated milk	3 teaspoonfuls cocoa
1 cup water	2 teaspoonfuls malted milk

Mix cocoa with water until syrup is obtained. Put all ingredients in Mason jar and shake thoroughly and serve with chipped ice.

Milk Punch.

1 cup evaporated milk	2 tbsp. orange juice
Sugar to suit taste	½ cup water
	Small stick cinnamon
1 cup tea	
2 tbsp. lemon juice	½ cup fruit juice (currant or berry preferred)

Boil slowly the cinnamon, a lemon rind and orange rind in water for ten minutes. Strain and when cool add the other ingredients. Place in a Mason fruit jar and shake well. Serve in tall glasses with chopped ice.

Egg Nog.

1 egg	1½ tbsp. powdered sugar
Pinch salt	
½ cup cold evaporated milk	2 tbsp. fruit juice
	Nutmeg gratings
½ cup ice water	

Add salt to egg white and beat to a stiff froth. Add the sugar, the well beaten yolk of the egg and the fruit juice and nutmeg. Fill glass with milk and cold water. Sprinkle top with chopped nuts.

CALLS IT OBLIGATION

Young Says Electrical Industry Must Solve Rural Problem as Matter of Duty.

Farm electrification is not a business opening as much as it is a social obligation, in the opinion of Owen D. Young, a farm owner and with a farm boyhood behind him, now chairman of the board of directors of the General Electric Company. The obligation, in Mr. Young's opinion, rests with the electrical industry.

In an interview which Mr. Young has just granted to the New York Times, he says: "It is the electrical industry's job to make its contribution to adequacy and economy in farm production. Otherwise, the electrical industry will be found wanting. And it must accept a problem of this magnitude and character as presenting a duty rather than a new market.

"The question is, how can a business of this size and importance be developed in such a way that the electrical industry can sell its service for what the purchasers can afford to pay? Anybody can produce goods at such a price that no one can afford to buy them. Business demands that the price shall be within reach of the potential customer, and that there shall be a fair return to the producer.

A Job to Be Worked Out

"It is incumbent upon the manufacturing branch of the electrical industry to meet this problem. It must make and develop the necessary machinery. It can be done. The manufacturing branch supplied the textile field, it provided the machinery for the mine and the railroad, for the steel mill and the bakery.

"We can make farming attractive, comfortable and profitable. Electricity can lighten farm labors and increase farm profits. It will check the exodus of the better type of citizens from the farm. It will make the farmhouse the most delightful home we have in this country."

Mr. Young added that it was hardly to be expected that the isolated electric light and power company, having no inter-connection of power lines with any other utility company, could go out and serve the farmer at a distinct loss. But the opportunity came, he pointed out, when fifteen or twenty such isolated utilities were tied together into a single system with one large power plant, and a system of distribution lines, thereby accomplishing economies which each of the single isolated plants could not work out.

Electricity Their Steed

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1925

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Adam Sindecuse, deceased.

Jennie Daniels, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered: That the 21st day of November A.D, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
22t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Defaulthaving been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March. A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty four hundred dollars ($2,400.00)and of interest thereon, amountingto two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy ths amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.
Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

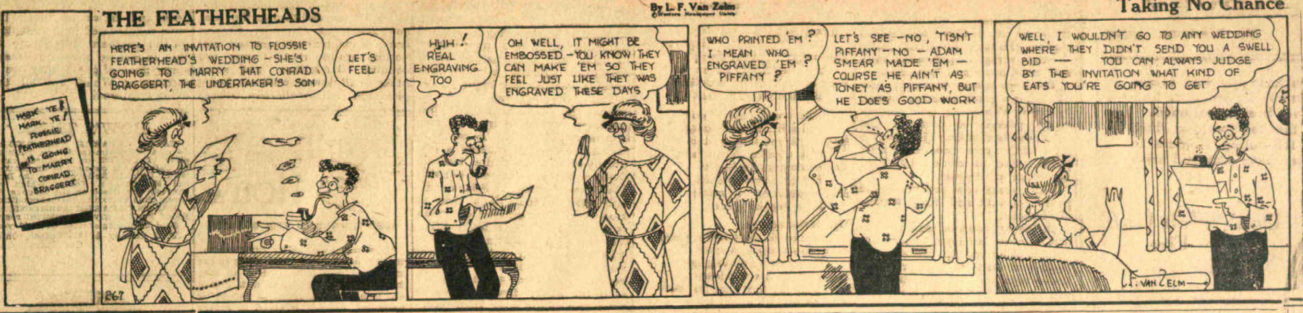
Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N, Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 169 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 26 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.
Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
B. D. Chandlor 11t14
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.


THE FEATHERHEADS
By L. F. Van Zelm
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HERE'S AN INVITATION TO FLOSSIE FEATHERHEAD'S WEDDING - SHE'S GOING TO MARRY THAT CONRAD BRAGGERT, THE UNDERTAKER'S SON
LET'S FEEL
267
HUH! REAL ENGRAVING TOO
OH WELL, IT MIGHT BE EMBOSSED - YOU KNOW THEY CAN MAKE 'EM SO THEY FEEL JUST LIKE THEY WAS ENGRAVED THESE DAYS
WHO PRINTED 'EM? I MEAN WHO ENGRAVED 'EM? PIFFANY?
LET'S SEE - NO, 'TISN'T PIFFANY - NO - ADAM SMEAR MADE 'EM - COURSE HE AIN'T AS TONEY AS PIFFANY, BUT HE DOES GOOD WORK
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BORN TAILORS GUILD

The Story of Wool

WHEN your tailor draws out a bolt of cloth for your consideration you feel the material between your fingers in a manner which you hope is convincing and stamps you as a real judge, but do you really know how to tell pure wool from the inferior and cotton-mixed goods?

Considering that no less than 640 different grades of wool are recognized by American dealers today, you need not feel chagrined, if you don't. These various grades are determined by the type of the sheep, whether bred chiefly for its fleece or for mutton, with the fleece as a by-product. The climate has a great deal to do with the quality of the fleece, a raw climate promoting especially heavy growth.

Fleece is sorted also according to the parts of the sheep from which it is clipped, the shoulders and sides giving the best quality. Then, there is pulled wool, made from fleece taken from the slaughtered animal, and shoddy, which is old cloth with all the chemicals and foreign matter removed and the wool fibers reweven. Virgin wool is that which has never been woven before; strictly speaking, the wool of the lamb the first time it is sheared, but the term is often used to denote wool.

From this it will be seen that a salesman may truthfully represent a piece of goods as being "all wool" without its being the best quality. Price is a fairly good gauge to the quality of wool. You cannot expect to buy the finest quality of wool without paying the price it commands.

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

The Day Dedicated To Peace

President Coolidge has, with general approval, called Armistice Day "the day dedicated to peace." In his Armistice Day letter last year addressed to the National Commander of the American Legion, while giving full justice to the noble dead, the President placed his emphasis, as Lincoln did in the great Gettysburg address, on the cause for which the sacrifice was made:

"The growth of sentiment for the outlawry of war from this earth has been an impressive fact of recent time. Men and women everywhere have been giving their best thought to bring this end into full realization. We shall make our greatest contribution to human welfare if we shall on this international anniversary of peace restored turn our thoughts and endeavors to the ideal of peace perpetuated, assured, and established as a universal benison."

To perpetuate, assure, and establish the ideal of peace is essentially a practical task to be achieved by proven and well-established methods; but we in our time are just beginning to realize that it is the ideal that is practical and that it is spiritual forces that are the mighty forces.

How does a New England village prevent war? For the settlement of its disputes it has a court and a town meeting. Both succeed because they are supported by an ever-active public opinion grounded in good will. One or two policemen express the public opinion in an emergency.

How does our nation prevent war between the states? Through a court and a representative meeting, both supported by public opinion grounded in good will and there are potential policemen for the enforcement of the national will upon a state, although it is inconceivable that ever again the states would resort to war.

How will the world prevent war? There is no guesswork in the answer. That which has worked in villages, states and in every nation under the sun will work between the nations. There must be a world court to settle the world's legal disputes. There must be a representative meeting of the world to settle the rest. Neither will work effectively until public opinion has been built adequate to support these institutions as the accepted method of settling disputes. Good will must be taught and forced to hate propaganda. Finally the nations will cling to a measure of armed force until they are sure that security has been achieved the other way.

The entry of the United States into the World Court with the Hughes-Coolidge reservations—and no others—has the endorsement of practically the entire peace sentiment of the nation. December 17 is the day when the Senate will begin consideration of this long delayed measure. It should be urged earnestly by all Christian men and women as the first step towards national security for all on a permanent foundation.

The President commends the recent rapid growth of sentiment for the outlawry of war. This has emphatically not come to itself. It has come through the preaching of the outlawry of war in season and out of season by men and women of vision and conviction. The time is ripe for the fulfilment of the ancient prophecies of Micah and Isaiah that "swords shall be beaten into ploughshares." The Christian Church must no longer undermine the work of its missionaries by betrayal of the ideals of the Prince of Peace. In every community Christian men and women must talk, talk, talk peace and the way to peace, talk with facts as hard as bullets, talk with the vision of prophets. This is a spiritual universe and machinery is a dead thing until the living force of public opinion flows through the machinery to give it life and power.

Good will must be the solid rock on which our machinery is established. We have been teaching hate in the schools of the world. The educators of forty nations met this summer at Edinburgh to consider how the schools may promote understanding and friendship in the place of hate. The churches in the war too frequently preached hate. That evil legacy still curses us. Neither a nation nor a world can stand upon so unstable a foundation.

When Jesus predicted that Jerusalem would fall and not one stone be left upon another in it, he did not see this written in the sky. He saw it written in the unrighteousness, oppression and hatred of the men about him.

He was like the architect who sees that too much sand is going into a building and not enough cement, and cries out that the building, however fair its exterior, cannot stand. So Jesus cried regarding the Jerusalem of his day: "It cannot stand! There is too much sand in it and not enough cement!"

What would he say today? Hatred between races! Hatred between nations! Hatred between classes! Hatred between religions! Hatred even within the same religious groups! On such a foundation nothing can stand. He would say, "There is too much sand here. There is not enough cement!"

Christians that are real Christians are cement. When it rocks they hold the structure together by their cohesive powers. We need in every church, in every community, in every nation, good cement. That there shall be more of such cement is our hope of salvation.—The Adult Bible Class Magazine.

The Phonograph And Its History

That wonderful little device present today in practically every home in the broad land came into being many years ago in the work shop of Thomas Edison at East Orange, New Jersey in a quiet way. Edison had already gained a wonderful notoriety with his fertile brain and was working upon loud speaking telephones when the first inkling of a phonograph occurred to him. He had been using a diaphragm for sound and he noted the vibrations produced by the sounds which is sufficient to cause considerable jarring. He had constructed a set of paper dolls and was edified to watch them dance on the diaphragm. After a while it came to him that if this diaphragm was set in motion by the sounds of the human voice there was no reason why it would not when set in motion again give up its voice in the same manner. He thought and thought and the more he thought the more he believed on the idea. So one day he drew a picture of the machine he wanted and handed it to his foreman with instructions to make one. It was simply a roller covered with tin foil and a needle attached to a very sensitive diaphragm. The workman asked Mr. Edison what he intended to do with such a strange contraption and Mr. Edison jokingly remarked he was going to manufacture a machine which would "talk." The inconsistency of such a statement tickled the employees of the plant immensely, and all day they laughed and ridiculed the remark.

After a time the roller was finished and brought to Mr. Edison. He turned the crank and spoke "Mary's Little Lamb" into the horn then he turned again and to his surprise "Mary's Lamb" came out again in his own words. The news leaked out at once and Edison took the device under his arm and went over to the office of the Scientific American where he gave an exhibition and everybody went crazy about it.

While Edison was exhibiting his new invention in a private residence he received a call from President Hayes to come with it to the White House and there in the presence of the President and Cabinet members the first crude phonograph was shown up. For ten years after this the scheme was apparently dead as Mr. Edison could think of no particular use for the toy. But erelong it occurred to him amusement might be gained and results have proved his guess correct, as at present they claim 10,000,000 phonographs are in use in the United States to say nothing of the foreign countries. Just how much Mr. Edison's royalties amount to on this invention it is not possible to estimate but no doubt a tidy sum.

Farm Women Plan Big State Program

A more complete and satisfactory life in thousands of Michigan rural homes is expected to result from plans made at a big meeting of state home demonstration leaders, held at the M. S. C. on Friday, October 30.

There were 500 women in conference at the meeting, representing the local leadership of many counties of the state. These women under the general direction of the home economics specialists on the college extension staff, are responsible for the homemakers extension work in the state.

Speakers of both state and national prominence addressed the assembled delegates, pointing out the importance of the "better homes" work being done and laying plans for future programs in the state. Miss Florence Ward, U. S. department of agriculture, Washington; Miss Fannie Buchanan, music specialist from Camden, N. J.; Mrs. Dora Stockman, member of the state board of agriculture; R. J. Baldwin, director of Michigan extension work; and Dean R. S. Shaw, of the agricultural division at the M. S. C., were leading speakers. Mrs. Louise H. Campbell, state leader of home demonstration work under the college extension division, presided.

Counties represented by especially large delegations were: Kent Livingston, Genesee, Monroe, Wayne, Oakland, Lenawee, Eaton Jackson, Allegan and Kalamazoo.

More complete coverage of the state with the educational work in homemaking of Michigan, is expected to follow the meeting. It was the first annual "rally day" for the home economics leaders.

Hens Break State Production Marks

Both pen and individual records for the International egg laying contests held each year at the M. S. C. were broken here this week at the conclusion of the 1924 25 competition.

A pen of white leghorns, entered by the Royal Hatchery, Zeeland, Michigan, finished first in the year's egg marathon, nosing out Rhode Island reds from the Huntington, Long Island, by 27 eggs. The Royal Hatchery entry totaled 2,412 eggs for the year, while the Long Island candidates stopped with a total of 2,385.

Other high pens included: St. Johns Poultry Farm, Oronogo, Mo. third; John P. Gasson, Versailles, Ohio, fourth; the Bangor, Michigan, high school, fifth; and Geo. B. Ferris, Grand Rapids, sixth.

One hundred pens of ten birds each were entered in the contest, which started on Nov. 1, 1924 and finished last week. The entries came from 17 different states and Canadian provinces, and included eight different breeds.

All individual records for Michigan were broken when a white leghorn entered by Seidel and Buhren of Toledo, Ohio finished the contest with 308 eggs for the year, a figure approaching the world's production record. Another white leghorn, from the pen of Geo. B. Ferris, of Grand Rapids, was second with 293 eggs. A Rhode Island red from the pen of John Parks, Coopersville, Michigan, and a leghorn from the Royal Hatchery pen were tied for third at 286.

The fourth international contest started at the college on Sunday, Nov. 1. It will run for one year.

The amount of wild game such as rabbits, pheasants, etc., gathered in since the law opened in Michigan, has not proved so large as was anticipated previously, on account of the antagonism of the farmers, but enough has been taken to justify the statement that ten years hence there won't be as much as one chipmunk roaming the woods.

THE BANKER-EDUCATOR PLAN TO PROMOTE BETTER AGRICULTURE

By D. H. OTIS,

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Whenever bankers desire to promote actively agricultural improvement in their communities, the state agricultural colleges stand ready to show them the way and to give expert assistance. The purpose of this article is to illustrate the way in which the colleges are getting in contact with the banks, and the kind of assistance they render.

As soon as the college has a list of the banks in the state desiring to adopt plans to aid agriculture as indicated by project blanks sent out to all the banks in the state, by the State Bankers Association Agricultural Committee, it gives practical suggestions to each banker on the list as to what he can do to stimulate, organize, and conduct the work in the particular project he has selected. Then either a department specialist from the college or the county agent gets in personal touch with the banker to assist him in an advisory capacity.

Samples of the project outlines are given below to illustrate the details of the procedure the college takes in accomplishing its plan.

College Provides Expert Advisers

In counties with no county agent a list of the banks desiring to carry on a project is sent to a specialist at the state college, according to the project listed. For instance, the banks desiring to carry on the farm accounts project are assigned to the farm management specialist, those desiring to carry on the legume project to the agronomy specialist, those interested in boys' and girls' club work to the junior extension specialist, and so forth.

In counties that do have a county agent a list of the banks and the projects in which each is interested is sent to him with a request that he get in touch with the bankers and help them in regard to the various projects.

The next step by the college is to write to each banker on the list sending him project outlines and informing him that the county agent or a specialist from the college will get in touch with him. If there is no agent in the county this letter reads as follows:

Union State Bank,
Bankville.

Gentlemen—You will find enclosed a brief outline of the farm accounts project in which you have indicated your interest to your State Agricultural Committee and to the Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers Association.

I am sure that the specialist from the agricultural college will be pleased to assist you in carrying out the suggestions indicated. We have asked him to get in touch with you.

Director, Agricultural Extension.

The letter to bankers in counties that do have a county agent informs them that he will get in touch with them.

Suggests Things the Banker Can Do

The project outlines sent to each banker give specific suggestions as to the things he can do to organize the work in his project, and the part he can take in carrying out the work. The more simple and concrete these suggestions are the more valuable they are to the banker. Following are samples of such project outlines:

Farm Accounts Project

1. Banker can select group of farmers who can and should undertake the work of farm accounts.
2. Arrange with county agent or specialist from agricultural college for first meeting of the group and select an account book.
3. Assist individuals at their request with information relative to entering accounts and other data properly.
4. Act as or select leader for the group.
5. Assist in checking inventories as a means of securing individual financial statement at close of the year.

Boys' and Girls' Club Work

1. The banker can arrange with the county agent or the specialist of the agricultural college for organizing a club.
2. Plan to present various types of club work at the next meeting and perfect the organization of a local club.
3. Banker may act as local leader of the club.
4. Cooperate with county agent or specialist in annual "Achievement Day."
5. Banker may offer prizes for club work or otherwise assist in financing same.

Legume Project

1. The banker can get information from county agent or specialist from the agricultural college on the value of alfalfa, soy bean, or sweet clover crops to farmers of the community.
2. Arrange for meeting of interested farmers with county agent or specialist.
3. At this meeting county agents, specialists, or others will discuss:
   (a) Value of crop.
   (b) Seed supply and varieties.
   (c) Methods of handling the crop.
   (d) Use and disposition of crop.
4. Plan with county agent or specialist meetings and demonstrations on plots or fields.
5. Secure exhibits for community or county fair.

Cow Testing Associations

1. The banker can arrange with county agent or specialist from agricultural college for meeting of interested group of farmers in the community for the purpose of organizing a cow testing association.
2. Banker may act as leader, and with county agent or specialist plan to visit prospective farmers who may join the association.
3. Organize for work and assist in securing testing equipment and other materials whenever necessary.
4. Call meetings periodically to discuss association business and hold picnics or tours.
5. Banker with county agent or specialist may arrange for C. T. A. booth at community or county fair giving testing demonstrations and explaining work of association.

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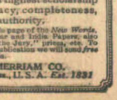

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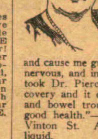
Form-Fitting

Dora—I'll bet the mosquitoes nearly ruined your fishing trip.

Dumbbell—Oh, no; when we got in that pup tent of ours, there wasn't any room for mosquitoes.—Life.



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"No, I haven't," retorted the girl, "and I don't want to just now."

"Well, you've been listening to it for some time," replied the man; "mine's a chocolate soda."

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CHAPTER XVIII—Continued

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"All Asia Minor is more or less Persian," said Norheys, "and, anyway, I don't want to take an action against her. I don't believe I could even if I wanted to, on account of having got married myself before she did. So that's that; and there's no use worrying."

Troyte was talking fast to someone in the foreign office.

"There'll be the devil of a fuss," said Norheys, "if Uncle Ned stirs up all those ambassadors and people. And they won't like it. Nobody would like it. I say, Uncle Ned!"

Troyte, working steadily through Cable's telegrams, waved an impatient hand at Norheys.

"It's all very fine," said Norheys to me. "Uncle Ned may say what he likes, but they won't like it. No ambassador would like being pulled out of his bed at this hour of the night and set on to chase a princess up and down the Himalaya mountains, as if she was a goat or a chamois or something of that kind. And what I always say is: If nobody wants a thing done, why do it? There are lots of unpleasant things every fellow has to do. Why chip in with unnecessary ones and make everyone uncomfortable?"

"Notify the legations at Sophia," said Troyte into the telephone, "and Prague and Bukarest, and Warsaw, and Budapest, and Belgrade—"

"Just listen to him," said Norheys. "Jolly glad I didn't go into the diplomatic service. They wanted me to. You remember that, Uncle Bill? But I was firm about that. 'Not my line at all,' I said. 'Hate complications and always did.' Now I see I was quite right. I simply couldn't stand being set on to persecute some poor girl who'd run off with the chauffeur. And I expect that's what's happened. Looks like it anyhow. What I always say is: If a girl wants to marry a chauffeur, let her, and be jolly thankful it's no worse."

Cable had edged over to the table at which Troyte was sitting at the telephone.

"Tell them," he said, "to engage places for us in the Warsaw express. We must go tomorrow."

"I suppose we must," said Troyte with a sigh.

"Of course we must," said Cable. "Heaven knows what muddle there'll be if we're not there. It's a complicated business and you and I are the only two people who understand the whole of it. Tell them to book two sleepers for us."

"I say," said Norheys. "I say, Uncle Ned, are you really going off to this what-you-call-'em place to see the princess?"

Troyte took no notice of this, so I answered for him.

"He must," I said. "As minister for Balkan affairs, it's his duty to have his hand on the helm when the ship is in the rapids."

Norheys turned to his wife, who had been sitting quietly and very comfortably where Troyte left her.

"I say, Vi, old thing, what about it?"

She understood him at once, though I confess that I did not.

"I should simply love it," she said, "and you promised that we should have a honeymoon."

"Righto," said Norheys. "I say, Uncle Ned, tell him to book four sleepers, will you. Vi and I are going to trot along with you."

Troyte very nearly dropped the receiver in his astonishment. I was a little startled myself. The very last place a man ought to take his wife for a honeymoon is into the middle of a Balkan war, and that, if I could trust Troyte's judgment, was just what there was going to be.

"You can't go with us," said Troyte.

"I'm d—d if you do," said Cable.

"You ought to be pleased to have us," said Norheys. "We'd cheer you up and all that when you're feeling a bit down and out."

"You've done mischief enough already," said Cable. "You sha'n't go near Lystria if I can stop you."

"I don't suppose you can stop us," said Norheys. "I say, Uncle Ned, do book those sleepers. I promised Vi that she should see the black princess, and she wants to, don't you, Vi?"

"I should like to see Lystria," she said.

"So there you are, Uncle Ned," said Norheys. "You can't go back on Vi when she comes rushing home all the way from Paris just to tell you that she'd married me. Very few girls would have done that."

"I protest strongly—" said Cable.

"That's no use," said Norheys. "If Uncle Ned won't book the sleepers for us we'll have to go without them. I've got my passport all right. You gave it to me yourself, Uncle Ned, and I'll manage to slip Viola through somehow. You generally can, you know, if you tip the right man. Besides, I might come in useful. You never know. That princess has run off with the chauffeur and the Lystrians may not want him for a king. It's a bit awkward for them. A fellow who's touching his hat to you one day and you have to take yours off to him the next day. Nobody likes to be let in for that sort of thing. Well, you know, if the worst comes to the worst and they still want a king, I'll be there."

Cable, who had been drumming impatiently with his fingers on the table, moved over suddenly and looked at Norheys. I do not know whether he actually thought that it might still be possible to make Norheys king of Lystria. If the thing were possible, it would certainly be a way out of a nasty situation. Even the Balkan war might be averted.

"I always said," said Norheys, "that I'd no objection to being a king, so long as I didn't have to marry that princess. Well, that part of the program is off now. But if the Lystrians don't care for the chauffeur, why not pop me and Viola on to a couple of thrones? Not that we want to hoof out the princess. We don't. Only just if she happens to have done herself in by skipping off with the chauffeur. And that's the sort of thing it takes a girl a long time to get over—specially if she happens to be a princess—why, in that case what I say is: Why not us?"

Cable is an adventurer with no sense of responsibility and little regard for convention. He may have seriously contemplated financing another revolution in Lystria and setting up Norheys as a king at the end of it. But Troyte is a serious statesman. He could not possibly have regarded Norheys' plan as worthy of consideration. Nevertheless, he agreed to take the young couple to Lystria. It was Viola who persuaded him.

She left her seat, went over to him in the prettiest possible manner, put one arm round his neck and set her cheek quite close to his. "Do take us," she said. "We want to go most awfully, and I ought to have a honeymoon, oughtn't I?"

Troyte picked up the telephone receiver again.

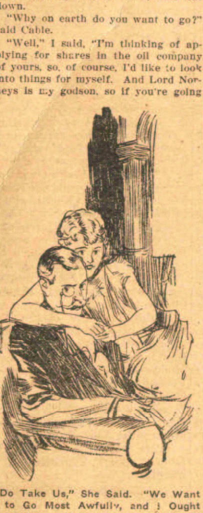
"Hullo!" he said. "Yes, Foreign office. Lord Edmund Troyte speaking again. Did I say two sleepers on the Warsaw express? Well, four will be wanted. Engage four."

"Say five," I said; "I'd rather like to go, too."

Troyte took no notice of me. He laid down the receiver, crossed the room holding Viola's hand, and sat down.

"Why on earth do you want to go?" said Cable.

"Well," I said, "I'm thinking of applying for shares in the oil company of yours, so, of course, I'd like to look into things for myself. And Lord Norheys is my godson, so if you're going to make him a king, I ought to be there to help to crown him. Godparents have duties as well as rights. And, besides, I want to find out who that princess has run away with. I believe myself that my sister Emily's curate has got her, and that Janet Church has gone along with them to be bridesmaid."



"Do Take Us," She Said. "We Want to Go Most Awfully, and I Ought to Have a Honeymoon, Oughtn't I?"

I picked up the telephone receiver, and asked for the Foreign office. Cable growled. Troyte lit a cigarette and poured himself out a glass of brandy. Norheys clapped me on the back.

"Good old Uncle Bill!" he said. "I always knew you were a sport. Tell us all about that curate, won't you?"

"That the Foreign office?" I shouted down the telephone. "Yes. I'm speaking for Lord Edmund Troyte. Please engage five sleepers in the Warsaw express tomorrow instead of four. If they haven't that number vacant tell them to put on another coach. Yes. A whole coach. Never mind about the expense. Mr. Cable will settle that whatever it is."

CHAPTER XIX

I did not enjoy the first part of the journey to Lystria, for I was left almost entirely alone. That is always disagreeable to me, for I am a man of sociable disposition with a very strongly formed habit of conversation. I could not blame Norheys and his wife for deserting us. They were on a honeymoon and it was natural enough that they should shut themselves up together in their own compartment. I did not see them, except at meals in the restaurant car. Troyte and Cable ignored me. Cable resented my being with the party at all and kept Troyte to himself in another compartment on pretense of talking business. They could not talk business in any useful way because they did not know what had happened in Lystria. All they could do was to speculate, and I might have been useful to them there. In fact, my guess about Emily's curate was the only good guess any of them made.

Casimir, Count Istvan, who lives somewhere in that neighborhood, got into the train at Charlottenberg station, just outside Berlin. King Wladislaws joined us at the Friedrichstrasse station farther on. There is not enough room for four people to be comfortable in a wagon-lit's compartment, so Cable, who does not care what he spends, engaged an ordinary first-class compartment farther down the train. There the four, Troyte, Cable, Casimir and the king, settled down. I was not invited to join the party.

Neither the king nor Casimir could cross the frontier into Megalia, but they were willing to go as far as Breslau and tell all they knew about what had happened. Unfortunately, they did not know very much.

Casimir explained that he had all along believed Tommy to be the Lord Norheys. He had regarded the "Reverend Thomas A. Norreys'" passport as a clever trick intended to deceive Von Steinveldt and the Germans while conveying to him the news that Lord Norheys had arrived in Berlin. That would have been an ingenious plan, much more ingenious than anything Troyte or Cable had thought of. It did make Casimir certain that Lord Norheys had arrived. It would, apparently, have deceived Von Steinveldt and his police if their suspicions had not been awakened by what happened in the Mascotte the night after Tommy's arrival. Von Steinveldt heard all about that from one of his spy waiters.

The king also believed that Tommy was Lord Norheys; but he understood the passport differently. His view was that Norheys pretended to be a curate in order to clear himself of the charge of being entangled with Miss Temple. Here he expressed the greatest desire to see Viola, and it was with the utmost difficulty that Troyte kept him from wandering along the train to look for Norheys' compartment. He said that he had particularly admired the way in which Lord Norheys had kept up his pretense even acting the part of a curate when there was no real need for it.

Then came the question of who Rev Thomas A. Norreys really was. The king did not know. Nor did Casimir. Casimir could tell exactly what was on the passport, and the king repeated all that Tommy had said about himself. But that got them no further. They had to send for me. Cable was unwilling to do so; but Troyte insisted. Cable remembered that I had said something about a curate.

When I heard the story told by the king and Casimir, I saw at once that my guess was very likely to be right.

"My sister Emily lost a curate early last week," I said. "He was last heard of at the Adlon hotel in Berlin where he stayed two nights and then disappeared. The dates—"

We discussed the dates and they fitted in with each other very well. I could not help looking at Cable with an expression of satisfaction. The man had been abominably rude to me since we left London and had snubbed me pitilessly. I did not actually say "I told you so." But I looked as if I thought it.

"Anyhow," said Cable, "no curate would dare to marry the princess."

Like many successful business men, Cable underestimates the courage and ability of the clergy. In all probability he never speaks to a clergyman at all and only sees one once in two years or so clad in a surplice, at some wedding or funeral which he's obliged to attend. A curate in a surplice looks innocent and mild, not at all the kind of a man who would seize a vacant European throne. The same curate on the golf links is a very different person. Besides, Tommy was an exceptional curate. I told them what Emily and Canon Pyke had said about him.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Facts About Compass

The angle between the true north and the magnetic north is called the "magnetic variation," and has to be allowed for in navigation. Thus, when the song say "True as the compass to the star," it is talking nonsense because, although the star is fixed, the compass is not. Nevertheless, its variations are well known, so that the compass remains the seaman's most valuable possession.

Wampum Accepted as Currency by Indians

The ruins of an early wampum mint with its ingenious machinery and many examples of its coinage have been unearthed in Bergen county, New Jersey, within a few miles of New York, Francis Collins writes in the New York Herald and Tribune. From the earliest days the white settlers manufactured Indian money, but in the New Jersey mint they introduced methods of high finance with surprising effects upon the native currency.

Labor-saving machinery was operated by water power for turning out wampum wholesale. It was freely accepted by the Indians throughout the country, who refused to use the counterfeit wampum, however cleverly imitated with glass or composition. One of the proprietors of the old wampum mint claimed that the first John Jacob Astor laid the foundation of his great fortune by buying this wampum and exchanging it with the Indians for furs.

Bird's Color Varies

Canaries were first brought to Europe in the early part of the Sixteenth century. In its wild state the canary is green, or greenish yellow tinged with brown. The wild birds have louder and clearer notes than the tame varieties.

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"Your wife says you can't keep anything from her."

"She is mistaken. I have a quarter inside the lining of my vest at this very moment."—Judge.

Success Rules

There are scores of starters to every finisher. Every person who gets ahead recognizes, consciously or unconsciously, four rules for success: First, he makes up his mind; second, he's happy and keen at his work; third, he studies and thinks; fourth, he finishes what he starts.—Grit.

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Bather—I know I can't. I'm drowning!

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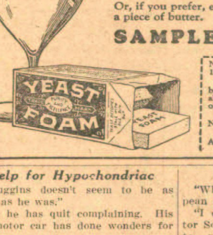

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For constipation try this: drop a cake of Yeast Foam in a glass of water; let stand for five minutes; stir with spoon; let settle and drink the milky water, including the white precipitate.

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Reciprocity

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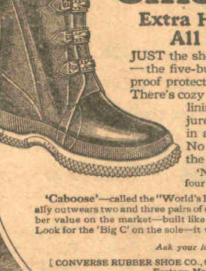
Best of all psychoanalysts is a man's conscience. It knows and he knows it knows.



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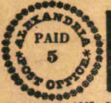
Search Your Attic For Old Stamps

Fortunes Have Been Found on Old Envelopes

Many old stamps, both U. S. and Confederate, are worth from $50 to $5,000. The hobby of stamp collecting is of far greater importance nowadays than in times past when it was generally considered as a pastime for schoolboys only. Today collectors eagerly seek out and pay huge prices for those stamps which are scarce to the point of being worth hundreds or even thousands of dollars. Last year in Paris at a stamp sale one stamp of British Guiana was sold for $32,500—this being the highest price ever paid for a single stamp. People who make a bonfire of "grandfather's letters" do not realize they may be burning rare stamps, which if sold might make them rich.

Make a thorough search through attics and storerooms for old letters mailed from 1845 to 1870. Keep the letters if you wish, but send the envelopes (or folded letters) to Mr. Harold C. Brooks, Box 321, Marshall, Michigan. Mr. Brooks, who is mayor of his city, is a private collector and is said to pay better prices than a dealer. During the past twelve years he has paid thousands of dollars for envelopes bearing old stamps. He specializes in United States and Confederate stamps, but also collects Canadian and other foreign issues, provided they are on the original envelopes and mailed not later than 1870. Loose stamps he does not buy except very old issues unused or mounted collections formed before 1880. Revenue stamps such as found on old photographs, mortgages, deeds, etc., are not wanted. Other things like old coins, Confederate money, old relics, may have value, but he is not interested in these.

Shown below are illustrations of a few rare stamps and the amounts Mr. Brooks agrees to pay to anyone who may find them. Beside these are many others of equal value.



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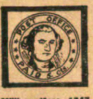
$5000.00



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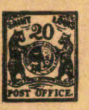
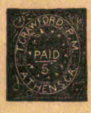


St. Louis, Mo., 1845
$1000.00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ATHENS GA.

Athens, Ga., 1861 (Red)
$400.00

Beside the rarities, Mr. Brooks buys many of the commoner stamps, so nothing should be thrown away even though many stamps appear to be exact duplicates. Stamps should not be cut off as any stamp on the original envelope is worth more, collectors being interested in the postmark as well as the stamp. Nothing should be written on the face of the envelope. When making up a bunch of envelopes, be sure they are well wrapped and protected with cardboard to prevent their becoming wrinkled in transit. If you have reason to believe your envelopes are of special value send them by registered or insured mail. The advertising manager of this paper has known Mr. Brooks for many years, and you may place fullest confidence in his integrity. On receipt of envelopes he will examine them and report promptly their value. If they are not purchased, he guarantees to return them in good order.

If you have no old letters written during or before the Civil War, show this notice to your friends—especially those whose families have lived in the same house for several generations. Many old families, old banks and law firms still have stored away hundreds of letters, waiting either to be burned or sold for large sums. Before destroying such envelopes or folded letters *investigate their value.* Mr. Brooks' address is as follows:

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J. M. Williams

CORRESPONDENCE

Town Line

Ross Trumble is drawing wood for the Viele school.

Mrs. Catherine Beecher is quite sick at this writing.

Gladys Westcott of Albion spent the week end at home.

Glad indeed to say Gurn Baker is recovering from his recent illness.

John Horton is still in Indiana where he went with a carload of apples.

Arthur Westcott is slowly failing. His stock has found ready sale. It was of a fine quality.

Eugene Culbert returned from Indiana Saturday where he had been marketing apples.

Frank Crego and wife of Ionia came Wednesday afternoon to see her sister Mrs. Beecher.

Mrs. Belle Jennings was called to Addison last week by the illness of her sister Mrs. W. A. Wilcox.

Somerset and Wheatland woman's improvement club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. F. Giddings.

A Hallowe'en party at the home of Ray Fast and wife last Friday evening was much enjoyed by the people.

Jonesville

Gladys Gillespie is spending the week in Lansing.

S. B. Hadley of Ann Arbor spent the week end here.

C. G. Bales and wife are visiting friends in Indiana.

Mrs. F. B. Fisk entertained the Wednesday 500 club this week.

Mrs. Minnie Skinner is living with her sister Mrs. William Harris for the winter.

Richard S. Varnum and wife are attending the State Sunday school convention in Detroit this week.

The November meeting of the Investigator club was held Tuesday Nov. 3 with Mrs. Catherin Tead.

The Annual chicken pie supper given by the Presbyterian Aid Society is being held this Friday evening.

E. H. Riggs and wife were in Ypsilanti last week to visit their daughters Mesdames Scrivens and Walcott.

Frank Howland and wife and George McKercher and wife left Monday morning for Florida to spend the winter.

Mabel Shearman and The Misses Esther and Neva Denning were at home from the Kalamazoo Normal over last week end.

Word came Saturday of the death of Mrs. Alice Ochsenrider at the home of her daughter in Muncie Ind. She was the mother of Mrs. Lewis Gray of this place and had spent eight years here with the daughter and son, Dewey Ochsenrider. Interment was at Bluffton Ind. the old family home.

The death of Miss Vera Reynolds a former Jonesville girl occurred at Bowling Green Ohio Saturday October 31, where she was a teacher in the public schools of that place. She is survived by her mother Mrs. T. J. Curtiss of Los Angeles, California. Two sisters Mrs. Arthur Cobb of Osseo and Mrs. Clinton Brown of this villiage.

Somerset Centre

A party was held in the I. O. O. F. Hall Saturday night.

William Shock and family called at the home of Horace Shock Sunday.

George Becker spent the week end in Alma where he visited with relatives.

Earl Rutan and family called at the home of Mrs. Cora VanAllen Sunday night.

George Becker and wife. Leon Mercer and wife were in Hillsdale on Thursday.

Mrs. Leon Mercer and daughter Elaine spent the week end with relatives in Jackson.

A Halloween party was held at the home of Mrs. John Weatherwax Friday evening.

C. J. Lent and family of Somerset Center have moved to Jackson where they formerly lived.

Word has been received of the birth of a son to be known as Ronald Robert to Cecil Hair and wife of Jackson. Mrs. Hair was formerly Kathleen Baker of this place.

Jerome

Hay baling is the work of the hour at present in this section.

Harry McClanahan and T. J. Lane were in Jackson Tuesday.

C. W. McGregor and family spent Sunday with relatives in Jackson.

George Morehouse and wife of Vandercook Lake were in town Sunday.

James Case of the Starr Commonwealth attended church services here Sunday.

The proceeds of the Jay Chandler auction Thursday amounted to about $4600.

Wayne Miller and wife entertained a company of young married people at a Halloween party Saturday evening.

A Hallowe'en party was given Saturday evening by May Anson to the pupils of the intermediate room of which she is teacher. About 20 were present.

Not many Halloween pranks were pulled off here Saturday evening. Probably due to the fact that Rev. Scott spent the evening at a meeting in company with a large number of boys while Jay Pullen was treating everybody with sweet cider in the meantime.

Leon Walworth and H. L. McGregor have purchased the buildings of the Walworth estate of W. W. Ostrom also the large stock of dry goods, groceries, hardware etc belonging to Chas Burnett. The buildings secured by Walworth and McGregor are composed of two stores, large warehouse, elevator and coal yards while the stock of goods is probably worth $10,000.

Local News

—See the big film at the Congregational church Sunday evening, Nov. 8th, at 7;00.

—E. C. Williams will conduct an auction at his store Saturday evening Nov. 7 Come in and bid

—Best of Leather used in Shoe repair work at my shoe shop. 21t1
I. N. Starr

Mrs. Glenn Mercer has returned to her home, after spending three weeks with her people during the sickness and death of her mother.

Mushrooms Are Deceitful Food

There have been no casualties from toadstool poisoning in this county recently that we know of, but the danger often lurks in this form of vegetable, since one species of mushroom closely resembles the common toadstool which is seen in all woodlots, and in fact any place where old decayed logs or stumps abound. The food value of the mushroom is quite as high as good wholesome meat, and although we have never been able to secure enough of the succulent vegetable fungus for a full meal, we are positive the taste and smell are both appetizing.

In Hillsdale recently a farmer displayed the biggest mushroom ever known in this county. It measured 51 inches one way and 41 inches the other, in circumference and it weighed 14 pounds and one ounce. The finder failed to relate where he found the mushroom—as he no doubt wanted the information for himself alone.

Death of Joseph Harwood

Joseph Harwood of Moscow, a veteran of the Civil War, and formerly a resident of this village, passed away at his home Tuesday morning at 8:45, after an illness of six months. He was 80 years of age and had resided in Moscow about 12 years.

Mr. Harwood is survived by the wife and son Adelbert, of Moscow. Deceased was born in Allen, Alleghany county, New York in 1844 and came to Michigan at the age of 19 years at the close of the Civil war. He resided on a farm in Moscow township for many years, afterward removing to North Adams, and later to his present home.

Funeral services will be held at the late home at 1:00 p. m. to-day (Friday) and interment will be in North Adams cemetery.

Mud Lake School Notes

We had a 100 per cent attendance last month and all received a half holiday on Friday.

If you fish you will certainly enjoy fishing in our pond on Wednesday night, Nov. 25th.

There will be a box social at the school house Wednesday evening, Nov. 25th. Everyone is cordially invited.

The 2nd and 3rd Grades have been making turkeys and fruit baskets for our November window decorations.

Our teeth cleaning contest closed on Monday morning. The following had cleaned their teeth every day during the month: Mildred and Merle Coryell, Loceal Shull, Clarabell Chase and Dorr Harwood.

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Poultry Culling Demonstration

O. J. Weisner, County Agricultural agent, will conduct a poultry culling demonstration at the farm home of Leon Mercer Monday afternoon November 9th at two o'clock. All who are interested are most cordially invited to be present.

Beagle Dog Field Trials

Field Trials of U. N. B. C. were held the week of October 26. Despite the inclemency of the weather the meeting was very successful.

There were nine entries in the Derby Class. The three taking 1st, 2nd and 3rd place were sired by "P R" Wolverine Radio (1457) owned by the Wolverine Beagle Kennels Wolverine Queen (96180) won 1st in the 13 inch all age class. She also won 1st in the Reserve stake. The two field champions went to Indiana viz "P R" Fosters King owned by Sam Duggan of West Terre Haute and "P R" Fly-A-Way Leader owned by John E. Foster of Clinton Indiana.

During the week of the Trials the Wolverine Kennels sold puppies to parties from West Sayville, Long Island, New York; one to Lansing Mich; one to Parma, Mich; one to Franklin Ohio and two to Clinton Indiana also one to Detroit Mich. Showing that the Wolverine Beagles are well and widely known and are in great demand.

There were entries from Ohio Indiana, Illinois, Pennsylvania and Michigan.

—Lights sewed in curtains.
21t3 I. N. Starr's Shoe Shop

Obituary

Wm H. Sabin was born August 11, 1853, and passed on to the Great Beyond October 31, 1925, being 72 years, 2 months and 20 days old. He was the third of five children born to Levi and Sophia Sabin and had lived practically his whole life on the farm where he died.

He was married to Miss Mattie Alexander December 14, 1881. Three children were born to them, two daughters and one son. Mrs. J. H. Gordon of Adams and Miss Grace Sabin and Levi F. Sabin, who have kept the home for their father since the passing of the wife and mother, five years ago. They together with one brother Fred Sabin of LaJunta Colorado are left to mourn the loss of the father and brother.

Funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon. Rev. H. D. Henry officiating and burial in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Just as the dawn was lighting up the Eastern Skies he answered "Present" to the final summons and Will Sabin was with us no more.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all who so kindly assisted us during the illness and burial of our father. We wish also to thank the friends, neighbors and societies for the beautiful flowers sent and Rev. Henry for his words of comfort.

Lee Sabin
Grace Sabin
Mae Gordon and Family

Crater and Edinger have purchased the old livery stable building of Alfred Haight occupied by Bill Wolff as a junk repository. Bill will transfer his main office and works to the village plant, which he leases of the village.

The Advocate will make a good Christmas present.

Frank J. Boyd and wife of Detroit arrived in North Adams on Saturday where they spent the day with Will VanAken and family They visited John Haskell and family on Sunday and returned on Monday. Mr. Boyd reports a very prosperous business in the publishing field.

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35c Rexall Shaviag Cream per jar	29c	25c Georgia Rose Talcum per can	19c
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Rubbing Alcohol 85c Size	60c	Dr. King's New Discovery, $1.20 size	85c	S. S. S. Vegetable Compound $1.10 size	85c	25c DeWitt's Liver Pills	18c
Pierce's Favorite Prescription $1,25	90c	Cuticura Resolvent $1.20 size	90c	Sloan's Liniment 35c Size	25c	25c Hood's Vegetable P	18c
Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery 1.25	90c	Swamp Root 60c Size	45c	25c Cascarets	18c	25c Lanes Family Tea	18c
Dr. Miles Nervine $1.00 size	75c	Swamp Root $1.15 size	80c	25c Figson Wafers	18c	25c Rocky Mountain Tea	18c
				25c Henrich's Pills	18c	25c Chamberlain's Tablets	18c
				25c Miles Liver Pills	18c	Bucklen's Arnica Salve 25c Size	18c
						White Cloverine Salve	18c

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Olives in Quart Jars	50c	Strawberry Preserves Large Jar	18c	Spaghetti, pkge	7c	Shinola	8c
Olives in Pint Jars	25c	Vinegar, fancy Jug	10c	French's Spices, 10c size all kinds	7c	15c Liquid Polishes	11c
Chef Catsup large size	18c	Cream of Wheat	20c	French's Pepper 8 ozs size	15c	Hooten's Vanilla Sweet Chocolate ½ pound	18c
Chef Catsup small size	11c	Chef Jelly Powder pke.	7c	Seedless Raisins per pkge	12c	U J I Green Japan Tea one half lb.	30c
Vanilla Extract 4 ozs.	18c	Jellycon Powder, pkge.	7c	Seeded Raisins per pkge	12c	Black Cross Tea one half lb.	30c
Lemon Extract 4 ozs.	18c	Jello, all flavors, pkge	10c				
Raspberry Preserves Large jar	18c	Macaroni, pkge	7c				

E. C. WILLIAMS

Auction Sale Saturday, November 7, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.
JAMES POST, Auctioneer

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Local News

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Miss Adah Wisner was home a ouple of days this week.

For Sale—Two year old Delaine Ram. Harley Fry. 24t2

Ruel VanWert of Sturgis, was a guest at home over Sunday.

George Bailey, of Jackson called on his brother-in-law, Fred Rumsey and family Wednesday.

—Many articles suitable for Christmas Gifts at the Corey Hat Shop, 25t1

Rev. H. E. Wylie and son, Edward, attended the Home Coming at Albion College Saturday,

Miss Inez Myers of Sturgis, has been a guest at the home of postmaster VanWert since last week.

Charles Knapp and wife were in Jackson on Friday to see his sister, Mrs. Kit Huff who is seriously ill

The Womans Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Lester Ford Monday, Nov. 16th. Roll call: A Thanksgiving bible verse.

Miss Percibelle Young of Jackson was a visitor at the home of her grand-parents, E S Knowles and wife, for the week end.

Miss Donna Lynch, a teacher in Detroit, and her brother, J. W. Lynch, who is attending college in Detroit, were home over Sunday.

Mrs O J Gleason of Waldron is spending a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs Hoffman while Arthur is in Florida on business.

Forrest Marvin who recently sustained a shock of paralysis, remains practically the same. He is being cared for by George Ruffner.

Friendship Chapter. order of DeMolay, of Jonesville, will attend services at the North Adams Methodist church in a body next Sunday evening, Nov. 15th.

Mrs. Olive Crater was brought back from Hillsdale hospital on Tuesday considerably improved in health. She is being cared for by Mrs. Arvin Fuller for the present.

William Wylie of Fremont, Michigan and Laurence Wylie of Albion College spent Saturday night and Sunday forenoon with their parents at the Methodist parsonage.

Rev. H. E. Wylie received a telephone message Tuesday evening informing him of the death of a sister at Lowell, Michigan. He and family drove to Lowell on Wednesday.

The Hoxie Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday, Novemker 19th for an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Roberts near Hoxie. Each member is requested to bring a guest.

Mrs. Edna Robins left last week for Midland to visit her daughter Mrs. Win Wells and family. Later she will go to South Bend, to spend the winter with her son Chas Hopkins, and family.

Rev. M. W. Duffey of Albion preached at the Methodist church on Sunday evening and held the quarterly codference Monday evening. He drove to Albion with the local pastor and attended the funeral of the late Samuel Dickie on Monday afternoon.

Report says that M-17 is to be completed by paving the last gap soon. More than $80,000,000 has been expended in road building in this state since 1910. Do we feel it? We do not. Go to it. Here's hoping every mile of main road in Michigan is paved inside of five years. Its a good investment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Helmick and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Helmick were called to Frontier last Saturday evening by the serious illness of Mrs. Wilbert Hinkle, who is a sister of the Helmicks. Mrs. Hinkle passed away at 11:30 that evening and on Tuesday the same people attended the funeral of Mrs. Hinkle at the Frontier Methodist church at 2:00 p. m. The deceased had been ill for some time with brain trouble.

What might have been a serious accident occurred on Wednesday afternoon in the east end of North Adams. Lawyer Charles Shepard of Hillsdale was driving east in a Chevrolet car at the village limits and turned around on the corner. A sedan coming at a rapid rate from the west, was directly behind, and in order to avoid a collision with the Shepard car, smashed into a telephone pole in front of George Walworth's residence. The sedan, which by the way, was a very large powerful car. was badly damaged and considerable fireworks followed. We did not learn the name of the owner of tne sedan.

Margery Young was home over Sunday from Hillsdale.

Remember the Parent-Teachers meeting at the school house Monday evening November 16th.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel are home from a visit with relatives and friends in East Chicago and Western Springs Illinois.

The November meeting of the S. P. I. class will be held Nov. 20 with Mrs. John Gordon. All members wishing a way to go phone Mrs. O. C. Holcomb. Potluck dinner

On Tuesday a gang of hunters from this vicinity started for the Northern Peninsula to hunt deer as follows: Floyd Daniels, John Williams, Frank Hancock, Clifford Hitchcock, John Crapser, and Ralph Taylor. They went by auto. Jay Knowles left for the same region later by train.

J. Q. Roode and wife of Berkley, Michigan were in North Adams on Saturday having drove a distance of 160 miles the day before. They visited Alfred Haight and wife here and william wells and wife at Pittsford. Mr. Roode is Superintendent of Schools at Berkley which by the way is practically a suburb of Detroit.

J. P. Speer who has resided here since two years ago left on Wednesday for Tampa Florida by the over land route. He drove the big Pierce Arrow bus and was accompanied by C. W. Bleech, two real estate men from Jackson, a man from Somerset and some others. The party included six or seven men and Jay expects to remain in Florida the winter through if he strikes a job which he thinks very likely.

The first High school debate will be held in North Adams Friday evening Nov. 20th at the Congregational church. The question; "Resolved that the Proposed Child Labor Amendment be adopted by the United States." The affirmative side North Adams High School. Negative, Morenci High School. North Adams will be represented by the following team, Lucile Vanwert, Jack Haskell and Lawrence Wilcox. Admission price of 15c and 25c will be charged to defray the expenses of visiting team and judges. Everyone come

On Monday we had the pleasure of viewing some of the best thoroughbred Poland Chinas on the farm of Matthew Havens that we have seen for some time. There were forty in the bunch and not much difference in size. Mr. Havens specializes in thoroughbred Polands and has a large type of stock hog with all the ear marks of the best. These forty will be sold at once and show what a farmer can do by hogging down corn. They have been instrumental in converting eight acres of corn into hog. The weight is estimated around 4,000 pounds which at the regular price of hogs will bring a tidy sum. Hillsdale county is fast becoming noted through the country for its pedigreed stock, especially hogs, sheep and cattle. Horses are a thing of the past and no one pretends to know anything about them here. But at both State Fair and International Stock Show at Chicago this country has shown up exceedingly well. As we understand it hogs will be exhibited from this county in Chicago the coming season Nov. 28th to Dec. 5th, 1925.

Prof. Trout of Hillsdale College gave a fine address at the Congregational church on Sunday morning last to a fair attendance. In the evening as per announcement a moving picture was given. Owing to some miscalculations on the part of the film company "Christopher Columbus" was not available and instead "To Him That Hath" was furnished. It appeared during the early hours of the evening that no electric light would be forthcoming, but at 7:30 the current began coming strong from Hudson and the picture was run off. We hear much praise concerning the film, which dealt with city life and the ups and downs of a Mission. Philip Morton in charge of this wonderful work of saving the wayward souls of the slummers of a great city proved rather a hypocrite to his trust as was shown by later history. He called in a friend of his and remarked that if anything should happen to him the responsibility was to be turned over to David who was familiar with the combination of the office safe. Philip Morton passed away and David in investigating his affairs finds he has been accepting hush money from the dive keeper of the district. David is shocked and to cover the shortcomings of his friend crucifies his own character with the officials of the Mission. He serves a term in the penitentiary for theft and is cast out into the cold unfeeling world jobless and hungry. He roams the streets in search of work but finds it not. He sinks to the lowest depths, but is rescued by his former fellow mission worker. He writes a book on the social life of the city and its needs, and becomes a successful author.

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. Reiser, Pastor
Sunday morning service 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45
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Sunday evening service 7:00
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

Rev. Virgil Hunt, Pastor

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Death of Arthur Westcott

Arthur Westcott who has been ill for some time, passed away at his home on Town Line Thursday at the age of 60 years. He is survived by the wife, two brothers, Randell of the vicinity, Fred of Hanover, two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Young of this village and Mrs. Earl Rush of Pittsford, besides a number of nephews and nieces.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home Saturday at 1:00 p. m. Rev. Wylie officiating, and interment will be in Pease cemetery.

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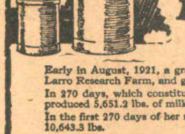

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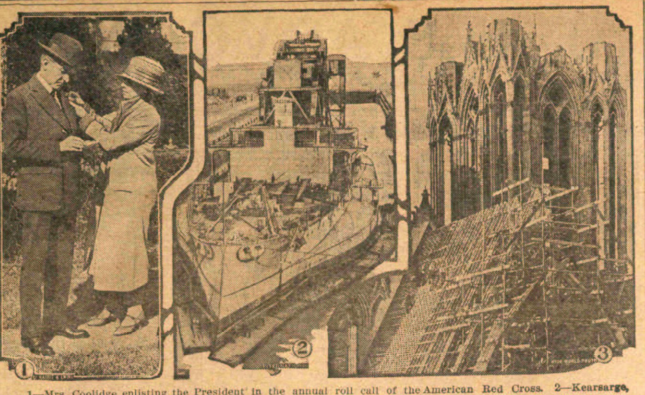

1—Mrs. Coolidge enlisting the President in the annual roll call of the American Red Cross. 2—Kearsarge, giant crane ship of the navy, in South Boston drydock for repairs. 3—Workmen putting new roof on the war-shattered Cathedral of Reims which is being restored by the Rockefeller fund of $1,000,000.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Walker's Election as Mayor of New York Is Big Triumph for Gov. Al Smith.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

NATIONAL interest in last week's elections centered mainly on New York city where "Jimmy" Walker, the Tammany-Smith candidate for mayor, was pitted against Frank D. Waterman, millionaire Republican nominee. Little doubt of Walker's victory had existed, but the size of the plurality—more than 401,000—caused something of a sensation. Actually it was a spectacular triumph for Gov. Al Smith and fixes him in his place as the foremost figure in the Democratic party. He says he will retire from politics at the end of his term, but if he wishes it he is assured of the support of the Eastern "wet" delegations for the Presidential nomination in the next Democratic national convention. That of course doesn't mean that he could be nominated, for the Southern and Western Democrats are still dry in the main.

In addition to putting over his gubernatorial candidate, Smith won a big victory in the state, for the four amendments to the state constitution which he warmly supported all carried, despite the fight on three of them made by the Republicans under the direction of Senator Wadsworth, Representative Ogden Mills and State Chairman Morris. These leaders of the G. O. P. in the state suffered considerable loss of prestige, for they are accused of bungling the fight on the amendments. The only one the Republicans supported provides for a reform of the judiciary.

Democrats scored another victory in New Jersey, where the issue was clearly prohibition and their candidate for governor, A. Harry Moore, wet, defeated Arthur Whitney, dry, Republican and indorsed by the Anti-Saloon league, by a plurality of about 40,000. Immediately after learning of his election Mr. Moore announced that as soon as he was inaugurated he would begin a movement to have congress modify the Volstead law so as to permit the manufacture and sale of beers and light wines.

Municipal elections in Indiana resulted in victories for the Republicans in Indianapolis, Terre Haute, Evansville, Fort Wayne, Lafayette, Peru, Elkhart, Crawfordsville, and several other cities; with the exception of Indianapolis, all these had been governed by the Democrats for four years. Among the Hoosier cities won by the Democrats were South Bend, Marion and Richmond.

In a nominally non-partisan election Boston, which has been controlled by the Democrats for sixteen years, was captured by the Republicans, who elected Malcolm E. Nichols mayor.

The Ku Klux Klan figured prominently in two elections, and broke even. It supported J. R. Duvall, who was elected mayor of Indianapolis; but Charles Bowles, its candidate for mayor of Detroit, was decisively beaten by John W. Smith, the present executive.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL'S court martial now promises to be a long drawn out affair. On Monday of last week the prosecution completed its presentation of proof that the colonel had said the things he is accused of saying, and the defense, in cross questioning the witnesses, was in the main satisfied to elicit admissions from army officers that Mitchell's statements had not caused insubordination or lack of discipline so far as they knew. Then the prosecution rested its case, and next day the defense asked and obtained adjournment to the following Monday in order that it might have opportunity to confer with the prosecution as to what witnesses the prosecution would agree that the defense might summon. General Howze, presiding, was indignant at the delay and scored the prosecution for it, but could not deny the request for adjournment.

Colonel Mitchell and Congressman Reid, his chief counsel, spent the remainder of the week preparing a new list of charges and criticisms which the colonel will make and a tremendously long recital of details with which he will attempt to sustain them. Colonel Mitchell wants to call 71 witnesses, including admirals, generals, technicians, flyers, and members of congress, the secretaries of war, navy, and agriculture, Maj. Eddie Rickenbacker, Lowell Smith, Reed Landis of Chicago, Donald MacMillan, the Arctic explorer, Admiral Sims, and Mrs. Lansdowne.

"The whole defense," said Mr. Reid, "will be that Colonel Mitchell spoke for the good of the country and with pure intent. That it was necessary that he speak we shall prove by the conditions which we shall uncover in detail. We shall not withdraw a hair's breadth from our position that all Colonel Mitchell said was and is true, and that more which he now is going to say was and is true."

NATIONAL COMMANDER McQUIGG of the American Legion presented to President Coolidge that organization's national legislative program, which includes provision for a universal draft of all the country's man power and resources in time of war. The legislation asked would give the President control of transportation materials together with farm products and their prices. It would provide that there would be no slackers and no profiteers in case of another war.

Other legislative recommendations include provision for medical treatment and adjusted compensation for certain classes of disabled men now excluded under the law; the creation of a medical corps in the veterans' bureau and construction of 2,000 additional beds in veterans' fireproof hospitals.

ITALY'S debt funding mission arrived in Washington and at the first meeting with the American commission Count Volpi set forth his country's sacrifices in the war and her present financial troubles. Subcommittees are studying Italy's capacity to pay and an early agreement on the terms for settlement of the $2,138,000,000 debt is expected.

Resumption of negotiations concerning the French debt was promised by Premier Painleve in a ministerial declaration, but as his government was likely to be upset at any time because of Socialist defection there is some doubt about the debt matter. If the new Painleve cabinet does not fall it is believed Senator Henri Beranger will come to Washington to try to succeed where M. Caillaux failed. The Painleve ministry obtained a vote of confidence at the opening session of the chamber of deputies by the narrow margin of 221 to 189, the 103 Socialists refraining from voting and a number of the premier's political foes supporting him only temporarily.

FRANCE'S troubles in Syria are increasing, for though the Druses were defeated at Damascus and elsewhere, the Bedouin bandits are growing more active. One of their leaders, Bakry Bey, has proclaimed a Syrian republic, with himself as president, and is said to be trying to capture the city of Homs in order to establish a provisional government which can appeal to the League of Nations. Damascus is full of French troops and guns and is thoroughly barricaded, and thousands of its residents are fleeing. Last week American Consul Knabenshue at Beirut summoned to that port the two American destroyers that were at Alexandria, although he said there was no immediate danger to Americans there or in Damascus.

RIZA KHAN, who had been premier and dictator of Persia for two years, now sits on the throne of that country as King Pahlavi, having yielded to the requests of leaders of all parties, big land owners and certain ecclesiastics. Thereupon the mejliss or parliament formally deposed Ahmed Mirza, the shah, and abolished the Kadjar dynasty, which had ruled over Persia since 1779. The crown was made elective and Riza promised to call a constitutional assembly to make the necessary changes in the basic law. His first acts were to liberate all political prisoners and to grant amnesty to the dethroned shah and all members of his family and his household. He also ordered the price of bread reduced through government subsidy. There was only slight opposition to the accession of Riza, and the crown prince left the country.

So much information is given in censored dispatches from Teheran. But from other sources it is gathered that Riza's coup d'etat was inspired by British influence and that he forced the parliament to take the action detailed above, after which the legislators were compelled to flee for their lives by Riza's hired gunmen. Shah Ahmed Mirza, who has been spending most of his time in Paris, was in the hands of a party in Persia that was in close touch with the Russian bolshevists, while Riza has been friendly with the British. The whole affair is really a development of the struggle between Russia and England for control over the oil fields of Persia and the routes to the Far East. The new government indorses the American financial mission headed by Dr. Arthur Millspaugh.

DRYS from all parts of the country gathered in Chicago for the biennial convention of the Anti-Saloon league. Wayne B. Wheeler, chief counsel, in his report said in substance: "Prohibition enforcement has raised scores of puzzling problems. We have helped solve them. The wets have blasted leak after leak in the prohibition dam. We have helped close them and to mop up the puddles they created.

"We have given our aid to the adoption of new laws, the securing of court decisions and the support of administrative action in doing these things.

"It has been an uphill fight but the fight has been less significant than the fact that we have moved up the hill steadily. No similar policy of government has ever shown a more continuous, constructive gain.

"The active opposition of the wets is significant testimony that the law is far from being a dead letter. Instead it is a red letter law."

Mr. Wheeler outlined three measures which would be urged on congress. One is placing all prohibition agents under civil service; the second is increasing the penalties for violation of the national prohibition law; the third is for deportation of aliens convicted of violating the prohibition or narcotic acts.

Among the speakers at the convention were Andrew J. Volstead, who called attention to certain provisions in the law that are overlooked by the courts and enforcement officers, and Rear Admiral Billard, who told about the coast guard's warfare on the rum fleets and smugglers.

AGREEMENTS under which the conductors and trainmen are working expire on December 31, and it seems likely that the two brotherhoods will demand a return to the war time scale of wages, or an increase of 7 per cent over present rates. The grand lodge officers and general chairmen representing the men on Western roads already have approved such a demand, and those of the Eastern and Southern lines are expected to take the same action.

TARIFF autonomy for China was accepted in principle by the international customs conference in Peking, and the American delegation offered a plan for putting the principle into effect not later than January 1, 1929. Dr. C. T. Wang for China pledged the abolition of the likin or tax on interprovincial commerce before that date. A committee of the conference is now framing interim measures.

THE house committee on ways and means closed the hearings on tax reduction and is now busy determining the total amount of the cut—probably $300,000,000—and drafting the new law. One of the last witnesses heard was Gen. L. C. Andrews, assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of prohibition enforcement. He asked that the alcohol tax rate be cut in half to kill the illicit alcohol market, and that a special levy be imposed on cereal beverages so that the enforcement unit would have the right to supervise the breweries and stop the wholesale flood of illegal beer.

The committee voted to increase the exemption for single persons from $1,000 to $1,500, and that for heads of families from $2,500 to $3,500. The 40 per cent surtax rate is to be cut to 20 per cent.

Want United States to Lead in Aviation

Washington.—Creation of a bureau of civil aeronautics in the Department of Commerce with powers to regulate and promote all civil and commercial flying in the United States forms the central recommendation of the committee on civil aviation, which was appointed by the department and the American engineering council last June to study the question.

The committee, of which J. Walter Drake, assistant secretary of commerce, is chairman, declares that the possibilities which it sees for the development of commercial aviation in the United States can be realized through a definite and continuing program of government assistance for the industry. The lack of these and of a definite legal status and government control for the industry, it found, have been the chief causes for its failure to keep pace with development in Europe.

In addition to its function of regulating air navigation, including licensing of pilots and inspection of planes, the proposed bureau would be authorized to "develop, establish, or take over and maintain air routes and air navigation facilities."

Summarizing conditions in the industry, the report declared that "notwithstanding past and present handicaps, the industry has survived and made progress creditable under the adverse conditions it has encountered. There is no doubt," it added, "that under really favorable conditions its great possibilities will be realized."

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Irish Fight Vaccination

Vaccination is compulsory in the Irish Free State, but during the troubles of the last few years the enforcement of the law has been allowed to lapse. In many places the children have not been vaccinated for ten years. The government is now urging the local boards of health to insist on vaccination and to prosecute defaulters. But a feeling has grown up against vaccination and in Wexford the local authorities have refused to obey the government's instructions. The provision in the English law exempting from vaccination conscientious objectors to it does not apply to Ireland.

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Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, the founder of the card index system, was talking about New York hotel prices the other day.

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"'Pete Malvoglio,' the guide answered. 'He brought a ham to the World's fair and cut it up into sandwiches.'"

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STATE NEWS

Bay City—The plant of the Michigan Chemical company, Essexville, has been sold to New York parties and shortly will resume the manufacture of alcohol, according to a statement made to Village President Garber.

Ann Arbor—Senator Woodbridge N. Ferris will speak at the annual public speaking banquet to be held at the Michigian Union, Nov. 19. Prof. Oscar J. Campbell, of the English department, will be toastmaster.

Lansing—Adoption of voting machines for all precincts of the city was forecast here following the test given the devices at four precincts. At all of the precincts where the machines had been installed the complete returns were available within 15 minutes after the close of the polls.

Lansing—A grade separation between the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railroad and trunk line M-65 in Monroe county, has been authorized by the State Administrative Board. A communication from the Ford interests, owners of the D., T. and I., expressed a willingness to pay half the cost, or $60,000.

Sturgis — Schools, churches, libraries, theaters and all places of meeting have been closed at Colon near here by the board of education and the board of public health in an effort to check a scarlet fever epidemic. Three new cases have been reported this week, two are seriously ill, with recovery doubtful.

Saginaw — "Uncle Joe" Fordney, former member of congress from the Eighth Michigan district and joint writer of the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill, celebrated his seventy-second birthday Thursday, surrounded by his family. He left that night for his annual deer hunting outing in the wilds of the upper peninsula. He is feeling fine.

Sault Ste. Marie—Freight totalling 71,627,729 tons has passed the Government locks here up to Nov. 1, a gain of 7,888,331 tons over the same period of last year, according to the official canal report for October. The tonnage for October was 11,637,192, as compared with 10,328,369 last year. Vessel passages numbered 2,945 as compared with 2,493 in October, 1924.

Lansing—The Securities Commission's move to revoke the real estate license of the Southern Land & Homes Co., of Detroit, and of Pierre C. Allers, general sales agent for the company, ended in a compromise when attorneys came here and promised that the Southern Land & Homes Co. would reorganize as a corporation and would discontinue the use of the so-called Florida contract which the commission had declared to be objectionable.

Adrian—The delegates to the forty-first meeting of the Detroit conference of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church re-elected Mrs. Carl W. Holmes, of Detroit, to the presidency at the second session of the district convention. The roll call showed 91 visiting delegates present, including 41 from Detroit, 32 from Ann Arbor, and 7 from Flint. Twenty-five delegates arrived from the northern Michigan districts.

Ann Arbor—Dr. Clarence Cook Little, president of the University of Michigan, will give the first address on the second radio program which will be broadcast Tuesday evening, Nov. 10, from 9 to 10 p. m. Other speakers include Dean Henry M. Bates and Prof. Ralph W. Aigler, of the law school, and Prof. William J. Hussey, of the astronomy department. Musical numbers by the 'varsity band and members of the school of music will be included on the program.

Monroe—Harold Emmons, former president of the Detroit Board of Commerce, gave the principal address following the mid-day luncheon of the Monroe Exchange club here last Thursday. Emmons during his address gave a vivid account of his eight months' trip through Africa, the customs of the people and his experience with elephants in the jungle along the river Nile. He said he killed one elephant which weighed five tons, one forefoot having been 55 inches in circumference.

East Lansing—The World Court and the Republican party's peace program were indorsed by former Justice John H. Clark, of the United States Supreme Court in an address before the students at Michigan State College recently. Justice Clark is a Democrat and was appointed to the Supreme bench by Woodrow Wilson. He told the students that he resigned his appointment in order to spend the remainder of his life fighting the evils of war and attempting to bring about permanent peace.

Lansing—Plans have been virtually completed for the leasing by the city of Kalamazoo of 42 acres of unused state land adjacent to the grounds of the Kalamazoo State Hospital. Following a conference between Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck and Charles A. Blaney, of Kalamazoo, it was announced that the Attorney General will draw up a long-term lease whereby the city may pay the state a nominal rental and make use of the 42-acre tract as a playground for school children. Mr. Blaney declared the city will build a stadium.

Lansing—The State Administrative Board has taken the control of the Michigan State Fair Grounds into its own hands with the passage of a resolution declaring that the grounds shall be immediately opened to the public. This action followed the reading of a report from the business committee of the board of managers of the fair in which delay in opening the grounds was advised. The committee report was brought forth by the Administrative Board's resolution two weeks ago in which the board favored opening the grounds.

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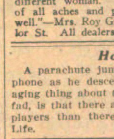
Briggs—It says here that a New York man has had his daughter arrested because she has "a mania for contracting debts."

Griggs—Let me have that article; I'll put it where my wife can see it.

Women, Don't Suffer!



Kokomo, Ind.—"I was suffering with all kinds of aches and pains—head, back and side, dizzy spells and nervousness. The doctors tried to help me and I tried all kinds of remedies but got little relief. I was advised to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I hesitated on account of the failure of other treatments, but at last I tried it. One bottle helped me so much I got two more, and by the time I had taken them I was feeling like a different woman. It had relieved me of all aches and pains and made me well."—Mrs. Roy Griffey, 1225 W. Taylor St. All dealers.

Hope

A parachute jumper played a saxophone as he descended. The encouraging thing about this, if it becomes a fad, is that there are more saxophone players than there are parachutes.—Life.

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The Hartford Fire Insurance Co. was established more than one hundred years ago, and their reliability has never been questioned. We want to show you that the good old Hartford always stands by its Policy Holders to the last dollar. No losses have occurred here.

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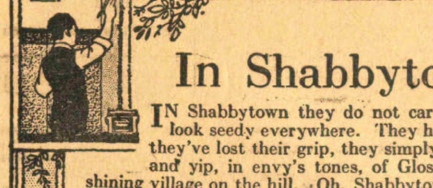
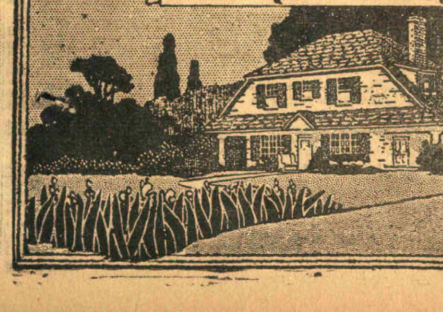


In Shabbytown

IN Shabbytown they do not care if things look seedy everywhere. They have no pep, they've lost their grip, they simply sit around and yip, in envy's tones, of Glossyville, the shining village on the hill. Oh, Shabbytown is punk and gray, and it shows symptoms of decay, and strangers passing through remark, "It surely dates back to the Ark." "Clean Up and Paint Up" makes men frown along the streets of Shabbytown. A can of paint makes no appeal to this bum village, down at heel; the people think there is no sense in going to so much expense; so things are always going down, and getting worse in Shabbytown. It always gives my soul a thrill when I arrive in Glossyville. The town looks like a blooming bride; the people take a hearty pride in making things look clean and bright, and in their labors take delight. They're lavish with the helpful paint, selecting colors chaste or quaint, and decorating every shack; thus warding off decay's attack, and making all the buildings look like buildings read of in a book. And strangers, when they see the town, say, "Here we'll come and settle down, and raise us nineteen kids apiece, and live and die as slick as grease." This happy burg goes right ahead, while Shabbytown is prone and dead.

WALT MASON.

Clean Up and Paint Up



Michigan's Health Brigade

Michigan's 2,000 health officers and public health nurses will answer to roll call at the Fifth Annual Conference of Health Officers and Public Health Nurses to be held in Lansing November 18, 19 and 20, by reporting the number of children in their communities protected against diphtheria by toxin-antitoxin.

"For four years,". says Dr. R. M. Olin, Commissioner of Health, "we have emphasized diphtheria more than any other single communicable disease. Toxin-antitoxin has been furnished free by the state since 1921. In the first ten months of 1924, we sent out 166, 630 c c. of toxin-antitoxin, During the ten months of 1925 we have mailed 317,210 c c. No better proof could be given of what Michigan parents, school and health authorities are doing to safeguard their children, but we want to hear from the health officers and nurses themselves how diphtheria is being made ancient history in Michigan."

In eight counties, Ionia, Cass, Washtenaw, Presque Isle, Ogemaw Montcalm, Alger and Baraga, 18, 111 individuals have been given toxin-antitoxin by physicians from the Michigen Department ot Health assisted by local doctors. Reports coming in to the Department show similar campaigns in practically every section of the state, carried on by local authorities. It is predicted by state health authorities that the number of children reported at the Conference as protected against diphtheria will total close to 100,000. We rather like the way Michigan is going after Diphtheria and the other dangerous diseases with toxins and virus and if we mistake not another 10 years will find these diseases pretty nearly obliterated or so inactive not much apprehension will be felt. Right in our own community there have been outbreaks of Diptheria and scarletina, typhoid and small pox years ago which removed whole families and aside from the health menace of the neighborhood, the horror of the thing got on our nerves. When but a lad we well remember the family doctor relating the awful conditions in a home where the daughter expired from this dread disease in agony unspeakable, and no one would go near the stricken one to minister or sooth the dying hour. In one other case the family of five children were wiped out and parents only recovered by a miracle. The corpses were taken at midnight from the home and interred by lantern light. It was considered little short of heroic to take care of these patients. Toxins not then discovered, vaccination and virus were then used only occasionally and were not effectual. In Hillsdale a few years ago it was fully understood that every season brought its diphtheria outbreak, and more than one life usually was surrendered. Such conditions are happily a thing of the past.

Farmers Frolic At Harvest Home Meet

Members of the Michigan Crops Improvement Association and their friends and relatives gathered at the M. S. C. on Nov. 6 and 7 for the first annual fall Harvest Home meeting of the association.

While exhibits and inspection trips played their part in program, chief emphasis during the two day meeting was placed on the entertainment and picnic side of the gathering.

A typical old-time harvest party was staged in the new college Union Building on Friday evening. Following a banquet, guests all joined in the big party, which combined Halloween features with the harvest festival side.

Husking and potato peeling contests were mixed in with old time square dances and other stunts which made the evening one long to be remembered. It is understood that the Harvest Home meeting will be made an annual event.

Farmers Week To Be Held February 1-5

Farmers Week, the annual conference of agricultural interests at the M. S. C., will be held from February 1 to 5 this year, according to announcement made here this week.

The general plan of the week will be the same as in years past, with certain new features added to the program. Leading agricultural associations of the state will hold their annual meetings during the week as usual, while exhibit and meeting plans will follow similar lines. Details of program are to be announced later.

State Police For Highway Work

While at times the tide of "yellow journalism" from the objectors to our state police system has been running strong, yet the State Troopers are with us and we hope will be with us until we die—as a commonwealth.

The work of catching criminals so well performed by this army of officers cannot be too highly commended. Bank robbers and murderers, bigamists and white slavers have suffered terribly from the corrective work of the force, but unless we are misinformed, all these malefactors will be merely subsidiary to the plucking which the rum runners and bootleg dispensers have coming to them. Cost something? Sure! But brother, can you better afford to have your daughter waylaid on her way to school and debauched by some degenerate? Would you prefer that a drunken driver crowd you off the concrete and wreck your machine? Of course you would not. Not a small part of our state police duties at present are guarding convicts on the road building job. Since Governor Groesbeck got his new schemes for road building in operation there have been few idle hours for the Troopers, but the major task has been patrolling the state highways, mulling speeders, arresting drunks and picking up vagabonds of all kinds in the auto-mobile class

It is with pleasure the statistically inclined will read the results of the past year's police work. Millions of gallons of liquid hell taken from rum runners near the borders ought to convince the most skeptical that the State Police are a profitable institution. Perhaps you don't realize what the removal of all this booze means to our general welfare. But it means this great artificial lake is poured in the sewer instead of a human cesspool,

A proposal is now before state officials to take over the control of the Troopers as regular official guards of the highways, each with his regular mileage to be covered every day. We don't know just how the thing will figure out, but we do believe this arm of the commonwealth can use the Troopers to advantage. The ideal duties of an ideal police force should be the safeguarding of transportation, and with the force trained to these duties, Michigan should be a top-liner in the list of law and order communities

The officials tell us that to accomplish this it will be necessary to gather in a bunch of recruits and put them through the paces at once.

A little more money must be appropriated at Lansing to carry on, and the matter is now pending.

Michigan plans to build hundreds of miles of macadamized and concrete highways during the next few years, and conditions are such that all classes of criminals travel both night and day. Automobile bandits equipped with high powered cars pull up at most any country-side town bank at mid-day, loot the institution, may hap kill the clerks or citizens, and make their get-away almost before the public knows what has happened.

Of course it is dollars to doughnuts the telephone or radio may beat the crooks to the city, bnt increasing the state police is the only solution of the trouble. Guard the roads with military precision.

This May Be True And Again It May Not

The Broadcasting from Chicago has this to say regarding the change of seasons which we were remarking about recently.

"Snows that lay on the ground months on end, skating that began in November and lasted until March snow drifts that reached almost any height one might mention, were the exceptional occurrences in grandfather's day as they are today, the Broadcast declares. "One mild winter starts the rumor that overcoat manufacturers had better go into the Palm Beach suit business, while an extremely cold winter if dubbed as a good old fashioned winter. One explanation for this is that memory is tricky and recalls the exceptional rather than the average. Another is that modern living has taken the edge off the extreme weather. A snowfall that our forefathers would have trodden under foot for days now is shovelled away before we get up in the morning. Better heating, too, makes us feel the low temperature less, and ice refrigerating plants and electric fans makes the extremes of heat more endurable."

We don't quite agree with the above statement. In the first place the faulty conception which they are trying to cram down people's throats is this: Trying to carry the idea that the modern inventions have done away with the discomforts of hard winters. To some extent this is true, but not fully. Speaking of the methods of taking care of snow etc., reminds us of a winter in Southern Michigan along in 1884 or thereabouts when it could hardly be said the snow scraper and the hot air furnace would make all right. There came a terrific snow storm continued for an entire day and a night as we remember it. And snow was estimated as two feet deep on the average. On top of this deep snow came a warm wave which sent rain gradually growing colder until the sleet froze as it fell. The result was a surface over the tops of fences and buildings frozen hard as iron and glary ice which remained for a considerable length of time. The country highways were filled from fence to fence and drifted. The only method of getting a road was simply to dig it out with shovels and the farmers of the districts turned out with sleighs and shovels and worked valiantly to cut tunnels through the snow. We imagine that snowfall would have been rather a Waterloo for the modern motor scraper as nothing short of a Juggernaut could push through the sodden mass. Railroads experienced the worst trouble of years, and it was a common occurrence to derail the light locomotives of the day as if they were toys. At times the temperature went down to 20 below zero any unless a person fully protected ears and face they certainly froze then and there. There has been a change in the seasons without doubt probably due to some planetary movement, and we defie anyone to prove otherwise and winters in the north central states are not what they were 40 years ago. The swivel chair scientists in Chicago who attempt to twist facts and administer this mess in liberal doses over the Radio are extremely hard pressed for material when such things are put out. They had much better turn their attention to curtailing the booze output or something which stands out prominently before us as hard cold quantities. When you get right down to brass tacks the whole business from the penny ante mail order house is simply a great big hoax to get somebody's ear for advertising. We doubt not but open mouthed thousands "listen in" and drink this class of drivel every day for a stomach tonic.

What Makes 17,591,981 Motorists Mad

"Tax-Ridden" motorists all over the country have been mobilized to make a united drive for liberation from the lingering war impost on automobiles, and have already voiced their grievances to the House Ways and Means Committee In a statement broadcast from the national headquarters of the American Automobile Association, attention is called to the fact that there are four times as many people paying excise taxes on automobiles and parts as there are people paying income taxes, and the owners of the 17,591,981 motor vehicles registered in the country are called upon to get behind the Association's program. Thomas P. Henry, president of the A. A. A., is thus quoted in the New York Herald Tribune:

"With a surplus of $350,000,000 in sight for the fiscal year 1926, it stands to reason that the special tax imposed on motorists as a class by the Government can be removed without risking a deficit in Federal finances."

We often wonder if there is any thing about the machine which has not been singled out for special taxing; if such part exists we should delight to be shown. Among the many faults of our government this is one of the worst. It is not sound judgment or sense to tax the automobile as is done when the very commercial life of this nation depends upon it. Remove the motor bus, the motor truck and passengar car and what would become of business? For instance the Literary Digest states that if a man breaks an axle on his car he must pay to the government a sum larger than the entire cost of the axle and its installation, for taxes alone. This is adding insult to injury.

—Please call in and renew your subscription to the Advocate. as we need the money and you need the paper.

—Hereafter all bond paper purchased at this office will cost 20c a pound any size which will amount to $1.00 for 500 sheets 8½ x 11, inches $2.00 for 1000. We have been called upon to supply considerable of this lately and find we must have the above price in order to make it an object.

consult a distant authority, and he cannot keep a herd of sick steers waiting while he wades through a maze of many pamphlets to find the particular treatment needed. Time and availability are the very essence of his situation. By giving the farmer what he wants just when he wants it broadcasting will widely extend the emergency services of the various agencies which the Government has created to help him, and to support which he pays taxes.

But in the long run, perhaps the greatest utility of radio to the farmer is in tying in with the extension work of various agricultural colleges and schools, as well as the various state organizations devoted to improvement of farm methods. Today but a relatively small number of farms benefit from such instruction. But in some sections of the country this class of broadcasting is being served to farm listeners, and in time it will be generally available. With 31,000,000 people living on our farms, the agricultural colleges of the country enroll but 150,000 students. Here is an opportunity, vast in its possibilities, to extend the scope of agricultural education. Radio should bring the advantages of scientific schooling to millions of farmers. It will enable the student, whose college course has been interrupted, to continue it often under the same instructors. With practical men in charge of such instruction the potentialities in this line are without limit.

Provides Sermons and Lectures

The cultural and spiritual possibilities of radio can not be measured by comparison with any other agency. It can bring to country schools in remote districts the lectures, the music, the addresses of prominent men and specialists in every field, as well as the education methods of the metropolis. It means instruction for the pupils and professional stimulation for the teachers. Radio draws no line between fundamentalist and modernist, and sermons are available every Sunday from the lips of America's most eminent divines. This means much to remote small communities unable to support a pastor, or whose only chance of worship is one or two Sundays a month. Radio worshippers may begin with early sermons to the East and, following the course of the sun, benefit by services extending from Plymouth Rock to the Golden Gate.

System of "Pick-ups" Spreading

It is too trite to tell you that play is needed to keep Jack from being a dull boy, and it is unnecessary to linger on the entertainment features of radio. In covering the field of harmony from the "canned music" of phonograph and automatic piano to flesh and blood talent, the broadcast studio has had difficulty to find material for its programs. The trend of the time is that, instead of waiting for talent to come to the studio, the program manager is now searching for attractive material. The leading broadcasting stations have developed a system of "pick-ups" extending to various sources of entertainment, by which attractive program features are picked up and carried by wire to the broadcasting station where they are sent out in the same way as ordinary studio performances. This service is steadily improving. Technical developments are overcoming distortion, and the losses formerly experienced in passing sound values over the pick-up wires. Some of the best features of latter-day broadcasting come through the pick-up system. The farmer may enjoy his evening meal with dinner music from the Rose room of the Waldorf. When he is smoking his after-dinner pipe he attends the banquet of a prominent society at which the spokesman may be no less a man than the President of the United States, or at least some gentleman who wishes he were President. Cloyed with oratory, he may yet follow with the thrills of a boxing contest. Still later he may enjoy the music, while far from the Great White Way.

This pick-up system enables the same program to be given over a broad expanse of territory. In the case of the Radio Corporation and its associated companies, for example, we very often pick up a program in Washington and broadcast it simultaneously from the WJZ station in New York City, and the WGY station in Schenectady. Wonderful radio plays produced by the WGY Players are likewise transmitted from WGY and our other New York station, WJY.

Its Greatest Application to the Farm

I believe that radio has greater application to the farm and to farm life than to any other phase of our national life. The urban citizen was the earliest to benefit from this invention, but the farmer will ultimately derive from it the greatest real profit and enjoyment. No other invention since the steam locomotive is destined to have such widespread influence upon rural life, because no other has carried so much comfort, enjoyment and potential prosperity to the farm.

Of all that may be said of radio in its various relations, the best is that it will tend to keep the young people on the farm. There is the true independence; there is the real throne of the American sovereign. Entertainment and culture and the throbbing life of the metropolis carried to the farm by radio, helping to make rural life more attractive and desirable will sustain that class which in ours, as in all other free countries, is the very backbone of our national existence.

Myself a son of the soil, it will be a great satisfaction to my later years if, through radio, I can in some measure pay the debt I owe to a farmer ancestry and my heritage of health and to the simple life which was all that my boyhood knew.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1925

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Adam Sindecase, deceased.

Jennie Daniels, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered: That the 21st day of November A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
22t3 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of March, A. D., 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161 of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars ($30) as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage provided. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

Addison State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
John F. Steward
Attorney for Mortagee 14t13
Business Address—Addison, Mich.

Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 29th day of December, 1923, executed by Howard N. Maloney and Lila M. Maloney as parties of the first part, mortgagors, unto Hudson State Savings Bank of Hudson, Michigan, a body corporate, existing and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan, mortgagee, as party of the second part, which said mortgage was, on the 31st day of December, 1923, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Hillsdale, State of Michigan, in Liber 160 of Mortgages, on Page 541; which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make payments on the principal sum as provided in said mortgage, and also in the failure of the mortgagors to pay interest in manner and time as provided in said mortgage, which said default has existed for a period of more than thirty days, and the said mortgagee has exercised the option contained in said mortgage to declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith, and does hereby declare the whole amount of the principal and interest unpaid on said mortgage to be now due and payable, as was provided in said mortgage that the said mortgagee might do in the case of default of said mortgagors to pay said principal or interest, or any part thereof, as provided in said mortgage, and that if the same remained unpaid for the period of thirty days that then the whole amount of said principal with arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee become due and payable immediately thereafter.

And whereas, there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage for principal and interest at this date the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars and Thirty Two Cents ($3398.32), and also an attorney's fee as provided by statute, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount nor any part thereof.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that the undersigned will on the 9th day of November 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day Central Standard time, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Hillsdale, county of Hillsdale and state of Michigan, (said court house being the place for holding said court for said county) sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, and attorney's fee provided by statute. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows; All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Wheatland, county of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan, to-wit, the north one half of the southeast quarter of Section 28 in Township 6 south, Range 1 west, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated, August 7, 1925.

Hudson State Savings Bank
Mortgagee
B. D. Chandler 11t11
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address; Hudson, Mich.

THE FEATHERHEADS

By L. F. Van Zelm
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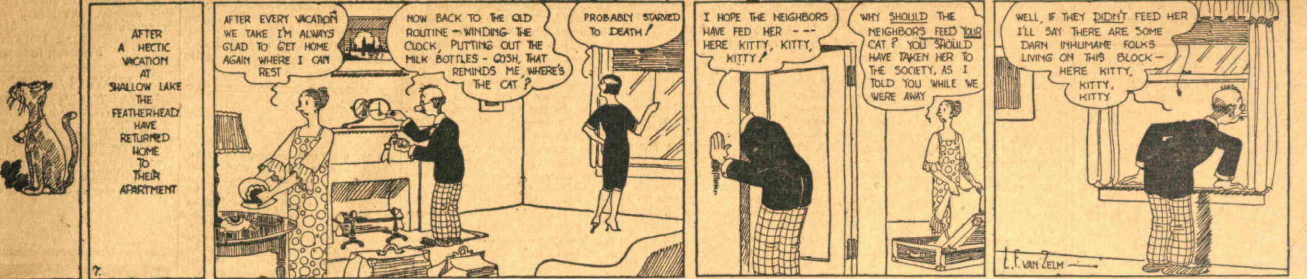
People That Live in Glass Houses, Etc.


AFTER A HECTIC VACATION AT SHALLOW LAKE THE FEATHERHEADS HAVE RETURNED HOME TO THEIR APARTMENT
AFTER EVERY VACATION WE TAKE I'M ALWAYS GLAD TO GET HOME AGAIN WHERE I CAN REST
NOW BACK TO THE OLD ROUTINE — WINDING THE CLOCK, PUTTING OUT THE MILK BOTTLES - GOSH, THAT REMINDS ME, WHERE'S THE CAT?
PROBABLY STARVED TO DEATH!
I HOPE THE NEIGHBORS HAVE FED HER - - - HERE KITTY, KITTY, KITTY!
WHY SHOULD THE NEIGHBORS FEED YOUR CAT? YOU SHOULD HAVE TAKEN HER TO THE SOCIETY, AS I TOLD YOU WHILE WE WERE AWAY
WELL, IF THEY DIDN'T FEED HER I'LL SAY THERE ARE SOME DARN INHUMANE FOLKS LIVING ON THIS BLOCK— HERE KITTY, KITTY, KITTY
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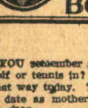


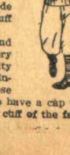
MEN'S DRESS

By
W. A. Churchill, Secretary
BORN TAILORS GUILD

Sports Clothes

DO YOU remember the days when you saved all your old clothes to play golf or tennis in? "Anything's good enough for the links," you said. It isn't that way today. The baggy old trousers and sweater are about as much out of date as mother's old pongee duster and long-flowing motor veil she wore in 1905.

The keynotes for the up-to-date sports outfit are comfort, durability and a certain air of careless elegance. The so-called golf suit is the ideal outfit for almost all sports. It consists of knickers and loose-fitting coats with inverted plaits at the back to permit an easy swing of club or racket. Tweeds are the most popular materials with flannels and homespuns not far behind.



One very practical suit is a four-piece, consisting of coat, vest, trousers and knickers, combining in one suit all the essentials for sports and business. Knickers are being made with knitted cuffs, which, being close-fitting, allow the cuff of the golf hose to cover them and show to advantage.

Sweaters are being worn in every conceivable pattern and color, the gayer the better. The high "turtle" collars are very popular. Wool hose and sweater have struck up an affinity and are purchased in sets to match. The cap is trying to intrude itself as a triangle to the situation, but where the hose and sweaters match it is better, in the interests of variety, to have a cap that tones with, but does not match, the rest of the costume. The cuff of the fancy hose must be plain for good taste.

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

What Shall We Say About War?

Is War in Harmony with the doctrine of the New Testament? Dare we be Christians and apply the principles of Jesus to the dealings of one nation with another?

Let us be perfectly frank. Our motives are not entirely disinterested. Self interest has a large part in the present reaction against all war. Fear, as always, is proving to be a mighty motive. We see now that war ends nothing evil; that it destroys only what is good. We see now that civilization itself will be destroyed unless Christianity rises up and puts an end to war. The pomp and glamour of war have gone forever. The naked savagery and coarse brutality of it all have been brought home to every human heart.

During the World War the United States alone spent for two years more than a million dollars an hour day and night, in the work of destruction and death. And it has been estimated that the total loss in human lives, directly and indirectly due to the war, mounted up to the appalling figure of 40,000,000 The World War was the greatest calamity that ever befell the human race. And it grew naturally and inevitably out of the pagan principles which universally had been adopted by so-called Christian nations.

The loss in wealth and the losses in human lives brought about by the great World War have been appalling beyond words to express. But there are worse losses than men and money. Not since the barbarian invasion and the collapse of Roman civilization has there been such a loss in moral values and spiritual ideals. Systematically and scientifically men were stirred up to hate men. Men do not naturally hate each other. Nations are not naturally enemies. Therefore, a campaign of hatred was put on everywhere. Epithets were coined to appeal to the imagination. "Bosche" and "Hun" were words often on Christian lips.

Even from Christian pulpits in some places sounded forth the horrible Mohammedan doctrine that the soldier killed in battle would pass directly into Paradise! And what a breakdown in morals has the world witnessed! We were fighting to protect womanhood, and the war has degraded womanhood everywhere, while such pagan standards of morals in reference to the relation of women to men have been propagated as English speaking peoples never tolerated before. Crime waves and general lawlessness naturally followed the greatest crime in human history—the great World War.

We had hoped that having learned to work together during the period of the war, the churches in America would henceforth see and know the value of a closer co-operation. But, alas! even the churches turned against each other and there is such strife and confusion, such charges of infidelity and heresy as we have not known in our lifetime nor in the lifetime of fathers, while epithets are bandied about, and devout and sincere followers of Jesus find themselves labelled and ostracised by fellow Christians because forsooth their tongue slips just a little when they attempt to pronounce the word "shibboleth."

War destroys civilization. War destroy the very foundations upon which civilization rests. Nothing destroys like war. What is war but utter and desolating waste of every thing that man and God hold dear?

Above the noise and din of battle and far above all the waste and confusion and hatreds of these post-war days, we hear once more the word of the ancient prophet: "His name shall be called the "Prince of Peace."

We must outlaw war. That is certain. For if private and individual murder is wrong, public and national murder is wrong also. And just as private murder has been outlawed, just as the duel is now relegated to the discarded customs of an outgrown past, even so must we now go on to declare war a criminal and an outlaw.

We must do more than this. As Christians and as patriotic citizens we must do all we can do to remove the causes of war. We must cast off the provincial mind and become citizens of the world. We must labor toward a mutual understanding between all races and all nations. We must religiously give ourselves to the cultivation of interracial and international goodwill. We must come to see that America cannot stand apart from the rest of the world in times of peace any more than she did in the time of war. We should recognize that the League of Nations is a going concern and should come in at the front door and not attempt to slip in at the back door. We should call upon all men of goodwill everywhere to arise for the salvation of the world.—Michigan Christian Advocate.

The editor of the Hudson Post throws a fit because the famous Governor of Kentucky was guilty of trekking across Michigan the other day and through some misque was wrecked in a collision on M-14 south of Hudson Saturday, Oct 31. Whether he had a load of "Old Kaintuck Rye" tradition does not say, but anyhow his big Packard collided with a Ford car driven by a young lad. It is said His Excellency was in a jocund mood and asked some of the bystanders if there were any Democrats in that neck of the woods. They were bashful about talking to so important a personage but finally somebody weakly enunciated that there was—Frank Nevin—the only Democrat he knew. Investigation disclosed that the Governor just like any common man had been up in God's Country to attend the Ann Arbor Football game and was headed for home. His name is William J. Fields and he was elected on the Democrat ticket.

What looks like a revolution in automobile building is near at hand Ransom Y. Bovee, inventor of the newest automobile drive which does away with the drive shaft, floating axle, brake, starter and the present type of rear springs, all expensive and complicated parts, is about to establish a plant in Detroit for the manufacture of this device. The principle is hydraulic—oil being used and forced by means of a powerful pump to two individual motors built in to the rear wheels. The entire system of speed changes and control is so simple that one lever controls the whole thing. This invention is the talk of the town among experts and automobile engineers, who are taking it up in all quarters. Mr. Bovee will incorporate a company as soon as he can interest the Detroit Chamber of Commerce, which can be done as soon as he can build a new car equipped with his invention for test purposes. Several tests have already been made in the most severe manner and it is said a very favorable impression is the result. It ought to cheapen the price of automobiles considerably, since it eliminates many hundred expensively machined parts, carries no water or batteries to freeze in cold weather, and never has to be "warmed up" to start.

Hod Greeley As A Speculator

Horace Greeley the philosopher politician, and publisher, was at times somewhat erratic, notwithstanding his greatness, and he like others of the great and near-great, had his hobbies, expensive though they at times proved.

Among Mr. Greeley's adventures good, bad and indifferent, we note that he decided to invest some of his hard earned dollars in a colonizing scheme in the wilds of Pennsylvania. A stock company was formed including many of the prominent people of the day, with Mr. Greeley himself the leading stockholder. Ten thousand dollars, an enormous sum for that day—was the capital invested.

They went into the rattlesnake country on the Lackawaxen River commonly known by the Indians as "Swift Waters." This was in 1842 while Horace was editor of the New York Tribune. He wanted to benefit mankind in some way but owing to bad management or no management at all the scheme gang aft agley.

Here the rattlesnakes were so numerous that hunts were staged to take care of them and the foreman of the wagon shop made a pair of slippers from the skins and presented them to Mr. Greeley.

Large commodious wood buildings were erected, mills, shops and factories put into running order. Matters began to look up and the wagon and shoe factories began to supply a demand, but erelong labor troubles started to develop and there did not seem to be enough laborers to keep things running. Certain of the stock-holders had wayward sons whom they thought to subordinate by banishing them to the colony. They proved to be very undesirable citizens and poor workers. Thus matters went from bad to worse, but they stuck to it and more land was cleared and a heavy crop planted. This might have been a good year but on the 4th day of July a heavy frost made its appearance and everything they had planted, was killed. That settled the fate of the community. A general exodus followed and the whole project went up in smoke.

A mortgage on the property of $3,000 was foreclosed and they had to give it up. Horace Greeley was the heaviest loser. To-day the site of the colony is bare, the buildings have disappeared and for aught we know the rattlesnakes and gophers are in full possession.

Find Use For Old Farm Straw Stack

Use of Michigan's straw stac as valuable sources of fertilizer is promised as a result of work being done by the soils men at the M. S. C.

During a visit to the famous Rothamsted experiment station in England last summer, Dr. M M. McCool, head of the college soils division, learned the methods of procedure followed in Europe and saw the materials which were being produced. That the results there were very satisfactory was shown by doubled yields of potatoes and other crops where the artificial "straw stack" manure was used. Fine results were also reported on truck crops.

That these old world practices may find a place in Michigan agriculture is indicated by the work being done at East Lansing.

"The soils sections of the college is making use of straw stacks by adding water, fertilizer, and lime and permitting the stack of materialto form valuable fertilizer", says Dr. McCool, in discussing the practice. "When ammonium sulphate, phosphates, and carbonate of lime are added to the straw and the mass moistened, fermentation takes place rapidly.

"If the work is done properly, the resulting mass is brownish black and finely divided, and is ready to use within three or four months. It appears to be very prommising for use by vegetable growers, florists, and as a substitute for other top dressing materials on golf courses."

There have been many false reports circulated in this vicinity as to the law concerning hunting on the lands of any farmer. The other day a case came up at Marshall where a man went onto another farmer's land and shot pheasants. The justice held the man justifiable and decided there was no cause for action as we suppose the farm was not posted with "No Hunting" signs However the action was against the law as it now stands. Any man who enters a man's farm for any purpose whatever is a trespasser whether the farm is posted or not and the trespasser is subject to prosecution if damages can be proved If "No Hunting" signs are displayed and a trespasser enters and shoots game he is liable to fine and imprisonment as prescribed in the law. Any justice who would otherwise construe the law is full of wool and either don't know law or else he's drunk.

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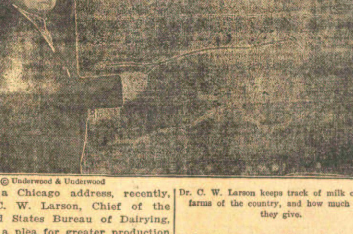
MILK COWS - NUMBER AND VALUE ON FARMS - U.S.
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Dr. C. W. Larson keeps track of milk cows on farms of the country, and how much milk they give.

In a Chicago address, recently, Dr. C. W. Larson, Chief of the United States Bureau of Dairying, made a plea for greater production per cow rather than an increase in the number of cows.

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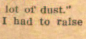

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CHAPTER XIX—Continued

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"And I think," I said, "that you scarcely do justice to the courage which our younger clergy undoubtedly possess. A man who would face a Mothers' union two days in a week and would take charge of a Girls' Friendly society for an outing in the country, must be daring enough for any adventure."

"No curate," said Cable sullenly, "would venture to marry a princess."

"Do you happen to know our patriarch?" said the king. "No, I thought not. You wouldn't talk that way about curates if you did. I assure you, Mr. Cable, that our patriarch would do anything. Wouldn't he, Casimir?"

"He 'dares do all that may become a man,'" said Casimir. "'Approach thou like the rugged Russian bear, the armed rhinoceros, or—'"

"Your patriarch," said Cable, "isn't a curate."

"But he was once," said the king. "He mus have been, though before my time, of course. They all begin by being curates. And I assure you he wouldn't have hesitated—except for moral reasons, of course—to marry two or three princesses, and their mothers, who would be queens, if he'd wanted to. When I tell you that our patriarch has often gone for me without a sign of nervousness, and used language you'd scarcely believe over some trumpery little affair about a girl—and that was when I was a king, an absolute monarch, remember, with an army and all that sort of thing. No, there's no use saying that the clergy daren't do things."

The discussion was degenerating into a wrangle of purely academic interest. It was Troyte who brought us all back to the business on hand.

"The real question," he said, "is not what a curate or a bishop might do, but what has actually happened since the—er—the fugitives reached Lystria. I sent a telegram to the patriarch saying that the man was an impostor. He surely wouldn't go on with the marriage after that."

"Curate or no," said Cable, "I hope the patriarch has shot him."

"He lies," said Casimir, "in durance vile. This very morning I received from the patriarch a telegram—"

He produced it from his pocket. The king translated it for us. It told us that Tommy had been put under arrest.

"That is perhaps the best thing which could have happened," said Troyte.

But it was, even on his showing, a very bad best. The situation in Lystria was extremely critical. A revolution, carefully planned and organized, had actually taken place. The patriarch and the nobles, the only people who counted in Lystria, were perfectly determined to have a king of their own seated on the historic throne of Wladislaws the Hunter, the founder of the Lystrian dynasty, famous a thousand years ago for his skill in killing boars. They wanted to place on somebody's head the silver-gilt fillet which that monarch had bequeathed to his successors. But if they did anything of the sort every Balkan state would mobilize at once and nothing could avert a war unless England recognized the new king and declared herself ready to support him. That, and the benevolent neutrality of France, might save the situation. But how could England recognize a revolution which had either put no king on the throne or set up some impossible person like Emily's curate?

Troyte explained all that to us, slowly and carefully.

"But I thought," said Cable, "that you'd squared the League of Nations and all that lot."

Troyte objected to the word "squared." I dare say the League of Nations would have objected to it too. What he had done, so he said, was to create an atmosphere favorable to the consideration of the claims of an English king to the Lystrian throne.

"Meaning Lord Norheys?" said Cable.

Troyte nodded. He certainly had not meant his "atmosphere" to envelop Emily's curate.

"In my opinion," said the king, "the best thing for us to do is to leave things as they are."

"Surely," I said, "not exactly as they are. That curate belongs more or less to my sister Emily and she's bent on finding him. There'll be a frightful row if she discovers him lying in a dungeon in Lystria."

"Nobody need ever know," said Cable.

"The English lady who accompanied them," said the king, "must be aware of the facts, and if I judge her character correctly, she will certainly tell what she knows."

"What English lady?" said Cable.

"Her name," said the king, "is Church, Miss Church, and unless I'm mistaken about her—"

"If Janet Church is there," I said, "she's certain to have telegraphed to every ambassador in Europe and also to the prime minister and the leader of the Labor party and all the different Liberal parties there are, demanding the instant release of Emily's curate."

"What I want to know," said Cable, "is what's going to happen about my oil concession?"

Nobody could give him any information about that. It had not been granted by the Megalian government. Indeed, it had not been granted by anybody. All Cable really had in writing was a promise that it would be granted by the king of Lystria when he was safe on the throne.

"That," said King Wladislaws, "is why I say that things had better be left as they are."

"But they can't," I said. "Emily's curate can't be left in prison. You don't know my sister Emily or you wouldn't suggest it. Besides, there's Janet Church to be reckoned with."

"I think," said the king, "that by this time the young man has probably been released, perhaps married, possibly even crowned."

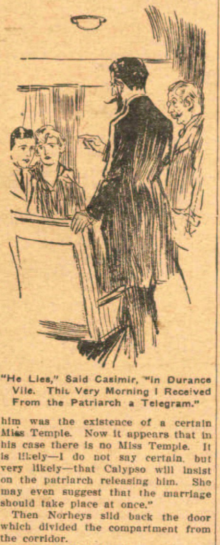
"Good G—d!" said Troyte. "You don't mean to say you actually think—"

The king waved his hand cheerfully.

"The patriarch," he said, "is a man of unbounded patriotism, devoted to the cause of Lystrian independence. And he dislikes, intensely dislikes, the archimandrite of Megalia. The Lystrian nobility wish for a king, an English king, a sportsman."

"Emily's curate seems to be that," I said.

"My daughter—" said the king. "I am now speaking very confidentially—my daughter rather liked that young man. I liked him myself. Casimir liked him. Everyone liked him. My daughter's only objection to marrying him was the existence of a certain Miss Temple. Now it appears that in his case there is no Miss Temple. It is likely—I do not say certain, but very likely—that Calypso will insist on the patriarch releasing him. She may even suggest that the marriage should take place at once."



"He Lies," Said Casimir, "in Durance Vile. This Very Morning I Received From the Patriarch a Telegram."

Then Norheys slid back the door which divided the compartment from the corridor.

"Thought I'd look in," he said, "just to see how you're getting on. Viola has dropped off into a doze, and I was feeling a bit hipped with no one to talk to."

He looked around with an amiable smile, as if he were sure of a warm welcome. He got nothing of the sort. Troyte and Cable scowled at him. The king regarded him as an inconvenient outsider. I looked the other way. Casimir was the only one who spoke. He quoted Shakespeare in allusion to Lady Norheys' doze:

> Sleep that knits up the ravell'd sleave
> of care.

"Hit it in one," said Norheys, settling down between Cable and the king. "Well, Uncle Ned, settled up the affairs of eastern Europe?"

"No," said Troyte.

"Well," said Norheys. "I don't want to chip in, don't you know. I hate fellows who shove their oars in when not asked. Still, what I always say is this: An ordinary sort of fellow with no particular brains and that kind of thing often gets there, though you don't expect him to. That's why I'm offering to help. It seems to me the position is this—you'll pick me up if I'm wrong about facts, won't you, Uncle Ned? I'm often a bit weak on facts."

"Facts in this case," I said, "are much more like fancies."

"That's just where I come in," said Norheys. "A fact might have knocked me out, but when it comes to fancies, I'm there all the time. Well now, these Lystrian johnnies seem to want a king. Don't see why they do myself; but there it is. They've got a princess, but that doesn't satisfy them."

"It doesn't satisfy the League of Nations," said the king, "or the Entente powers. That's where the trouble is. The Lystrians would be quite satisfied with Calypso. In fact, they'd be very glad to have me back again, all of them except the patriarch. But the Entente powers simply won't stand me."

"That comes to exactly the same thing as what I said," said Norheys. "Well, along comes some fellow we don't know, dropping like what-d'you-call-him from the thing-a-me-bob. What?"

"A deus ex machina," I suggested.

"That's not what I meant," said Norheys. "I meant a jolly old bolt from the blue. But whatever we call him, thunderbolt or little tin god there he is, quite ready to take on the job, princess and all. That's the way things stand, isn't it, Uncle Ned?"

Troyte was looking out of the window. Casimir murmured something about a Daniel coming to judgment. Norheys went on:

"Well, then, why not let him? That's what I always say: If there's a fellow who'll buck in where wanted, then let him buck in; so long as he doesn't interfere with us."

"Unfortunately," said Troyte coldly, "you've left out of consideration the League of Nations and the treaty of Versailles, and the policy of the Allied Powers."

"What I say about all that," said Norheys, "is this: What did we fight the war for? I don't know, of course, not so to speak out of my own inside. I just fought because all the other fellows I knew did too. But I do know what you said at the time, Uncle Ned, and it's no use your saying you didn't, for you did. What we fought for was the self-determination of small nationalities. Well, there you are, and you can't go back on it now. Lystria is a small nationality, isn't it?"

"Two and a half millions before the war," said the king. "Probably about two millions now."

"Couldn't possibly have a smaller nationality," said Norheys, "and what I always say is this, Uncle Ned: If you've said a thing, you've jolly well got to stick to it, even if you wish you'd said something else, which of course everybody generally does."

I felt quite sorry for Troyte. He really did talk about small nationalities and self-determination several times during the later years of the war. I dare say he deserved to be twitted with it. But I felt I must speak a word for him.

"You forget," I said to Norheys, "that you also fought to make the world safe for democracy. Setting up an absolute monarch in Lystria is not democracy."

"When I talk about democracy," said Norheys, "or rather when other fellows like you, Uncle Bill, talk about democracy—for it's a thing I never mention myself either in a club or anywhere else—I always say that the first thing is to settle: What is democracy?"

We all felt, I think, that Norheys had better be left to answer his own question. Troyte, I know, distrusts the American formula—"By, with, for, to, at, in, the people." None of the rest of us had a formula at all.

"Democracy," said Norheys, "simply means being able to say, 'You go to h—l' to any fellow who tries to come it over on you. That's my idea of democracy, and you may say what you like, Uncle Bill, that's what most of us jolly well fought for. Though what I always say is this: We were rather let down in the end. Still there is, don't you know, a sacred principle and all that, the sort of thing no decent fellow ever goes back on."

"The Lystrians," I said, "are evidently out-and-out democrats. 'You go to h—l' seems exactly to describe their attitude toward the rest of Europe."

"Well, then, there you are," said Norheys. "And if y[illegible] there, what's the use of worrying?"

The attendant from the restaurant car came along and told us that luncheon was served. Norheys rushed off to waken Viola. The rest of us staggered along the swaying corridor. Troyte's forehead was lined with a deep frown, always a sign that he was engaged in serious thought. I remembered exactly the same wrinkles when he was bothered over the writing of Greek iambics at school, which were considered in our day a necessary part of the education of an English gentleman.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Scholars on Strike

Strikes are not a modern trouble. One of the earliest and oddest strikes on record is that which took place in Oxford, England, in 1209, when, in consequence of a peculiarly outrageous aggression of town upon gown, masters and scholars to the number of 3,000 "downed tools" and retired in high dudgeon to adjacent centers of learning. The schools were closed, the city was laid under an interdict, and the trouble only ended five years later—in the complete humiliation of the erring burgesses, who were compelled to do public penance and to accord large privileges to the university. When the offended clerks finally condescended to return, these "blacklegs," who had continued to lecture in defiance of the will of the majority were punished by three years' suspension.

Made Use of Physical Deformity for Profit

There is at Ripon, in Yorkshire, England, an old hostelry, the Unicorn, at which is preserved an etching of a character who once was "boots" there.

"Old Boots," as he was familiarly known to many who never knew him by any other title, flourished from about the middle of the Eighteenth century, and now lies somewhere in the yard of Ripon minster. He was endowed by nature with a nose and chin so inordinately long and so tending to embrace each other that at length he acquired the power of holding a piece of money between them. Thus he was able to turn his deformity to commercial account.

It was a part of his duty to wait upon travelers arriving at the inn, to assist them in removing their boots; and he usually introduced himself carrying a pair of slippers in one hand and a bootjack in the other, and we are told that the company generally were so diverted by his appearance that frequently they would give him a piece of money on condition that he held it between his nose and chin.

Other times, other tastes, and it seems hardly possible that modern travelers would lend themselves to such an exhibition.

For automobile tourists an inventor has combined a spare tire and tool carrier, camp table and lunch kit.

HOW TWO WOMEN AVOIDED OPERATIONS

The Following Letters of Mrs. Thurston and Mrs. Beard Carry an Encouraging Message to Other Sick Women

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Lima, Ohio.—"I want to tell you how your medicine has helped me. For weeks I suffered with awful pains from inflammation and I was in such misery that I had to bend double to get relief. I could not be touched or jarred, had awful pain all over my abdomen and could not touch my feet to the floor. It was impossible for me to straighten up and the pains never ceased. I took treatments for some time and finally was told I would have to have an operation. I do not believe in operations, and I had read so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I told my husband I would try it before I gave up. I soon began to feel that it was doing me good. The awful misery began to leave me, also the backache. I have a good appetite and am gaining in weight. Taking the medicine was the best thing I ever did. I feel like it has saved my life and I do not hesitate to say so to my friends. At least it saved me from a dreaded operation and I am still taking it. I am willing to answer letters from women asking about the medicine."—Mrs. Ethel Thurston, 324 North Pine Street, Lima, Ohio.

Mrs. Beard's Letter

Eddy, Texas.—"I will write you a few words, thinking it will do some one else good. Two doctors said I would have to be operated on because for nearly twelve months I suffered from a weakness from which I could get no relief. I was restless and nervous and was not able to walk across the house. They said it was the Change of Life. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers, and as I could not get any help from doctors I thought I would give that a trial. I began with the liquid and it helped me some, then you advised me to take the tablet form and I began to improve rapidly. I have gained in weight from 105 to 170 pounds. I recommend it to all women with this trouble."—Mrs. M. E. Beard, R. No. 1, Box 143, Eddy, Texas.

Land of Small Wants

In Tibet a man who earned fifteen dollars a year would be looked upon as a millionaire.

Sense of touch consists of knowing just when to strike for a loan.

Gob Humor

Boats'ns Mate—Where is the eyes of a ship?

Boot—In the ship's head, sir.

"Dead he is not, but departed; for the artist never dies."—Longfellow.

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To accuse the wicked and defend the wretched is an honor.—Cicero.

Sure E-nuff

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Japanese Multiplying

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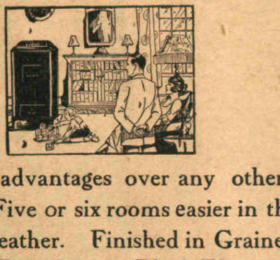
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CORRESPONDENCE

Jonesville

John Tousan of Detroit spent the week end here.

Mrs. F. A. Darling was in Detroit over Sunday.

Mrs. Garrett Walcott was in Grand Rapids last week.

Mrs. Harriet Bliss entertained the Mother's club this week Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Freeman of Sycamore Ill. was a visitor in Jonesville the past week.

H. J. Griess and family were in Metamora, Ohio last week to visit his parents.

R. B. Howard and Arlington Rodlam were in Chicago from Friday until Tuesday.

Claude Thompson and son Claude Jr. will leave soon to spend the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Ida Wisner and family of Toledo were week end guests of Mrs. Olive Wisner and son Edgar.

Percy Whitehead who has visited his father Fred Whitehead returning to his home in Wyoming last week.

A. G. Nelson and family of Chicago were here recently for a visit at the home of their mother Mrs. Katherine Tead.

Mrs. Winnefred Gaige was called to Gary Ind. the first of the week on account of the illness of her sister Mrs. F. C. Guy.

Mrs. Sue Holland of Hillsdale and daughter Dorothy Holland of Fayette Ohio spent the week end at the Harold Merchant home.

C. W. Price and wife will move this week from the Proper house on East Street to the home of Mrs. Grace Coleman on West Chicago Street.

Center Adams

(Received last week)

Carl Vincent and family of Frontier spent Sunday with James Post and wife.

Mrs. Zola Houser of Hudson was the guest of Mrs. Effie McBain on Wednesday.

Mrs. Linnie Post went to North Adams Thursday and spent the day with Mrs. Alice Williams.

Willard Wyman and wife of Jackson are spending the week with Robert Wyman and wife.

Bennie Leifer of South Bend and Clifford Rose of Brooklyn spent Sunday at the L. E. Chase home.

Alberta Worthing of Detroit was the guest over the week end of her mother Mrs. Gertrude Church.

Wells Straw and mother Mrs. Julia Straw of Adrian were Sunday visitors at the G. R. Ambler home.

Mesdames Addie Wyman and Sadie Gray were in Pittsford Wednesday attending County Grange.

Mrs. James Bumpus and two sons of Churches Corners visited her daughter Mrs. M. Coryell and family on Wednesday.

Will Dey of Toledo and Mrs. Florence Davis of Clayton were here the first of week to attend the funeral of W. H. Sabin.

Mrs. Amelia Sidell and sister Mrs. Cordelia Warner also Arlo Warner [illegible] family of Hillsdale ate Sunday dinner with their nephew Marion Coryell and family.

John E. Foster and wife who had spent the past two weeks with Eugene McBain and wife and Robert Foster and family who had been visiting at the McBain home since Thursday returned to their homes at Clinton Indiana on Sunday.

Central Moscow

Andrew Richards was in Pittsford Saturday.

L. L. Sloan visited in Jackson Wednesday.

Douglass Shepard and wife were in Moscow Friday.

Len Dewey's father visited him a few days this week.

Homer Sturdevant and family visited John Adams and wife Sunday.

Lee Kies, wife and son Chas were callers at John Adams Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Adams has been ill with the grip but is better at this writing.

Bernie Brail and wife of Pulaski visited her aunt Mrs. John Adams Wednesday.

Leonard Brayton and family visited his parents George Brayton and wife Tuesday.

(Received last week)

Andrew Richards was in Hillsdale Saturday.

Len Dewey and family visited her people at Waldron the week end.

Mrs John Adams visited her daughter Mrs. H. Sturdevant Tuesday.

Allen and Lee Kies of Jackson were guests Sunday at the Chas Kies home.

Hattie Kies and Mrs. John Adams were callers in Moscow at Joe Harwoods and Mrs. Miner Tenny's last Thursday.

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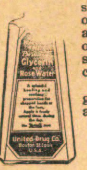
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George Brayton, wife and son Tommy visited their son Leonard and family Sunday.

Harold McDonald and family of Jackson visited her parents Fred Carpenter and wife Sunday.

Levi Lockwood and family of Jackson were callers at her grandparents John Adams and wife recently.

Mrs. Etta Mansden of Grand Rapids, Elvin Kellogg and family of Battle Creek were callers at John Adams Sunday.

West Hoxie

Mrs. Rose Marks is quite ill at this writing.

Roy Housholder was a caller at the Bloemker home Sunday.

Frances Overly and Muriel Holcomb have been recent visitors at the Jackson school.

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Jack Sprague and family of Toledo spent the week end at the Ellsworth Sprague home.

Mrs. Burl Shambaugh is at the Hospital at Ann Arbor taking treatment. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

We regret to hear that Lester Welker who is working at Cement City was hurt. He is improving and will return to his work in a few days.

Jerome

Mrs. Murl Morehead spent Sunday in Ypsilanti.

C. S. Brooks and family spent Sunday with relatives in Indiana.

Dan Bryant and wife of Hanover visited Sunday afternoon at the Elmer Ward home.

Band practice commenced Friday evening at the school house with about 15 persons taking part.

Art Hart and family of Jackson H. A. Voorhees and family of Hanover and Hilda Sawdey of Hanover have been recent guests of R. O. Sawdey and wife.

Rev. Duffey of Albion new district Superintendent of Albion conference will preach at the M. E, church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A good crowd is desired.

Dorothy Ward who was operated upon for appendicitis at the Addison Hospital some time ago was brought home Friday. All are glad to know that she is able to walk around the house.

The Boy Scouts will hold a debate Saturday evening at the Buroker house on the subject "Resolved that Prohibition is a failure." affirmative speakers, Clayton and Robert McGregor. Negative, Donald Frantz and Herbert Anson. Everyone is invited.

The funeral of Mrs. James Dubois was held Friday at the Somerset Congregational church with Rev. Vaughn of Hanover officiating. Mrs. Dubois was 75 years of age and with her husband who survives had spent in the neighborhood of 50 years on the Smith farm near Somerset. A number of years ago Mr. and Mrs. Dubois were honored with a rare write up in the Michigan Farmer. Besides the husband she is also survived by one daughter, Mrs. Eva Shurlow, two sons, James of Lansing Carroll of Cincinnati also by two brothers, John DeFay of Jackson and C. DeFay of New York.

Word received from Mrs. Sarah Kinney of Fremont Michigan says she will be in North Adams soon to spend some time. She has been residing with her son-in-law Frank Curtice. Friends will be delighted to learn she has completely recovered from her long illness.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

North Adams Nov. 10, 1925

Trustees present Carney, Mercer, Fry, Baker. Absent Eggleston and Taylor.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved. Motion made by Trustee Carney and seconded by Mercer that the several bills be allowed and orders drawn for same as follows:

Light and Power Co. cur,	$243 65
W. Frederick, tel and el sup	16 46
Harley Fry, labor on st.	1 20
W. Frederick, Aug. service	25 00
Harley Fry, labor on st.	11 40
J. W. Losey, labor on st.	7 40
Harley Fry, laboron st.	4 20
Light and Power Co. Sept.	220 00
W. E. Frederick, Sept serv.	25 00
	$554 31

No further business appearing, motion was made by Trustee Carney and seconded by Trustee Baker that meeting stand adjourned. Carried. H. A. Williams, Clerk

NOTE—As an explanation of the above we might say there was no meeting during Octobor on account of not having a quorum. The bills, however, were paid when due, in the usual manner. H. W.

Minion Couts reports that his potato crop this season is turning out remarkably well. That he expects to produce at least 1200 bushels of splendid white tubers which are now selling at better than $2.00 per bushel. Mr. Couts has about 200 bushels yet to be dug.

A Surprise For Mrs. Williams

The sewing club members and their parents gave a surprise banquet for Mrs. Grace Williams at the Masonic Hall, Friday evening November 6.

The dining hall and tables were prettily decorated the club colors. The splendid supper was followed by an interesting program:

Toastmistress, Mrs. Lois Holcomb.
Piano solo...........Ione Young.
My trip to Chicago..Edna Holkins.
Vocal solo...........Jean Young
Talk...............O. H. Weisner
Piano solo........Muriel Holcomb
Our Leader........Maurine Taylor
Saxaphone solo....Keith Williams
My trip to Indianapolis..Edward Delamater
Piano solo........Frances Overly
Vocal solo........Gladys Holkins
Talk.............Louis Matthias
Piano duet..Lucille VanWert and Margaret Meeks
Presentation of gift....Marie Hill
Club Yell

Grubby Knoll School Notes

Ten of the children received gold stars for perfect attendance for the month of October.

Recent visitors have been Gilbert Beach, Doris Hill, Gladys Holkins and Mrs. Lewis West.

The proceeds from our Halloween Social were $13.75. We will use it for hot lunches.

The children are selling pencils to secure a picture of the National Capital.

The second and third graders are coloring illustrated stories.

The fifth grade has a geography notebook.

The eighth graders have srarted History and Civics notebooks.

The sixth grade girls are making baskets of fruit for November window decorations.

—Hereafter all bond paper purchased at this office will cost 20c a pound any size which will amount to $1.00 for 500 sheets 8½ x 11, inches $2.00 for 1000. We have been called upon to supply considerable of this lately and find we must have the above price in order to make it an object.

Health and Home

PROPER FOOD FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

The age during which children are attending school may aptly be called "The Dangerous Age." It is the period of rapid growth and every care should be taken to insure the child of a normal and healthy body. The idea of eating only fit and wholesome foods should be early impressed on the younger members of every family in order to protect them against later ill health and its accompanying unhappiness. If the utmost care is not taken in the diet that is used by children, cases of food poisoning, indigestion and kindred ailments may result.

And milk, being the chief item in the diets of most children, should be carefully guarded. It is, because of its nature, prone to infection if exposed to germs and may soon become unfit for use. Wherever there is the slightest reason for doubt as to its purity and food value, steps should be taken to insure the sterility and the fitness of milk intended for consumption by children. Many mothers have adopted the excellent practice of using milk that is absolutely pure and sterile and free from any germs or bacteria. The most satisfactory, as well as the safest milk used in preparing food for the growing child is evaporated milk.

It is sterile, and therefore safe. It is more digestible than market milk.

Its uniformity, convenience and cost are qualities that recommend it.

The following dishes are well suited to the needs of the growing child; they are easily digested and very nourishing:

Caramel Custard.

- 1 cup evaporated milk diluted with
- 1 cup water
- 3 eggs
- ¼ cup sugar (caramelized)
- 2 tbsp. sugar
- ⅛ tsp. salt
- ½ tsp. vanilla

Scald the diluted milk. Caramelize the sugar and add to milk to dissolve. Beat eggs slightly, add sugar, salt, and flavoring and combine with scalded milk. Pour into custard cups and set in a pan of hot water and cook in a moderate oven. When done, a knife blade run in the center will come out clean.

Fish Chowder.

- 1 pint raw fish cut in 1-inch dice
- 6 small potatoes, sliced
- 2 onions chopped fine
- ¼ pound fat salt pork, sliced
- 3 cups boiling water
- 1 cup evaporated milk diluted with
- 1 cup water
- 6 crackers

Fry out the salt pork. When brown, remove pieces of pork and put fish, potatoes, and onions in kettle. Cover with boiling water. Simmer until potatoes are tender. Add the milk and cook 5 minutes longer. Season with salt and pepper. Just before serving add the crackers.

Members of the Gladue Concert Co. 2nd number on the High School Lecture Course entertained a not very large audience on Monday evening. The vaudeville features of the program were well appreciated and the songs and instrumental work seemed to call forth the appreciation of the crowd as expected. Mr. Gladue as the negro was extremely well made up and his rendering of the colored people's songs was a feature of the entertainment. The technique of the violinist of the troupe is certainly high grade. Altogether the concert gave fair satisfaction. We are of the opinion that this repertoire in entertainment is slightly overworked and if a few snappy original elocutionary or impersonation features were added it would give zest to the show.

Gigantic Strength of Insects

Did you ever experience the delightful feeling of an inch-long pinch bug holding your finger in his pincers? He usually hangs right on and you raise him to any height. The strength of that bug if it could be applied to the human family would mean that when you run your automobile weighing 3800 pounds into the ditch wrong side up, you would single handed easily lift it out of the mud and turn it right side up with care on the highway. If you knew what tremendous weights comparatively some insects could raise you would be dumbfounded.

Take for instance the common black ant. A healthy black ant will lift easily eight times it own weight A man as strong as this would lift a medium sized horse onto his back and trot off with him. If you had as much strength in proportion to your size as the bug you would drag a freight train of 100 tons along the track. Now the lowly flea seems diminutive yet he can leap 12 inches high. What would this mean to a man of six feet in height. It means the man would leap with ease right over the tops of the tallest skyscrapers in Chicago without batting an eye. A threaded waist wasp (the common variety) will spring upon a caterpillar and by stinging the worm paralyze him so completely that he is helpless. Then Mr. Wasp will lug him away to his den which means the human kind could easily raise a 2,000 pound ox on a barn door and carry him to town. Without setting the burden down. Looks fishy, don't it? But its a fact.

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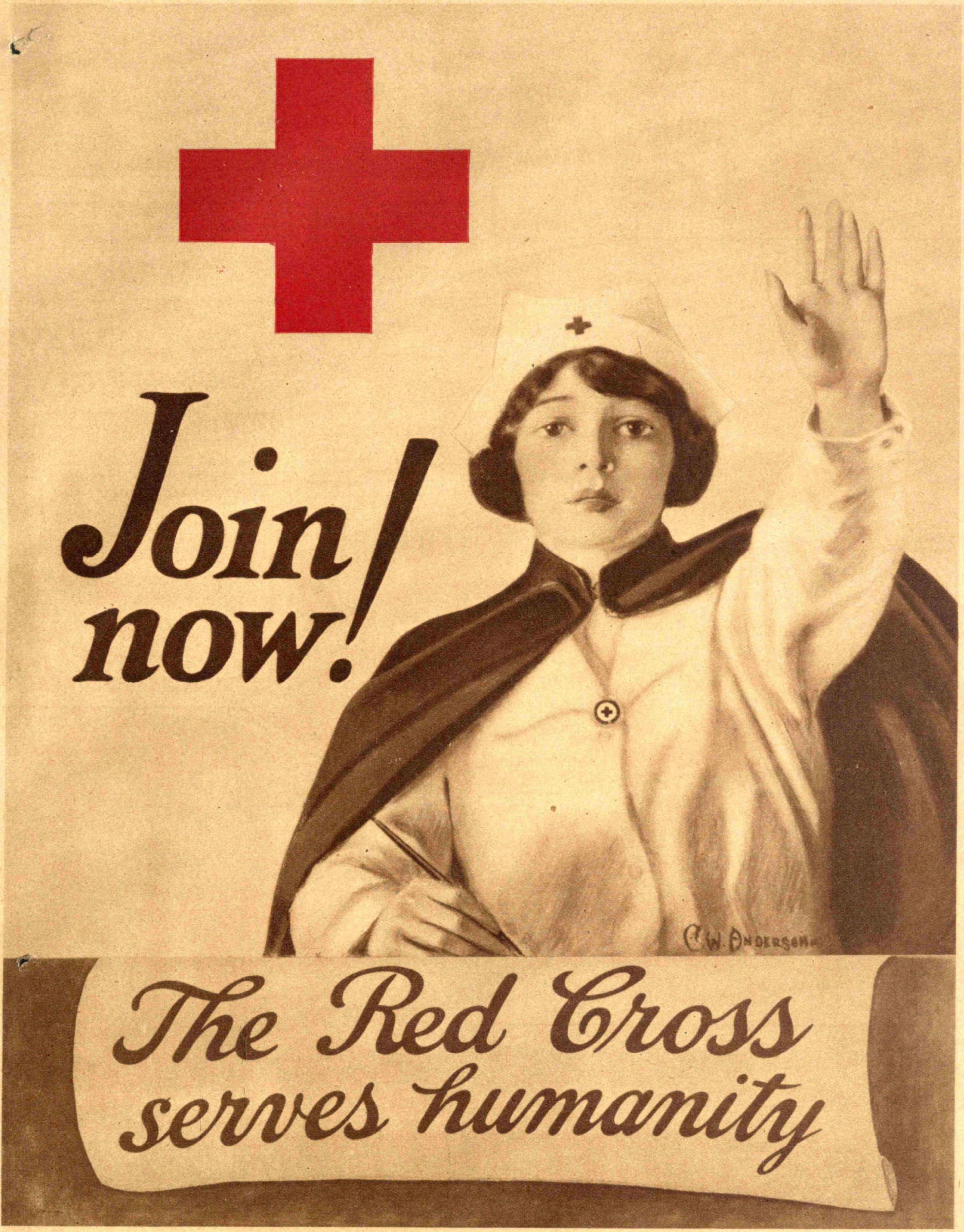
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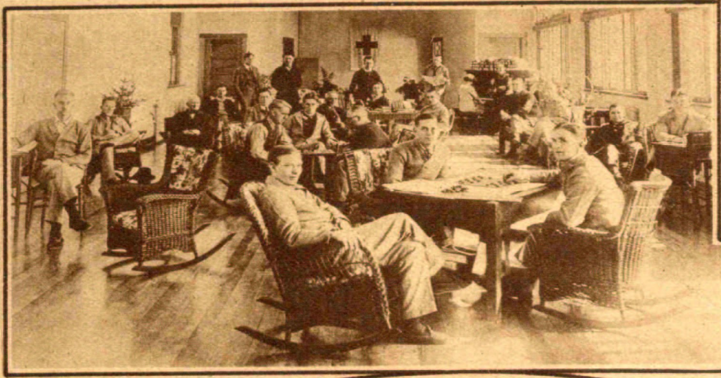
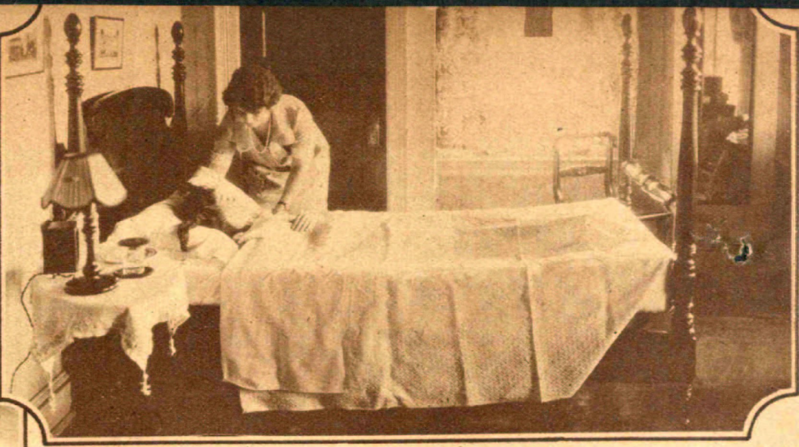
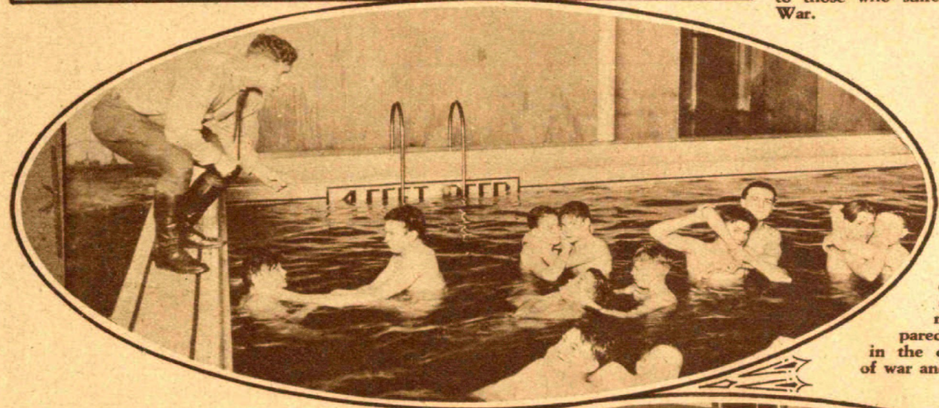


A recreation room in a U. S. Veterans Bureau hospital for disabled war veterans, supervised by the Red Cross—just one phase of Red Cross service to those who suffered in the World War.

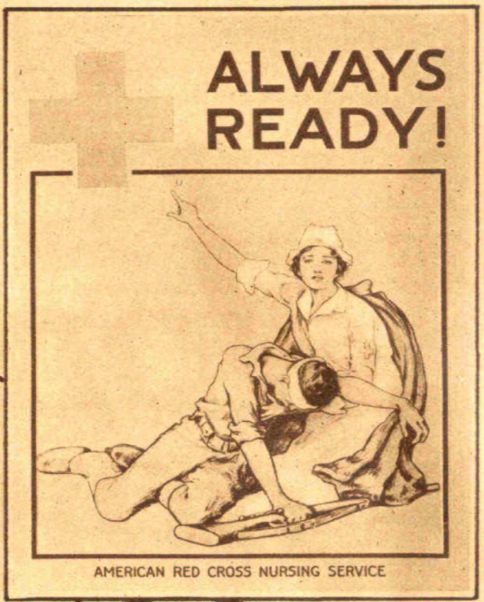


The girl by the bedside of her sister has been taught the essentials of caring for the sick in the home through a Red Cross course in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick.



A class of boys learning how to rescue drowning persons by Red Cross methods.

Under the Red Cross emblem is enrolled an army of nurses, prepared to serve in the emergencies of war and peace.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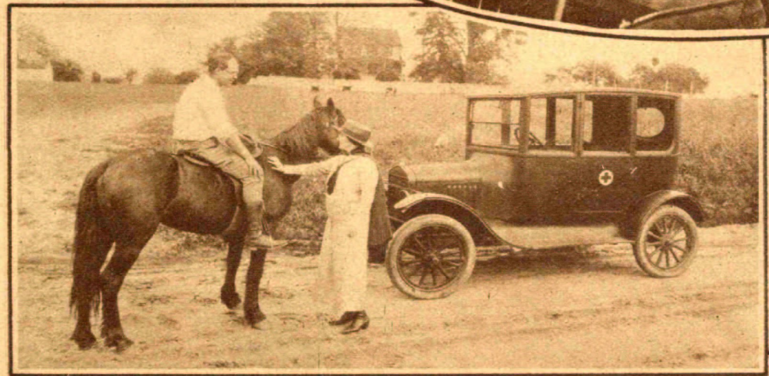

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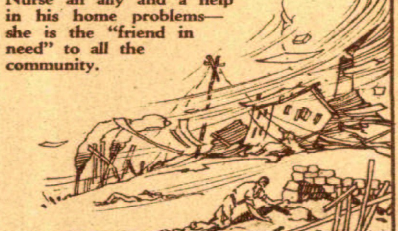

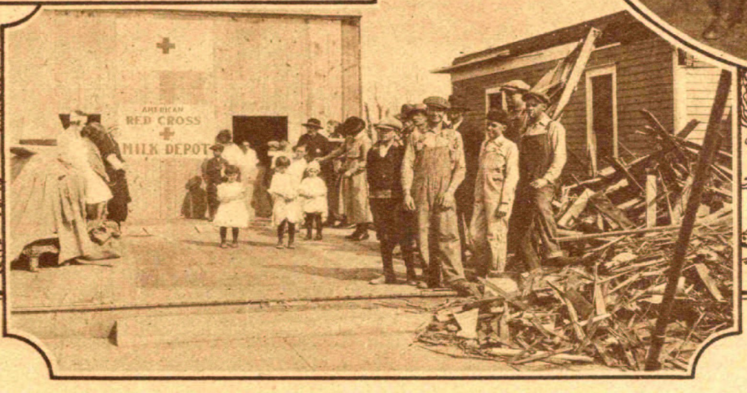
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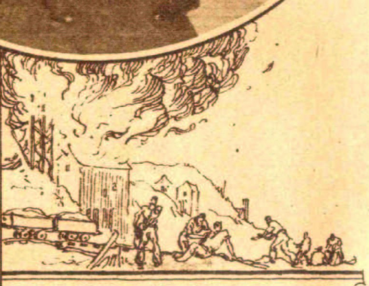

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Local News

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For Sale—Two year old Delaine Ram. Harley Fry. 24t2

Mrs. F. W. Holcomb was in Ann Arbor last week.

E. C. Williams is at Mt. Clemens mineral baths taking treatment.

The Friendship Club will meet with Mrs. R. I. Holkins next Friday afternoon.

Mrs, H. E. Wylie, who has been on the sick list for about a week, is convalescing.

The High School debate will be held at the Congregational church Friday evening, Nov. 20th.

Walter VanCamp and wife of Jackson visited at the Otto Gray home part of the week end,

Marshall Maze formerly of this village, now of Osseo, was in town Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoffman attended the Michigan-Ohio state game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

John Hollister of Coldwater was in North Adams visiting friends a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Waite and daughter, Marion, of Hanover were Sunday guests at the home of R. C. Young and family.

Dr. McFarland and family were in Hamilton, Indiana, on Sunday to visit Mrs. McFarland's sister, Mrs. Ross Watkins and family.

Town Line Grange will hold a "Shadow Social" at the hall Friday evening, Nov. 20th. Supper furnished. Everybody invited.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet at Odd Fellows Hall Friday Nov. 27th. Pot luck dinner. Answer to roll call with quotations. Program.

Flutell Thompson and wife of Hoxie left on Sbnday for Pasadena, California, where they will visit their daughter and husband Jay Carney and wife.

J. F. Duguid. W. A. Lawrence and Rev. H. E. Wylie drove to Jackson Tuesday and attended a district meeting at StLuke's Methodist church in that city.

The Woman's Club met at the home of Ann Ford on Monday and the following program was given: Roll call: response by giving Thanksgiving verses; paper, "Development of Woman From the Primitive to the Modern Housekeeper" Mrs. Eva Overly: music, phonograph: paper "Thanks giving in Other Lands" Gladys Williams; Thanksgiving reading, Allie Holkins; singing by the club Mrs. Harriet Hoikins and Mrs. Lizzie Northrup were guests of the club. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. N. Wolcott.

The following from this vicinity have procured hunting licenses for this season: Jay Knowles, John Williams, Floyd Daniels, Clif Hitchcock, North Adams: Avery Houseknect, Milton Hergert, Bert Dobson, Jonesville: George Bailey, Wheatland: John Crapser, Ralph Taylor, Moscow; Geo. Lee: Dr. Sterling, J. Sterling Jr., Garfield Sawdey, Alfred Baker, Jerome; Eugene McGregor, Somerset; Herman Michelson, Mert Fitzpatrick, Frank Hancock Fred Stock, Dean Stock, Hillsdale. Altogether 86 licenses have been issued in the county.

Fifteen members of the Friendship Chapter, order of DeMolay, of Jonesville attended services at the Methodist church last Sunday night, notwithstanding the storm. Music fitting the occasion was rendered by Prof. Perkins and the Junior choir. A brief service of petition in behalf of their fathers and mothers and aged people of the parent order, conducted by the young men, following the sermon by the pastor, was especially beautiful and impressive. These young men will be welcomed whenever, in the future. they may see fit to worship with the church.

H. R. Smith and Colonel E. H. Kerr are shipping to Hillsdale county a car load of high grade Holsteins from Wisconsin. These cows are of a high producing milk strain of Holsteins and are for use on the Smith farm in Somerset and for distribution to other farmers who desire them. The heavy demand for high class milkers for eastern shipment has greatly depleted the good herds in the county. Eastern buyers have paid as high as $150 per cow to farmers in Somerset and Wheatland townships for extra good milkers. The advertising which has been given to the testing of Hillsdale county cattle has brought buyers here so we in turn, must buy from accredited areas further west.

Margery Young was home over Sunday from Hillsdale.

—Don't forget the Epworth League Party Nov. 25 at Methodist church.

John Litchhult and Mrs. Della Gillett went to Detroit on Wednesday to visit relatives for a couple of days.

Mrs. Delcie Shufelt and son Wayne spent Sunday at the home of Eben Petrie and wife at Bankers. Miss Radah Petrie of Toledo was also present.

The Baptist church which has been undergoing repairs for some time, is now completed and all services will be conducted regularly hereafter.

The ladies of the Congregational church and society will hold an annual bazaar on December 9th and 10th. There will be Rugs. Quilts, Fancy work and booths for various wares. Dinner will be served to the public on both days.

The second regular meeting of the Home Eeonomics Class will be held at the Grange Hall Monday evening, Nov. 23rd at 7:30 sharp, Those who are interested and have missed the first lesson, come any way. A repetition of the first lesson will be arranged later.

We are in receipt of a finely printed and engraved invitation announcing the opening of the new home of the Detroit Free Press just completed at Wayne and Cass streets, Detroit. The public is invited to call and inspect the up-to-date plant of an up-to-date paper.

Della Crowell received the sad news on Friday of the death of her cousin, George L. Hamilton who died Nov. 1 at San Bernardino California. He formerly resided around Moscow. His mother Elizabeth Hamilton, resides at Los Angeles and was a sister to Miss Crowell's father.

Since we spoke of Matthew Havens Poland China hogs he has marketed 38 of them and the average in weight he reports to us, was a little over 218 pounds each. The Editor is not much of a guesser on hog weights hence the difference in actual and supposed weights. Anyhow they were a nice bunch.

Wanted—Keen, alert young men and women, capable of having a jolly good time if given half a chance to enjoy an evening of fun at the Epworth League's "Newspaper Social." Program offers rapid advancement in business of making friends. Apply at Epworth League Room, Methodist church, Wednesday evening Nov. 25 at 7:30 o'clock.

Under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. classes in handicraft work are being formed throughout the county in different localities. Those who are interested in joining a class in basket making are invited to meet the leader, Miss Inez Ensign of Hillsdale at the home of Mrs. M. N. Wolcott next Tuesday, November 24. The meeting is called at eleven o'clock. with pot-luck lunch at noon. Please bring sandwiches for two, one other passing dish, and dishes and silver for self.

Mrs. Chas. McGregor of Jerome writes to friends here that the big cat show held at Jackson occurs Friday, Nov. 20th. and 146 cats and kittens are entered for competition. By the way there are two very valuable Siamese cats entered from Cleveland, O., which are probably the most expensive in the country. They are imported from England and are valued at $1,000 each. Some expensive mouse traps. Wow! Dr. Caswell of this village is the official medical inspector of the show and will be in attendance at the Hotel Otsego, This show is well worth your time to attend and everybody is invited.

Fatal Accident at Michigan City

Kenneth C. Durbin grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gamble of this vicinity came to a sudden and disasterous death on last week Thursday evening at Michigan City Ind., when by some accident his foot slipped and he fell in contact with live wires of the Southern Electric Co. He was found grasping one wire, and it was sometime before he could be removed.

He was born in Jackson Michigan August 23, 19 4, spent sometime with his grand-parents previous to his marriage which took place March 22, 1923 to Miss Ethel Caskey daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Caskey who survives him. He is also survived by his father Charles Durbin of Danville Illinois, a half brother Donald Holder and the grandparents.

Funeral services were conducted at Miner's Undertaking Parlors in Hillsdale Sunday November 15th, at 2 o'clock. Rev. Virgil Hunt of the North Adams Congregational church officiating. Mrs. Hunt sang. Burial was in North Adams cemetery.

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Preaching service every Sunday at 10:30 a. m.
Sunday school at 11:45
Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:00.

Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

Rev. Virgil Hunt, Pastor

Morning worship 10:30.
Sunday school 11:45.
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—This office is supplied with carbon paper 8½ x 12 at 5 cents per sheet.

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—December 2 occurs the annual Methodist Bazaar and home talent play, "Old Songs Concert" at the Methodist church. Watch for further announcements.

—Watch for further particulars concerning the M. E. Bazaar to be held December 4th.

Free Weinies and Sauer Kraut

Sauer Kraut and Wienies will be served free at Starr's Shoe Repair Shop Saturday evening, November 21. Bring along the ladies, also your shoes to be repaired, is you have any. 25t1

Parent-Teachers Association

At the Parent-Teacher's Association meeting on Monday evening the teachers gave reports of the Jackson meeting which they attended. Music was furnished by the orchestra; paper, "Moral Education of the Child" Mrs. Mary Wertz: paper, "Praise vs. Criticism" Supt. R. C. Young, which by the way was the same as given by him at the teacher's meeting; piano duet, Lois and Muriel Holcomb: the very interesting program was closed by singing "America" A committee consisting of Mrs. Gertrude Young and Miss Genivieve Evens were appointed as a program committee for the December meeting.

Cider Was The Cause

A lot of our citizens doubtless have wondered why the electric current we are supposed to get from Hudson petered out so suddenly Sunday night on Nov. 8th, and remained so for the better part of a half hour. The Hudson Post explains it as follows:

"Electric light people usually have all sorts of excuses why the light went out; especially on Sunday evening just as the services were about to start. It is a saying in some big towns that they keep a staff of artists on hand just to think up unusual stories that will appease the people and still get past.

However, the story of why the lights went out on Sunday evening is not only an unusual one, but is moreover strictly true. The Southern Michigan Light & Power Co, have been buying their current from the Adrian plant, transferring it to Hudson by means of high voltage wires. Saturday night it rained with the result that creeks and streams were swollen and the Raisin river which passes through Adrian near the plant of the Adrian company, brought down a lot of cider pumice from some cider mill up stream. The refuse, together with leaves and other debris, backed up into the condensers of the plant and threw them out of commission. Officials of the Hudson company immediately endeavored to get in touch with Morenci and hook up with the current purchased from Toledo, but were unable to do so for something over a half hour."

So that's it. Just as we expected! The condensers got a jag on. and on Sunday night too! Horror of horrors! That's what ailed our transformer at the east corporation line all the time and we didn't mistrust it at al., though several passers-by have reported an odor of raisins and rainwater.

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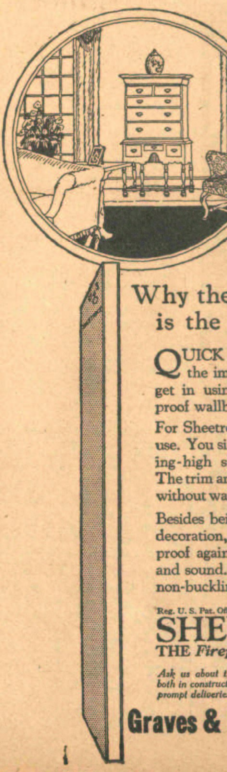

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Job may have had patience, but he was quite talkative about it, wasn't he?

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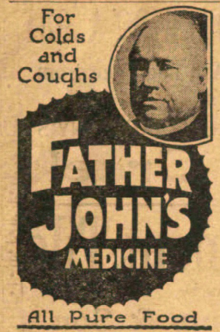
However, the highest culture has to make allowance for the natural instincts.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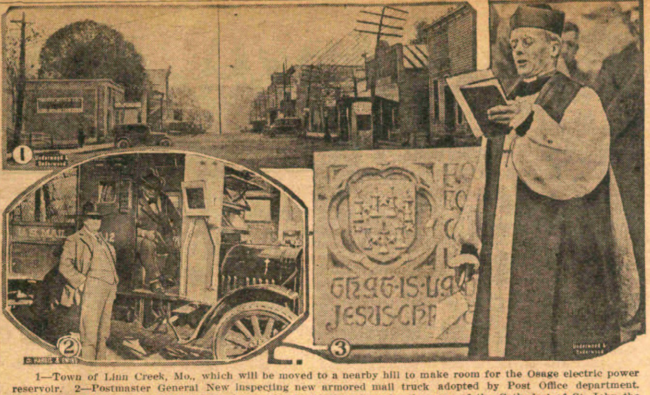
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GRACE IS UPON JESUS CHRIST

1—Town of Linn Creek, Mo., which will be moved to a nearby hill to make room for the Osage electric power reservoir. 2—Postmaster General New inspecting new armored mail truck adopted by Post Office department. 3—Bishop W. T. Manning of New York laying the foundation stone for the nave of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Features of Tax Reduction Bill as Completed by the House Committee.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

THE house ways and means committee last week completed its draft of the tax reduction measure which will be put forward by the administration in the next session of congress, and as it will have the support of the conservative Democrats its passage is virtually assured. Aggregate reductions of income and other taxes are estimated at $308,372,709. There will be no decrease in surtaxes on incomes between $10,000 and $45,000 because it was found such decrease would result in too great loss of revenue; but those incomes get the benefit of increased exemptions and decreases in the normal rates. Accepting the advice of the treasury experts, the committee rescinded its previous action extending the $400 exemption for each child below eighteen years of age so as to include those up to twenty-one years when still in school. Administrative difficulties made this extension undesirable.

In the measure adopted the surtax schedule starts at one per cent upon net incomes in excess of $10,000 and not in excess of $14,000, as provided in the present law. One per cent is added, as in the present law, for each additional $2,000 up to $30,000. A ten per cent rate is reached, as at present, on the amount of net income in excess of $30,000 and not in excess of $34,000. Eleven per cent applies between $34,000 and $36,000, 12 per cent between $36,000 and $38,000, and 13 per cent between $38,000 and $42,000. The existing act has a rate of 14 per cent between $42,000 and $44,000, but the new schedule extends the 14 per cent rate up to $46,000.

Under the new schedule there is a surtax of 15 per cent between $46,000 and $50,000, 16 per cent between $50,000 and $60,000, 17 per cent between $60,000 and $70,000, 18 per cent between $70,000 and $80,000, 19 per cent between $80,000 and $100,000, and 20 per cent on that portion of net income in excess of $100,000. The 40 per cent maximum of the present law applies above $500,000, while the 20 per cent rate of the present law is reached at $56,000.

With every disposition to be liberal, the committee still found it wise to reject a number of proposals that would be likely to cut down too far the government's revenue. Among these was an amendment under which small corporations and partnerships might have the option of filing returns as corporations or partnerships, thus electing whether to be taxed at a flat 12½ per cent or to be subject to surtaxes. Another was the elimination of the present 12½ per cent limitation on taxes and deductions for capital gains and losses. A 10 per cent tax on pistols and revolvers was retained.

The estimated loss of $308,372,109 in revenue is distributed as follows:

Income taxes	$193,574,546
Gift tax	1,000,000
Cigars and tobacco	12,000,000
Alcohol	4,000,000
Excise taxes	84,367,163
Occupational taxes	11,431,000
Stamp taxes	2,000,000

In considering proposals for the reorganization of the board of tax appeals the committee tentatively approved a permanent board of 16 members with either long terms or life tenures, subject to removal for malfeasance in office; an increase in salary from $7,000 to $9,000, a prohibition against practice before the board at any time by members who are removed and a ban against practice within four years by members resigning.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL started out to make good on his promise to sustain his many charges against the air service, and his witnesses, one after another, confirmed his accusations of maladministration by the army and navy officials. The law officer of the trial board, Col. Blanton Winship, gave him a free rein. Maj. Carl Spatz, chief of the tactical unit of the training division of the air service, gave various instances of alleged mismanagement by the War department and declared he believed the development of aviation was being retarded by the department's attitude. Asked his opinion of the knowledge of the general staff in aviation, he replied:

"It is the knowledge of men who have not been trained in aviation. With the exception of Maj. M. F. Harmon and Maj. G. C. Brandt, no officers of the general staff have had the air service training that comes of having been in command of tactical units."

Capt. Robert Oldys, who has supervision of defense projects in the overseas possessions, said his recommendations in many instances had not been followed and he was not given sufficient equipment or personnel to carry out the plans that were approved.

To support Mitchell's accusation that high ranking officers had made false and misleading statements to boards of investigation, General Fries, head of the chemical warfare service, was called. His testimony was contradictory to the statement made by General Drum, assistant chief of staff, that it would take 3,439,000 pounds of mustard gas to render the District of Columbia unoccupiable and that 2,000 planes would be needed to carry the gas. General Fries said the job could be done with 960 planes each carrying a 1,000-pound gas bomb.

On Thursday five officers of long experience in the air service told the court of deaths, delays and damages which they attributed to the shortcomings of the department, of neglected training and recommendations ignored; and on following days the testimony along this line was piled up by the defense.

Mrs. Lansdowne's charges that naval officials attempted to dictate her testimony before the naval court inquiry on the destruction of the Shenandoah were repeated by her at the Mitchell trial, and are to be thoroughly investigated by the Navy department. Mrs. Lansdowne asserts that Capt. Paul Foley, judge advocate of the naval court, called at her home and questioned her, and that later she was given a letter purporting to come from Foley, containing a statement for her to use in testifying before the court.

FORCED to a showdown by the demands of the council of ambassadors on the subject of disarmament, the German government has yielded on all points, and as a result it is expected that the evacuation of the Cologne area will begin on December 1. Little or nothing of Germany's military glory will remain. Here are the main changes to be made by Berlin:

General von Seeckt, commander of the reichswehr, is to be replaced by a civilian holding a political office, and the corps commanders will be responsible to him. The general staff will be liquidated. The security police will be recruited on a basis of life-long service and all military titles in it will be abolished. The big guns yet remaining in the fortress of Koenigsberg will be destroyed. The German government undertakes to prevent military training of the German youth.

These concessions by the government, it is predicted, will make impossible the ratification of the Locarno pacts before December 1. Consequently it is likely the treaties will be signed by Chancellor Luther and Foreign Minister Stresemann under special authorization of President von Hindenburg, based on an article of the constitution.

KING TUTANKHAMEN, who had lain undisturbed in his tomb at Luxor, Egypt, since 1348 B. C., was lifted from his coffin Thursday by Howard Carter and propped up against a wall. There the scientists of the expedition submitted the mummy to an X-ray examination, and they hope to determine thus whether the pharaoh died of tuberculosis, as some Egyptologists think, or was murdered, as Mr. Carter suspects. Tut's internal organs, which were found in jars, will be analyzed for possible traces of poison. Mr. Carter has a theory that the king was slain by General Horemheb, who usurped the throne. The mummy was incased in three golden inner coffins which are said to be wonderfully decorated. Carter's operations are surrounded with extraordinary secrecy.

NEWS from China was exciting last week—if you can get excited over news from China. For several weeks the forces in opposition to Marshal Chang Tso-lin, the Manchurian, had been gathering strength, and finally they drove him and his troops northward and threatened to cut off his retreat. Gen. Feng Yu-hsiang assumed full control at Peking, where the government officials were virtual prisoners, and on Thursday word came via Hawaii indicating that martial law had been proclaimed and that President Tuan Chi-jui had resigned. Members of the cabinet and other officials who supported Chang already had thrown up their jobs and fled. Gen. Sun Chuan-Fang, governor of Chekiang, it is said, is planning to attack Manchuria with troops that are being embarked at Shanghai and Haichow.

MUSSOLINI emerges stronger than ever from the rumpus caused by the recent plot to assassinate him. The plan, according to official investigators, was first to kill the premier and then to overthrow the government by an armed revolt. The chief conspirators, presumably, are under arrest and will be punished, but the dictator wisely restrained his Fascist hosts from exacting promiscuous vengeance. Socialist organizations are being suppressed.

Another ruler, King Ferdinand of Rumania, escaped assassination which was plotted by Communists.

REFUNDING of Italy's debt to the United States was concluded on generous terms to the debtor. It is unnecessary to give the details of the settlement. In the words of the American debt commission: "Under this arrangement the total annual payments begin at $5,000,000 and reach $80,000,000 in the last year. For an original debt of $1,648,000,000 the United States will receive during the period of the agreement (62 years) a total of $2,407,000,000.

SECRETARY OF COMMERCE HOOVER, acting on the advice of the fourth national radio conference in Washington, announces that no additional licenses for operation of broadcasting stations will be issued until the present congested condition of the air is cleared up. The conference favored limiting the number of stations and restricting broadcasting on a basis of service to listeners. It voted that direct advertising should be eliminated. Most important of the actions of the conference was the adoption of a legislative program which will be presented to congress. The principles of this program are:

The administration of radio shall be vested in the secretary of commerce.

Free speech shall be upheld.

While broadcasting stations shall not be regarded as public utilities, permits to go on the air shall be issued only to those who will render a benefit to the public.

The President shall have power to commandeer stations in period of war.

No monopoly in radio communication shall be permitted.

Appeal from decisions of the secretary of commerce may be made to appropriate courts.

The secretary shall have power to classify all stations, fix and assign call letters, wave length, power, location, time of operation, character of emission and duration of license.

Permits for the construction of broadcasting stations must be secured before construction.

Stations must respect distress signals.

The secretary shall have power of revocation of licenses for failure to comply with the law, regulations of the department or terms of the license.

Existing stations will be given a reasonable length of time to comply with the terms of the new legislation when enacted.

Rebroadcasting shall be prohibited without the consent of the originating station.

Licenses will be granted for a period of five years, renewable for like periods.

Call letters represent a property right during the life of a license and the secretary shall not change wavelength power, time of operation, nor character of emission without the consent of the licensee, unless public necessity demands such changes.

Move to Honor Wilson Runs Into Two Snags

Washington.—The Woodrow Wilson Memorial association, organized here recently by a small group of government employees and others to raise funds for a Woodrow Wilson memorial university, has encountered the withdrawal of Secretary Wilbur as an honorary vice president and open disapproval of its method of organization by a former member of the cabinet under the war President.

After calling on Mrs. Woodrow Wilson here, Josephus Daniels, who served as secretary of the navy in the Wilson cabinet, made this statement in regard to the memorial association:

"I do not think that a memorial university like this should be undertaken without first calling a conference of men who are known to have been close friends of Woodrow Wilson."

The manager and principal organizer of the association, A. W. Lowell, a former newspaper man, is charged in a lawsuit filed against him here with having given a worthless check for $100 to a hotel in Orkney Springs, Va.

R. Moulton Petty, an auditor in the internal revenue bureau, is president of the association, which was organized for the announced purpose of raising $5,500,000 for a memorial university near here on the Virginia side of the Potomac river.

Information that the closest friends of the war President did not look with favor on the project was given by Secretary Wilbur as the reason for his withdrawing his name.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Mt. Pleasant—Central Michigan Normal's second annual Home coming will be held Friday and Saturday, Nov. 20 and 21.

Owosso—Fire early Thursday caused damage of $5,000 to the plant of the Owosso Baking company. Five thousand loaves of bread were burned. The plant will be shut down for several days as a result.

Holland—The entire freshman class of Hope college was suspended by Dr. E. D. Dimment, president, when 60 members of the class went to school in a body without caps or neckties, contrary to freshman rules. Arrangements are being made for their return to class.

Port Huron—Detroit doctors took up the larger part of the program of the Michigan State Medical society post graduate and clinical conference held at the Hotel Herrington here. Six physicians were on the program that extended from early morning until 6:15 p. m. at which time more than 50 doctors were present for the closing dinner.

Lansing—Plans to hold monthly meetings of the representatives of all the real estate boards in the state where efforts would be made to improve the standards of practice in the business were discussed here at a meeting of 100 representatives of Michigan boards. George C. Keller, of Flint, suggested the plan, which was received favorably.

Albion—Miss Mildred Mapley, formerly of Pontiac, employed in the office of the president of Albion college for the last four years, has been made business secretary of the college. In addition to her other work Miss Mapley will act as business manager until the appointment of a successor to Robert B. Stewart, who resigned to become controller of Purdue university.

Lansing—Mayor Sampel L. Shank, of Indianapolis is to be the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Lansing Association of Credit Men here November 16, it has been announced. The meeting is one of the most important in the business life of the city and draws about 300 business executives each year. Douglas Malloch, Chicago poet, also will be on the program.

Port Huron—Reports from "rum row" on the Canadian shore extending from Sarnia south to Port Lambton, are to the effect that the scows berthed along the river bank for the "export" trade are heavily stocked with liquors for the American Christmas trade. Carloads of liquor are arriving daily in the Sarnia railroad yards and are being quietly distributed to scows in the vicinity, all of which is lawful in Canada.

Grand Rapids—The purpose behind the purchase by Edgar R. Hill, of Chicago, of hundreds of acres of Wyoming township land apparently was disclosed recently when miners began sinking test holes on the property. As Hill is connected with the United States Gypsum company, it is indicated the test holes are to ascertain the amount of plaster rock below the surface, although residents in that vicinity say no gypsum has been struck to the depth they have bored their wells.

Muskegon—As theatre crowds passed the Rice clothing store in odwntown Muskegon, burglars were carrying away 60 suits valued at $3,000. Entrance was made through a rear door found ajar by Patrolman Frankowski, who entered the store as the marauders left by a basement entrance. As the John Strating family dined burglars entered an adjoining room and departed with the family's treasure box, containing a deed to their home, $130 and other valuables.

Pontiac—In an opinion handed down Thursday, Circuit Judge Glenn C. Gillespie set aside the half-million dollar assessment roll spread in 1924 in Royal Oak Township for the raising of money for the construction of drains. Former County Drain Commissioner Cassius J. Crawford was in charge of the work. One hundred and twenty property owners protested against the payment of the assessments, charging they were unequal. They sued the Auditor-General to stop the collection of the tax.

Ann Arbor—Clarence Darrow, noted criminal lawyer, who is now engaged in the Sweet trial in Detroit, will speak to students of the University of Michigan on "Crime, Its Causes and Treatment," in Hill auditorium some time next week. Although the lecture was orginally planned for Wednesday, it is expected that change of date will be necessary to conform more fully with other university plans. Mr. Darrow will be brought to Ann Arbor under the auspices of the lecture committee of the Michigan Union.

Kalamazoo—Suffering from exhaustion after a tramp of 25 miles and his clothing drenched by the downpour of rain, Stanley Roberts, 28 years of age, shell-shocked veteran of the World War, was found wandering eight miles west of here Thursday and brought to the county jail. Roberts had escaped from the Veterans hospital at Camp Custer and was returned there tonight. He was identified as a hospital patient by marks on a towel he had wrapped about his head. Hospital authorities said Robert's home was in Detroit.

Kalamazoo—Frank E. Fry, 60 years old, was killed instantly at Comstock when he drove his automobile onto the Michigan Central railroad tracks directly in front of eastbound train No. 22, known as the "Wolverine." His body, entangled in wreckage of his car was carried on the pilot of the locomotive a third of a mile before the train was brought to a stop. The crossing where the accident occurred is guarded by a watchman. It was believed that rain on the windshield of Fry's automobile obscured his view of the tracks.

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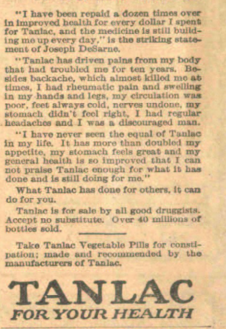
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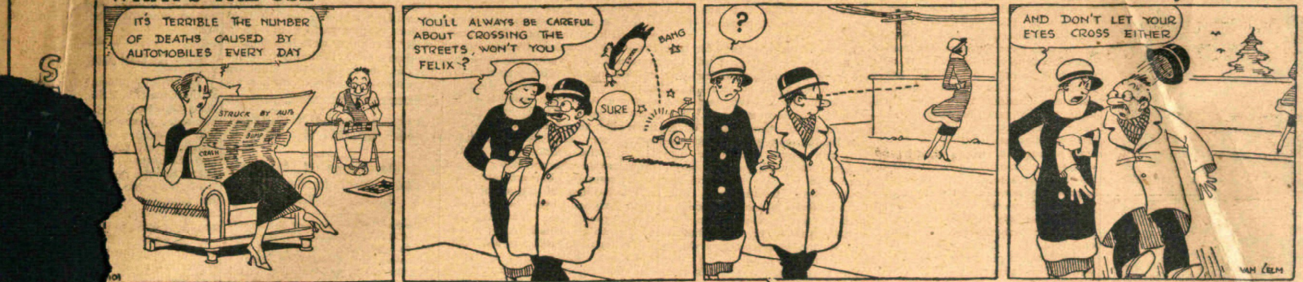
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WHEN you buy a new suit do you take your wife along to help you select it? The opinions of men on this subject vary greatly.

"I haven't bought a thing for myself since I was married," one man will say. "When I want shirts, collars, ties—in fact anything except suits and overcoat, my wife selects them by herself. For the others, we go together."

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Why The Automobile Driver Should Not Use Alcoholic Liquors

The following paragraphs are selected from papers written on this subject by pupils in the fifth and sixth grades in the annual prize essay contests conducted by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, 1924, 1925.

The paragraphs reveal the fact that some school children are learning why alcohol is out of place in our modern transportation systems.

The daily record in our newspapers of the loss of lives by automobile accidents is alarming. In tracing the causes of these accidents it is found that a great number are caused by the driver being under the influence of alcoholic liquors.

Alcohol is a poison which injures the body, the mind and the morals. Alcohol especially effects the brain and nerves. The automobile is a powerful machine which needs a driver with a perfectly clear brain. Alcohol confuses the brain so that the powers are not under control The cells become so numbed they can not give the right orders.

A driver who has a perfectly steady hand is needed. Alcohol gives him a shaky, trembly, uncertain hand not fit to guide a machine, with its load of precious lives. A moment's slip and there may be loss of life,

The driver needs to think quickly and to act quickly. But even a single drink of alcoholic liquor affects the quickness of a man's nerves, and the accuracy of his actions. He is a bit slow and a bit clumsy.

Alcohol also effects his moral sense. The will power is weakened and there is loss of self control. He loses self respect and forgets his duty to others. He takes the whole road without regarding other people's rights. None are safe on the public highway. Accidents occur and the innocent suffer.

Thus we see the effects of alcoholic liquors upon the body, mind and morals of the automobile driver They prevent a clear brain, a steady hand, power to think quickly, and to act quickly, and interfere with his duty to others. These are good reasons why a driver should not use alcoholic liquors.

—Ruth McBurney, Guernsey Co., Ohio.

In the morning paper there was an account of an accident, which furnishes a good lesson for every automobile driver. Yesterday afternoon a man was speeding down Cliff Drive. On one side of the street was a great embankment. The driver was under the influence of liquor. He was driving along the side of the embankment when suddenly he lost control of the wheel and the car went into the ditch. He was killed instantly and the car was torn to pieces. There are many such accidents each day caused by men who use alcoholic liquors. An automobile driver particularly should let these poisonous drugs alone.

—Beulah Lay, St. Louis School for the Blind, St. Louis, Mo,

There are many ways that alcoholic drink harms the body. One is that it harms the driver himself. It affects his brain. Drinking harms his business. The public will soon find out those who drink, and will not trust themselves with half drunken drivers. People are not willing to take any chances with reckless driving. A drinking driver is likely to have accidents because he can't tell the difference between colors. It is hard for him to get the signal quick enough to avoid having a wreck, thus endangering the lives of those in his car, as well as those he happens to meet or pass.

The automobile drivers require strong, healthy bodies, clear minds and eyesight, with self control. There is no place for alcohol in the serious business of driving a car.

—Elizabeth Hopkins, West Point, Miss.

A man who drives a car should never use alcoholic drink. It affects especially, his brain and nervous system.

Many of our automobile accidents are due to drinking on the part of drivers and chaffeurs.

In the hospitals are often to be found innocent persons who have been injured by the drinking habits of others. A large number of children are killed on the streets when some driver that has been drinking comes along. Many men that are intoxicated with alcohol and drive an automobile meet with very severe accidents. Sometimes when men are hurt or crippled for life, they leave a wife and children who will have to do the best they can to support themselves, or starve.

The people who know the dangers of alcohol have formed anti-alcohol leagues and societies and are educating people by means of newspapers, lectures, magazines, and statistical charts showing the effects upon the community and nation.

—Pearl Thayer, Gibson City, Ford County, Illinois.

There are fifteen million automobiles on the streets and highways in the United States, so we must have careful drivers in the crowded streets. A driver must be able to act and think quickly. A British doctor experimented and found that for an hour after a man had had a drink of beer, he is clumsy in doing work that needs well controlled muscles. Especially bus or cab drivers should not drink beer for they not only put their own lives in danger, but also the lives of those who are in the car with them.

A drinker may act quickly but he may act wrong, as blowing a horn quickly at a child. The child may get frightened and run the wrong way. A driver never knows what a small child will do. A child may run out into the street for no reason at all. An American experimenter found that one quart of light beer interfered with steering. Alcohol slows man's ability to act in response to signals. A man was driving along a street when a small child ran into the street after her ball. That small child was the signal to act, to act quickly, and act right. The man swerved the car and missed the child. Every driver must imagine that every child on the street or on the sidewalk is bent on committing suicide under the wheels of his car. Alcohol dulls judgment and makes a man reckless, dulls his judgment of distance * * *. You wouldn't drive a car that is out of order, why trust it to a man woh is out of order?

—Nameless paper from Nebraska.

We have known for many hundreds of years that alcoholic drinks are very injurious. At tho present time we need men more than ever before who are strong in body and clear in mind. One of the greatest conveniences of the present time is the automobile. It is a blessing to all of us if properly handled, but when put into the hands of those who have not control of their nerves, and are not quick to act, it becomes a dangerous thing.

Any person who uses alcohol should never be trusted with an automobile. He is not only in danger himself but everyone he meets is also in danger. It is not always the drunken man who is the greatest source of distress, for the man who uses alcohol moderately may be so affected that he is daring, thoughtless, careless and consequently dangerous.

—Nameless paper from Eureka, Illinois.—The Union Signal.

State Farmers Win Honors With Swine

Eighteen litters of Michigan pigs reached their goal of one ton weight at six months of age in the state "ton litter" contest held during the past summer, according to figures released here this week by the animal husbandry department at the M. S. C.

The winning litter, in fact, passed the 3,000 pound mark. Hugh Ward, of Fowlerville, checked in a litter of 13 O. I. C. pigs for a total weight of 3,025 pounds when they were 180 days old, for first place in the test. Chester Whites entered by W. R. Kirk, of Fairgrove, finished second with a weight of 2,880 pounds for the 12 in the litter; while third honors in the state contest went to E. E. Cribbs, of Three Rivers, when his litter of 15 Hampshires weighed in at 2,825.

Others among the 18 farmers who piloted litters into the select "ton litter" class were, in the order named: Cleveland Neal, Akron Harry Ward, McBain; Perry Tift, Montgomery; Wm. O'Brien, Constantine; R. J. Davis, Tekonska; Jay Pinckney and Son, McBain; M. J. Withington, Fremont, Ind., Rank Wickham, Potterville; Seymour Hesche, Lowell; Geo. C. Gordon, Quincy; Thos. Sansen, Silverwood; Francis J. Snell, Bad Axe; Ed. Coupar, Marlette; and Ira Hammond, Springport.

The ton litter contest is held each year, under the auspices of Verne H. Freeman, extension specialist at the M. S. C. Valuable prizes, in addition to the honor of qualifying for the ton litter medals are awarded the high pens in each contest. The basic purpose of the contests is said to be stimulation of interest in more efficient pork production in the state.

M. S. C. To Exhibit At Chicago Shows

Livestock from the herds of the M. S. C. will be entered in the competitive classes at the International Livestock Show in Chicago the last of the month, along with entries from Michigan farmers and from other states.

Many blue ribbons have been brought back from the International in former years by the college animals, and it is expected that the prestige of Michigan will be upheld again this fall. In addition to M. S. C.'s star string of horses, beef cattle, swine, and sheep will be entered in the various classes.

Prominent Michigan breeders will also have entries in the competitive classes at the livestock show, giving the state full representation.

Signal triumphs scored by Michigan farmers in the competition of the International Hay and Grain Show in former years will be repeated this fall if predictions are carried out. The state's best growers of field crops have prepared their entries for the Chicago test. A special educational exhibit, featuring the agricultural opportunities of Michigan, will be shown at the Hay and Grain Show by the college, along with similar displays from other states.

Problems of Michigan's fruit crop will be discussed by the state horticultural society during its annual meeting, to be held at Grand Rapids from December 1-3. Leading fruit growers of the state, members of the horticultural staff and students at the M. S. C., and prominent speakers from outside the state are included on the announced program for the three day meeting There will also be special exhibits of nursery products, spray machinery, insecticides, etc., according to H. D. Hootman, extension specialist at M. S. C. and secretary of the society.

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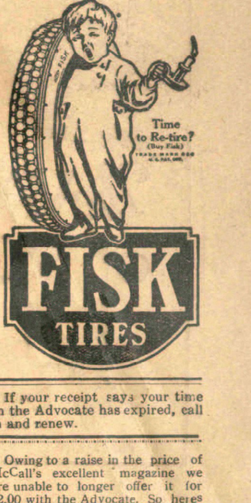

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The Swigart Land Co., of Chicago have decided it is too warm for them in Michigan and have gone to greener pastures—in other words they have withdrawn from the Wolverine state on account of stringent rulings passed by the Michigan Securities Commission. After due consideration it has been found the Swigart Company have been doing crooked business in land and have sold farms in this state to negroes, which upon investigation have been utterly worthless for agricultural purposes. This is probably not the first Land company who have done that trick but more than likely they have gone at it so brazenly and so absolutely care-free the Commission could not well avoid pinching them. You will find the advertising of Swigart in pretty nearly every big paper which comes out of Chicago, telling of the fair land of Michigan where golden dollars grow on bushes and you have only to pluck them. Most of the land handled by these companies is in northern counties adjacent to Lake Michigan and while highly recommended for peach and fruit culture will not on the average support common weeds. It is a fact that not even beans can be raised there. A good deal of the country is simply ex-sand dunes blown up from the lake's bottom which are as devoid of humus as the bed of a stone quarry and worth on the average about 50 to 75 cents per acre.

City dwellers who have never in their lives been outside of Chicago often suppose that most any land in Michigan will grow large luxurient peaches such as they are accustomed to eat, but after losing their hard-earned dollars in such worthless speculation awake too late to climb out of it. It is too bad that hanging in Michigan is not permissible. If it were and could be applied to a few land sharks the country would be much relieved. We are not supposing the Swigart's entire stock in trade is this kind of property. It is probable they have some decent city lots which they would sell for a fortune, but their dealings with classes of people who would not know a fertile square inch of soil from a lake or a stone quarry, should be kiboshed.

New York Central Ready For Heavy Winter Traffic

With the season for track work drawing to a close the New York Central Railroad reports its lines in perfect condition for heavy winter traffic.

Some idea of the immense amount of work required to maintain a great railroad continuously in first-class condition may be gained from the fact that the New York Central Railroad used 1,320,000 ties for replacement on the Lines East of Buffalo, embracing 8,136 miles of track in 3,111 miles of line, during the season now drawing to a close. At the New York Central standard of 3,200 ties to the mile this quantity would have laid a continuous line of track from Grand Central Terminal in New York City to Corfu, New York, 25 miles East of Buffalo. Part of these ties were hardwood from the Adirondacks, the rest were pine from Cadada, Nova Scotia, Georgia and Alabama. All were creosoted, for ties are now so expensive that it pays to take good care of them.

Other items required for the maintenance of this part of the New York Central system for one year included 55,000 tons of steel rails, which would have laid 344 miles of continuous track. The greater part of these rails were open hearth, 105 pounds to the yard; but 3,000 tons were 127 pounds to the yard, 7 inches high, which is to be the standard for the main line. One thousand tons of the total was of manganese steel which has five to seven times the wearing quality of open hearth steel, for use in sharp curves where the wear is heavy.

The 20,350 switches in this territory also wear out and have to be renewed at the rate of 1,500 a year

To prolong the life of rails, angle bars, bolts, spikes and switch points they are oiled once a year with 90 gallons of oil per mile. The oil is applied from a tank car drawn by a locomotive at the rate of 20 miles an hour while the oil is forced out by compressed air at 75 pounds pressure against the web, ball and flange of the rail. This checks rust due to exposure and brine drippings from the refrigerator cars, greatly prolongs the life of the metal and makes handling of nuts, bolts and spikes easier for section men.

To do all this required an average force of 3,000 men throughout the season from April to December in addition to the regular force of section men. The season was not unusual but, on the contrary, was about the usual routine of continuous rebuilding, for a railroad, like woman's work, is never done.

Annual Y. W. C. A. Report

To meet a steadily developing program of activities in Hillsdale county, the County Young Woman's Christian Association is seeking this month to secure support that will be more nearly adequate. The record of work which the Association offers the county has been steadily developing since three years ago.

The local work in various committees includes; Girl Reserve work among girls in the High School; grammar school and some open county district schools, and club work and classes among young women stressing especially handcraft, gymnasium, discussions and recreation. During the past year there have been six high school reserve clubs in Allen, Frontier, Hillsdale, Hudson, Pittsford and Reading; grade school clubs in Hillsdale and Hudson and an open county group taking in girls from the Hoxie, Nethaway, Mud Lake and Bross school districts- Activities among young women have included business girls' groups in Hillsdale and Hudson; basketry classes in Cambria township and Nethaway school district; gymnasium classes in Hillsdale and Hudson.

District-wide work during the past year included two membership meetings when women and girls assembled from all over the district. The program of the annual meeiing in January included demonstration of work done thruout the district, an address by a National secretary of the association and a significant membership ceremoniel service. The spring meeting at Cambria was addressed by a Russian born association secretary recently returned from Esthonia. To the girls of the district one of the most significant district wide meetings was the two-day spring conference in Reading. The theme of this conference was vocations for girls and specialists in the occupations of Business, Home Economics, Journalism, Nursing, Recreation. Social Service and Teaching, gave to the girls talks, Demonstrations and personal conferences. A Vocational Guidance expert summarized the discussions and gave a very helpful talk on "How to choose your vocation."

Girls who attended the summer camps for High School and grade school girls and their families and friends are very sure that has been the most worth while part of the Association program. There with every minute of every day filled with a balanced, attractive program and with a camp staff of leaders, which included a trained nurse three young women who have specialized in physical education. a nature study enthusiast, a dietician and an excellent cook, all of whom were willing and able to bend their energies to the creation of an ideal Christian community in Camp Namroun, the "Village of Light" with this equipment; the "best camp ever" was realized.

Probably as a result of the success of many pieces of work last year, the fall of 1925 has brought to the headquarters office in Hillsdale many more requests. The present outlook for the year shows a prospect of new work in every direction. New handicraft classes have been started in the Hoxie school district, Frontier and Hudson, and the Phoenix club of Cambria are also receiving instruction from the Y. W. C. A. High School Girl Reserve Clubs have been started at Prattville and Waldron and one in the process of mobilization in Jonesville: Three other requests have come from High Schools in the county but work probably cannot be started there before the first of the new year.

Support for the work of the Association has never been adequately given by the county outside of Hillsdale, sometimes because there was not local work in a particular town and sometimes because there were not local workers to raise the needed funds. This year with the outlook of growing work there is a greater need than ever before for such support. The District Board have been very fortunate in securing the services of Mrs. E. S. Hadley from the headquarters of the organization who will have charge of the campaign in the county.

The budget of $3,700.00 has been assigned to the three units of the organization. To Hillsdale $2,000; to Hudson $700.00; and to the other towns of Hillsdale county $1,000. The program as outlined. shows more than half the work being done in these smaller towns and neighborhoods of the county and the cost at less than one-third of the total. Beyond the general assignment of $1,000 to the county no quota will be assigned the various towns. It is expected that the county as one family. will support the work for the family, those who are most able, carrying the share of those who are less able and together realizing the family fellowship. The items of the budget include the salary of the secretary, expense to the car, supplies, telephone, program helps and support of the National and world work of the Association.

During this week there will he many group meetings of women throughout the county to consider the work of the Association and devise plans for doing their share of the work. These plans will be brought to a focus on Saturday morning of this week at a meeting of county women which will be held at the College Baptist church in Hillsdale at ten o'clock in the morning. Final arrangements will be made for a united drive the following week. Following this meeting the workers will have a potluck dinner together and in the afternoon they will participate in a membership meeting at which Miss Katherine Vaughn of Canton China will speak of the work of the Association on the other side of the world.

Chance To Win 50 Dollars

Has Hillsdale County a boy radio genius? Well, here is a chance to find out. If there is a juvenile radio builder in this county, he has now an opportunity to vie with the other youthful students of radio in connection with the Chicago Radio Show to be held in the Coliseum November 17 to 22.

With the idea of getting the best ideas in radio and to encourage the youth of the nation to use their ingenuity and technical knowledge to produce something new, the Stewart Warner Speedometer Corporation, one of the country's largest manufacturers of radio sets, announced today that a prize of fifty dollars would be awarded to the boy who is the constructor of the best "home made" radio set submitted. The products of the minds of the boy radio builders should be sent to the Chicago Radio Show, coliseum, Chicago, where a committee of experts will examine the sets of the young radio wizards and select the winner of the contest.

Some of the best ideas which have helped build this infant industry have come from the students of technical high schools. At the various radio shows of the country the school boy has exhibited radio sets which have received the commendation of the experts at these expositions, and it is with the hope of finding a boy radio genius, whose work might otherwise never receive the attention of the world, that prompted this manufacturing concern to offer this prize at the Chicago show.

Here Is Where You May Not Help

Here is a little philosophy put up by a woman lawyer in Indiana and while it rings of right motives the outcome and results would be far from desirable if put into actual practice. She says: "Because the family becomes the unit of the government, the government has an interest in mating every man and woman. To preserve a virile nation states have said that the insane shall not marry and propagate their kind that the feeble minded shall not marry; members of the same family shall not marry. But when we have safe-guarded all such marriages there are still other problems before us. Your sister may be of high mentality but too young to marry; your daughter may want to marry one who is of sufficient age but has a transmissable disease; your friend may want to marry one who is old enough and in excellent health but a moral leper; here is where you may help." This sounds very much like feminine philosophy but as a practice it would ruin the community mighty quick. In the first place there are large numbers of young penple who will marry and are doing so in every community but they are are not crying it from the house tops nor are they asking the permission of every old fizzle top who happens to be in office. A large percent of young folks probably are not really fit for propagation but how are you going to avoid trouble and keep these young folks where they belong? It cannot be done and any official who is sane enough to hold an office (if he or she will consider the whole matter) must of necessity admit defeat. Did it occur to the lady lawyer that this world would be a "hell" if celibacy were forced upon the thousands? Probably not—or if it did, she ignored the stubborn facts simply to make good her argument. If the celibacy of all who are unfit were enforced at once, a crime wave would sweep over this land and prisons and jails would not be sufficient to hold the offenders.

ROAD LIGHTING HELPS

May Be Means of Extending Power Supply for Benefit of Farmers in Vicinity

Forty-eight per cent of the people of the United States live in the country, in communities of 250 and less. Excluding the small farm lighting sets, there remains almost half of the total population who are unable to avail themselves of the service which electricity can render mankind.

Why has electricity been halted at the city limits? The answer is simple. The first central station companies were lighting companies and negotiated contracts for lighting city streets. Later they were granted franchises to operate in whole communities. This admitted of a financial return which warranted the erection of pole lines.

Thus the fundamentals were established for the distribution of energy for purposes other than lighting. But it stopped at the outskirts, chiefly because of the apparent lack of sufficient "business" beyond these limits to warrant the erecting of rural distribution lines.

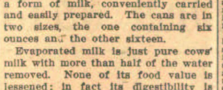
Farmers have been unfortunate in the matter of electrical conveniences from the very fact of their being farmers. They are compelled to make their living in isolated sections. Their isolation has been their handicap.

Lighted Highways Mean Power

Yet this need not be. Highway lighting, say engineers of the General Electric Company, will function as well for the rural districts as street lighting has functioned for the cities, and with the necessary lines in operation across rural districts, lighting up the highways, other electrical conveniences will follow as surely as night follows day. Installed highway lighting systems are but forerunners —they are but a hint—of the broader service of bringing electric light and power to the farmer.

Yet a lighted highway, as such, is not without great intrinsic value to the farmer. Farmers go to market early and often return home late. A lighted highway enables the farmer to make the journey with facility and without fear of collision such as often happens when the farm vehicle is lighted only by a lantern on the axle or dashboard. A lighted highway relieves the farmers of eye-strain. It enables the farmer to perform certain duties around the place which formerly had to be performed either with an oil lantern or not performed at all.

Highway lighting units, stretched along the road in front of a farmhouse, obviate the necessity of stepping out into complete darkness—and the more cheerful outlook which the farmer enjoys from his front windows reacts pleasurably upon him with a pronounced psychological effect. Life to the farmer becomes less of a burden and more of a joy.



FOOD FOR CHILDREN WHO TRAVEL

Many times, and especially during the summer months, mothers are forced to take their children on trips with them. During these trips, the parent is forced to contend with that ever-present and serious problem of food for the child.

As in almost every other case, the chief source of worry, during these periods, is the milk supply, its source, its purity and its food value. It is not always convenient to get market milk of dependable quality for, in many sections of the country, adequate facilities for its care are not provided. To meet the needs of mothers in these trying situations, science has provided a form of milk, conveniently carried and easily prepared. The cans are in two sizes, the one containing six ounces and the other sixteen.

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From Sixth Week to Third Month.

Milk, evaporated	6 ounces
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Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	26 ounces

Seven feedings in twenty-four hours; 4 to 5 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and four-hour intervals at night.

From Third Month to Fifth Month.

Milk, evaporated	7½ ounces
Lime water	8 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	29½ ounces

Six feedings in twenty-four hours; 5 to 6 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and a feeding at 10 p. m.

From Fifth to Seventh Month.

Milk evaporated	10 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
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Boiled water	29 o

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 26th day of October. A. D. 1925

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Adam Sindecuse, deceased.

Jennie Daniels, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered : That the 21st day of November A.D, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition,

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTH GUERNSEY
Probate.

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two hundred and ten dollars, making a total
sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage
of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610)
and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30]
as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now. therefore. notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage provided. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

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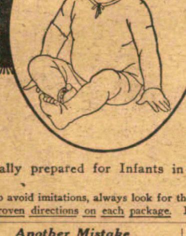

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King Tommy

By GEORGE A. BIRMINGHAM

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CHAPTER XX

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The king and Casimir left us at Breslau. There was no help for that. Neither one nor other of them would have been allowed to cross the frontier. The Megalian government was determined not to have Wladislaws on the throne of Lystria again. And they knew Casimir for a persistent plotter.

They said good-by to us with regret which was quite unfeigned. It must have been intensely annoying to Casimir to miss the last scene of the drama he had planned. It was not working out exactly as he planned it, which made the end all the more exciting for him. What should we find at the Schloss Amberg when we got there? What would Casimir have found if he could have been with us? A wedding and a coronation? The public execution of a pretender to the throne? A counter-revolution, with the Megalian troops in possession of the schloss? A patriarch prime minister under a new monarchy, or—such things have happened in Russia, which is not very far away—a martyred archbishop?

For King Wladislaws the turn of events was even more thrilling. He had developed a personal liking for Tommy, and, in his own way, he was really fond of Calypso. For all he knew when he said good-by to us at Breslau she might be a queen, a prisoner of state, a fugitive among the mountains, a widow, a bride, or an exceedingly indignant young woman anxious for vengeance on everyone concerned in the trick which had been played on her.

I felt very sorry for the king when he had to say good-by to us at Breslau. He is the only king I ever met personally and I liked him. I do not wonder that there is a strong monarchical reaction in Europe at present. If there are many kings like Wladislaws, it is natural enough that their people should want to have them back. Democratic institutions are all very well in their way, but they invariably end in elected presidents. Presidents—I have known three or four in my time—are stodgy compared to King Wladislaws, and Europe does nowadays want a little brightness.

Europe has so long been used to the pomp and pageantry of monarchy that it is hard for the people to accustom themselves to the simplicity of republics. Of course the socialistic element is perfectly satisfied, or at least that wing of the socialists that is not looking for something more radical than republics and seeking communistic forms of government, but there are but few of that class in Lystria.

The next part of our journey was accomplished in much faster time than Tommy and the princess had done it in. We crossed the frontier in a train, for we had no fear of being stopped, and did not feel, as they did, the necessity for keeping off the main traffic routes. We had only twenty-five miles to go by motor. I fancy that we had the same car and the same driver that Tommy did; though I cannot be sure about this. Men of the bearded brigand type are common enough in Lystria and many of them may be chauffeurs. If I kept a car in London—a thing which I cannot afford to do—I should try to persuade the Lystrian chauffeur to come home with me. He would give an air of aristocratic distinction to any car.

But I was not so concerned about the air of distinction just at that time. I wanted to reach the frontier, I wanted to be where I could feel that we were safe, and I was not feeling that way with that brigand-looking individual at the wheel. He would be all right in London where there was a bobby on every corner to offer protection if it were needed, but it was different on the lonely roads we were traveling.

If I had time and aptitude for the literary guidebook style of writing, I should describe our journey through that beautiful and little-known part of Europe. I am sure that people would like to read about the mountains, torrents, villages, long-horned oxen, ruined fortresses and so forth. However, the thing will be done, far more competently than I could hope to do it. Cable has conceived the idea of developing Lystria as a tourist resort as soon as he has the oil industry in working order. He intends to hire a couple of our best-known literary men—he even mentioned the names of those he had in mind—to write the country up. "Lotus Eating in Lystria," I suppose, "with Six Colored Illustrations"; and perhaps "The Beautiful Bypaths Series. Lystria, by— With ten photographs of the author." Cable is extraordinarily thorough. He is writing to an American literary paper for the name of the best-known poetess "raised on their side." He means to commission her to do some Lystrian Lyrics. It is plainly no use my entering into competition with such people by describing the scenery, manners, costumes, customs and morals of the Lystrians.

They are a nice people, and they have a beautiful country, but my only interest just then was to get through it as fast as possible. I was not specially enjoying the scenery, was not noticing the mountains, the torrents, the villages, the pastoral scenes or the ruined fortresses except to note the speed at which we passed them. The quicker we could get by it, all the better pleased I would be. At another time I might return to admire the scenery.

We caught our first glimpse of the Schloss Amberg just as Tommy did, from the top of the hill on the other side of the valley. It was decked with flags. They hung out of every window, fluttered from every flagstaff—there were a good many flagstaffs—and were festooned along the walls.

"I wonder what that means," said Troyte.

"Looks like a king's birthday show," said Norheys. "Wladislaws might have told us what to expect."

"Much more likely to be the princess' wedding," said Cable.

"Perhaps," I said, "it may be a public rejoicing at the death of Emily's curate. I shall be sorry if they've executed him."

The car slid down toward the valley and the stream that ran through it. It was going at a comfortable pace—comfortable because it was rapid. The chauffeur was missing the bumps, and the speed at which we were traveling did not seem to be as fast as it actually was, because of the quality of his driving.

The car crossed the bridge and began to climb up the twisty road to the gate of the schloss. Suddenly a salute was fired by the guns on the walls. They did not all go off at once, and they were not very big guns, but they made quite an impressive amount of noise. Every rifle about the place was shot off at or about the same time, adding a clatter to the din. Our bearded chauffeur, who had been getting more and more excited since we saw the flags, lost control of himself altogether when he heard the guns. He stood up, waved his arms wildly and shouted. There are nasty steep banks on each side of the road. If Norheys, who was sitting in front of the car, had not grabbed the steering wheel, we should certainly have left the road and gone rolling over and over till we reached the river in the valley. In that case we should none of us have heard what had happened about the princess and Tommy. I should have been sorry, for I was full of curiosity.

We left the car at the gate of the schloss and passed into the courtyard. It was half full of soldiers. I fancy that the whole Lystrian army was drawn up there in a square. Many of them were still firing off their rifles. The officers were waving their swords.

Something unusual was happening, but what? All the excitement portended some great event, something in which the entire populace of Lystria was intensely interested. In what way did it concern us, if at all?

We were just in time. Through the door of the chapel at the opposite side of the courtyard came the sound of the wedding march, played on the organ. Tommy, with the princess on his arm, walked out amid deafening cheers. Immediately behind them came Janet Church, a solitary and most unattractive-looking bridesmaid. Behind her thronged the Lystrian nobility. All the Count Casimirs were there, except Istvan. The half-dozen or so nobles with other names were also there. Janet, in an old gray tweed dress, and our party in our traveling clothes were the only commonplace people. The princess was splendid in a dress much finer, also much longer, than the one she had worn when she danced at the Mascotte. Tommy had been fitted out by Count Albert Casimir in a very handsome crimson silk suit with a jacket laced, hussar fashion, with gold. I noticed that he wore one of his own clerical collars round his neck. Perhaps that was his idea of full dress for a ceremonial occasion. Perhaps he did it to please the patriarch. The nobles were gorgeous. No one who has not seen the Lystrian nobility in their best clothes has any idea how magnificent clothes can be. People who understand dressing-up as the Lystrians do ought to have a king of their own. They would be wasted in the drab monotony of a republic. I think Troyte felt this as he looked at the magnificent scene before us. Fortunately, the sun shone brightly. Every color had its full value. Everything that could glitter glittered brilliantly.

Last of all, attended by an amazing number of clergy, the patriarch came from the chapel choir. He wore—but I am not well up in the language of ecclesiastical millinery. His garments may have been copes, chasubles, dalmatics or albs. Whatever they were, they seemed to me to be made of shimmering gold. If they ever disestablish and disendow the church in Lystria, the sale of the patriarch's vestments will go a long way toward paying off the national debt.

The procession moved slowly across the square until Tommy caught sight of us. The moment he did he stopped, and of course everyone else stopped too. He had never seen any of us before, and though we knew who he must be, he could only guess who we were. He turned to Janet Church for help.

Janet knew me and introduced me. I presented the rest of the party. At least, I began the presentation. I had only got as far as Norheys when the princess interrupted me. She rushed forward, threw her arms around Viola's neck and kissed her heartily on both cheeks.

"I know you're Miss Temple," she said.

"Lady Norheys," I corrected.

"You may call her Viola Temple if you like," said Norheys. "What I always say is: When anybody has a name which everybody else knows them by, why not call them it? That's what I said when fellows began to stop calling me Bunny, after I became Norheys, don't you know? I dare say now," he said to Tommy, "that you've often heard of me as Bunny Troyte, and scarcely know me as Norheys. It's just the same with Viola, only, of course, more so, on account of her being much more famous than any of the rest of us."

He was undoubtedly right concerning the "fame" which Miss Viola Temple, as one of the most popular stage dancers of the British metropolis, had enjoyed. That fact had been at the bottom of Lord Troyte's scheme of the Lystrian marriage. With the cool, far-seeing wisdom for which he was noted he had seen in the union a double purpose, the saving of his nephew from an undesirable alliance with a dancer who did not happen to be a princess, and the exploitation of the Lystrian oil fields in the interests of England. He had once remarked to me, when we both felt that we must "save" Norheys from Viola Temple:

"If England is to hold her place in the van of the world's progress she must control an adequate supply of oil. With an English king on the throne of Lystria and an English company at work in the oil fields—"

Troyte is a great statesman. Only a great statesman could or would say a thing like that. Only a sincerely patriotic man could have conceived such a scheme.

The princess, one arm still around Viola's neck, cooed into her ear:

"I'm so glad you've got him safe. I wouldn't have taken him from you for anything. And now I'm married, too. Isn't it splendid? And only for your beautiful letter perhaps neither ever would have been."

"I should like," said Troyte with dignity, "to have some conversation with the patriarch."

The patriarch, it seemed, wanted to have some conversation with Troyte. He had been pushing his way through the excited nobles while the princess was kissing Viola. As soon as he had secured a place for himself in the front row, he made a speech.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Beauty at Least Had Her Interest Aroused

They were dancing lightly and he held her tightly in his manly arms. He closed his eyes for a time and danced here and there in ecstasy. She looked up into his face and suddenly his eyes opened. The music stopped.

"Come, let's go out on the porch," he muttered thickly. He stole a glance at his partner. Never had he seen so ravishing a beauty. He could resist no longer. He took her in his arms.

"Oh, darling, I love you so. Say you will be mine." She looked again into his eyes.

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What a visiting sea captain calls "he harems" are to be found among the Marquesas islands of the South seas. The bulky, brown Amazonian women are unspoilt by association with oriental ideas, and collect half a dozen husbands or more. The collection is done by the simple expedient of driving the man with a bamboo pole into the harem, thrashing him well to make him thoroughly understand who is in command—and setting him to work on the coconut plantation or at the housework. These conditions only obtain in the islands that are unvisited by steamships. The windjammer trader is the only white man who finds the natives in their primitive condition.

Remarkable Doctor

Casey—Oi can. Faith, he's a moighty foine docther. Last Siptimber when little Katie wor prosthrated wid diftharia an' braythin her last brith, Oi said: "Doctor, will she live till marnin'?" He said: "Dinnis, don't worry. She will live," he said, "till many years after ye're dead an' under the sod."

Murphy—An' did she?

Casey—She did.—Boston Transcript

Murphy—An' can ye ricommind him?

Dancers Occupy Stage for but Few Minutes

A team of dancers who appear nightly in one of the most popular supper clubs on Broadway received a letter from a Park avenue woman, asking them to dance at one of her parties.

The manager of the dancers replied to the letter, stating that the team would be very glad to appear and that their fee was $600.

This brought forth another letter from the matron, who protested that the fee was too high, for the reason that she only wanted the dancers for 15 minutes.

It was this point of view that got a rise out of the two dancers.

"Do you know how many dances we could do in 15 minutes?" asked the feminine portion of the team, who discussed the matter with me. "We could do ten dances—just twice as many as we do nightly in the supper club. Do you realize that it only takes a minute and a half to do each one of our numbers? Even with our pauses between dances and the applause, our whole performance lasts less than ten minutes. And then somebody wants us at cut rates to appear only 15 minutes! It is a laugh, isn't it?"—New York Evening World.

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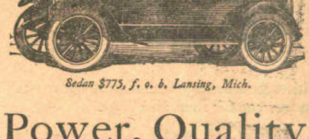

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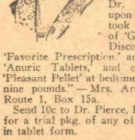

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LeRoy, Mich.—"I was troubled with a pain in my right side and in the small of my back. I could not sleep soundly and had no appetite—it seemed that nothing looked good to eat. I was so weak I could scarcely do any work. I wrote to Dr. Pierce, and, upon his advice, took three bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' two of 'Favorite Prescription,' and two of the 'Anuric Tablets,' and occasionally a 'Pleasant Pellet' at bedtime, and I gained nine pounds."—Mrs. Arthur Ruppert, Route 1, Box 15a.

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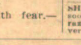

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By the Governor

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26th 1925, as a Day of Public Thanksgiving

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State this fourteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five, and of the Commonwealth the eighty-ninth

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jerome

Murl Morehead and Thomas Lane were in Jackson Monday.

Murl Morehead is home for a few days from his work in Ypsilanti.

Rev. Scott expects to commence a series of sermons on the Apocrypha soon.

Glenn Cain has gone to Jackson where he has employment in a restaurant.

John Weatherwax Sr. and son John of Somerset Center were in town Friday.

Supt. Porter and Louis Hatch of the Horton high school were in town Monday.

Harry McClanahan and wife and Mrs. Thomas Lane were in Hillsdale Saturday.

Lud Chandler has lost several sheep lately because of dogs which entered his flock.

Milton Turnley, Ora Potter, Maitland Tower were in Hillsdale Friday evening.

Frank Luttenton and family of Jackson were entertained Sunday at the home of Chas. McGregor and family.

About $18 was taken in at the community dinner at the Oddfellows Hall Thursday. About $13 of the amount was clear.

Wm. Fouty and wife have moved into the Walter Sawdey place formerly the property of C. E. Depue. Raymond Fouty and wife expect to move to the Fouty farm.

Quite a number of young people met at the home of L. H. Ballard Thursday evening. The next meeting will be held at the home of Philo McGee on the evening of Dec. 3.

I. W. Wertenberger and family have had as recent guests the following: Rev. U. S. Wertenberger and wife of Hudson Ind. also the former's sisters, Mrs. Carl Scattergood and Mrs. Clyde Husselman of Waterloo, Ind.

Dr. Duffey, district Superintendent of the Albion conference preached on the subject of "Last Supper and the Crucifixion of Christ" at the M. E. church Sunday evening after which the communion was administered.

Clayton and Robert McGregor endeavored to prove in their debate Saturday night that Prohibition was a failure while Donald Frantz and Rev. Scott took the negative side of the question. The negative won, Robert Frantz acted as chairman while H. Lane was judge.

Jonesville

George Sharp is ill at his home in this village.

Alfred Lane of Detroit was at his home here last week.

Miss Fay Yarian was home from Lansing over the week end.

Carl Ziegler and wife were Sunday guests at the Oppel home here.

Mrs. Garrett Walcott entertained the Culture Club this week Tuesday

Mrs. Byard of Albion visited at the Frank Shippy home during the week.

Miss Phyllis Polsdorfer is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Austin.

Ira Bentz was in Ann Arbor this week to visit his daughter Mrs. Lewis Bourke.

Mrs. C. V. Burnett is in Detroit for an indefinite stay at the home of her daughter Mrs. Dupont.

Mrs. L. E. Swan who has been visiting in Detroit for two weeks returned to her home here Sunday.

Clifford Bayles and family are moving to Indianapolis Ind. where he will accept a position in a bank.

Dr. H. M. Warren suffered a Paralytic stroke on Sunday and is very low at this writing, at the J. S. Lewis home.

Henry Varnum and Miss Ruth Brue of Detroit spent the week end at the home of his brother R. S. Varnum and family.

The death of William Cooley occurred at the home on Reading Ave on Thursday Nov. 12. Mr. Cooley was a Civil War man and a life long resident of our village. He is survived by four children, Mrs. Norton and Ralph Cooley of Detroit, Miss Emma and Byron Cooley of Jonesville. The funeral was held Sunday with burial in the Jonesville cemetery.

Somerset Centre

W. T. Dunn is improving.

D. M. Rutan has installed a radio

Mr. Lent and family have moved to Jackson.

Paul Becker has secured employment in Jackson.

Wayne Morehouse of Wheatland was in town Thursday.

John Saltzman of Jonesville is spending sometime with W. T. Dunn,

Eugene McGregor has gone hunting in the Northern part of the State.

Mrs. L. A. Mercer was in Brooklyn Wednesday having dental work done.

Earl Rutan and family spent Saturday with Wayne Cornwell and wife.

Mr. Grinnell of Jackson has moved on the farm formerly owned by C. J. Lent.

Leon Mercer and family attended the Lecture course at Addison Thursday evening.

John Parker and daughter Florence and Vena Roberts were in Jackson Saturday.

Miss Lottie Higbee was called to Hillsdale Wednesday to attend the funeral of her grandmother.

Mrs, Rant Rutan and son Lyle and Mrs. L. A. Mercer and son Wendell were in Jackson Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Haas was in Jackson Saturday to meet her mother Mrs. Lottie Wilcox who has returned from the J. P. Churchfield home at Midland.

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Town Line

Thelma Horton gave a party to her friends Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. Powers is visiting at the home of J. Westcott and wife.

Miss May Clark of Osseo has come to the home of Mrs. Catherine Beecher to remain an indefinite time.

It was with sincere regret the people in this locality learned of the sudden demise of Kenneth Durbin.

George Fast who has been with his son Ray for a month returned to his home at Haviland Ohio Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Cain who has been assisting in house work at C. H. Jennings returned to her home Wednesday.

Claude Moore and mother are thinking of going to Florida for the winter. Claud expects to engage in road work.

Arch Branch and Mrs. M. Rolands of Somerset was callers at the home of Mrs. Beecher one evening last week.

Harve Powers accompanied Jay Speer on his trip to Florida last Wednesday. He will will spend the winter with his sons who are located there.

Mrs. Belle Jennings who had been with Mrs. Beecher two weeks returned home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Beecher is slowly improving from her recent illness.

Thanksgiving dinner by members of the Womans Improvement club of Somerset and Wheatland was much enjoyed at the home of Eugene Culbert and wife Thursday Nov. 19.

Funeral services for Arthur Westcott at his late home in Somerset Saturday Nov. 14 was attended by many sympathizing neighbors and friends. 60 years of boyhood and manly manhood has endeared him to the people in this community.

Mud Lake School Notes

Mrs. Greenfield and son Melvin visited school Friday afternoon.

Join your friends in the cake walk at our school November 25.

Hear the "Coon Harmony Nine" at our school Wednesday eve. Nov. 25.

The seventh grade Reading has memorized Lincoln's Gettsburg Address.

The chart class, second and third grades are making attractive A. B. C. Books.

The fifth grade language is memorizing "Old Ironsides" by Oliver Wendell Holmes.

We cordially invite the public to our program and box social November 25. There will be candy and pop corn for sale; and a fish pond.

Local News

Hillsdale County L. O. T. M. Association will be held at North Adams Thursday December 3, 1925

Reports from Forrest Marvin indicate that he is improving Mr. Rufiner says that the young man in question is regaining the use of his left arm slowly, and there are now some hopes of being able to walk with crutches sometime in the future.

—Hereafter all bond paper purchased at this office will cost 20c a pound any size which will amount to $1.00 for 500 sheets 8½ x 11, inches $2.00 for 1000. We have been called upon to supply considerable of this lately and find we must have the above price in order to make it an object.

Rural Lodge I. O. O. F. of this village entertained the Jackson Lodge who put on Degree work on Saturday evening last at Fraternal Hall. Members were present from Jackson, Jerome, Hillsdale, Frontier, Addison and one member was taken in. A fine banquet was served in which 125 participated and all returned home feeling the occasion had been well observed.

Fred Rock of this village celebrated his 74th birthday on Sunday And just to help him enjoy the stunt he was given a party in honor of the event. Those present were as follows: Mrs. Robertson of New York City and Miss Mildred Rock of Jackson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Rock; Darrel Rock and family of Pontiac, Carl Rock and family sons, Will Snyder and family all of Jonesville, and two brothers of Mr. Rock, Charles and Ed Rock and their families of Toledo. Notwithstanding the stormy weather the day was very pleasantly passed and a sumptuous dinner served. Another son, George Rock and family of Chicago expected to be present but a sudden change of plans hindered the last from being there.

The terrific snow storm of Sunday closed up all kinds of business and traffic was very limited. The farmers in this section are still hoping for a warmer spell of weather wherein they may be able to husk out the excellent corn crop and take care of the fodder, the largest share of which is still in the field and unhusked. We understand that some potatoes are still undug, taken all round the fall has been very unforunate for farming operations. Old wisacres are at it prognostigating a hard a hard cold winter and much snow, but there is one sure sign which does not indicate a hard winter. Wild geese have not journeyed north as yet—or if they have—must went in the small hours of the morning since no one remembers of seeing a single flock this season. Instinct teaches these birds that the weather is about to change and always they will be seen in hundreds. No one can explain why they have not migrated this season.

Mr and Mrs. E. S. Knowles celebrated their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary at their home here on Sunday, Nov. 15th. Notwithstanding the stormy day 39 were present to help remember the occasion which was a surprise to the couple. A splendid social time was enjoyed and a potluck dinner was served. Those present were: The son Jay Knowles and family and grandson Ralph Knowles and family all of Moscow township, the daughter, Mrs. Clara Culver and family of Jackson, Vern Winfield and family of Albion, Elmer Winfield and family of Scipio, Lewis Miller and family of Litchfield, Ralph Strait and Levi Strait and families of Hanover Frank Wyllis and family of this vicinity, Thomas Caldwell and wife of Springport, and Lew Eggleston and family of this village, all relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Knowles. Mrs. Knowles will be 82 years of age at Christmas time add Mr. Knowles is now 82. The date of their anniversary is really Nov. 19th but for the sake of convenience was observed Sunday.

NEW ERA FOR AGRICULTURE

New York.—A new era lies ahead for agriculture because it now commands the best economic thought of the business world directed on its prime requirements of better distribution and marketing, President W C Gordon of the State Bank Division American Bankers Association, declares in a recent communication to the thirteen thousand members of the division. He seeks to enlist their interest in the work of improving the marketing of farm products.

"The farmer today finds himself far removed from his consumer-customer by a long line of intermediate agencies, which often leave him in a position of disadvantage as an individual producer," Mr. Gordon says. "It is, therefore, not strange that he should seek to apply to agriculture those principles of production and distribution found successful in industry. His rightful ambition is to make, where feasible, a general application of successful business experience to the marketing of agricultural products. Commanding the best economic thought of the business world, agriculture undoubtedly stands on the threshold of a new era. In lieu of fantastic panaceas, agricultural welfare—which, after all, is the Nation's welfare—has need of a sane, long range program that is at once practical, constructive and economically sound."

He goes on to call attention to the "long view program suggested for agricultural distribution" at Washington by the Agricultural Conference, urging study of it.

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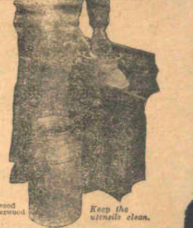

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Keep the utensils clean.

With increasing rentals and values of farm lands, dairy farming is rapidly replacing other types of live stock farming. A dairy cow producing 8,000 pounds of milk a year furnishes 1,000 pounds of dry matter, all of which is edible and digestible. A two year old steer weighing between 1,200 and 1,300 pounds furnishes about 550 pounds of dry matter, not all of which can be used for food. In other words a fairly good producing dairy cow furnishes twice as much edible dry matter in one year as a good two year old steer when he is killed for meat. A cow can be kept for additional years of service, while to replace the steer, another animal must be fed for a period of two years.

The United States consumption of milk per capita has increased from 42 gallons of whole milk in 1918 to more than 54 gallons in 1925.

With growing acceptance of milk as a food has come an increasing knowledge of the proper care of milk on the farm. Because odors from foods and animals in the cow stable are easily taken up by milk, injuring its flavor, they must not come in contact with the milk. Removal of the milk from the stable as soon as possible reduces the amount of dust and dirt entering it and keeps down the bacterial growth in the milk.

Bacteria increase rapidly in warm milk causing it to sour quickly. Removal of the animal heat from freshly drawn milk by lowering the temperature to that of cold well water (approximately 60° F.), greatly aids in preventing bacterial growth. A well lighted, well ventilated milk house, not too close to the stable, is also very helpful.

Cleanliness in the stable is vitally necessary. The stall platform should be just long enough for the cow to stand comfortably without room to spare; otherwise, the cow will become dirty from droppings when she lies down. The gutter should be wide and deep. A good gutter is 16 inches to 18 inches in width and 9 or 10 inches below the platform. Bedding should be clean and plenteous.

Long hair on the flanks, udders and tail above the switch of the dairy cow should be removed at regular intervals. Removing this long hair removes the clinging places of dirt which otherwise will fall into the milk pail in quantities. Keeping the hair short on these parts of the cow permits cleaning in much less time and more thoroughly. Brushing should never be neglected. It removes loose particles sticking to the body. When the hair is short, wiping the udders with a damp cloth just before milking, is an easy and important aid in securing clean milk.

It is generally recognized that most of the bacteria found in milk finds its source in dirt clinging to the cow and dropping into the pail during milking time. Simple precautions will practically eliminate this source of bacterial growth and dairymen find themselves well repaid for the little time necessary in taking such precautions.

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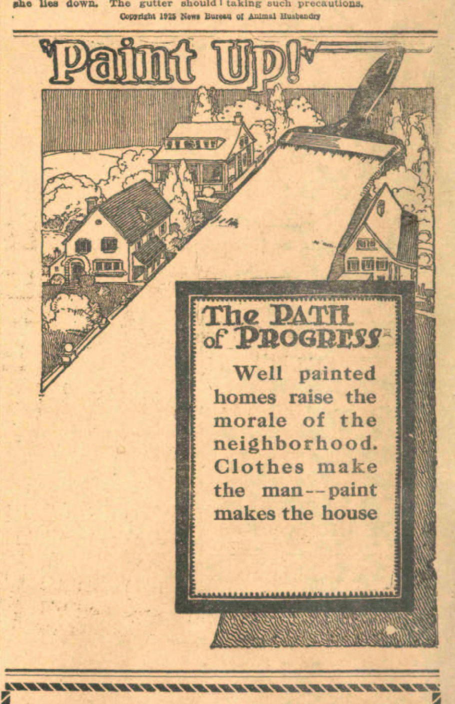
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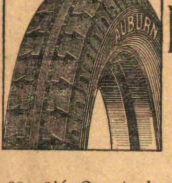

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Local News

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H. G. Wells is able to be about after an illness of several days.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Schilling a son, Friday, Nov. 27th

Mrs. A. Williams entertained her sons and families at Thanksgiving dinner.

T. N. Lamb was in Goshen Ind. last Friday evening to visit his parents.

J. W, and Miss Donna Lynch of Detroit are home for Thanksgiving vacation.

The Misses Ruth Williams and Frances Young are home from the Ypsilanti Normal.

—We have some die-stamped Christmas cards at 5c with envelope for mailing.

Mrs. Judd Gray visited her parents in Quincy this week. Mr. and Mrs. George Gilchrist.

Fred Lamb and family of Goshen Indiana, spent Thanksgiving with T. N. Lamb and wife.

Mrs. Josephine Thompson is visiting her son George Smith and wife at Plymouth Michigan.

John Williams returned from Northern Michigan on Tuesday. The party bagged four deer.

George Walworth and family entertained twenty relatives from Adrian for Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Knapp spent Thanksgiving in Adrian with their daughter Mrs. W. M. Stoner and husband.

James Meeks and Lemual Rhodes expect to attend the Inter national Live Stock Exposition at Chicago next week,.

Mrs. Nellie Kenrick of Princeton New Jersey is spending a few days with her relatives in this village. Mr. and Mrs. Wamsley.

Rev. and Mrs. Carrel expect to start Saturday for Lynn Haven, Florida, where they will spend a couple of months or so.

Benge's market makes a specialty of home grown meats. Wholesome groceries and meats are the staff of life. Get your supply for Sunday.

The Advocate has just finished printing the tax receipts for Adams, and while not as long as last year the length is 24 inches.

John Fitton will start for Tampa, Florida, soon where he will be employed on the road building gang of Art Hoffman. Mrs. Fitton and the children will follow later.

Mrs. John Williams is expecting to attend the Live Stock Show at Chicago next week. She will be accompanied by Maurene Taylor a pupil of her sewing class, who has been awarded the trip.

The Advocate is delayed thi week about one day by the ornery disposition of the machinery of our office. We fretted and fumed all day Thursday trying to get things right, but did not get set. We trust this won't happen again soon.

We have mis-quoted the date of the Methodist Bazaar in this paper owing to some misunderstanding, therefore we want it understood now that the correct date is December 5th. This is the correct date and as we understand it no entertainment will be given the same date.

J. P. Speer who left here on Nov. 7th for Florida has not been heard from recently and it is not known whether the party have reached their destination or not. It is reported that part of the crowd have left the bus and are journeying by rail. It seems the party struck bad roads and experienced considerable tire trouble en route.

Clyde S. Wertz is featuring some cheap prices on groceries that you cannot afford to ignore this week. Visit the corner brick and get your holiday supply of provisions. Mr. Wertz carries at all times a good assortment of the necessities of life in eatables or medicines. While in town call in and hear the New De-Forrest Radio. It'll surprise you.

Bert Trumble will conduct an auction on his premises 5 miles east and one-half mile north of North Adams and 4½ miles west and one-fourth mile south of Addison on Monday, November 30th beginning at 12 o'clock noon sharp and will sell 6 head of cattle, a brood sow, 7 pigs, some chickens potatoes, wood, etc. John Hoffman is auctioneer.

On account of the slippery condition of the roads Friday morning a number of auto mishaps are reported. R. Dean Williams driving Art Hoffman's Hudson coach started east from Payne & Green's store and the car whipped into a sedan belonging to a traveling man, forcing the sedan to the curb. The sedan was not injured but the Hudson sustained a bent running board.

Mrs. Carrie Bryant had as Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kies and son Keith of Moscow.

Mrs. Vera Sawyer entertained the Birthday Club on Friday. A pot luck dinner was served at noon and a good time is reported.

For Sale—My house and lot on North side of Wilber street. Inquire of Miss Florence Benson. North Adams Mich. 2t28.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will hold their bazaar on Saturday Dec. 5th. Everyone come and have a good chicken dinner.

Mrs. W. E. Wattles returned Sunday from a two weeks visit in Detroit. While there she attended the State and National W. C. T. U. conventions.

Owing to the sickness and absence of some of the members the Methodist bazaar will be held Saturday Dec. 5th instead of Wednesday Dec, 2nd.

The Ladies Missionary Union of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. Giles Stevens in this village Wednesday afternoon Dec. 2nd.

The Hillsdale County Maccabee Association will be held in North Adams Thursday Dec. 3rd. Dinner will be served at noon. In the afternoon the meeting will be open to the public.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. A. J. Calhoun to finish up work for the bazaar. Please bring all finished work to this meeting. Tuesday after noon Dec. 1st.

Emmett Brewer and wife and Mrs. Hubert Haight of Detroit spent Sunday visiting at the homes of Alfred Haight, Paris Brewer and Mrs. Eva West. Mrs. Lewis West returned with them to Detroit for a couple days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Sleight of Rochester N. Y. were guests last week of Mrs. Sleight's cousins, Mrs. Raymond Fouty and Mrs. DeWitt Sawyer. Mrs. Sawyer entertained several friends at six o'clock dinner in their honor.

Members of Alpha Chap. No. 283 O. E. S. have been invited to meet with Franklin Chap. No. 260 at Litchfield on Thursday evening Dec. 3rd. It is hoped there will be a good attendance. Anyone who is planning to go please call the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Alice Holcomb,

A special meeting of the Somerset and Wheatland town-line Home Economic class will be held at the home of Randall Westcott on Tuesday afternoon Dec. 1st at two o'clock for the benefit of those who have missed the first and second lessons and still wish to join the class.

The town of Otisville in Genesee county Michigan which has been without a paper for sometime has now been put on the map with a weekly called "Otisville News" published by a Flint Daily. Otisville is an ex-lumber town in the township of Forest in North-east Genesee and has seen better days.

Postmaster VanWert was some time ago furnished with survey cards to be placed in the hands of rural free carriers to distribute among farmers for reports as to hog production and acreages in this township. The department of Agriculture at Washington takes this means of ascertaining the exact condition of the hog production and amount of different crops planted.

The S. P. I. class met last Friday at the home of Mae Gordon. After the business meeting the following program was given. Song, "Count your many Blessings.", Life of St. Paul, Mrs. Wylie. Thanksgiving poem, Eva Overly. The Romance of St Paul, Jennie Othoudt, Solo, Mae Gordon. There were 14 members, 2 visitors and one new member was added. All enjoyed the potluck dinner and a fine time.

The Woman's Circle of West Adams met at the home of Mrs. Maude Haskell Thursday Nov. 19th There were 17 members and two guests present. Mrs. Addie Taylor was taken into the club as a member. Mrs. Zepha VanDeusan gave a piano solo and responded to an encore. Two interesting papers were given, American Pottery, Mrs. Alma Adams. The Attractive Table, Mrs. Florence Shaw. The next meeting will be the club banquet held in the Congregational church parlors at North Adams.

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Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

At the Methodist church next Sunday evening Nov. 29, at six o'clock, the Epworth League will give a dramatization introducing the Mission study book, "Looking Ahead with Latin America."

In place of the preaching service at the Methodist church next Sunday evening the Womans Foreign Missionary Society will present a program demonstrating their work. Everybody is invited.

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

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John Litchhult and Della Gillett spent Thanksgiving with her son, Burr Hewitt and family at Addison.

Rev. and Mrs. Hunt entertained the following for Thanksgiving: Mr. Hunt's father and mother, his brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Hunt and daughter Dorothy, Talma Aldrich of Toledo, an uncle of Mr. Hunt.

The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday afternoon December 2 with Miss Allie French. Program leader, Grace Williams, devotionals, Maud Anderson, readers, Mrs. George Holcomb Mrs Franks and Mrs. Dietz.

Rev. Hunt's Sunday school class gave a birthday surprise party for him at his home Tuesday evening. He was certainly surprised and everybody had a good time by playing games. Ice cream and cake was served. There were about forty in attendance. The class presented Rev. Hunt with 3 of Edgar Guest's books.

The New York Central Lines have recently placed orders for 4500 freight cars with different firms in the middle west. The American Car & Foundry Co. gets orders for 1,500; the Pullman car Co. 1,000 the Standard Tank Car Co. 500 steel gondolas, the General American Car Co., 1,000, the Illinois Car Co. 500 The amount which the company will spend for cars alone is $9,000,000.

Death of Mrs. Charles Reimold

Mrs. Chas. Reimold who has been ill for several years, passed away at the family home Saturday evening last at the age of 78 years. She was born in Connecticut December 22, 1846.

Funeral services were conducted at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Bauman, at 1:30 on Tuesday, Rev. Hunt officiating, and burial was in the local cemetery. She is survived by the husband and one daughter, Mrs. May Bauman, with other more distant relatives.

The New Bus Line

Mr. Wildman has started his bus line from Hillsdale to Jackson via North Adams, having been running from Hillsdale to Albion for some time. We understand the bus through our village began Monday morning making regular schedules, and residents of this vicinity will be more than pleased to learn that we now have four buses per day, and if we can get the ear of the proprietor some of these days we shall endeavor to interest him in his own business sufficiently to keep a schedule of his time running in the Advocate Mr. Wildman probably does not as yet know there is a paper in this town, or he may be a non-believer in publicity. We understand the single trip fare to Jackson is 75c, round trip $1.40. Fare to Hillsdale 25c.

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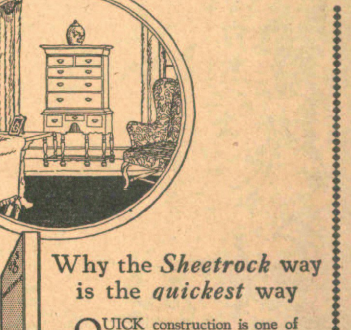

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"When," he declared, "I first read the text of the ridiculous and impossible measure I thought I was becoming mad."

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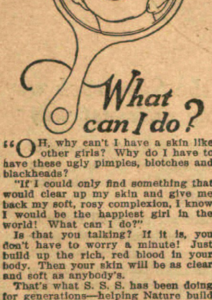

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King Tommy

BY GEORGE A. BIRMINGHAM

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CHAPTER XX—Continued

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It was partly in Lystrian and partly in German. Troyte understands neither language. He turned to me to interpret for him.

"What's he saying?" he asked.

My German is rusty through long disuse, and I never knew any Lystrian. However, I think I picked up the main thing the patriarch wanted to say.

"As far as I can make out," I said, "he's trying to tell you that one Lord Norheys will do quite as well as another. The coronation is to be this afternoon."

"But," said Troyte, "this young man isn't Lord Norheys. Tell him that."

I told him. After I had finished, Janet Church told him again, in much better German than mine. We did not make much impression on the patriarch. All he said in reply was that if the Lystrians could not have Graf Bunny Norheys, they would be perfectly satisfied with Graf Tommy.

"Tell him," said Troyte, "that this young man isn't a count and isn't Norheys at all."

Then Tommy joined in.

"There's no use saying I'm not Norheys when I am," he said, "though I spell my name with two 'r's' instead of an 'rh,' which strikes me as a more sensible way of doing it. As for my not being a count, if you can get that into the patriarch's head, you'll do more than I can. I've been at him all morning and so has Miss Church. We've assured him over and over again that I'm not a count. But he can't be got to understand. Not that I care what he calls me, only I didn't want any irregularity about the marriage, which there might have been if I was married under a wrong name."

"The confusion," I said, "in the patriarch's mind probably arises from the custom, prevalent all over Europe, of every member of a titled family using the title. Take the Casimirs, for instance. I don't know how many Casimirs there are—"

"They're all Casimirs," said Tommy, waving his hand toward a group of Lystrian nobles. "All except seven."

"And I'm sure," I said, "that they're all counts."

"Every single one of them," said Tommy.

"So you see," I said to Troyte, "how the patriarch's mistake arose. He naturally thought that everyone called Norheys must be a marquis."

"But he isn't," said Troyte.

"Is it worth while," I said, "correcting the mistake now?"

Apparently Troyte thought it was. He insisted on having what he called a conference with the patriarch. I do not think the patriarch liked it, for there was a wedding feast waiting to be eaten in the great hall of the castle. But Troyte was firm. He and the patriarch and Cable went off, taking Janet with them to act as interpreter. The princess and Lady Norheys went away together, their arms round each other. Poor Lady Norheys had been traveling fast for days. I think she wanted a bath and some clothes before she sat down to the banquet amid the magnificent nobles of Lystria.

While I had no doubts at the time that Tommy would make quite as acceptable a king of Lystria, as would Lord Norheys, I also had no doubt that Lady Norheys would have been a much more attractive queen consort than the somewhat plain Calypso. That matter, however, had been ended, and Tommy evidently was more than satisfied with the turn of events. As for Lord Norheys, I remembered a remark he had once made to me:

"I'm not a prejudiced sort of fellow. What I always say about things is this: A fellow may not have been at a decent school, but he may be quite a decent sort of fellow. It's the same with girls."

And he had won the girl of his choice. The loss of the throne of Lystria he viewed with the utmost equanimity.

I could not feel that I had been a great help, either to Troyte, Lord Norheys, or my sister Emily, in the whole matter, though it is worthy of record that Norheys still calls me "Uncle Bill" and comes to me for advice when he is in trouble, which is more or less frequently. He never by any chance takes my advice, however. I dare say he would get into worse trouble if he did.

On this occasion I was not asked for advice. My nephew and his charming bride evidently had a perfect understanding as to their future participation in Lystrian affairs.

I gathered that when Norheys took Tommy by the arm and spoke to him confidentially.

"I say, you know, about your being king instead of me and all that. I'm jolly glad. Never really wanted the job a bit. Only promised to take it on to please Uncle Ned. All the same, don't you know, I think you owe me a good turn. Only for my sticking to Viola through thick and thin in spite of everything that everybody said, you wouldn't be here, would you?"

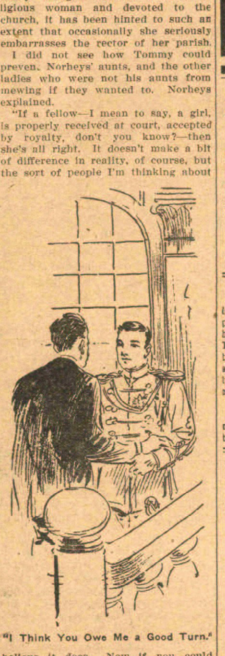
"If there's any mortal thing I can do for you in any way," said Tommy, "just tell me what it is."

"Thanks," said Norheys. "Well, I've married Viola, you know, and of course she's a marchioness of Norheys and all that, which ought to be good enough and is good enough. All the same, the world's full of old cats. I'm not talking of Uncle Ned now. But there are cats, aunts, you know, and lots more who aren't even aunts. They'll be inclined to sniff a bit at Viola, on account of her being a dancer on the stage and that sort of thing. Now, what I always say is this: I don't care a d—n what a girl was, dancer or anything else. No more do you. No more does any sensible man. But if there are cats in the world—and there's no use denying that—what I say is, that it's better to have them purring than mewing."

Norheys' idea, no doubt, was fundamentally sound, but I had my misgivings as to the amount of purring my sister Emily would do when she heard of his marriage to a young lady who had become prominent as a public dancer. Emily has her own ideas on many subjects, and her views are not easily changed. She is a most religious woman and devoted to the church, it has been hinted to such an extent that occasionally she seriously embarrasses the rector of her parish.

I did not see how Tommy could prevent Norheys' aunts, and the other ladies who were not his aunts from mewing if they wanted to. Norheys explained.

"If a fellow—I mean to say, a girl, is properly received at court, accepted by royalty, don't you know?—then she's all right. It doesn't make a bit of difference in reality, of course, but the sort of people I'm thinking about believe it does. Now if you could see your way—you and Calypso—when you're king and queen—if you'd take Viola into the royal circle, why nobody could say a word after that, could they?"



"I Think You Owe Me a Good Turn."

I saw Norheys' point at last. In the days of King Wladislaws a lady's reputation might not have been established by the fact that she was a favorite at the Lystrian court. But things would be quite different when Tommy reigned.

"Whatever we can do," said Tommy heartily, "will be done at once. Lady of the Bedchamber now? or Keeper of the Royal Robes? I don't know much about these jobs. But the best of them, whatever it is, will be Lady Norheys' this evening. And if I have an Order to bestow—I haven't inquired yet, but I suppose I have—"

"There's the Golden Adder of Lystria," I said. "Very few people outside the royal family have it."

"It shall be yours," said Tommy to Norheys, "the very minute I can lay my hands on it."

[THE END]

No Real Meaning to "Voices" of Insects

The "voices" of insects always have been of peculiar interest to mankind. Many naturalists and entomologists have sought to interpret these sounds, and some have claimed to be able to distinguish between the battle cry of a cricket, say, and its love song, according to the New York World.

Now comes Dr. Frank Lutz, curator of insects in the American Museum of Natural History, New York city, to assert his belief that the sounds of insects mean nothing—even to the insects themselves.

Insects squeak, buzz or hum because their body conformation is such that they cannot help making a noise when they move, he thinks. The sounds they make, he says, probably are often embarrassing to them, just as the rattling of the armor of knights of old often betrayed their presence to their enemies.

Autos Not Castles

The Supreme court holds that a man's automobile is not his castle, and many a man realizes that his automobile isn't even his vehicle. It's the rusty old machine which hurts the pride of members of the family who use it while pater familias digs up the scads for gas and garage bills.—Louisville Times.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Battle Creek—The school board has decided to put to the voters on Dec. 7 the question of whether $450,000 in bonds shall be issued for a new junior high school building here.

Hubbell—Henry Opal, founder and president of the Hubbell National Bank, and pioneer resident and business man of the district, died at his home here last week following an illness extending over more than a year and a half.

Algonac — Mayor Hoyt Townsend has re-considered his resignation at the request of the council and will continue in office. Mayor Townsend gave ill health as his reason for resigning, but says his health has improved in the past two weeks.

Marquette—For the first time since the State undertook the enlargement of the Marquette Branch Prison, the institution is housing more convicts than it has cells for. A recent count showed a population of 752. More than 30 men are sleeping on cots placed in cell block corridors.

Mt. Clemens—It is announced by members of the Halfway Commission that Detroit water mains will be laid into the village by December. With extension of Mt. Clemens gas mains to the village, it is said Halfway will have the same modern conveniences as the other parts of the metropolitan area.

Lansing—A hearing on the petition of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railroad for permission to discontinue passenger service from Flat Rock to Wyandotte and Detroit and to install passenger service on its shorter line running from Flat Rock to River Rouge, was held by the State Public Utilities Commission recently. Members indicated the request would be granted.

Mt. Clemens—Four new Curtiss Hawk pursuit planes will be brought to Selfridge Field within the next few day by fliers of the First Pursuit Group who left the field for New York where the ships have recently been completed by the Curtiss Airplane & Motor Co. With the arrival of the new machines, the plane complement at Selfridge will be 18 ships suitable for combat duty.

Ann Arbor—Donald B. MacMillan, Arctic explorer and lecturer, will speak in the Hill Auditorium here Nov. 30, under the auspices of the Kiwnais Club. The funds obtained from this lecture will be used in recreational work for the crippled children at the University Hospital. Dr. Walter N. Koelz, of the Bureau of Fisheries, who accompanied the explorer on his recent trip in the north, will introduce Mr. MacMillan.

Ann Arbor—Will Rogers, actor and humorist, will appear in the Hill Auditorium here next Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Ann Arbor branch of the American Association of University Women. He is to be assisted in this program by the De Reske Singers. Mr. Rogers has chosen for his part of the program the following subjects: "All I know Is What I Read in the Newspapers" and "Great Men I Have Met at the Stage Door."

Lansing—Failure of the highway commission and the Grand Trunk to agree on the details of the project caused the State Public Utilities Commission to order another hearing on the proposed Twenty-fourth street grade separation at Port Huron. The hearing will be held Dec. 1. It was said that Highway Commissioner Frank F. Rogers modified his original plans for the separation and the railroad has failed to approve the changes.

Flint—No more prosecutions will be started in Genesee County under the State law requiring registration of all firearms under 30 inches. This announcement was made at the prosecuting attorney's office here after Circuit Court Judge James S. Parker had declared the law unconstitutional and dismissed a case against John Carlisle. Judge Parker ruled the law was invalid because it did not become effective until Aug. 27, while it required all registrations to be completed by July 1, last.

Jackson—About 200 members of trade unions and their guests from Detroit, Ann Arbor, Battle Creek and Lansing, attended a banquet of the American Federation of Labor here Friday. H. H. Broach, of Washington, D. C., an officer of the Electrical Workers' Union, addressed the meeting. He said the only progress in society for the laborer can come through organized labor. William Collins, representative of the federation in Detroit, said that the trouble in America is not over-production but under-consumption.

Grand Rapids—A 13-story town hall, to cost $3,000,000 and to provide accomodations for the Second Scientist Church, the Peninsular Club, a theater, and the Young and Chaffee Furniture Store, is a proposal to be placed before each of these organizations at once, it was said recently. The church organization, composed of those who withdrew from the First Scientist Church a few years ago, has called a conference on the subject with city officials for Dec. 1. Miss Jessie Bonstelle, Detroit theater owner, has been invited to attend.

Lansing—Farmers have the right, under the State laws, to prohibit hunters from trespassing on their land, the Attorney-General ruled recently. The Michigan State Farm Bureau requested an opinion relative to the case of Glen Peck, Calhoun County farmer, who started a trespass suit against George Burrows, of Battle Creek. Peck had his farm posted, Burrows, hunted on it without permission. The Calhoun prosecutor dismissed the suit on the ground that the statute does not authorize farmers to keep hunters off posted land.

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Mrs. Leonard—Mrs. Harker is thirty-three, but you couldn't tell it.

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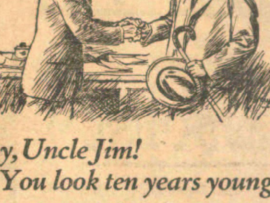
As Matters Stand

Canvasser—"Who's the head of the house?" Husband—(yelling)—"I am, my wife is in Europe."



"Why, Uncle Jim! You look ten years younger!"

"When I saw you a couple of months ago, I made up my mind you were getting old. At least you looked it."

"Yes, Billie, and I felt old. No appetite, couldn't sleep nights—one day just like another, and none of them any good. I knew constipation was at the bottom of it, but it seemed the more laxatives I took the worse I got. Then one day I saw Nell giving Nujol to my little grandson. The doctor had prescribed it for the baby, but I found out it's just the thing for old fellows like me, too.

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UNEARNED CRITICISM

By FRANCIS H. SISSON

Chairman, Public Relations Commission American Bankers Association

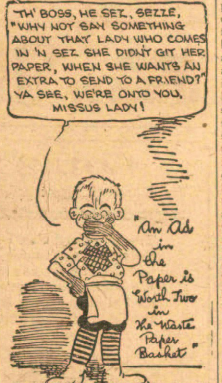
Francis H. Sisson

There has been some disposition to criticize the administration of the country's banking system for the sudden collapse of prices and curtailment of credits in 1920 and 1921, and the subsequent financial difficulties of the farmers. As a matter of fact whatever blame may attach to bankers must be for the too generous financing, in many cases, of speculative investment in farm property during the period of inflation. If any just criticism could be directed at the manner in which the Federal Reserve System functioned in this situation in the opinion of many it would be that the Reserve banks delayed too long in raising the rediscount rates. An earlier effort might have stayed the process of inflation.

The collapse of 1920 was by no means confined to agriculture, and was the inevitable sequel to the inflation period. All branches of business suffered in this period of reaction and perhaps none more than banking against which this criticism has been levelled. The financial situation of the farmers was greatly aggravated by the fact that the high land values and high prices of agricultural products had led many farmers to incur obligations based on the inflated values. If the farmer was victimized at all, indeed he was the victim of too much rather than too little consideration. The real progress which has been achieved in agricultural finance in recent years lies more in the intelligent distribution of farm credit than in volume.

With agencies now functioning for the provision of ample credits for the American farmer, his enduring success depends upon the wisdom and foresight with which he meets the problems of production and marketing. More than ever before, his activities must be regulated with reference to world conditions and his profits, like those of the manufacturer or merchant will reflect the measure of his success in adjusting his activities to these conditions.

MICKIE SAYS


TH' BOSS, HE SEZ, SEZZE, "WHY NOT SAY SOMETHING ABOUT THAT LADY WHO COMES IN 'N SEZ SHE DIDN'T GIT HER PAPER, WHEN SHE WANTS AN EXTRA TO SEND TO A FRIEND?" YA SEE, WE'RE ONTO YOU, MISSUS LADY!
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The adult who has narrowed his choice of food to a few stereotyped articles, or who boasts that he can "eat anything" may not manifest any of the more definite symptoms of dietary disturbance, but nevertheless the bad results of an ill-chosen diet are bound to manifest themselves sooner or later in decreased resistance and in general inefficiencies. "There may be normal nutrition without health," said the late Dr. L. Emmett Holt, "but there cannot be health without normal nutrition."

The Covered Wagon—At the time this picture was filmed there was published in the humane and general press, statements that the author of the historical novel, Mr. Hough, on which the scenario is founded had protested against needless cruelty to animals in the picture—horses, cattle and buffalo—and had been denied admission to the grounds where the picture was taken. Reports were later published containing a statement from his secretary denying that Mr. Hough ever made such complaint. The Humane Record of Chattanooga, Tenn., prints following sworn statement of Ellis Soper which is reproduced from the Christian Science Monitor, of Boston. "About six months before his death, Emerson Hough spent an evening at the apartment of the writer at 41 West Fifty-second Street, New York, during which Mr. Hough related several of his experiences. Naturally the subject of the 'Covered Wagon' arose, and Mr. Hough made the statement at that time that he very much objected to the maiming and killing of the animals during the filming of the picture, and because of his objection he was refused admittance to the lot during the filming of some of the scenes."

Over at River Rouge a suburb of Detroit, Henry Ford is just putting the finishing touches on his half million horse power turbo-generating plant for electricity. It is already in operation. Ford engineers have determined that the steam turbine is the most economical form of power known to science, and most of Henry's modern plants are equipped with this form of engine. The boilers are built for burning soft coal dust. This is bituminous coal ground to powder and blown into the furnace under a heavy air pressure. The result is a maximum heat production and little if any waste in the form of smoke or gases; everything is consumed and although the 333 feet stacks pierce the heavens, at no time can any smoke be seen issuing from them. We are of the opinion that Mr. Ford can see a little further ahead than most of the common people in the state, and he is building against the time when the St Lawrence Waterway will open a way to the ocean, and Detroit will undoubtedly become the metropolis of the middle west. The next census in 1930 is going to show a population of more than 2,000,000 souls in Detroit.

Fort Wayne Will Be No More

Old Fort Wayne at the bend of the Detroit River, is to be abandoned says the Hudson Post and we suppose converted into a public park. The matter has been hanging fire for some time as we heard reports of this a year ago. This was a fort garrisoned against a possible British or Indian invasion in territorial days, but it was a long time under construction, being unfinished as late as 1851. Originally it must have been a rather formidable place. Square bastioned with sand embankments, it was surmounted with "red cedar scrap with embrasures of oak." Three hundred workers were required to bring cedar from Kelley's Island, and it was fervently hoped no redskin or red coat would be able to bombard or storm these sturdy palisades. Along in the '60's the condition of the wooden defense occasioned worry, and the wall was replaced with brickwork seven and one-half feet thick and twenty-two feet high, with a brick facing of about eighteen inches, back of which is six feet of concrete and so it was hoped the destructive effect of solid shot would no longer be felt.

No British bullet has ever flicked a speck of dust from Fort Wayne. History has proved that the expense of upkeep, and the expense of construction which was over $25,000 was more foolish and useless, if possible than anything else the government undertook. We used to think it necessary to maintain a young navy on the border lakes, but time has proved the nonsensical feature of it all. Common sense and diplomacy always have and always will we trust, settle all disputes between Canada and the United States. Fort Wayne aside from its history, has little value, and a casual glance would reveal the necessity of a conversion into a business district.

Killing The Farmer's Friend—A rural mail carrier shot a hawk on the road the other day and when he went to pick it up, the supposed dead bird took a peck that put out his eye—for which no one can blame the hawk, says the Salem, Oregon, Capital Journal, this federal employee broke several laws and regulations. It is against rules to carry a gun on duty, while delivering mail. It is a violation of the state law to shoot on a public highway. A hawk is one of the most beneficial of birds and one of the farmer's best friends, daily destroys its weight in vermin, and as it is useless as food, there is no justification for its slaughter. As a result of similar wanton slaughter of eagles, hawks and owls, all birds that justify their existence, the balance of nature has been destroyed and a great increase in rabbits, diggers, gophers and mice is causing and is causing an economic loss to every farmer in the land. All of these birds should be protected by law to prevent their extermination, which is now threatened.

Will Ask War-time Wages

The latest thing to be announced throughout the country is a pending strike among railroad employees because they have not been granted sufficient wages. They are now asking for a raise and one that will bring the total up about as high as in war times. The Brotherhood of Trainmen are now working on this idea and will bring it to a focus soon. A contemporary editorial remarks as follows: "It looks as if this were the beginning of a very serious campaign. It is to be hoped that railroad employees will have the sense to eliminate a possible strike from all consideration in connection with their demands. It is high time that the people of the United States were considered in such disputes."

Well, we should say it is high time somebody was severely punished. If that is all the poor editorialist can get off he may as well go out in the woodland and try hitting his head against a sturdy black oak. He will finally arrive at the conclusion the oak is hard—but beyond that nothing tangible. After butting against these numerous strikes such as the coal strike, and a few others which have to do with the necessities of life, we have decided the world is full of incongruity. Not only the people should be consulted but likewise the whole consuming class also. The anthracite coal miners have chosen a time when the innocent public is the hardest hit to bring about their disturbance. Precious little good will it do to prate about the people being consulted. What we need is a solid army of armed men to march to Washington and demand that something be done to jar these strikers into a realization that they are law breakers. Another army should take care of the operators—millionaires who take this form of procedure to fill their dishonest coffers—and raise the price of coal. Its little these operators care if the mines are silent the winter through—since every day they lie idle means a jump in the price of coal. We hear occasionally about boycotting the coal mines and burning wood. All the small consumers in the U. S. who can do without coal don't amount to a continental to the coal mine operator, as he can do without their patronage, but the mills, power plants, factories and gas plants must have his coal and like Shylock of old, the operator will carve his pound of flesh. The proper authority at Washington could abate the nuisance right speedily but Alas and Alack! Honest "Cal" don't feel that he can do much to compel the strike settlement. Perhaps Mr. Coolidge has pipe dreams of great victories at the polls, and 300,000 votes are reaching toward him the terribly swift sword of repudiation—at any rate your Uncle "Cal" is loath to offend even the least of these.

This talk about the "people being consulted" put up by bashful editors who are so nervous about saying anything that the go in the cellar and pull down the blinds to cover conscience, makes us tired—in view of the fact that some of the leading non-controlled writers have thundered this stuff for the past two years, intermittantly.

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Evergreens Suffer From Worm Attack

Evergreen trees in resort districts of northern Michigan suffered considerable damage last summer when parasites which normally control a certain measuring worm failed temporarily as a check upon the pests, according to Prof. R. H. Pettit, head of the entomology at the M. S. C.

The attacks reported by Professor Pettit occurred in the northwestern section of the lower peninsula, and touched eight or ten counties, Antrim, Leelanau, Grand Traverse and Emmet counties showed the most serious infestation.

Hemlocks seemed to be the first choice of the worms for plant food although the following were used freely wherever they occurred with hemlocks: balsam fir, arbor vitae, white pine, white birch, soft maple and beech. Other trees sometimes accepted as food were: Norway pine, willow, tag elder, and American elm.

Injury was sufficient in heavily infested sections to cause death of many hemlocks and balsams, while the white cedars suffered defoliation in many instances. The loss is said to exceed that of the timber alone, however, as these trees add much to the beauty of the resort country in which the outbreaks occurred.

Proper spraying will control the worms, although such practice would not be praticable on large areas of forest trees. Near cottages and resort property, the spraying is said to be entirely feasible.

"The insect causing all this trouble is a native geometrid which is always with us", says Professor Pettit. "Usually its numbers are small, but for some unexplained reason the parasities which normally keep it in check are for a time failing to control. It is to be confidently expected, however, that in the course of a few years at most the balance between the pests and their parasities will be established again, and that this enemy of our conifers will again become inconspicuous."

State Corn Entries Refused At Chicago

No corn entries from Michigan will be accepted at this year's International Hay and Grain Show, which is to be held in Chicago the first week of December in connection with the annual International Livestock Exposition.

Fearing spread of the dread European corn borer to new sections, the Illinois state department of agriculture has announced a bar against entries from Michigan Ohio, Ontario and other districts where corn borer infestations are present. The action is said to be in line with the precautionary steps being taken in all sections where the corn borer is feared.

Michigan growers have won a generous share of the corn awards at the International in recent years and many farmers have ning to exhibit this fall. the ban is being spread state crop improvement tion, the M. A. C., and oth cies in an effort to prevent pointment for corn growers last moment.

The quarantine will not other grain or hay entries, hundreds of samples from M igan's best farms will compete these classes. In some divisio the local growers will be e against contestants fro ern group of states, w they will match the against the entire coun ada.

George Huxtler, of South itou Island, winner of the G Championship in rye at the In national for three of the last f years, is to attend the show in pe son for the first time this year, adding a touch of feature interest to the Michigan entries. In making his sensational winnings, Mr. Hux tler has had to compete agains best rye of the United States Canada.

HASKINS NAMED TO FAIR BOARD

Howard City Publisher Important Cog In Reorganized Body—Starts Work.

(By Ed A. Nowack)

Lansing—James B. Haskins, of Howard City, publisher, postmaster, former field director of The Michigan Press Association, an indefatigable worker for betterment of newspaper conditions in Michigan, and one of the most widely known publishers in the state, will be reappointed next April to the five-year term on the Board of Managers of State Fairs. This is the information that is picked up at the capitol. Mr. Haskins on Nov. 12 was appointed to the board to fill the unexpired term of H. H. Halladay. Coincident with the announcement of his appointment came the information he had been named chairman of the public relations committee of the board.

JAMES B. HASKINS

Newspapermen and men in public life in Lansing and elsewhere see in the appointment of Jim Haskins the much desired inauguration of a modern, competent and thoroughly sympathetic relationship between the fair board on the one hand and the public and the press on the other. These latter two have suffered in the past from devious handling and horseplay by the former management of the fair board. Appointment of Haskins will put an end to the practice the former management frequently exercised by infliction of petty penalities upon the press and public where honest differences of opinion prevailed. Gone, also, will be the alleged dictatorial and autocratic methods frequently employed in the past. The press and the public will be treated fairly, Mr. Haskins says.

Those facts are insured by the first piece of work performed by Mr. Haskins and contained in a statement, issued in conjunction with an invitation to 89 Michigan organizations to attend a future meeting of the board of managers. In this connection Mr. Haskins says:

"In order to make it clear at the outset that the Michigan State Fair is a state institution and shall in the future be such in fact as well as name, a special committee of which I was chairman prepared and issued the following statement of policy at the first meeting of the new board held at Lansing, Nov. 13, after such report received the unanimous sanction of the Board of Managers. This report follows:

"Answering the call of its chairman, the Honorable L. Whitney Watkins, the members of the Board of Managers of State Fairs have met for the purpose of placing the affairs of the State Fair in order so that it will truly represent the agricultural, industrial, educational, public health and other major enterprises of this state and after an investigation of conditions at the State Fair, it is the unanimous sense of this board that a thorough and complete reorganization is necessary and that a very drastic change in policy is the paramount duty confronting the Board.

"It is our opinion that an institution such as the State Fair should first of all be made truly representative of the agricultural, industrial and educational interests of the state. The Fair is located in an ideal locality. Every agency of the state has

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1925

Present: Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Adam Sindecuse, deceased.

Jennie Daulis, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to her or to some other suitable person,

It is ordered: That the 21st day of November A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice of be given by publication of a copy order once each week, for three succes weeks previous to said day of hearing in North Adams Advocate, a newspaper prin and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR L. GUERNSE
Judge of Probate.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditi of a certain mortgage bearing date the day of March, A. D., 1919 executed by Ge B Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties the first part, to the Addison State Savings Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161 of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Whic
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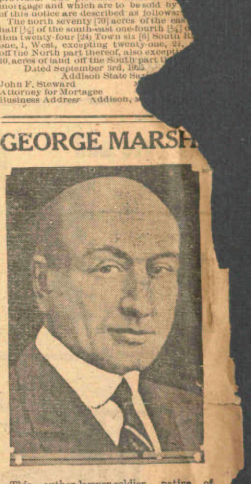

This author-lawyer-soldier, native of New York state and distinguished resident of Providence, R. I., brought the lovers of wild life and romantic fiction pertaining to the same, to strict attention with his fine story of the northland, entitled "The Whelps of the Wolf." Prior to that he had written a number of unusual short stories of the Hudson Bay district and the rugged, adventurous people who dwell there. He has recently registered his greatest success with "The Valley of Voices," a truly remarkable tale of farthest outposts of the fur trade.

Mr. Marsh is a graduate of Yale university and of Harvard Law school, and he can write; indeed, he can! During the war he served as an officer both in the infantry and the air service, principally in the Meuse-Argonne campaign. He was a member for the U. S. A. of the convention of the peace conference his great forte is novelist, and pleased to have the privilege of ing him to our readers through ley of Voices," which in this paper.

THE FEATHERHEADS

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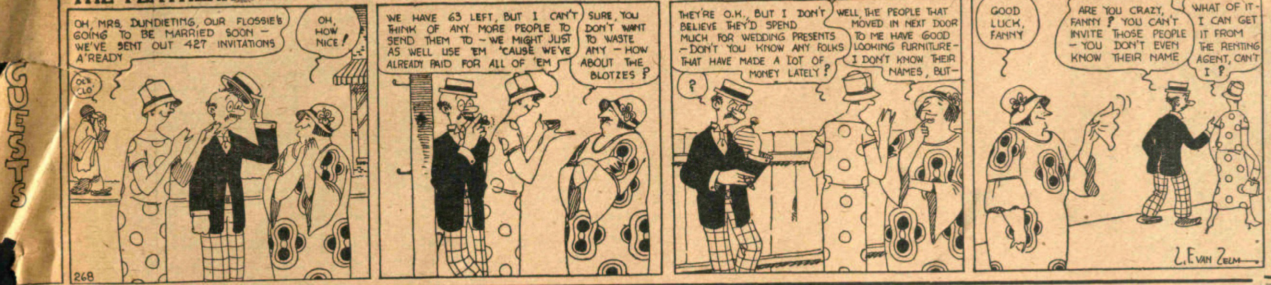
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LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Some Points To Remember

Alcoholic fermentation changes good foods into injurious drinks.

Even moderate amounts of beer wine, or other alcoholic drinks have been found to impair ability to do good work.

Alcohol reduces endurance for sports or hard work.

Alcohol impairs the skill and precision required in doing fine work.

The drinker's power of self control is diminished by alcohol.

Alcohol makes the drinker more reckless in taking chances involving danger.

Beer may disorder a man's thinking or acting without making him drunk.

The normal man thinks before he acts. The man with alcohol in his brain is likely to act before he thinks.

Even a moderate amount of alcohol impairs the drinker's ability to judge correctly the quality of his own work.

Alcohol is not a stimulant but a narcotic.

A man doing hard work needs good food, hot or nourishing drinks not beer.

Alcoholic drink is dangerous to one exposed to cold.

Wounds heal less rapidly in the average habitual drinker than in an abstainer.

Alcohol impairs the qualities constantly needed by the driver of an automobile such as steadiness, caution, ability to recognize danger, and to act correctly and quickly.

Modern high power machinery cannot be safely managed by a brain even slightly dulled by alcohol.

Alcohol is a habit forming drug which has the power of setting up a craving which makes the drunkard.

The drinker is more liable to have infectious diseases because alcohol lessens the power of the body to kill germs.

Life insurance companies have found that the average insured person who is an abstainer from alcoholic liquors lives longer than one who drinks any alcoholic liquor even moderately.

The man who spends for drink, money needed by his wife and children for food, diminishes their chances for good health.

The drinker brings injury upon others as well as upon himself.—The Union Signal.

Electricity In The Home

Electricity has become the silent partner in the modern home, taking the place of servants, at greatly reduced cost, Miss Margaret Hartnacke, director of home service, Consumers Power Company, Grand Rapids, told members of the Hillsdale County Federation of Women's Clubs at Montgomery last Friday Nov. 20.

"Several years ago—not so many at that—skilled labor was considered a person or persons who could do the work in the home rapidly and skillfully," said Miss Hartnacke. "During the last few years, the meaning of skilled labor has changed, and now refers to utilitarian machinery and appliances.

"We measure the comfort of our home by its convenience. In these days convenience is, in a large part, a matter of electrical service, and the effectiveness of this service depends on the completeness of the wiring system, not only on the proper size of wire but also on the number of convenience outlets."

Lighting in the home is an important matter, she declared, for it affects not only our personal convenience and happiness, but also our eyesight and health. Insufficient lighting may cause eyestrain, which in turn causes headaches. Miss Hartnache urged the use of frosted electric lights of sufficient size, properly shaded. Glaring lights are also to be avoided.

"Glare", she said, "is hostile and piercing. It is not the effect of too much light that tires and bothers, but rather the glare and excessive brightness. Glare can be overcome by the use of frosted bulbs carefully shaded, so that the eyes cannot see the bright filament that provides the light."

The electric iron saves many steps, according to Miss Hartnacke. With old fashioned sad irons—a very fitting name—it was necessary to carry irons weighing from seven to ten pounds back and forth from the hot coal stove to the ironing board. Electric ironing machines now are made which will iron 95 per cent of the family washing. The ironing machine is an especial "wife saver" on the bed spreads, sheets and tablecloths. It will even iron men's shirts, she said. The electric washing machine eliminates the back breaking rubbing, and hand wringing. The machine not only saves hard work, but does the work better in half the time.

"This enables the housewife to take in an afternoon tea, matinee or club meeting", she said. "Blue Mondays are done away with altogether by this method."

The tramping in of dirt, mud and grit no longer worries the modern housewife, according to Miss Hartnacke. The vacuum cleaner will "whiz" away the dirt with very little effort on the part of the housewife, and at small cost. She mentioned the attachments for cleaning lampshades, draperies, bedding registers and automobile upholstery.

The electric refrigerator does away with the cleaning up of the ice chamber and the floor about the unit, she said. It also does away with the annoyance of the ice man, and with the danger of running out of ice on Sundays and holidays.

"Faithfully, silently, automatically, the electric refrigerator insures a cool, dry atmosphere, which effects the best preservation of foodstuffs, keeping them fresh, cool and crisp," said Miss Hartnacke. "This protects the most important factor of life—health. When entertaining company did you ever put chipped ice in your beverages, or on your salads, and after it had melted were embarrassed by finding splinters or settlings? Ice cubes made from pure drinking water are always available when an electric refrigerator is on the job."

With an electric range, Miss Hartnacke said the expression "I'd rather eat than sleep" would become a household by-word. She mentioned the advantages of the automatic time control, "which enables you to attend club meetings, afternoon teas and matinees while your meals are being prepared."

"Where there is eating there is dish-washing," she said. "How much greater would be the appetite of the cook if she knew that she did not have to wash or wipe the dishes after each meal. The electric dish washer not only washes, but scalds and drys as well, without it being necessary to even put the hands into the water."

The electric sewing machine not only saves the labor of treadling, but, through its ease of operation, makes more pleasant the sewing of dresses which otherwise would be purchased ready-made, thereby saving considerable money.

The electric percolator, waffle iron, grill and toaster make better easier prepared breakfasts.

"If we start out in good humor in the morning with a well prepared and appetizing breakfast we are bound to keep up our spirits throughout the day."

The electric heating pad is recommended by all doctors, she said as it keeps a dry even temperature at all times, doing away with the leaky hot water bottle.

Miss Hartnacke stressed the importance of securing of standard make appliances.

"You can always be sure of the service of electricity to run these appliances. It must be adequate at all times. The grocer or the druggist can tell a customer that he is out a certain article, but will have more in a few days. But can an electric company say, 'Sorry, but we're out of electricity, we shall have some more in a couple of days.' Indeed they cannot."

Women have found that electricity is not a luxury but a necessity she said. It has been proved that women spend more for powder, rouge and other cosmetics in one month than they do for electricity.

Instructions in reading the electric meter and in replacing fuses were given by Miss Hartnacke.

"I wish I could wake up some morning and be told that each and every home was electrically equipped," she said. "I am now speaking in particular of the farm homes Men are working night and day, companies are spending thousands of dollars, for the improvement of methods for rural electrification. We shall have it very soon."

For Sale—Two year old Delaine Ram. Harley Fry. 24t2

Fifty Years Service On The Road

E. H. Yerrick of Fort Wayne Indiana, was highly honored by members of the railroad force at Hillsdale on Sunday last his termination of a long and efficient service on the New York Central Lines The G. A. R. Hall at Hillsdale was the place chosen for the meeting and fifty of the New York Central employees were present at the depot when Mr. Yerrick's engine pulled in from his last trip. The engine was decorated with flags and bunting and Mr. Yerrick was escorted to the hall where a banquet was served and he was presented with an all leather chair and floor lamp. A program was given by sons and daughters of the engineers of the division.

Mr. Yerrick had run on nearly every branch out of Hillsdale and it will be remembered he drove the engine of the Detroit Flyer through North Adams at the time a man's body was struck and thrown into the ditch in the cut northeast of the village in the night. The victim's head was severed from the body but no indications were present of the accident on the engine. It appeared the man had been murdered near the spot, his head severed and the body placed on the track by unknown parties. Mr Yerrick being called to the stand gave his testimony in a matter of fact way and stated that he had examined his engine upon arrival in Hillsdale and found no traces of the accident. He entered the service of the road in 1875.

Visitors to the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago, November 28th to December 5th, may avail themselves of the following tourist fares over the lines of members of the Trans-Continental Passenger Association, return limit nine months from date of sale and stop over privileges allowed at any point enroute in either direction. San Francisco, Los Angeles, and San Diego, $144.26 round trip; Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Vancouver and Victoria, $139.40 and Spokane, $126.20.

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Mrs. W. R. Painter of Carrollton, chairman of the committee on historic sites for the Daughters of 1812, is carrying on negotiations with a big lead smelting company for the acquisition of the old "shot tower" at Herculaneum, Jefferson county, Mo., overlooking the Mississippi river. From a cliff 150 feet high at this point, says the Kansas City Star, bullets were molded for use in the War of 1812 by dropping the hot pellets of lead. A painting of the "shot tower" is among the historical pictures on the walls of the state capitol. Mrs. Painter will ask that the "shot tower" be given the Daughters of 1812 to be preserved as a historic site.

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The Obscure Point

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"But, colonel, how did the thing get into your pajamas?" drawled one of his listeners.—London Weekly Telegraph.

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A Long Wait

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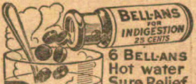
Cobbler—Ay—and you'll have to wait till Wednesday.—London Punch.



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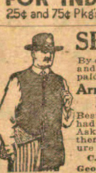

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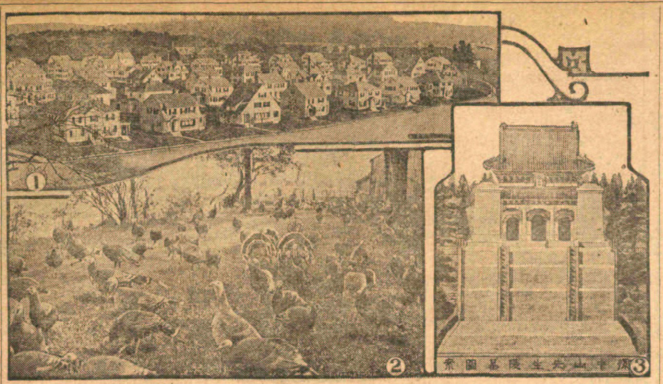

1—Model industrial village of Shawsheen, Mass., which cost $21,000,000 and is to be abandoned by the American Woolen company. 2—View on a Vermont turkey farm where 1,000 of the birds were raised for Thanksgiving. 3—Prize winning design for memorial to Dr. Sun Yat-Sen on Purple mountain, Nanking, China.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Mrs. Lansdowne's Charges Sifted by the Shenandoah Board of Inquiry.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

MRS. ZACHARY LANSDOWNE seemed to be having considerable difficulty last week in substantiating her charges that the Navy department, through Capt. Paul Foley, then judge advocate, sought to induce her to testify falsely before the Shenandoah court of inquiry. The widow of the airship's commander repeated her story of Captain Foley's call on her and his sending of an outline of what she should say, and in a general way all this was corroborated by others. But it was brought out that it was part of the judge advocate's duty to interview prospective witnesses, and Mrs. George W. Steele, who carried the Foley memorandum to Mrs. Lansdowne, said that on reading it "she manifested no indignation and said nothing whatever about any sinister purpose, nothing indicating any idea that the memorandum represented any attempt to influence her testimony."

A copy of the memorandum was produced by the judge advocate. It reads:

"Immediately subsequent to the loss of the U. S. S. Shenandoah I felt it my duty to say for my husband things which he was no longer in a position to say for himself; that he was opposed to sending the Shenandoah on the midwestern flight during the thunderstorm period and had protested so doing to the Navy department. My husband regarded the Shenandoah as a man of war. He was ready at all times to take the ship out for military maneuvers, but was opposed to using her for nonmilitary duty.

"Had I known at the time I accepted the invitation of the court to appear before it that the correspondence in the case would have been introduced into the record of the court as it since has I would not have accepted the invitation of the court to appear.

"As things now are I am not only willing but would prefer to leave the entire matter to the judgment of the court in which I have every confidence."

Mrs. Lansdowne admitted that the only statement in this memorandum to which she took exception is that "her husband was ready at all times to take the ship out for military maneuvers but was opposed to using her for nonmilitary duty." She said if she had given such testimony she would have made her husband out an ignorant fool. Even on military maneuvers he was not ready to go at all times, regardless of the weather, and the use of the phrase "nonmilitary duty," she said, was camouflage for "political flights."

Efforts to involve Secretary Wilbur, made by Mrs. Lansdowne and her uncle, Dr. W. B. Mason, were not impressive.

Joseph E. Davies, late of Wisconsin, was counsel for Mrs. Lansdowne and he created a tumult by insisting loudly on his right to be present and to advise his client in court. He was ejected once but crept back in and caused more disturbance. Captain Foley took the stand in his own defense, and denied that he had tried to influence Mrs. Lansdowne's testimony.

TESTIMONY for the defense in the Mitchell court-martial was completed and arguments were begun. A number of aviators were called to tell of unwarranted hazards in night flying and bombing tests, and then Admiral William S. Sims, retired, was called. He told the court that many of the higherups in the navy never had attended the naval war college at Newport and consequently were "hidebound, ignorant and uneducated." He asserted the capital ship of the future is the swift airplane carrier and that an adequate air force would be the salvation of the country in case of attack by sea.

Concerning the Shenandoah, Admiral Sims said: "If the motive of a flight is all military—if, for example the navy says, 'We want you to go out and get storm risk data'—that is all right," the admiral testified. "If the motive is to pass over fair grounds, it is all wrong."

"In view of the loss of the Shenandoah, what is your view of the motive in that case?" he was asked.

"It did not seem to me correct at all."

Capt. Anton Heinen, the Zeppelin expert from Germany, was asked about the reduction of the Shenandoah's automatic safey valves from 18 to 10, and replied: "If I had known that before the Shenandoah made her fatal flight everybody may rest assured that I would have kicked up a hell of a row. The effect of the reduction of the valves was to reduce the safety of the ship from 100 per cent to zero. It made the Shenandoah absolutely unsafe."

PREMIER MUSSOLINI, now more than ever the master of Italy, opened the new session of parliament with a remarkable address in which he presented his budget of new laws which, he frankly declared, were intended to do away with the present parliamentary form of government, "inadequate for modern life," and to replace it with Fascism. He said it was impossible to hinder Fascism from the interior, and he warned all other nations that if menaces to his planned regime came from abroad the Italian nation would arise as one man. The deputies were given the tip not to waste much time in discussing the proposition because Fascist discipline would not tolerate it.

Chief of Mussolini's new measures are these:

1. A law to establish the ancient podesto instead of mayors, which gives the central government control even of the local political machines.

2. A law increasing the powers of the premier not only over every department of the government, but even not allowing the order of the day to be discussed in the chamber without his approval.

3. A law providing for confiscation of property and deprivation of the citizenship for Italians abroad "calumnizing" Italy or its government.

4. A law creating co-operative boards of arbitration between capital and labor.

The premier also has called on all the Italian people to subscribe toward the payment of the debt to the United States, the funding arrangement for which was signed in Washington.

American bankers evidently approve of Italy's condition and prospects, for a group of them, headed by J. P. Morgan & Co., last week arranged a loan to the Italian government of $100,000,000 to assist in the restoration of the gold standard and to retire the $50,000,000 credit extended by Morgan to three Italian banks of issue last June for stabilization of the lira. The loan will take the form of bonds bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent.

CONDITIONS in Syria are going from bad to worse, from the French standpoint, for the rebellious Druses are growing in strength and last week shifted the scene of their greatest activity to the Lebanon region. The French had armed a large body of Christian volunteers there, but these were badly defeated by the Druses, who captured a number of towns and a vast amount of loot. Sidon, on the Syrian coast, was threatened and the American missionaries there asked that a warship be sent from Beirut.

PRACTICALLY without opposition the British house of commons ratified the Locarno treaties. Mr. Chamberlain, in opening the perfunctory debate, dissipated the fear that Great Britain would be committed by the pacts to go to war against its wishes. Replying to the charge that Russia had not been brought into the League of Nations at Locarno, he said the fault, if any, lay with Russia and not with the western powers. "The Russian government," he continued, "is not prepared to join the league on any terms whatever, its fundamental objection being that the league is a society of nations based on a system which is not compatible with the view of the soviet government of what the world should be."

INVESTIGATION by government agents of the alleged national beer syndicate, the Chicago end of which is alleged to have been doing a business of $800,000 a month, resulted last week in the indictment of the Boston & Maine railway and 24 individuals. This, according to the district attorney at Chicago, is merely the "first batch." Among the individuals named are two policemen, several traffic managers, three prohibition agents, a number of brewery managers and employees and David J. Allen, former purchasing agent of the Atlanta penitentiary, who has been mixed up in other liquor scandals. Allen is described as the leader of the entire conspiracy, and it is said he has fled to Europe.

The treasury last Wednesday revoked, effective December 31, every outstanding alcohol permit issued under the national prohibition law and an investigation was started to determine whether any of them should be renewed. The news of this action created consternation among the numerous concerns that have been drawing out alcohol vastly in excess of their normal and legal needs.

The house ways and means committee, following the advice of General Andrews, voted to impose a new tax of one-tenth of one cent a gallon on near beer and other cereal beverages, as a means of providing for inspection of all breweries.

OVER the protests of Chairman Green and most of the Democratic members, the ways and means committee voted retroactive repeal of increases in estate tax rates of the 1924 revenue act, effective on estates of all persons dying since that law became effective on June 2, 1924. If this feature of the new law is accepted by congress the government will have to refund millions of dollars already collected.

GOVERNOR SORLIE of North Dakota has appointed George E. Nye to be United States senator to fill the vacancy caused by the death of E. F. Ladd. But as Mr. Nye was a supporter of the La Follette ticket in the last Presidential campaign and might be expected to line up with the senate radicals, it is predicted that his seating will be fought by the regular Republican senators. The opposition will be based on a precedent established early in the Wilson administration when the senate refused to seat Frank P. Glass, appointed by the governor of Alabama to fill a vacancy, because Alabama's laws fail to provide specifically for such an appointment. The North Dakota statute authorizes the governor to fill vacancies in state offices, but fails to mention the office of senator.

WHAT might have been a terrible tragedy was narrowly averted when the Clyde liner Lenape caught fire at sea off the Delaware coast. After a thirty-mile dash, she steamed into the harbor at Lewes, surrounded by other boats, and 367 persons, comprising all but one of her passengers and the entire crew, were taken off in safety and just in the nick of time. One man had jumped overboard and was drowned.

Damage estimated at $3,000,000 was done by a conflagration that swept the Mississippi river docks at New Orleans. Great quantities of merchandise were consumed and for a time the wholesale business district of the city was threatened.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, addressing the New York State Chamber of Commerce, outlined his program of economic developments, including inland waterways, railroad consolidations, further economy and efficiency in government departments, further extension of electrification, and elimination of waste in industry and commerce. He also urged that America join the World court.

HERE are a few brief items worthy to be recorded:

D. C. Stephenson, former Klan dragon of Indiana, was sentenced to life imprisonment for his part in the death of Madge Oberholtzer.

George H. Jones, who started in business as office boy, was elected chairman of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

General Feng and Marshal Chang of China signed a peace agreement.

Twelve soviet officials were sentenced to death at Moscow for graft.

Failure of Jeanette Impulse to Amundsen

Seattle, Wash.—Arctic navigators returning here from their summer incursions into the North by way of Bering strait recall that the wreck of the Jeanette originated the inspiration for the latest attempt of Capt. Roald Amundsen to float a vessel across, or near, the North pole.

Commanded by St. George Washington de Long, U. S. N., the Jeanette moved into the Arctic through Bering strait in 1879, and after passing Wrangell island was locked in ice. She crumpled and sank June 13, 1881, after 22 months in the pack.

Part of her crew perished in struggling over the ice to the mouth of the Lena river, in Siberia, and more died in trying to find a human habitation.

Three years after the crumpling, casks from the Jeanette were found on the coast of Greenland, giving evidence they had passed across the Arctic ocean.

Amundsen's first drifting exploit was in the Gjoa to make the westward passage of the Arctic above North America. He completed the voyage in 1906. Next, in the Fram, he went to the other end of the earth, and succeeded in discovering the South pole, December 16, 1911.

On May 21, 1925, Amundsen and five others hopped off in two planes from the Spitzbergen islands to fly over the pole. The six returned June 18 in one of the planes, the other having been wrecked 150 miles from the pole.

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Astigmatism

When the moon looks double, or appears as three or more moons, you may be troubled with irregular astigmatism, according to Dr. Edward Jackson, authority on the eyes, writing in Hygeia Magazine.

Distortion of things looked at is caused by irregular astigmatism, and this cannot be corrected by glasses.

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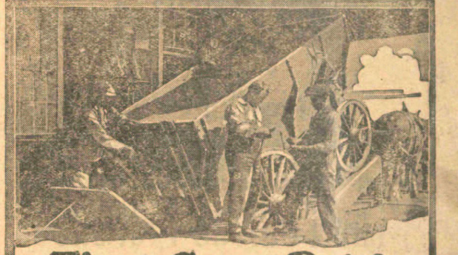
Dick—Croquette?

Tom—Not yet; but he's very ill.—Open Road.



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Calendars:

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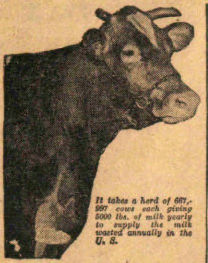
Spilt Milk Costs Uncle Sam $77,399,685.00 Annually



It takes a herd of 667,-997 cows each giving 5000 lbs. of milk yearly to supply the milk wasted annually in the U. S.

According to a schedule showing the division of dairy products, published by the United States Department of Agriculture, the annual cost of wasted milk in our nation would make a happy pay day for the army and navy and still leave an appropriation sufficient to build enough combat planes to satisfy even the militant Mitchell.

The amount of milk spilt, soured, rejected and otherwise wasted annually, is 3,339,936,000 pounds. This at $2.25 per hundred would approximate annually the stupendous amount of $77,399,685.

However, a cheerful note rings through this tale of economic loss to a nation. The same report shows a 1924 increase of 108 pounds of milk per cow over 1923 production. Deducting this from the figure previously given, leaves a loss through waste of only $13,607,325, a mere bagatelle, compared with our national debt of more than twenty billions of dollars.

The increased yield per cow is due to heightened efficiency on the farm; and future years promise even greater increases.

Dairymen have discovered the futility of feeding non-paying members of their milk herds. They have learned that losses lurk in insanitary milk production. They have discovered the advantages that lie in swatting the bacteria that hide in unclean stables, unclipped, unbrushed flanks and udders of milk cows and unsterilized utensils. As time goes on, the unavoidable waste of milk will be more than offset by intelligent feeding, complete sanitation and more efficient herd management.

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Central Moscow

Andrew Richards was in Hillsdale Saturday.

L. L. Sloan was a caller at Chas Kies Friday last.

Mrs. George Brayton visited her sister Mrs. Bascom last week.

Elvin Kellogg and wife of Battle Creek were visitors at John Adams Sunday.

Mrs. Len Dewey's sister and family from Waldron visited her the week end.

Lee Kies and wife called on Mrs. Mable Sturdevant of North Adams Saturday.

Lee Kies and wife visited her parents Than Linsday and wife over the week end.

Rena Crapser of Jackson spent the week end with John Crapser and family.

Fred Carpenter and wife visited their daughter Lucile and family in Jackson last week.

Mrs. John Adams has returned from Englishville after spending a week with her daughter and family Mrs. Ray Kellogg.

Mrs. Parks has returned to her daughter's Hattie Kies after spending four weeks with her son Edd and other relatives in Jackson.

Somerset Centre

Glenn Brown was in town Saturday night.

W. T. Dunn and wife and Loren Shock were in Jackson Saturday.

John Weatherwax is having a well drove by Reading parties.

John Parker and daughter Florence were in Jackson Saturday.

Mrs. Cora VanAllen is staying with her daughter Mrs. Earl Rutan.

Bart VanAllen and wife spent Sunday with Earl Rutan and family

Leon Mercer and George Becker were in Cement City Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles King returned to her home Thursday from the Jackson Hospital.

Denzel Lyons and wife spent the week end with her parents R. Rutan and wife.

Wallie Higbee spent the week end with his sisters Lottie and Wavah Higbee.

The Church Fair will be held at Somerset Center church Saturday evening Nov. 28.

Earnest Hudson and family spent the week end with her parents Tom Tuckerman and family.

Tom VanAllen and family of Jerome spent Friday evening with Earl Rutan and family.

Henry Didama and family spent Sunday with the latter's parents George Becker and wife.

Mrs. Eugene McGregor of Somerset Center spent Sunday with Leon Mercer and family.

Mrs. Emma Becker and daughter Ethel and Mollie O'Brian expect to start for Florida Saturday Nov. 28.

The Greenville Gravel Co. of Ohio are testing the gravel in Beckers Hill. Wendell Mercer and Lyle Rutan are employed by them.

Jerome

The I. O. O. F. lodge nominated officers Tuesday evening.

The auction of H. L. McGregor held Monday was fairly well attended.

V. C. Green and wife of Pittsford visited Sunday at the T. J. Lane home.

Lemuel Kies and Ora Potter were in Toledo Friday with a truck of potatoes.

The local school presented an interesting Thanksgiving program Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Otto Miller and sons, Lyle and Wayne also, Mrs. Della Lowery were in Jackson Saturday.

It is reported that Rev. Scott preached interestingly on the topic of "Christ feeding the Multitudes" at the M. E. church Sunday evening

Cats belonging to Mrs. C. W. McGregor and Mrs. G. A. Sawdey won ribbons at the show held at the Otsego hotel last week. About 140 cats were on exhibition the total value being probably $8,000. H. Lane spent Friday and Saturday evenings at watchman at the show. Officers of the Association are Pres. Helen Luttenton, sec. Freda McGregor, treas. Margaret Pickell.

Generally speaking, it seems that American colleges and universities of the present day are places where professors poison the minds of young people, as has been pointed out by Dr. Riley pastor of the large First Baptist church of Minneapolis. In addition the professors dare not tell the truth concerning the subjects of politics, economics and social problems because the trustees of the institutions of higher learning usually discharge a professor who dares to be honest. There are, it appears three subjects of great importance in the universities today, namely, football, cheating and suppression of honest thinking.

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Jonesville

Carver Walcott and family of Ypsilanti are visiting their parents here.

Mrs. Anne Barkman is ill at her home on Evans street.

Mrs. Ida Wisner of Toledo was a visitor recently at the C. G. White home here.

Arlington Rodlam was in Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Dingfelder left last week to spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. Wm Moffat in Kansas City.

Mrs. Fred Lewis of California is here to see her father Dr. H. M. Warren who is ill at the John Lewis home on West Chicago street.

Miss Catherine Riggs of Sagman spent the Thanksgiving vacation at her home in this village.

Mrs. Emma Evans of Hillsdale was a guest the first of the week at the R. S. Varnum home here,

Clifford Walcott and wife of Coldwater spent the week end at the home of their parents Dr. and Mrs. Walcott.

Mrs. Olive Wisner and son Edgar spent Sunday in Jackson at the home of Clarence House and wife.

Miss Mable Guy entertained the teachers of the Jonesville school last Thursday evening at the Leon Guy home.

Mrs. Dewitt Dudley and two children left last week for California to spend the winter.

C. W. Price and wife and W. M. Glasgow and wife were in Ann Arbor last Saturday.

Mrs. B. E. Poor entertained at a luncheon Sunday evening J. G. Galenus and wife of Hillsdale, Clarence House and wife of Jackson, Roy Howard and family, F. H. Curtiss and family, Miss Eva Dickinson and Mrs. Olive Wisner and son Edgar of this place.

The open meeting of the Womans club was held Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Smith of Jackson gave a very interesting talk on the Federal Reserve Banking system. The music was furnished by the Girls Glee Club of Hillsdale College under the direction of Miss Eleanor Kelley.

Local News

Get your Sunday dinner at the M. E. bazaar Dec. 5th.

—Will the Halloween Boys please tell us where our Skid is that we load Fence with, We need it mighty bad. F. I. Williams & Son. 26t1

Chicken dinner and cafeteria supper at the M. E. bazaar Saturday Dec. 5th.

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George Fullerton and wife left this week to spend a few weeks with their daughter Mrs. A. L. Bell at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Oray Holcomb and daughter Muriel spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Holcomb's parents at Camden.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will give a program of music and demonstrations at the church Sunday evening Nov. 29th. A Silver offering will be taken.

The S. E. class of the Congregational Sunday school will meet in the church parlors Tuesday evening Dec. 1, 1925. Potluck supper and program. Answer roll call by some thing you are thankful for.

There will be a Dancing party at the Community Hall this Friday evening Nov. 27th. Under the auspices of Adams Lodge F. & A. M. Music by Hillsdale College orchestra. Bring either doughnuts or sandwiches.

Get your fancy work, aprons and children's articles at the M. E. bazaar Saturday Dec. 5th.

The Junior choir of the Methodist church held a social and rehearsal at the home of Robert Overly Tuesday evening. A good attendance and a good time are reported.

The Morenci—North Adams debate which was held at the Congregational church on Friday evening last week resulted in a victory for the Morenci team. The judges were three professors from Hillsdale College. Our debating team consisted of Lawrence Wilcox, Jack Haskell and Lucille VanWert.

The Sorosis club was held at the home of Mrs. Hilda Williams Tuesday afternoon Nov. 24th. There was a good attendance. The following program was given: President's Thanksgiving Proclamation, Mrs. H Williams; music, Violin solo, Edith Westcott; paper, "History of the American Indian", Mrs. Cora Frank; musical reading, Mrs. Bessie Wells; Indian Legend, En Costume, Mrs. Mayme Pendell; music, Piano solo, Mrs. Hilda Williams; playlet, "The Rev. Peter Brice"; music, Piano duet Mrs. Hilda Williams and Mrs. Ada Newman. Refreshments were served.

—Christmas Cards at this office Come and make your selections early.

—Hereafter all bond paper purchased at this office will cost 20c a pound any size which will amount to $1.00 for 500 sheets 8½ x 11, inches $2.00 for 1000. We have been called upon to supply considerable of this lately and find we must have the above price in order to make it an object.

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Farm Home Needs Electric Help Too

Rural homes have suffered somewhat in plans discussed for farm electrification, in the opinion of the Smithsonian Institution of Washington, D. C. The greater emphasis has been placed on applying electric power to farm operations, according to the belief of the Institution. The great social issue of a home-like farm home has been comparatively neglected.

"On the average farm," says the Smithsonian Institution, "the use of either electric power or of mechanical equipment for replacing animal and human muscular labor in the fields, around the barns, and on the road is growing. The man's effective work by this multiplication of muscular effort is greatly increased, his working hours lessened and the tedium of his labor reduced.

"Usually with the rural woman it has not been thus. She still frequently uses coal oil lamps. By muscle's brawn she still wields the broom, treads the sewing machine, rubs the clothes on a wash-board or hand-operated washing machine, turns the clothes wringer and churn; washes the dishes, carries out the refuse and fetches the water and fuel.

"The house where the wife and mother are drudges can never be a home in the highest sense.

"The only open question in this matter are how the rural consumer can meet the installation costs of the electric equipment and the operating costs of the service; and whether it is better to extend high tension lines or generate electric current on the farm in a small isolated plant."

Jackson School Notes

School notes for November.

Plans for our Christmas program are well under way.

There was no school Friday following Thanksgiving.

Seventh and Eighth grades are doing outline work in History.

The seventh grade are making an industrial map of Europe.

Pupils and teacher enjoyed a potluck dinner this week Wednesday.

We regret the loss of three of our pupils, Jennie, Dora and Lee Black, making the enrollment 17.

Pupils receiving gold stars for perfect attendance this month are: Muriel Shambaugh, Wilbur Bohn, Althea DeLamater, Leah and John Holcomb, Ina and Bertha Petrie, Rzola, Calvin and L. Z. Comstock, William Fowler, Rufus Roberts, Emma Beecher, Orlin Wells, Erwin Wells and Donnie Sutton.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 19th day of Nov. A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Arthur N. Westcott, deceased.

Grace L. Westcott having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 23rd day of December A. D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
26t3 Judge of Probate

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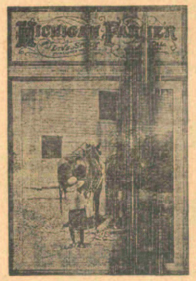

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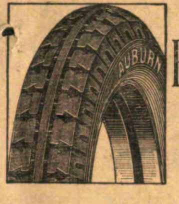

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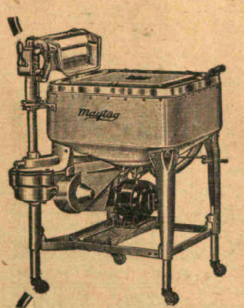

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Mrs. B. I Lynch very pleasantly entertained the Birthdav Club Saturday, Nov 28th

Howard C. Wells and wife are the parents of a son born Thursday morning, Dec. 3rd.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Alice French.

Frank Painter and family were dinner guests on Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Tanner at Camden.

Robert VanDuesen is very ill at the home of his parents on Bacon Street road. George Ruffner is helping to care for him.

—The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will hold their Bazaar on Dec. 5th. Everyone come and have a good chicken-pie dinner

The Hillsdale County L. O. T. M.M. met at Fraternal hall here Thursday. Delegates were present from all parts of the county.

M. L. Fitzgerald and family of Adrian spent Sunday with relatives in North Adams. Mrs. Edna Hewitt was also entertained at the same place.

Mrs. Hiram Densmore underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils Thursday morning, Dec. 3rd. She is at the home of Mrs. Delcie Shufelt.

Beecher Speer and family entertained Thanksgiving C. H. Kempton and family of Hillsdale, Bert Kempton and wife and A. J. Calhoun and family of North Adams.

Gwendolyn McLaughlin, a teacher in Detroit, and her brother, Lloyd from the Mich. State Normal, Ypsilanti, spent Thanksgiving vacation with their parents, James McLaughlin and family.

The next meeting of the Social Improvement Club will be held with Mrs. Minnie Wilcox Thursday Dec. 10th. Christmas Grab-bag. An all day meeting. A good attendance is desired.

Mr. Woodburn of Jerome had the misfortune to fall through a window at Ed Blackmer's pool room on Thursday and as a result sustained severe cuts on his scalp. Dr. Mc Farland was called and gave surgical aid.

W. H. Porter, Alfred Haight and F. Holcomb, W. Lawrence and daughter, Anna, Cleve Crater and Rev. add Mrs. Wylie were among those who attended the Methodist Brotherhood banquet at Hillsdale Wednesday evening from this place.

Regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. Dec. 11th at 2:00 p. m. Friday. Hostess Mrs. Duguid. Devotionals Mrs. Jennie Othoudt; paper, "America as World Leader for Prohibition" Mrs. Hattie Kempton: discussion of paper: A temperance Christmas story, Mrs. Edna Robins.

Mrs. C. W. Bleech gave a birthday party for her son, Archie, at her home in this village on Wednesday evening, the occasion being his 27th birthdav and the invited guests were composed of about twenty schoolmates and friends. Games and rsfreshments were enjoyed.

George Morehouse of Vandercook's Lake, was in North Adams Wednesday and informs us that he is well pleased with his investments at Vandercook's and also that his brother Benjamin, who is located in Florida, is reported as very ill with only a short time to live, and Geo. was expecting to receive news of his death at any time.

L. R. Ulrich dentist, of Addison, will open an office in the Starr Shoe Repair Shop on Main Street, beginning Thursday, December 17th from 10;00 a. m. to 5;00 p. m, one day each week and he invites all in need of dentistry to call on him at the above place. Appointments can be made in advance. Dr. Ulrich is a graduate of University of Michigan dental school and has practiced six years and is equipped for all kinds of work but specializes in plate work.

Dr. S. B. Frankhauser of Hillsdale and Fred T. Dryer of Jonesville were the first persons from this county and among the first persons in the state to respond with checks to the Tuberculosis Christmas seal sale letters which were sent out from the offices of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association for the 1925 Christmas seal sale. The letters, 90,000 of them, went into the post office at Lansing late Wednesday afternoon The answering letters from Dr. Frankhauser and Mr. Dryer were opened at the offices of the association at eight o'clock Friday morning.

John Fitton left on Saturday for Miami Florida.

Mrs. Sarah Hoy visited relatives in Hillsdale recently.

—Nothing on sale until 10 a. m. Dec. 9th, Congregational bazaar.

E. C. Williams returned from Mt. Clemens last week, somewhat improved in health.

Dick Saul of Frontier visited his uncle, Roberr Overley and family here recently.

Mrs. Ann Voorhees visited last week at the home of her son, John. near Addison.

Alonzo Rock left Monday for Detroit where he will be employed during the winter.

Jack Herndon and wife (nee June Boyd) of Detroit spent the week end with friends here.

Mrs. Harriet Weeks and daughter Frances, were home from Ypsilanti for the week end.

Will Owen and family of Detroit spent Sunday with his parents, John Owen and wife.

Mrs. Dora Fields and son Jack of Hillsdale, were week end visitors at the R. C. Young home.

Perry German and wife, Esther Tiegel and Ashley Clague of Ann Arbor were Sunday callers at the James Jones home.

Lester Ford who has been confined to the house for some time by an infection of the ear, is able to be at the office.

Darwin Carney and wife expect to start soon for Holdenville, Oklahoma, to spend the winter with their son, Charles Carney and family.

Art Hoffman has made two trips to Florida already, being engaged in building roads in the vicinity of Jacksonville, and also near Tampa.

The International Exposition at Philadelphia this coming summer takes place opening July 1, 1926. Special rates will be given to Philadelphia on all railroads.

Howard Williams and wife of North Adams, Mrs. Caroline Updyke and Mrs. Alta Schilling of Hillsdale visited Sunday with John Black and wife at Camden.

Orav Holcomb underwent an derwent an operation for appendicitis at Hillsdale hospital Wednesday morning Dec. 2nd. He is convalescing as well as could be expected.

The Woman's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Eva Wolcott on Monday afternoon, Dec. 7th. Program and entertainment will be in charge of the Past Presidents of the Club.

The class in Handicraft conducted by the County Y. W. C. A. secretary, Miss Inez Ensign, will meet at the home of Mrs. James Jones Friday, Dec. 11th, at one o'clock, for an afternoon meeting

The opening game of the season in Basket Ball will be played at Community Hall Friday evening, December 4 between North Adams High School and Allen. Both boys and girls teams take part. Bills have recently been struck off at this office giving the season's schedule.

William Borton of Waldron is in the other world as the result of drinking too much "oh-be-joyful" in the shape of home brew. He went to the barn on Thanksgiving morning to finish the work and did not return. Later the family went out to find him as supposed, fast asleep, and threw an overcoat over him. They went to investigate again and found the man cold in death. It is said Borton had been drinking heavily of the deadly stuff the day previously. The amatuer brewers of this country do not understand the process of removing fusel oil and other impurities from their product, hence the sad results. An inebriate who is desperate enough to indulge in these poisonous compounds certainly deserves his fate. Large numbers of drinkers become stone blind, others become insane and finish their days in an asylum.

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Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

The first Quarterly Communion service will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday morning Dec. 6, in charge of the pastor.

A special World Service program will be given at the opening of the Sunday school session at the Methodist church Dec. 6, and special Christmas season offering for World Service will be received It is desired it may be as liberal as possible. It will apply on the regular apportionment of the church and be credited to the Sunday school.

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

Regular services will be held this Sunday at the usual hour. This Sunday will be "National Golden Rule Sunday" and will be observed in our church. The theme for discussion will be "A Greater Righteousness."

A special offering will be taken for the suffering Armenians and everyone is asked to participate in this service making it worthwhile.

Sunday school immediately following the preaching service.

Don't forget the Bazaar to be held Dec. 9 and 10.

A cordial welcome is extended to all who have no church home.

—Chicken pie dinner Dec. 10th Congregational bazaar.

—Chicken-pie dinner and cafeteria supper at the M. E. Bazaar Saturday, December 5th.

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewerly and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co,, Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

—Roast pork and dressing Dec. 9th, Congregational bazaar.

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Congregational bazaar Dec. 9. 10. Fancy work, novelties, rugs, comfortables, everything useful and ornamental. Do your Christmas shopping here!

Death of Mrs. Kittie Huff

Mrs. Kittie Huff, a lifelong resident of this village, passed away at 4:00 a. m. on Wednesday December 2, at the home of her son, Glynn, in Jackson, Mich. She had been quite ill for a year and ailing for a much longer time. She leaves to mourn her son, Glynn, one brother, Chas. Knapp, of this village, one niece, Mrs. Lena Knapp Stoner of Adrian, and other more distant relatives. Mrs. Huff was a niece of the late William Wilbur who was a prominent business man of North Adams 40 years ago.

Funeral services are conducted to-day (Friday. Dec. 4) at the home of Charles Knapp in this village at 1:00 p. m. Rev. H. E. Wylie officiating, and burial in North Adams cemetery.

Obituary of Mrs. Reimold

Melvina Ball was born in the state of Connecticut in 1846. When 8 years of age she came to Michigan with her parents and settled in Washtenaw county. In 1868 she was married to Charles Reimold.

In 1875 they moved to a farm in Adams township, Hillsdale county. where they lived until her death Nov. 21, 1925. She was from a family of five children, two sisters and two brothers, One brother and one sister are living. One daughter and her husband mourn the loss. She was a member of the Congregational church of North Adams.

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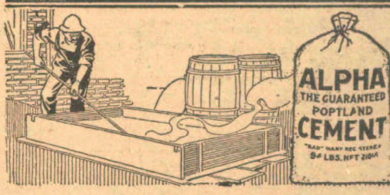

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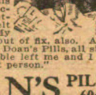
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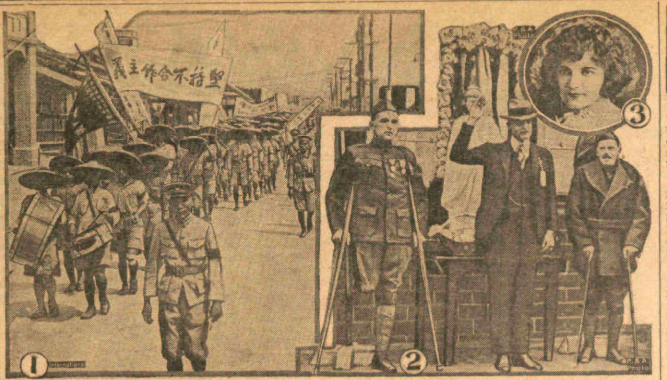

1—Procession of "red" strikers in Canton led by cadet officers from Whampoa Military academy. 2—Archie Roosevelt, son of the former President, being sworn in as a member of the Disabled Veterans of the World War at Spokane, Wash. 3—Marguerite McNulty, dancer, who has sued William Andrews Clark III, grandson of the late Montana senator, for $250,000 for alleged breach of promise.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Mississippi Valley States Demand Completion of Waterway Projects.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, in his address before the New York state chamber of commerce, put development of the country's waterways in the forefront of his program. And last week the Mississippi Valley association, in session in St. Louis, elaborated on this with the utmost enthusiasm. The delegates, who comprised the leading men of the Middle West, served notice on congress that they have ceased to beg from it for the carrying out of such great projects as the Chicago-to-the-Gulf waterway. Now they are demanding, and demanding loudly, conclusive action on the funds necessary to carry out the inland waterway plans, a fixed policy for their completion within five years, and a national plan by which such a policy could not be thwarted by any bureau or department. The association put itself on record to that effect, and in discussion of the last clause some of the delegates took occasion to say some very severe things about the director of the budget. President James E. Smith in his annual address said some of these things, and so did Senator James Reed and Roy Miller, vice president of the Intra Costal Canal Association of Louisiana and Texas.

The congressmen from the 26 states represented in the convention were asked to urge the President to put waterways completion in his annual message. The association also decided to put on a campaign for the purpose of showing to the public the practical benefits of waterways and to urge cooperation with the railways. Division of rates is desired, but not railroad ownership of the water lines.

Chicago's right to divert water from Lake Michigan came to the front and was warmly defended by Congressman Newton of St. Louis, though he based it on the needs of navigation rather than of sanitation. He declared a permanent flow of 10,000 cubic feet a minute through the Chicago river and the drainage canal was virtually needed to raise the levels of the Mississippi, and he told the delegates the 26 states must get behind Chicago in this battle for their own salvation. He asserted that there is no longer a lake level problem involved, for the lowering of that level is now complete.

Later in his lively address Mr. Newton said:

"The bulk of protest in this country comes from representatives of cities located upon the Great Lakes, who insist that the depths of their harbors are being impaired and the most ferocious protest comes from Milwaukee.

"It is interesting to note that when diversion began at Chicago the harbor at Milwaukee was approximately five feet deep, while today it is more than twenty-one feet. This increase in depth was made at the expense of the whole country from funds appropriated by congress.

"I find that many who are most strenuously opposed to the diversion at Chicago have no qualms of conscience about advocating far more extensive diversion from Niagara Falls for the manufacture of electricity to be used by Canadian and American power interests.

"The impression is made that Chicago is violating sacred treaty obligations between the United States and Canada. The truth is we have perfect understanding with Canada regarding diversion, and I am fully persuaded that no protest would ever have been raised had it not been for the big power interests who want to use this water at Niagara and down the St. Lawrence."

President Smith was re-elected by the association, and Thomas F. Cunningham of New Orleans was made vice president at large.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL took the stand in his own defense in his court-martial trial and reiterated his accusations against the air services, elaborating on the statements he has made frequently in articles and speeches. In the expansion of his charge that the War department's administration of the national defense was "almost treasonable," Colonel Mitchell said:

"There are two definitions of treason—the one in the Constitution, which defines it as levying war against the country and giving aid and comfort to its enemies, and the other definition of it as the giving up or betrayal of a trust or confidence. I believe the department's system is almost treasonable, because it does not give its proper place to air power in the defense of this country. It's a question of the system, not of individuals."

He repeated his charges that high ranking officers of the army and navy have given false or misleading information to investigating committees, and insisted that the D H planes still in use are "flaming coffins." Major Gullion, assistant judge advocate, cross-examined the colonel and there were frequent hot exchanges between him and the witness and also with the latter's counsel, Congressman Reid.

Next day Mitchell was led to admit that many of his sensational charges were based on hearsay and general belief. Major Gullion undertook to show that page after page in the colonel's book, "Winged Defense," was cribbed from other writers, but the court refused to go into charges of plagiarism. Representative Perkins of New Jersey, who examined the witnesses before the Lampert aircraft investigating committee last spring, said that three navy lieutenants who were before him for preliminary examination said that if called they would not tell what they knew because "it's a long way to Guam." Then the defense came to the subject of "propaganda." It submitted a copy of an official letter, dated March 21, 1925, concerning the navy education film, "The Eyes of the Fleet," on which was this indorsement:

"The object of this film is to combat the effect of General Mitchell's testimony (meaning his testimony before the Lampert committee) and to belittle the value of the airplane in war. It is to be spread by the navy recruiting service—probably this summer and fall, before congress meets."

One of the marginal notes was: "Battleship bombing: Prints made of pictures showing misses only are to be used for this."

James T. Mitchell, Jr., editor of the Boston American, testified that accounts of the Mitchell trial, prepared by the War department and containing editorial comment unfavorable to Mitchell were "available to the press."

FRANCE is undergoing another of her frequent ministerial crises and at this writing the outcome is in doubt. Premier Painleve put his financial program before the chamber of deputies and at a critical moment enough of the Communists deserted him to cause his defeat by a margin of three votes on a single item—a plan for consolidation of treasury bonds amounting to a moratorium. The premier and his ministers promptly resigned, and President Doumergues was advised to ask Aristide Briand, seven times premier, to take the office for the eighth time. He consented provisionally, but soon found he could not be assured of a majority in the chamber and so abandoned the attempt to form a ministry.

Paul Doumer and Former Premier Herriot in turn tried, and gave up, and at this writing Briand is again making the endeavor. The extremists, of both the right and the left, are talking openly of a dictatorship.

GERMANY'S reichstag has voted its ratification of the Locarno treaties by a goodly majority, despite the die-hard opposition of the Nationalists, Communists and so-called Fascists. Chancellor Luther and Foreign Minister Stresemann put the pacts up to the reichstag strongly as the one way of securing peace and safety. Both denied that, in ratifying the treaties Germany was entering an alliance against Russia. Stresemann said: "We have so often declared our peaceful intentions toward Russia that it is time to close the question. On the other hand, it is high time that Russia declares its peaceful intentions toward the rest of Europe."

When later he exclaimed: "We have confidence in France. We are not dealing with the France of Poincare," the chamber and galleries cheered for France!

Herr Wels, leader of the Socialists, declared Germany had only two roads before it—European peace based on the Locarno treaties, or an alliance with Russia, which must lead to war. He solemnly warned Russia to amend its ways, end its voluntary isolation, take up the road to the League of Nations and finally give up its system of political terror.

The Russophiles in America and elsewhere who have condemned the Locarno treaties because soviet Russia was not included and taken into the League of Nations can cease their wails, for one of the highest officials of the Moscow government has just declared Russia has no intention or desire to join the league, and stands aloof so far as the pacts are concerned.

SETTLEMENT of the Tacna-Arica dispute by the commission headed by General Pershing is not proceeding well. Senor Edwards, Chile's representative on the plebiscite commission, withdrew from its negotiations; the Chileans are angry because the commission called for control of the residents in the plebiscitary area; and former President Alessandri of Chile in a speech accused the Americans of stirring up "conflict, discord and hatred" between Chile and Peru instead of trying to solve the dispute. The United States cruiser Denver has been sent from Balboa to Arica.

COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE BLAIR last week revoked all exemptions under which householders have been permitted to make not to exceed 200 gallons of homemade wine without payment of tax. General Andrews, the Treasury department's prohibition enforcer, found there were hundreds of thousands of these permits outstanding and that much of the wine made under them found its way into bootleg channels.

Results of enforcement of the Volstead act since its passage five and one-half years ago—154,772 convictions in which fines aggregating $29,033,659 and jail sentences totaling nearly 12,000 years were imposed—are summed up in a Department of Justice report to Attorney General Sargent.

At the end of the same period, June 30, 1925, there were 24,684 cases pending in federal courts throughout the country, 30,213 cases had been dismissed and 7,414 violators had been acquitted. An increase of 4,865 in the last fiscal year over the record of the previous year is shown. The average jail sentence has increased from 21 days in 1923 and 34 days in 1924 to 43 days in 1925, an increase of 25 per cent in the last year. The average fine for 1925 was $200.

GOVERNOR MIRIAM FERGUSON of Texas is having a hard row to hoe these days and the threat of impeachment is growing more menacing. Enough members of the legislature to demand an extra session have made that demand, and they announced that unless the governor issued the call the speaker would be petitioned to do so. The worst of "Ma's" troubles are concerned with the highway contracts. Recently the American Road company confessed $600,000 judgment for excess profits on 1,000 miles of road surfacing contracts and there are suits against another road construction company. The governor demanded and obtained the resignation of Chairman F. V. Lanham of the state highway commission and of Joe Burkett, a member; but the leaders of the fight against her administration declared this action would not deter them in their plans.

ALL Great Britain was in mourning last week because of the death of Dowager Queen Alexandra, for she was deeply loved by the people. The body lay in state for some days in the little church of Sandringham and then was borne on the gun carriage used for Queen Victoria to Westminster Abbey where the funeral service was conducted by the archbishop of Canterbury.

Pacific Mail Line Ends Its Existence

San Francisco.—On a November day 77 years ago, a great side-wheel steamer, its decks teeming with hungry, unkempt, but riotously joyous gold seekers, many of them haggard from tropical fever, came through the Golden gate and anchored in the stream, the first steam vessel to enter this roadstead.

On a fall day in 1925, a trim freight craft loaded to the Plimsoll mark with a rich cargo, was warped in to a towering dock on the San Francisco water front and spun down the famous house flag from its main truck, for the last time.

These two events marked the beginning and the end of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, once credited with being the greatest of the world's ocean transportation companies.

The Pacific Mail, established in 1847 in New York by William H. Aspinwall and associates, was formed to give monthly mail service to the new territory opened up by the treaty of peace between Mexico and the United States of April 13, 1848, and vast unexplored Oregon lands made available by the Anglo-American treaty of the same period.

In 18[illegible] the company by a master stroke broke the English and French monoply of eastern Asiatic trade by starting a line between San Francisco and Hongkong by way of the Hawaiian islands and Japan. By 1887 the company had a fleet of twenty-five big steamers.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Allegan—Elmer Hayes is held in the county jail in default of $500 bail to appear for examination on a charge of wife desertion. He was arrested at the home of his father, near Bellaire, by Sheriff Ben Lugten.

Bay City—Andrew Lapinski, 77 years old, dropped dead while attending mass at St. Stanislaus church here Thanksgiving day. Coroner H. M. Simon said that heart disease was the cause of the death. Lapinski leaves his widow and four sons.

Kalamazoo—J. M. Bigelow, 69 years old, well known farmer residing near Bangor, was brought to a hospital here suffering from a fractured skull, broken nose and jaw, as a result of being kicked by a horse. It is feared his injuries will prove fatal.

Rockford—A proposal to bond $21,000 for installation of a new water works system here lost by two-thirds of a vote. There were 445 votes cast out of a possible 650 or 700 the proposal polled 296 of the 445 but needed 296 2-3 to make the necessary two-thirds vote to carry it.

Marquette—For the first time since the State undertook the enlargement of the Marquette Branch Prison, the institution is housing more convicts than it has cells for. A recent count showed a population of 752. More than 30 men are sleeping on cots placed in cell block corridors.

Cassopolis—A reward of $1,500 is being offered here for the capture and conviction of the five armed bandits who escaped last week, after unseccessfully trying to crack the safe in te First National bank here. Of that amount $1,000 is offered by the bank and the remainder by Sheriff Earl Sill, of Cass county.

Vassar—Mr. and Mrs. Chap S. Cottrell, Tuscola township, celebrated their golden wedding recently at the home of their oldest daughter, Mrs. Norman Blaylock, of Tuscola township. They were married on Cottrell's birthday and he was 76 years old. Mr. and Mrs. Cottrell have lived on the same farm 42 years.

Albion—County School Commissioner Deland Davis, who is also county agent for corrections and charities, will give a talk on "Juvenile Delinquency," before the Albion Boosters and Knockers. Harry D. Morse will be the chairman. The program has been arranged by Superintendent of Schools Don Harrington.

Grand Rapids—James M. Travis, 82 years old, one of the few survivors possessing personal and intimate memories of Abraham Lincoln, died at Reeds Lake Sanitarium recently, after a residence of Grand Rapids of 55 years. As a boy, Travis frequently saw Lincoln as a guest in the home of his father, John W. Travis, in Paris, Ill., and delighted in telling anecdotes of the great man.

Monroe—It is expected that the viaduct over the Pere Marquette tracks north of here, used in connection with road M-10, better known as the new Dixie highway, will be finished by the end of the week, the bridge across the River Raisin and race adjoining being near completion. Traffic between Toledo, Monroe, Dearborn and Detroit probably will be opened at the end of next week.

Grand Rapids—Little hope is held for the recovery of Mrs. Edna Keen, 23 years old, wife of Cecil Keen, who is said to have taken poison following an argument with her husband about a dog. She is being treated at the Butterworth Hospital. According to the police, Keen disposed of the dog Thursday afternoon. During the evening his wife sent him on an errand to a nearby store. She swallowed the poison during his absence he said.

Ionia—Taxpayers again will have the opportunity to swell the coffers with winter tax money about December 10. Mrs. Bessie M. Gallaway, county treasurer, has added the amounts of taxes to be collected and notified the township treasurer of the collections to be made. The total taxes to be collected this year for all funds is $316,078.20, or $102,357.44 below 1924-25. The total for all sources last year was $418,435.64 and in 1922-23, was $446,970.07.

Marshall—Albert M. Smith, Jr., of Kalamazoo, was successful in the civil service examination held in the third congressional district for appointment of United States military academy at West Point, and Ronald D. Salmon, of Pittsford, for appointment to the United States naval academy at Annapolis, according to announcement made by United States Representative Joseph L. Hooper. The alternates to West Point are Mills H. Sampey, of Osseo, first, and William G. Foard, Jr., of Kalamazoo, second.

Grand Rapids—Miss Betty Quinlan, 16 years old, daughter of Senator James C. Quinlan, was injured severely and two other young persons were hurt when an automobile in which they were riding slid from the road near Ada and rolled over. Miss Quinlan was taken to Blodgett Memorial hospital and recovered consciousness two hours later. Charles McDermott, 17 years old, junior college football player, driver of the car, suffered a fracture of the leg and Miss Dorothy Brechting, 16 years old, suffered from the shock.

Lansing—Lansing was host Friday to 2,400 boys who attended the twenty-third annual older boys' conference here Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Some fear felt earlier in the week that sufficient accommodation could not be found for the visitors was laid when it was announced that practically the entire number of rooms sought had been pledged. Friday morning was devoted to registration and the assigning of visitors to their rooms. At the first session Friday afternoon, officers were elected and the conference organized.

Battle Creek—The school board has decided to put to the voters on Dec. 7 the question of whether $450,000 in bonds shall be issued for a new junior high school building here.

Elmer Hayes is held in the county jail in default of $500 bail to appear for examination on a charge of wife desertion. He was arrested at the home of his father, near Bellaire, by Sheriff Ben Lugten.

Port Huron—Charles L. Stecher, 48 years old, a veteran Grand Trunk car inspector, died in an I. O. O. F. lodge meeting last week. Heart trouble brought on by climbing two flights of stairs was responsible.

Jackson—Value of farm lands and buildings in Jackson county shows a decline of more than $6,000,000 during the five year period between 1920 and 1925, according to a report of the department of commerce of the government, following the census of the farms of the county.

Mt. Clemens—It is announced by members of the Halfway Commission that Detroit water mains will be laid into the village by December. With extension of Mt. Clemens gas mains to the village, it is said Halfway will have the same modern conveniences as the other parts of the metropolitan area.

Ionia—Thanksgiving will be a day of rest and recreation for the inmates of the Michigan reformatory, who number more than 1,600. A special dinner will be provided and a movie program will be given in the auditorium during the day. Rev. J. H. Green, pastor of the Ionia Presbyterian church, will deliver the Thanksgiving sermon.

Grand Rapids—Responding to widespread protest against continuance of Eastern standard time in Grand Rapids throughout the winter months, the city commission this week probably will reconsider its former action and vote on a resolution which would return the municipality to Central standard time next Saturday night at midnight.

Saginaw—Patrick Kain, 74 years old, chief of police here for many years prior to his retirement in 1919 and one of the veteran officers of the country, is dead after an illness of more than a year. Chief Kain started his career in the lumber days when the patrol wagon was a wheelbarrow and lumberjacks were hauled through the street in that manner.

Lansing—Fears that Lansing will fail in its efforts to obtain accommodations for the 2,400 delegates to the Older Boys' conference here the latter part of the week was expressed by the committee in charge. About 500 boys are yet to be accommodated. A house to house canvass is to be started if sufficient rooms have not been promised before that time.

Jackson—Patrons of music in Jackson will have the opportunity of hearing Cecilia Hansen, the Russian violinist, who comes here under the auspices of the Jackson Civic Music association, the evening of December 3. Miss Hansen has been playing in the United States for the last two seasons and has won ovations in New York, Chicago, Syracuse and many other music centers.

Lansing—Sale of the Y. M. C. A. property at 210 South Capitol avenue to the First Presbyterian church is being considered by the association as the result of an offer submitted by a church committee recently. The church offers $60,000 for the property. The church made the offer after a meeting of its congregation. The building would be used to house the Sunday school, Boy Scouts and other organizations.

Ironwood—A searching party is combing the woods in the vicinity of Lake Gogebic in search of Bert and William Jacisin, of Ironwood, brothers, who have been lost since Sunday. They were hunting deer in the vicinity of the lake. The temperature dropped to almost zero last night and it is feared they suffered from exposure to the cold. Neither of the boys is an experienced hunter. They are 18 and 20 years old.

Muskegon—The two-masted schooner, Our Son, Capt. F. Nelson commanding, has arrived here after a battle with a storm on Lake Michigan, while two other ships bringing pulp wood for the Central Paper Co., of Muskegon, are still battling their way down the lake. The two ships still out are the Mueller and Zillah, both steamers. They are enroute from Duluth. The arrival of the ships here will close navigation between the northern points and Muskegon.

Menominee—The mystery of the disappearance of Eleanor Anderson, of Gwinn, Mich., and Lina Moilainen of White Pine, Mich., was solved when the girls reported that they had been involuntary passengers on an Ann Arbor car ferry over the week end. The girls boarded the car ferry here to sell magazine subscriptions and failed to go ashore before the boat left. They made the trip across the lake to Frankfort and back while Menominee police searched for them.

Lansing—Details of plans suggested to induce new factories to locate here were discussed at a joint meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and the Lansing Real Estate board. The real estate board here had been active for some weeks in an endeavor to obtain new factories for the city so that Lansing's industries may be diversified. The chamber of commerce also has investigated a number of factory propositions, but so far no new plants have been obtained by either organization.

Ann Arbor—Increasing the hospital facilities at the University of Michigan, the Old University hospital which before the erection of the new $3,000,000 structure which was dedicated last week, housed all the patients, will be re-opened on the first of the New Year, according to Dr. Harley A. Haynes, director of the hospital. The re-opening of the old structure, which for the past several months has been under repair, will add approximately 300 beds. Overcrowded conditions in the new hospital have made this step necessary.

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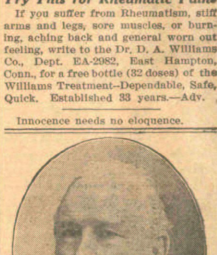

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Let Every Citizen Take Notice

We would like for every citizen of North Adams to note how efficient the powers that were three years age, have been in experimenting with our electric lighting system. We had some doubts as to the possible success of the scheme but doubt has changed to conviction, which soon after became down right disgust. So they found the village electric plant inadequate for its duty. It cost too much to run and pay the man who claimed to be running it, when as a matter of fact, he wasn't doing anything but starting and stopping the machinery and smoking his cigar. We claim that a man who runs a plant will literally see to it the books are kept, that the actual expenses and receipts are jotted down, the necessary supplies are bought when needed, and in fact he will manage both the machanical and business ends of the enterprise. This was never done by the hired man—but was supposed to be one of the little chores of the Council, but sad to relate, it wasn't looked after very efficiently, and that's why our municipal plant failed to pay out.

We were paying a large salary to a man to start and stop the machinery, and so we couldn't afford it. We abolished the nice little home plant which cost the tax-payers a large sum of hard-earned dollars, we sold the expensive machinery for one cent on the dollar, we rented our nice municipal building to a scavenger firm—it is plenty good enough we calculote, for junk storage; we previously decided the million dollar corporation known as the Southern Michigan Power Co. at Hudson needs a lift, so we bond the village for a few thousand dollars to build sixteen miles of No. 10 fence wire. perfectly bare, along the public highway where it is constantly menaced by the trees; and always will be, since the property holders won't allow the trees removed. Consequently we are paying Avis & Son around $200 per month for the lightning bug voltage we are getting over our line which we paid for but don't own. A while back Avis & Son offered to square away our remaining indebtedness if we would dicker to them the remainder of our electric system, which was very kind of them we are sure. And the Council we might say, came within two jumps of doing it.

We personally use this current at two places in the village and in all candor will say it would have been dubbed a failure in the dark ages. The lights have ague symptoms and they shake and flutter like the whiskers of a goat; they become constipated and die on first so to speak; they have a habit of winking and extinguishing when the daughter and her spark are alone in the parlor—and we won't have that at all. We pay the bill whether we get lights or we don't, but we get roiled at times. We peek about at fellow sufferers and we see them swallowing this awful dose without a whimper and wonder what they and us and the whole of us, are made of!

Night after night the lights get boozy and subside and these citizens pay their bills and say nary a word. Pretty expensive experiment is it not? You bet. Bill Sheldon used to say that the small burg must succumb to the big power line and Bill was right—anyhow we succumbed. Bill sang, whistled and cried over his maiden speech which he was to make at the mass meeting, and at last forgot part of it. It will be remembered we asked if the electrical wizards could guarantee to deliver a satisfactory current here, to which they answered they knew they could, and any one so simple as to put up any objections must be a moss-back.

So the experimenters went ahead and we are enjoying the experiment right now. Let's put in some more experimenters next spring.

He's A Homicider

We sometimes wonder if the automobile drivers of the country realize the tremendous responsibility resting on their shoulders the minute they take the wheel and pilot their machine on the highways of Michigan. Judging from the mod us operandi of some drivers they must be intoxicated with pleasure or satiated with self abandonment One neods but to pick up a paper and read the awful havoc wrought by care-free rouls who would make the motor vehicle the Juggernaut of modern times, wherein scores of innocent passengers meet an early and awful death. It is sickening to read the log of daily accidents through the country-side, when we consider the flexibility of the automobile and the abuse it will stand without giving up the ghost. Many a time the autoist is traveling at 40 to 50 miles an hour and is suddenly confronted with the necessity of applying brakes at some country cross road where he did not or would not look ahead, and the chances of avoiding an accident are meager— yet he does this very thing hundreds of times while the splendid mechanism of the car endures the strain and continues to serve him faithfully. It might be said thet the driver who could not manage the modern automobile without trouble these days, is pretty nearly a natural born fool—and such he often proves to be.

There are few excuses for the accidents we daily witness or read of in the country districts—and we believe the only possible remedy is punishment of the criminally negligent driver, in-so-much as the heiniousness of the crime demands In the crowded streets of our big cities accidents are often justifiable and unavoidable, but the simp who crashes into a machine on the open highway, what shall we do for him?

No other thing remains then to be done, than to shake up the laggard which Michigan state authorities are seekiug to do by using the State Police for watch dogs. Incompetent drivers made so by intoxication; or hoodlums rendered criminal by homicidal tendencies, will have to be looked after. There is a limit to all things, likewise an end to every career of recklessness and the Troopers will catch you if you don't watch out, sports!

The same spirit which makes a driver ruthlessly run down and slaughter the farmer's poultry and live stock on the highway, causes him to wink at helpless children and open the throttle a little wider These birds must be rounded up!

The investigations in air service planes which is going on at Washington has degenerated into a family row among the army set at the capitol. Col. Mitchell who is more than likely jealous of some of the powers vested in officials higher up is trying to convince a lot of civilians by his testimony that the air service of our navy and army is simply rotten. It is claimed the whole business has developed into a snubbing contest among the wives of army officers in Washington and since the Colonel has made it so hot for certain men in charge of that branch of the government, the wives of these officers have taken up the cudgel and will neither go to a function where the Mitchells are invited or have anything to do with the Mitchells. The Dearborn Independent, that magazine which is noted for telling the "untold truth" states there are so many investigations going on at Washington it will soon be be necessary to investigate the investigations, as much as to say that the whole court martial in the Mitchell case and most of the other scandals need an airing. There is so much personal jealousy and so much political quibbling among the leaders it is extremely hard to find why or who is really the worst "grafter" and that being the case no one is certain as to the permanency of his job or which side of the fence it is safe to remain on. We should say from a close observation that the lame duck who is a good straddler and can maintain his equilibrium on the exact centre is the boy who is due to win a case. "Go to it, Boys."

The people of this country are especially warned not to place too much credence in the prognostigations of certain sooth-sayers who want you to think right at the off set we are entering the edge of one of the coldest winters on record. These birds are always with us. Sometimes they represent the coal dealers association, at other times they represent the bug house contingent who want to say or do something which might stir people up and gain notoriety. The philosopher—and there are many such will simply decide that when the winter is past and gone he will then tell you what kind of a winter it is going to be, and that is the only absolutely reliable way of knowing. Time and again we have been scared into conniptions by some hot air shooter who claimed to be an authority, saying we must prepare for the worst—and when April rolled around he could jeer us for our gullibility, as it always turned out the other way. This species of pest is with us yet but we have pulled his teeth and his bark is a whale of a site worse than his bite.

The Shadow of The Beyond

It is possible some of our readers remember sometime ago of reading an advertisement for the literary works of O. Henry a talented writer in New York City whose fame had suddenly spread to the uttermost parts of the country. These sets of fiction were being sold at a fancy figure solely on the reputation of O. Henry. When we remember the pomp and circumstances surrounding this author's coming into the literary world we naturally associate his name with great riches and financial opulance when sad to relate the exact opposite is the facts. O. Henry, a sobriquet only, was a clever, impulsive easy-going well met fellow—in fact he was so impulsive that it is not strange his worldly possessions were little and his ambition not much above the ordinary good time through life.

His ability was such that the editors of New York City at once gave him authority to write any thing he wished and often his stories were paid for and the money spent before they were written. His style of prodigality can best be explained by his manner of leaving the bowling alleys of which he was a constant frequenter. After bowling for an entire evening O. Henry would reach in his pocket for a large handful of coins—no matter if they were silver dollars, or gold pieces,—little difference it made to him, and roll these coins down the alley for the pin boys as playfully as he would marbles, then he would repair to a cabaret for an orgy of spending. As a result of this kind of life he was constantly hard up; had no resources and when illness struck him down had to eke out a miserable existence. He spent a few months in a southern state in vain hope of improving, but eventually returned to the gay life of the "great white way." He was so pinched financially he had to ask for advance payments on his stories, in fact borrowed money to return to New York. Almost any novice would readily fore see the finish of such an existence O. Henry was suddenly stricken with a fatal malady, was taken to a hospital and died before his friends knew of his plight. His body was later identified in the morgue unknown to the hospital attaches or the undertaker,

You Can Afford It If You Believe So

The writer occasionally peruses the Literary Digest and is struck with the number of advertisements for foreign cruises therein, especially under the supervision of experts—men who have the world on their back, capable of directing the casual globe trotter to any land or any city in the world and telling you the street number as it were of every historically interesting thing across the Atlantic.

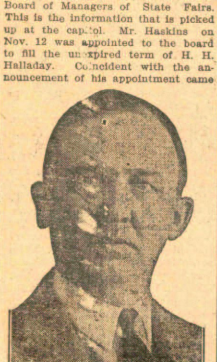
One can scarcely estimate the greater education or benefits which would accrue from visiting the ethereal blue Mediterranean and its world-famous ports, the sleepy Islands of the Ægean Sea, the buried cities under frowning Vesuvius and Etna, and then there is a voyage to the Holy Land in Palestine—the cradle of the human race. You will be surprised to learn that such a trip as second class or steerage—only costs from $400 to $600 and this includes your entire eating and lodging expenses while away. Seems to us that hundreds in ordinary circumstances would enjoy such an outing, not only as a pleasure jaunt but as a matter of education. Think of the wonderful places you can visit armed with a notebook and camera. There is ancient Rome with its classical ruins, the great Coliseum the great Roman Forum, Arch of Titus, Captoline Hill, the Catacombs, the Vatican where you can glimpse His Majesty the Pope of the world the Art Galleries, thence to Herculaneum and Pompeii the buried cities of the Plain, see the tomb of Rachel, Mt Calvary, Solomon's Temple, and a thousand other things which would appeal to the intelligent.

HASKINS NAMED TO FAIR BOARD

Howard City Publisher Important Cog in Reorganized Body—Starts Work.

(By Ed A. Nowack)

Lansing—James B. Haskins, of Howard City, publisher, postmaster, former field director of The Michigan Press Association, an indefatigable worker for betterment of newspaper conditions in Michigan, and one of the most widely known publishers in the state, will be reappointed next April to the five-year term on the Board of Managers of State Fairs. This is the information that is picked up at the capitol. Mr. Haskins on Nov. 12 was appointed to the board to fill the unexpired term of H. H. Halladay. Coincident with the announcement of his appointment came the information he had been named chairman of the public relations committee of the board.



JAMES B. HASKINS

Newspapermen and men in public life in Lansing and elsewhere see in the appointment of Jim Haskins the much desired inauguration of a modern, competent and thoroughly sympathetic relationship between the fair board on the one hand and the public and the press on the other. These latter two have suffered in the past from devious handling and horseplay by the former management of the fair board. Appointment of Haskins will put an end to the practice the former management frequently exercised by infliction of petty penalities upon the press and public where honest differences of opinion prevailed. Gone, also, will be the alleged dictatorial and autocratic methods frequently employed in the past. The press and the public will be treated fairly, Mr. Haskins says.

Those facts are insured by the first piece of work performed by Mr. Haskins and contained in a statement, issued in conjunction with an invitation to 89 Michigan organizations to attend a future meeting of the board of managers. In this connection Mr. Haskins says:

"In order to make it clear at the outset that the Michigan State Fair is a state institution and shall in the future be such in fact as well as name, a special committee of which I was chairman prepared and issued the following statement of policy at the first meeting of the new board held at Lansing, Nov. 13, after such report received the unanimous sanction of the Board of Managers. This report follows:

"Answering the call of its chairman, the Honorable L. Whitney Watkins, the members of the Board of Managers of State Fairs have met for the purpose of placing the affairs of the State Fair in order so that it will truly represent the agricultural, industrial, educational, public health and other major enterprises of this state and after an investigation of conditions at the State Fair, it is the unanimous sense of this board that a thorough and complete reorganization is necessary and that a very drastic change in policy is the paramount duty confronting the Board.

"It is our opinion that an institution such as the State Fair should first of all be made truly representative of the agricultural, industrial and educational interests of the state. The Fair is located in an ideal locality. Every agency of the state has been tendered its management in order that it might attain a success commensurate with its possibilities and the diversified industries of the state. The possibilities that were open to its management have been sadly neglected with the result that the State Fair has wandered far away from the purposes for which it was originally intended. The State Fair should be made an institution that will reflect the highly organized agricultural and commercial development of the state. To accomplish and make effective the purposes for which it was organized, this Board will soon call together the various interested agencies and co-operate with them in establishing its future policies.

"In line with this suggestion and in the knowledge that these various agencies can assist very materially in bringing this important institution to the front rank of all state expositions of a similar character, it is the sense of this board that representatives of the following groups be invited to attend a future meeting.

"Agricultural organizations: County Fair Association, Michigan Farmers' Club, State Farm Bureau, Michigan State Grange, Michigan Gleaners' Association, Michigan Milk Producers' Association, Michigan Holstein Breeders' Association, Michigan Jersey Cattle Breeders' Association, Michigan Guernsey Association, Sheep Breeders' Association, Swine Breeders' Association, Horse Breeders' Association, Riding Horse Interests, Crop Improvements Association, Potato Growers' Exchange, Certified Seed Potato Growers, Dog and Rabbit Breeders, Poultry Producers' Association, State Horticulture Society, Bean Producers' Association, Bee Keepers' Association, State Department of Agriculture, Michigan State College, Smith-Hughes Agricultural Schools, County Agricultural Agents, Vocational Schools, Michigan Soil Improvements Association, Michigan Muck Growers' Association, Truck and Garden Crop Growers, State Florists' Association, Michigan Allied Dairy Association, Grain Dealers' Association, Elevator Exchange, Hay and Grain Association, Millers' Association, Bean Jobbers Association, Seed Dealers' Association, Beet Sugar Producers, Canners' Association, Implement Dealers' Association, Fertilizer Industries, Creamery Managers and Owners' Association, Ice Cream Manufacturers' Association.

"Commercial and Manufacturing Industries: Transportation Agencies, Michigan Manufacturers' Association, Automobile Manufacturers, Truck and Tractor Manufacturers, Makers of Home Conveniences, Food Products Manufacturers, Furniture Manufacturers, Household and Farm Equipment Manufacturers, Retailers' Association, Lumbering, Mining, Road Building.

"State Wide Organizations: Development Bureaus, Country Life Association, Boys' and Girls' Clubs, Boy and Girl Scouts, Automobile Association, Chamber of Commerce, Civic Organizations, Rotary Clubs, Kiwanis Clubs, Lions' Clubs, Exchange Clubs, American Legion, G. A. R., Veterans' of Foreign Wars, Aviation Association, Army and Navy Club, Fraternal Orders, Ministers' Association, Church Denominations, Historical Societies, Sporting Organizations, Tourists' Association, Isaac Walton League.

"Educational Societies: State Teachers' Association, Literary and Art Organization, Child Conservation League, Radio Association, Schools and Colleges, Dept. of Public Instruction, Automobile Clubs of America."

Future meetings of the Board will be open to the public. The Fair Grounds will continue open for park and recreational use. Following is a list of members of the new board:

Term Ending April 14, 1929:

Benjamin Gotfredson, Detroit; Thomas P. Henry, Detroit; Andrew J. Crawford, Detroit; George A. Kelly, Detroit; Clifford G. Olmsted, Midland.

Term Ending April 14, 1928:

George A. Prescott, Jr., Tawas City; William J. Goodspeed, Lansing; John W. Smith, Port Huron; Joseph S. Cox, East Lansing; Turner H. Broughton, Lansing.

Term Ending April 14, 1927:

John Endicott, Detroit; Arthur E. Peterson, Escanaba; W. R. Roach, Grand Rapids; George A. Vandercook, Jackson.

Term Ending April 14, 1926;

Fred P. Smith, Romeo; James B. Haskins, Howard City; Robert Barney, Traverse City; G. David Widman, Detroit; Ronald Ross, Beaverton.

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 18th day of March. A. D,. 1919 executed by George B. Hoffman and Jennie Hoffman, as parties of the first part to the Addison State Savinge Bank, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan, as party of the second part. Which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Hillsdale, and State of Michigan on the 19th day of March 1919, in Liber 161; of Mortgages, on page 111, and at the same time the mortgage tax was paid thereon by the mortgagee. Which said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to make the payments of principal and interest as is provided in said mortgage.

And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610] and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now. therefore. notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy ths amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage providsd. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

The north seventy [70] acres of the east one-half [½] of the south-east one-fourth [¼] of Section twenty-four [24] Town six [6] South Range one, 1, West, excepting twenty-one, 21, acres off the North part thereof, also excepting ten 10, acres of land off the South part thereof.

Dated September 3rd, 1925.

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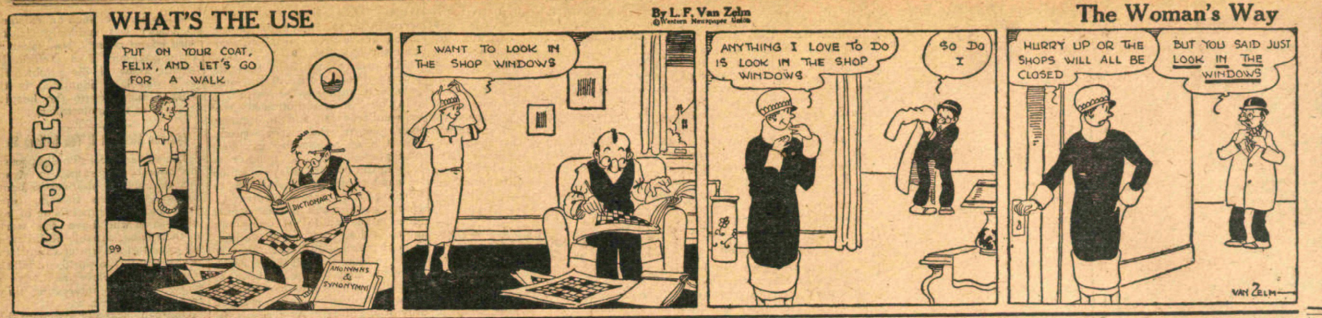
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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Some Meanings Of The Letters, W. C. T. U.

Many years ago a civic parade passed through the business streets of Macon, Georgia—streets where saloons were in the majority and on which not a few walked with uncertain steps.

A beautiful white float filled with white-robed women and children carrying American flags, came into view of spectators crowding Cherry Street. It was covered with white flowers and white-ribbon bows, and from its corners waved graceful white plumes.

"Oh, look at the lovely float of the Western Union Telegraph Company!" exclaimed several glancing at the letters, W. C. T. U.

"No, that isn't right", remarked a careful reader. "Guess again."

"Maybe the fellow who arranged those initials had had too many drinks, and got them mixed," some one suggested.

"What can they stand for?"

No one knew, until the puzzling question was answered by a shower of temperance leaflets from the flag-waving children.

"Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Huh! I didn't know they had an organization here."

"Just a handful of fanatics. The idea of refined women meddling with saloons. That's men's business Women would better attend to their home affairs."

"Why, said a traveling man, "that Woman's Continuous Troubling Union has caused saloons to close in the north and east." His "Better look out," evoked a few bits of sarcasm.

"I have heard of the W. C. T. U. Got all sorts of cranky notions. The letters might as well stand for 'We Come To Upset,' for that is what they are trying to do. Take the matter of revenue, for example. They want to do away with saloons. How could this city be run if it did not have the license money from saloons?" asked a city father.

"I reckon they would like to tell us, 'We Can't Tank Up;' " said a youth, stroking the down on his upper lip "Makes me thirsty. Come on, fellows. The drinks are on me."

"Heard one of 'em say, 'We'll C to U,' " sneered a white-aproned bar-keeper. "Good joke, ain't it?" he called back, as he followed the half-dozen high school boys behind his swinging doors.

The general laugh which followed proved that it was—then.

"The Woman's Christian Temperance Union means well, but it is visionary, and has undertaken an impossible task," was the last comment before attention centered on the next float.

ANOTHER PARADE

Among the thousands of Macon's loyal citizens taking part in the wonderful Parade of Organizations during the recent centennial celebrations, was a large company of Christian women from churches, schools, business concerns and homes, each carrying an American flag, and marching six abreast. On the broad white ribbon fastened from shoulder to waist of each were the magic letters, W. C. T. U.

On they moved down the paved streets. Evidences of prosperity were on every side—saloonless streets and no sign of intoxication in the multiplied thousands of onlookers.

"Here comes the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. God bless the white ribboners!" was often heard. Enthusiastic were the plaudits with which they were continually greeted.

"There wouldn't be many men in this parade if it had not been for your organization," shouted a bystander. "These one hundred percent men's organizations might have mustered as much as twenty five percent."

"Even then, some of those starting would have fallen out at the saloons which used to flourish along this route," added another.

"There would be more wabbling and stumbling than marching with military steps, if the W. C. T. U. hadn't helped turn this old corner grocery into a haber dashery," commented a man on a corner.

"Many of the dressed-up women and children wouldn't have had suitable clothes to parade in," quietly remarked an elderly lady.

"Keep up your work. Finish the job. We're for you, W. C. T. U.," was heard by the marchers as hats were lifted in respect.

"Look who's here! Yonder is my blessed grandmother in that pretty auto," boasted a bright eyed school girl, pointing to the automobile decorated in white heading the W. C. T. U. section and filled with pioneer white ribboners, one a sweet faced elderly lady whose efforts had accomplished "that where unto they were sent," and had changed her, the former "fanatic," into a heroine, and the idol of her grandchildren.

"That lady riding here is more blessed than you realize, child. I could tell of many a home blessed by her and the W. C. T. U.," said an old gentleman. "I have lived here many years and I've never seen anything better than ridding this town of saloons. Blind tigers will go in time, too."

"Hurrah for the W. C. T. U.! They're trying to fix it so Whisky Can't Take Us," sang out a sturdy youngster. "There's mother in the middle of the tenth row. Hey, Mother! Look this way, Mother! Hey!"

WELL COME TO US

Macon people know today that W. C. T. U. means Woman's Christian Temperance Union, while on occasion its activities have made it a Woman's Citizenship Training Union.

Members of the W. C. T. U. are still engaged in "dry cleaning," though in some places the cleaning activities warranted the announcement, Washing Contracts Taken Unconditionally.

The W. C. T. U. says to you: "We Come To Unite the women of the home, the church, the school and the industries in a progressive program for the protection of the home, the abolition of the illegal liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law. Well Come To Us."—The Union Signal.

M. S. C. To Broadcast Farm Radio School

Five separate courses, each having its own night of the week, will be included in the farm radio school which is to be broadcast from the M. S. C., station WKAR beginning on Monday, January 11.

The school will run for twelve weeks, or throughout the months of best radio reception. Experience of the college radio school a year ago showed that farmers, as a rule are too busy with spring work after about April 1 to listen regularly to radio courses. This fact, together with the better reception conditions of the winter months, caused authorities at M. S. C. to book the school earlier this year.

The plan of the courses will be different from that of the first school last spring. Instead of devoting one or two weeks to each subject, individual courses will run through the entire twelve weeks, one night each week being allotted to each. This plan, it is felt, will serve better the needs of both listeners and broadcasters.

Subject matter for the five courses and their nights will be as follows: home economics, Mondays; animal husbandry, poultry and veterinary medicine, Tuesdays; gardening and horticulture, Wednesdays; and farm crops, Fridays. The lectures will begin at 7:15, eastern standard time, and continue until 8 o'clock. From two to four speakers will be scheduled for each night.

A radio school catalog, containing detailed schedules of all lectures, the subjects to be discussed, and information about registration is being mailed out to the hundreds who enrolled in last year's farm school and to others who are interested in agricultural radio courses.

Dr. Bailey To Be A Farm Week Speaker

Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey, former dean of agriculture at Cornell University, author, lecturer, and one of the world's leading figures in agriculture, will be a speaker at the annual Farmers Week to be held at the M. S. C. from February 1 to 5 this winter.

Although the list of speakers for the big rural conference is far from complete, several men of national prominence have already been announced. In addition to Dr. Bailey, C. W. Warburton, federal director of agricultural extension work at the Massachusetts Agricultural College, have accepted invitations to address the Farm Week crowds.

A score of other speakers, from both inside and outside the state, will be listed on the general programs for the week. Announcements will be made later, as these men are definitely scheduled.

Prominent among the many special exhibits for the week will be a crops show, featuring a state potato show, the competitive exhibits of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association, and a special corn borer display. A poultry and egg show, and special horticultural displays in honor of the official opening of M. S. C.'s new horticultural building will also be of special interest.

A review of the entire field of agricultural marketing is given in a new book on the subject just written by Prof. J. T. Horner, of the M. S. C. economics department. While the book covers every thing from preparation for market to the final disposition of the product, it places special emphasis upon the production problems in relation to marketing, a phase of the subject given too little attention in the past. Standardization of product and care in producing and handling are brought out in special chapters.

Tuberculosis The Great White Plague

"You breed a nation of weaklings, interfere with the law of survival. The 50,000 lives you save annually are weak lives. I refuse to support anything that helps to keep alive the unfit." So writes the conscientious objector.

If he is right, the tuberculosis Christmas seal sale is wrong. In the primitive world, survival was the test of fitness. It is no longer. We upset that law during the World War when we sent our mental and physical best away to die. Eight millions of the best from all the nations engaged in that war died.

The war is over and done. Because we are applying intelligence to the matter of survival today we hoping that never again will there be such slaughter of the fit. In war we interfere blindly with the law of survival Today we are interfering with it in peace.

Ninety-eight percent of the civilized people of the world today have been infected with tuberculosis. Under primitive conditions they would be free from that infection as were the Indians, the Eskimos the South Sea Islanders. Conditions in America today are not primitive. We have an industrial civilization, where men are massed together and disease works havoc.

The greatest work of those who fight tuberculosis today is not curative work, but preventive. The aim today is to teach the fit to continue fit, and to make fit those who might be unfit. To make those who are mentally strong, physically strong as well. Because they were not physically fit tuberculosis carried to an untimely grave many of the intellectual giants of history Voltaire, Ruskin, Goethe, Schiller, Balzac, Keats, Shelley, Byron, Bronte'; and our own Emerson, Whitman, Lanier and Thoreau among them.

The cut in the tuberculosis death rate today is not caused by keeping alive the unfit, but by teaching the fit to continue fit. The little educator who teaches this is the Tuberculosis Christmas Seal.

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The next way to postpone the mournful gathering of relatives who will attend the reading of your will is to get sleep you need. Four hours may be enough for Edison, but you aren't Edison. You need eight or more hours. The insurance companies will tell you that, and they are just about the most interested persons in the world, when it comes to a matter of postponing funerals.

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The best little health advertiser ever invented,—the tuberculosis Christmas seal—is on sale. The proceeds of the sale go to teach boys and girls, men and women how to live long and how they may postpone their funerals. You will be asked to buy Christmas seals. The need is great, the opportunity greater.

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The Valley of Voices

By GEORGE MARSH

Author of "Toilers of the Trail," "The Whelps of the Wolf"

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THE WINDIGO

You never saw a windigo; that's sure. The chances are that you never heard one. But have you ever heard a superstitious Indian or half-breed of the Canadian wilds tell of its horrors? He certainly makes a blood-curdling thing out of the windigo. Anyway, this is the story of a windigo that was real enough to leave tracks like those of a great bear and to kill a big bloodhound. It is also the story of a factor's daughter and an American naturalist. The girl is beautiful and educated and a wonderful violinist. The man is brave and strong. And when Brent Steele gets into the "Valley of Voices" and sees the charm of Denise St. Onge and realizes that the mysterious Windigo is working for her destruction—why, he drops everything else and starts in to solve the malign mystery. There's a fierce rivalry between trading posts—which complicates the situation. And Denise, to save her father, has been forced into a promise of marriage. So Brent Steele's job is a he-man's job. But he does the job—and gets his reward.

CHAPTER I

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Steele stopped in his tracks. With his right hand he freed his ear from the head-piece of his tump-line and stood listening. Surely, he thought, those were the unmistakable notes of a violin, clear above the noise of the rapids. Curious, he continued up the steep portage; now convinced that faintly through the beat of broken waters, which the trail paralleled, floated eerie music, now doubting his senses. At length his alert ears failed to capture the strains of the magic violin and he dismissed his illusion as the vagary of nerves overtense from the toil of the trail over which he had come.

For a space he went on, engrossed in other thoughts, when through the roar of the waters a violin sobbed up to a wild crescendo . . . then ceased.

Easing the top bag to the ground, Steele swung the lower pack, with its attached tump-line, beside it, and waited. These were no fancied melodies of summer whitewaters. It was no wraith music which a shift in the August breeze had brought him—this mad playing.

Again the notes of the violin were audible; clearer now. Some magician out there on the neighboring shore was baring his soul. It was unbelievable—here, in this lost valley of the north—pure wizardry. Enchanted, Steele listened as the violin sang of yearning and despair, unutterable, which genius has voiced to the world through the magic of its strings. And as he listened he wondered what tragedy lay behind that playing, what trick of fate had buried this master of the bow in a fur-post on the Wailing river.

"W'at you hear, de Windigo seeng in de strong-water?"

Turning, Steele smiled at the blocky figure of the speaker standing in the trail, his head and shoulders bent under a canoe.

"No, David, but I've been listening to the violin of a shaman—a medicine man conjuring up the spirits of the rapids. Someone at this French post is a sorcerer."

"Maybe you hear Windigo all de same," dryly suggested the half-breed, easing the stern of the canoe to the trail to uncover a broad, swart face wrinkled with amusement. "Up at Fort Hope de peopl' scared of dis river for sure. Dey tell me de strong-water by de French post bad place for de devils an' de Windigo."

"Yes, I heard that too, the valley has a bad name on the Albany. Francois, at Martin's Falls, says it was called the Wailing river because of the moaning of the rapids here in winter. I told him it was only the wind, but he wouldn't have it—insisted that the place was 'bad country,' bewitched."

"Dey say plenty peopl' drown there, long tam ago," gravely added David.

"So old Pierre once told me, down at Henley house. He was traveling from Ogoke to the Albany one winter and struck this gorge about sunset. But the spirits scared him so with their wailing that he drove his dogs ten miles before he dared to make camp. I can't understand why the French built a place on a tabooed river. They must have known its reputation."

"Wal," replied David with a grimace, "I nevaire hear one of dese Windigo howl een de night, but eef I see him now I eat heem for sure. I call dis de Starvin' riviere."

Steele laughed loudly at the remark of his hard-headed companion, whose legacy of superstition from an Ojibway mother had been heavily diluted by the blood of a Scotch father.

"I could eat a caribou myself," he said, "but we'll have a big feed at the post tonight. You take the canoe over while I find out who's playing that violin. Who would guess that there was a man within a thousand miles of these bad-lands who could play like that?"

The half-breed started over the portage while Steele turned into the thick scrub toward the river. From the foot of the rapids the trail had swung away from the broken flanks of the gorge, but shortly Steele saw patches of foam through the spruce. He stopped to listen, and again the notes of the violin shrilled above the monotone of the broken waters. Slowly he worked his way along the shoulder of the shore, then, forced back to circle a gash in the eroded cliff, stumbled upon a trail, and following it a short distance, suddenly stiffened.

The path led to a huge, flat-topped bowlder thrusting out into the stream. On the rock, her dark head nestling a violin to her cheek, stood a woman.

Surprise held the man motionless. To eyes which for months had not looked upon a comely white woman, the picture of the lithe figure of the musician, a crown of dusky hair half masking the face turned to the river, was a delight he hesitated to cut short by a betrayal of his presence.

From the passionate hopelessness of Massenet's "Elegie" the violin swung into a deathless lament of Grieg, grim with the eternal tragedy of his own gray north sea. As she played, the girl turned, exposing her face. On her cheeks were tears. But she did not see the listener for her eyes were closed.

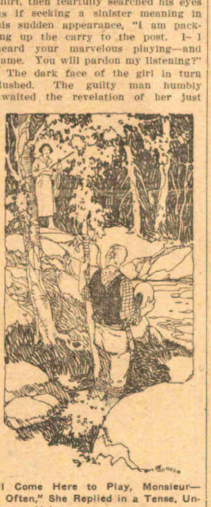
She ceased playing. With a sense of awe at having heard the cry of stark despair, the trespasser, conscious of sacrilege, had turned to retreat when he was stopped by:

"Qui vient la? Who is there?"

Caught, the eavesdropper faced about, hat in hand.

"Mademoiselle," he began, reddening under the questioning gaze which swept him from moccasins to tattered shirt, then fearfully searched his eyes as if seeking a sinister meaning in his sudden appearance, "I am packing up the carry to the post. I- I heard your marvelous playing—and came. You will pardon my listening?"

The dark face of the girl in turn flushed. The guilty man humbly awaited the revelation of her just anger. That meant for the forest and waters only—the naked anguish of a soul—a stranger had heard. It was right that he should pay.



"I Come Here to Play, Monsieur—Often," She Replied in a Tense, Uneven Voice.

"I come here to play—monsieur—often," she replied in a tense, uneven voice. "I was startled! We see no more—but the Indians. There is nothing—to pardon."

She spoke in English, with a flavor of accent which Steele had heard before, but not in French Canada.

Relieved at his reprieve, he hastened to explain his presence on that bush-grown portage of the Wailing river.

"My man David and I are bound from the Albany to Ogoke lake and the Nepigon. We've been in the bush since May," he laughed, painfully aware of a three-days' growth of beard, with a deprecatory gesture toward his frayed clothes, "and have some trading to do at the post, as you see. Is it far?"

"Only a short distance, monsieur. My father will welcome the sight of a white man; for him it is so lonely here."

"But surely," he protested, "it is more lonely for a woman." So she was the daughter of the French factor, and he wondered what force of circumstances had driven the father of this talented girl into the fur trade as an employee of the French company; this girl with the somber eyes who came to the white-waters with her violin—and her grief. Was it tragedy he had chanced upon, or mere loneliness?

"Lonely here for a woman? Surely, monsieur, you speak as a man of the world—with understanding." The sensitive mouth of the girl shaped a faint smile, but the dark eyes did not change as she continued: "Yet I have my father and my violin, while he—he has only his memories."

"But," he gallantly protested, "your father, mademoiselle, has the companionship of a very"—he hesitated and finished weakly—"his daughter."

She laughed in his face. "Ah, monsieur, you have French blood in your veins. But the very—his daughter," she mocked, "is a dull substitute for a 'world of men,' as your Browning says. My father will be much pleased at the coming to Wailing river of Monsieur—"

"Steele," he prompted, "my name is Brent Steele. I am in the field for the American Museum of Natural History."

She bowed low with mock gravity.

"Monsieur Steele, my father, Col. Hilaire St. Onge, will be honored in offering the poor hospitality of Wailing River to a learned American scientist."

Smilingly Steele raised protesting hands at her characterization. How charmingly, he thought, this strange girl, whose violin had sung so poignantly of despair, whose face had reflected fear of the stranger, now lapsed into raillery.

"Oh, pardon, monsieur," she went on, "I forgot myself; I am Denise St. Onge. Now that the conventions have been satisfied, will you follow me to our chateau—of logs?"

"Thank you!"

Her simple muslin gown and beaded moccasins seemed but to authenticate the stamp of race in the figure and carriage of the girl who led the curious man over the river trail to the carry. At the portage she stopped.

"My packs are below here, where I left them to follow the Lorelei of the Wailing," he said smiling.

Her face swiftly sobered.

"Ah, Monsieur," she replied almost inaudibly, "do not make jest of this terrible river." Then, with a shrug, as if ridding her mind of an oppressive weight, added, "I shall not wait for you, the post is very near," and walked swiftly up the portage, followed by the quizzical eyes of the man.

He stood in the trail watching the retreating figure of the girl until a bend shut it from sight.

What eyes and hair, he mused, and what playing! It was clear she was breaking her heart over something; the look in her eyes proved that. To think of such a glorious creature buried in this country! Her father probably was a retired French officer. Heaps of them marooned between Labrador and the Peace! But why, he asked himself, didn't they mention her over at Hope—this charming daughter of the factor at Wailing River?

Yes, he decided, she certainly had been frightened at his appearance—had looked him over as if he were a ghost. Then she had seemed superstitious; but she couldn't really believe in this tradition of the valley—this Windigo and spirit stuff. That was inconceivable. She was not afraid to come here alone and yet she called the river terrible. What had happened here anyway? Whom could she fear, and why?

Thus speculated the intrigued Steele. Then swinging his bags to his back, he started for the post known as Wailing River.

As Steele left the forest to cross the clearing the dogs of the post started the usual uproar. Half way to the group of log buildings he was met by an Indian, sent by the factor, and relieved of his packs.

> Evidently Wailing River has a mystery and one that challenges a brave man and the girl!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Nicotine in Tobacco

Nicotine is a colorless, intensely poisonous liquid. If exposed to the air, it absorbs oxygen and becomes brown and ultimately solid. The quantity of nicotine contained in tobacco varies from two to eight per cent, the coarser kinds containing the larger quantity, while the best Havana cigars seldom contain more than two per cent, and often less. Nicotine does not appear in tobacco smoke. It is split into pyridine and collodine. Of these, the latter is said to be the less active and to preponderate in cigar smoke, while the smoke from pipes contains a larger amount of pyridine.

Marvelous Precocity

The precocious infant was being submitted to the psychological tests in order to determine the degree of his genius. He had already picked out numbers, arranged blocks and distinguished colors. Then came the supreme test, the identification of various coins. The investigator tossed a nickel on the floor. The precocious infant bent over it while the proud parents held their breath.

Then the precocious infant winked at his dad and cried exultantly, "Heads!"—Pathfinder Magazine.

Piano Long in Favor With Lovers of Music

The first upright piano made in the United States was manufactured in the year 1800 by John Isaac Hawkins of Philadelphia, an Englishman by birth. The earliest piano made in the United States was that made by Joseph Hisky of Baltimore. His instruments quickly found favor and his establishment in Baltimore was the mecca of all lovers of good musical instruments. Johannes Francis Kahl, who was born in Germany, is credited with making the first piano made in Washington.

Jonas Chickering designed the first distinctly American pianoforte. His father was a blacksmith. The English owed their first piano to a Scotsman, John Broadwood. The English harpsichord, known to the Germans as the flugel because its shape somewhat resembled the wing of a bird, to the French as the clavecsin and to the Italians as the clavicembalo, was the immediate predecessor of the pianoforte.

Freddy Scored One

Bobby and Freddy were discussing the relative prowess of their two big brothers. Said Bobby: "My brother rows stroke on his college crew. I suppose you didn't know that?" Freddy was not much impressed. He replied promptly: "What of it? My brother is too big to get into the boat. I suppose you didn't know that?"

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Central Moscow

Lee Kies and wife were in Hills- Saturday.

Andrew Richards and son George were in Hillsdale Saturday.

L. L, Slcan has gone to Cleveland to visit his daughter Mrs. Eleanor Post for an indefinite time.

Rena and Naomi Crapser were here from Jackson for Thanksgiving with John Crapser and family.

Harold McDonald and family of Jackson ,visited her parents Fred Carpenter and wife Thanksgiving.

John Adams and wife were in North Adams at the home of their daughter Mable Sturdevant for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Chas Kies entertained her sister Matie Fitton and family of Hillsdale also Earl Everhart and family Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Wilbur Blackmer had for Thanksgiving guests Ed Blackmer and wife of North Adams, and her brother Len Dewey and family.

Mrs. Bascom entertained for Thanksgiving her sister and family Joe Dennings, and her sister Mrs. George Brayton and family also Leonard Brayton and family.

Homer Sturdevant and family visited her parents John Adams and wife Sunday also Esther and Ruth VanCamp of Somerset visited their grandparents John Adams and wife.

Len Dewey and wife entertained her parents Sam Flowers and wife of Waldron also her brother Jake and wife, her sister and family William Stuts of Lickleys Corners his sister Mrs. Wilbur Blackmer, and family Sunday.

—Congregational bazaar and dinners Dec. 9th and 10th.

Jonesville

Hulbert LaFever is ill at his home here.

Mrs. Wm M. Glasgow is seriously ill with throat trouble.

George Ewing and family spent Thanksgiving in Chelsea.

Mrs. Walter Vickers is recovering from a very severe illness.

C. C. Rodlam was at home from Lansing for the week end.

Mrs. H. S. Platte entertained the Culture club Tuesday Dec. 1st.

Mrs. Albert Chinnock is at home from a three weeks visit in Detroit

E. K. Bliss of Deerfield visited at the Martin Bliss home here last week.

R. D. Bevier and wife were guests Thanksgiving of Vern Parker and wife,

Wendell Maine and wife are the parents of a little daughter born November 23.

Wm Fogg and wife entertained their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren for Thanksgiving.

Wellington Chollette and Lyman Mery of Toledo were guests of Edgar Wisner from Friday until Monday.

Miss Eliza Dare entertained her brother Henry Comley and Niece Miss Edith Comley of North Adams a few days last week.

A. J. Doyle and wife of Flint, Ralph Rowe and family of Hillsdale were guests of S. J. McIntosh and wife Thanksgiving.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church held their Bazaar Thursday and Friday this week with a cafeteria supper each night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges entertained Thursday, Otto Nye and family of Scipio, Miss Yetta Nye and a college classmate of Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Adrian Smith has closed her home on East street and will spend the winter with her mother Mrs. L. W. Culver on East Chicago street.

Arthur Massey and wife entertained for Thanksgiving. George Gilchrist and wife of Quincy, Mrs. Judd Gray and little son of North Adams, D. J, Donnihue and family of Toledo.

Center Adams

C. A. Skinner is confined to the house a victim of rheumatism.

Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks spent Sunday in North Adams, the guest of Mrs. Eliza Williams.

Mrs. Addie Wyman was in Hillsdale Saturday to see Mrs. Eunice Crisp who is seriously ill.

T. H. Tierney and daughter Anna of Toledo ate Sunday dinner with Eugene McBain and wife.

Earl Gordon and family of Hillsdale were guests at the J. H. Gordon home on Thanksgiving.

M. C. Church and wife entertained the latter's brother D. A. Pettit of Hudson for Thanksgiving.

Marion Coryell and family spent Thanksgiving day at the James Bumpus home near Church's Corners.

C. N. Williams and wife visited his mother Mrs. Eliza Williams of North Adams on Thanksgiving day.

Will Keith and wife ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Keith's brother N. J. Lickley and wife at Shadyside.

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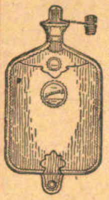

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Robert and Clarence Worthing of Detroit visited their mother Mrs. M. C. Church and family on Sunday.

Master Howard Foust was in Ann Arbor this week having his foot and leg taken from the cast and a shoe and brace fitted to him.

James Post and wife motored to Frontier Sunday and spent the day with Carl Vincent and wife. Master Olin Vincent came home with them to spend the week.

The social given by the Teacher and pupils of the Mud Lake school on Wednesday evening was a very pleasing affair and the school cleared around $25. A nice program was given. The boxes sold readily as did the popcorn and home made candy. Claribelle Chase won the cake in thecake walk.

Town Line

Mrs. Ray Fast is still suffering with ulcerated wisdom teeth.

Mrs. C. H. Jennings visited last week with relatives at Battle Creek.

Fred Southard and wife of Addison ate Sunday dinner with Abner Jennings and wife.

Mrs. Blanch Crandall of Onsted spent last week with her cousin Mrs. Eugene Culbert.

Mrs. Lue Draper spent a part of last week with her daughter Gladys and family near Osseo.

Miss Viola Hicks of North Adams is assisting Mrs. Howard Wells with her house work.

Gurn Baker's family moved from his father's farm in Somerset to his own farm in Moscow township Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sommers and daughter Laura were Thanksgiving guests of B. Lapham and wife of Jackson.

Eugene Culbert and wife go Tuesday to Phoenix Arizona to spend sometime with their son Earl Culbert and wife.

Mrs. Glenn Baker attended an industrial meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Cox Wednesday. The basket work sure is very nice.

William Morehouse and daughter Mrs. Harry Carver and son Ray of Jackson were recent visitors at the home of C. H. Jennings also Elmer Fuller of North Adams.

Callers—two gentlemen, unknown from some locality, came in front door and hastily made their retreat out the back door at the Culbert home last Saturday night.

East Hoxie

L. O. Spratt and family spent Thanksgiving in Jackson.

Corwin Cox and wife visited Chas Oaks and wife Sunday.

Walter Donnihue and Mrs. Etta Welker were in Ohio Wednesday.

Clyde Kiel and family visited Sunday with Frank Welker and family.

Will Sanford and wife of Addison visited LaVerne Cox and family Sunday.

Mrs. LaVerne Cox was in Coldwater Wednesday to visit her sister who is very ill.

B. Houston and wife entertained guests from Adrian, Hudson and Toledo Sunday.

Chas Cox and family visited Frank Geedy and wife of Montgomery Thanksgiving.

Ruth Steveson was home from Kalamazoo where she attends the Normal for the week end.

J. G. Kiel and wife have gone to Ohio for an indefinite visit with various friends and relatives.

Mrs. Will Smith and Mrs. Arch Smith and children are spending the week in Detroit with Floyd Smith and wife.

The Y. W. C. A. basketry class meeting held at the home of Mrs. Chas Cox Tuesday was attended by nine ladies. The next meeting will be held at the John Iveson home Dec. 15. Potluck dinner and your own service.

Jerome

Mrs. Della Lowery was in Jackson Wednesday.

I. W. Wertenberger and family motored to Jackson Friday.

Mrs. Della Lowery is visiting Mrs. Rosia Miller in Hanover.

Harold Sterling of Ypsilanti has been a recent visitor with relatives here.

Thomas Lane and Harry McClanahan were in North Adams Saturday.

Art Smith of Moscow and Mr. Scribner of Albion were in town Saturday.

Mrs. M. H. Morris entertained Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson Thanksgiving.

Glenn Cain of Jackson and Marie Cain of North Adams have been recent guests of Mrs. Mary Cain and family.

The Community Ladies will serve a chicken pie supper at the Odd fellow's Hall Saturday afternoon of this week between 5 and 7 o'clock R. R. time. Candy and baked goods will probably be sold in addition. Supper prices 15 and 25c.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 19th day of Nov. A. D. 1925. Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Arthur N. Westcott, deceased.

Grace L. Westcott having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 23rd day of December A. D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

2613 ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY
Judge of Probate

Leon Anderson has gone to Horton where he will make his home with Leon McCarthy and family. Mr. Anderson will attend the Horton high school.

Arthur Hart and family of Jackson, H. A. Voorhees and family of Hanover, Mrs. Chas Harper and daughter of Marshall spent Thanksgiving with R. O. Sawdey and wife.

A debate lasting one hour and 15 minutes on the subject "Resolved that a College or a University Education is undesirable" will take place at the I. O. O. F. Hall Saturday evening Dec. 5th at 8 o'clock. Affirmative, Harley Lane, Negative, Claude Kantner of the Albion College Debating Squad. The audience will act as judge.

Mud Lake School Notes

There was no school Friday following Thanksgiving.

There were no absences for the month of November.

We have new curtains for our windows for which we thank the School Board.

Mrs. Viola Moore, Melvin Greenfield and Edward Bloemker have been recent visitors.

Seventh grade Hygiene is making a careful study of First Aid. Demonstrations are being given on artificial respiration, tourniquets, slings, bandages etc.

The following new books have been added to our library: "The Monkey that would not kill", "Famous Scouts", "The F-U-N Book", "Legends every child should know" and Child Life Magazine.

Our box-social was a complete success. There were twenty eight boxes sold and the net proceeds were $25.40. With our fair premium money we now have $29.15 for our Warm Lunch Fund.

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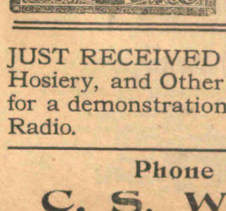

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Local News

Old Mr. Beach is ill.

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Bobbie Young who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. Jennie Smith spent Thursday afternoon with Miss Alice French.

Oray Holcomb who was operated on for appendicitis, is recovering nicely.

—This office is supplied with carbon paper 8½ x 12 at 5 cents per sheet.

Mrs. Albert Dietz spent Wednesday in Jackson visiting her son Len Dietz and family.

Miss Josephine Miller and Ione Ferguson of Jackson spent Thursday in North Adams.

The Ladies of the Methodist church report a successful Bazaar and a gross of $105.00.

Mrs. Ella Wedderburn of Lake View. Mich., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Orlando Kennedy.

The regular Patron-Teachers Meeting will be held Monday evening at the school building with a program.

The public library will be open Saturdays from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. and 7:00 to 8:00 p. m. until further notice.

Mrs. Crowell who has been confined to her bed with a broken limb for 12 weeks, does not improve as her friends could wish.

Arthur J. Hoffman and wife left here on Thursday morning for Tampa, Florida where they will be residents most of the winter.

The Nov. and Dec. meeting of the Birthday Club will be held at the Methodist church Wednesday evening, Dec. 16, 1925.

Cleve Westcott came to North Adams Tuesday suffering from a severely cut thumb, from an ax. His injury was taken care of by Dr. McFarland.

Mrs. Robins Bible Class met last Thursday night with M. Kempton and wife. We had a good time also finished raising $25 which was our pledge towards the church budget.

Rev. H. E. Wylie has gone to Greencastle, Ind. to assist in an Educational Advance Campaign for DePaun University and Rev. J. W. Steffe of Albion will fill his pulpits on Sunday, Dec. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sturdevant and family will go to Grand Rapids Friday, Dec. 11th, to visit relatives. Mrs. C. W. Bleech will accompnny them and visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilcox.

The S. P. I. Class party will be held Dec. 18th at the home of Elfrieda Calhoun. Pot-luck dinner and everyone bring dishes. A program and tree will be features of the day. Everyone bring a 10c gift.

M. Kempton received a paper from his son Rockwell at Saginaw with this item. The Council of that city selected Rockwell as Physician to act with a board of six, five men and one woman, on a Plan Commission for the city.

Raymond Kroh who resides east of North Adame 4½ miles, sustained a badly crushed foot from the fall of a tree in the woods where he was working on Tuesday. He was taken to the Hillsdale Hospital by Dr. McFarland where he will receive treatment.

Miss Dorothy Young, eldest daughter of Mrs. Clara Culver, was married December 1st to Arthur Gompers of Jackson, Mich. Mr and Mrs. Gompers will be ar home in Jackson to their many friends where Mr. Gompers is engaged in the business of manufacturing steel springs.

The funeral of Raymond Hard who was killed in an automobile accident in Somerset township, was held at the home of Oland Boley on Saturday at 1:30 p. m. Those who attended from this vicinity were Mrs. Frank Owens and daughter of Jonesville. John Owens and family, Percy Owens and family, Harley Roberts and family and Mae Mallory.

The Indiana Electric Company proprietors of the lines through Cambria have recently met with exceedingly hard luck and been accused of the murder of a woman. Mrs. Clark who was killed by current off their line, and it is said they are liable for heavy damages. The holdings of this company have been disposed of to a company of local capital known as the Hillsdale County Electric Company which is subsidary to the Midland Electric Co. This company will furnish the juice for a number of towns in the southern part of the county. They have already applied to the Michigan Utilities Commission for a franchise to operate in this territory.

—Cash paid for false teeth, gold fillings and bridges, discarded jewerly and old gold. Mail to the Hoke Smelting and Refining Co., Otsego, Michigan. 14tf

Reports of the Congregational church Bazaar indicate a real live patronage and about $100.00 was taken in on Wednesday. As we go to press the affair continues on Thursday evening.

Lewis Meeks has his potato storage house completed, and we understand it is thoroughly modern and capable of taking care of several thousand bushels. The dimensions are 40 x 40 feet. Parish & Lee are the carpenters.

The New York Central lines have asked and obtained permission to tear up the Mosherville line and so we suppose there will be no more traffic on that branch. The auto bus will have to take its place among common carriers.

Bert Clark of Jonesville, who was quite seriously injured recently in Jonesville, has been transferred to Manchester, Mich., to act as N. Y. C. agent. He will go to his new location as soon as he is able to resume duty. Bert used to sell tickets at Moscow.

Farmers' Institute Thursday and Friday

Hillsdale County Farmers Institute will be held Thursday and Friday Dec. 10 and 11, at Pinkham & Wright's Garage and a program of considerable interest to dirt farmers has been staged. Among those on the program we notice the name of Lew Meeks who is to speak on "Certified Potatoes" on Friday.

High School Banquet

North Adams High School will serve their annual banquet tonight (Friday) at the Congregational church and it is expected to make the occasion worthy of note. Following is the program as printed by this office: Invocation, Harold Gordon; address of welcome, Kieth Williams; toastmaster, Everett Williams; "The Pendulum" '29, Edward Wylie; "The Weights" '28, Jack Wertz; solo, Jean Young; "The Dial" '27 Paul Williams; "The Hands" '26, Albert Roberts; "Chimes" Faculty, Supt. R. C. Young; school song by all. A banquet will be served and following is the menu:

Roast Beef — Mashed Potatoes
Brown Gravy
Apple Salad
Rolls and Brown Bread
Pickles
Jello — Cake
Coffee — Cocoa

Past Matrons' Meeting

Alpha Chapter, No. 288, O. E. S. observed Past Matron's night at a meeting at the Hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 8th. The room was decorated with the colors of the order and a three-course supper was served at 6;30. Red and green candles were used.

This meeting was in honor of the 25th anniversary of the order and 150 were present. Mrs. Minnie Shepard read a list of the charter members and gave a history of the beginning of the Chapter. The past officers who took part were Jessie Haskell, Frank Holcomb, Mayme Pendell, Minnie Shepard, Allie Holkins, Alice Williams, Verna Armstrong, Josephine Jones, Myra Beecher, Lois Holcomb, Alice Crane, Addie Baker, Bernice McBain, Ann Voorhees.

Following the initiatory work a fine program consistidg of music by the orchestra and a thort play "Not a Man in The House" was given. The program was enjoyed by all.

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Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning Worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

At the morning hour of worship the pastor will speak on the theme "The Effect of Prayer." We had a very good attendance last Sunday and wish that we might keep it up during these busy days of shopping. We also urge those to worship with us who have no other church home.

Sunday school immediately following these services. There is a place for all.

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Moscow Township Tax Notice

I will be at Gochanour's Store in Moscow Fridays and the Citizens Bank at North Adams Saturdays until January 1, 1926, for collecting taxes of Moscow township. John Crapser, Treas.
28t3

Wheatland Tax Notice

I will be at the following places to collect taxes for Wheatland Township; Thompson's Savings Bank, Hudson, Dec. 15th; Citizens Bank, North Adams Dec. 16 and Jan. 16th; Hudson State Savings Bank Jan. 15th.
Ernest Fuller, Treasurer.
28t2

Ben Morehouse Died in Florida

Ben Morehouse who has been ailing for some years, passed away at Umatilla, Florida, last week Friday. He had been in Florida since early in the fall on account of a desired change in climate, Mr. Morehouse was born and reared on the farm one mile north of this village and leaves to mourn the wife, two sons and two daughters, three brothers, George and Edwin, of Jackson, Frank, of Hillsdale, one sister, Mrs. Rose Bauer of Chicago. Deceased was past 50 years of age and had passed his entire life in this vicinity with the exception of a short time in Chicago where he was in the employ of his brother-in-law, Alexander Bauer, and later he removed to Jonesville where he engaged in business.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church in Jonesville at 1:30 on Tuesday and burial was in the North Adams cemetery, He was a member of Jonesville I. O. O. F. and Rebekah

Basket Ball Season Opened Enthusiastically

Last Friday evening the Girls and Boys Teams of this village engaged the teams of Allen schools in a spirited game at Community Hall. Our players showed a very good form and appeared to be most too lively for their opponents, and the the score stood as follows: Boys, 54-10, Girls 32-4,

Next game occurs December 12 Saturday at Hanover between North Adams and Hanover. Following is the schedule this season: December 18th, Allen vs. North Adams at Allen; Jan. 9, Litchfield vs. North Adams at Litchfield; Jan. 15, Open; Jan. 22, Jonesville vs. North Adams at Jonesville; Jan. 29, Camden vs. North Adams at North Adams; Feb. 5, Hanover vs. North Adams at North Adams; Feb. 12; Addison vs. North Adams at Addison; Feb. 19, Jonesville vs. North Adams at North Adams; Feb. 26, Open; March 6, Camden vs. North Adams at Camden; March 12, Litchfield vs. North Adams at North Adams; March 19 Addison vs. North Adams at North Adams.

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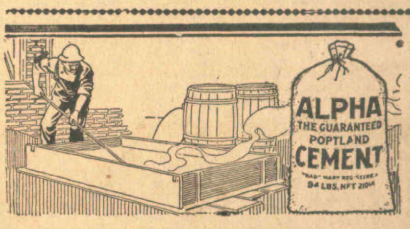

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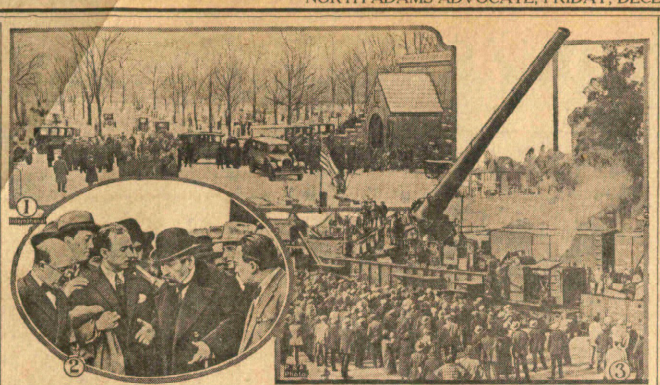

1—Scene in a Catholic cemetery in Chicago where union cemetery workers are on strike and bodies are being placed in vaults. 2—Premier Briand of France talking with reporters just before going to London to sign the Locarno treaties. 3—Great 14-inch mobile coast defense rifle viewed by crowds on arrival at Los Angeles.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Locarno Treaties Signed in London, Promising Peace for Western Europe.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

"THIS is the most important step in the history of the modern world," said Premier Briand when he and the representatives of six other powers had attached their signatures to the Locarno treaties. "The peace of the world could not have been effected without some great demonstration of international good will, such as this ceremony today," he continued, "and the future of the world should be one of arbitration and collaboration between nations, where war and armament have no places."

The ceremony of signing the pacts took place in London and was carried out in a wonderful spirit of optimism. Arm in arm, Chancellor Luther of Germany, Premier Briand of France and Foreign Secretary Chamberlain of Great Britain entered the golden reception room of the foreign office. They were followed by the delegates of Italy, Belgium, Poland and Czechoslovakia, and then came Prime Minister Baldwin and his cabinet. Mr. Chamberlain, who had just received the Order of the Garter for his work on the treaties and therefore was addressed as "Sir Austen," opened the proceedings with a brief speech of welcome and told of the king's disappointment that his mother's death made rearrangement of the program of entertainment necessary. Chancellor Luther and the others expressed their pleasure at the conclusion of the pacts, and then one after another they signed their names to the fateful documents.

After a dinner given by Mr. Chamberlain the statesmen reached an agreement for speeding up the evacuation of the Cologne area by the allies. This operation will be completed by January 31, and the Belgian forces in the Rhineland will be reduced at once.

The Locarno treaties have been quite fully described heretofore. Suffice it to say that the chief one, known as the security pact, guarantees the inviolability of the German-French and German-Belgian frontiers as fixed by the Versailles peace treaty. Italy and Great Britain are the guarantors of the pact. Germany, France and Belgium promise never to trespass upon each other's territory, and Great Britain and Italy are pledged to come to the aid of the aggrieved nation, whether it be France, Belgium or Germany. All the parties agree to submit future disputes to judicial arbitration, with the League of Nations council sitting as high court.

The German-Polish and German-Czecho pacts are identical except that these signatories agree to arbitration of all future disputes by the arbitral tribune at The Hague or the world court. The French-Polish and French-Czecho special treaties are in effect France's guarantee of the German-Polish and German-Czech treaties.

The treaties are effective only after Germany joins the League of Nations, an event that is expected to take place as soon as possible. Already Germany has registered with the league at Geneva eleven international engagements which she has entered into with eight different powers. That Russia also will now come into the league was the expressed opinion of some of the statesmen gathered in London, and indeed Foreign Minister Tchitcherin of the Soviet government was expected in London this week to talk over this matter.

With few exceptions the nations of Europe look on the signing of the treaties as the birth of a new era of good will and peace. The nationalists of Germany still declare their belief that the pacts mean the ruin of their country, and may force the resignation of the Luther cabinet. Italy officially looks on the treaties rather skeptically. She intends to live up to the letter and spirit of her signature, but does not propose to be swept off her feet by idealistic sentimentality. As Mussolini said in his recent Armistice day address: "We look with one eye upon the dove of peace if it rises on the distant horizon, but with the other eye we look through the concrete necessities of right."

CONGRESS—the Sixty-ninth—is now in session and has heard the President's message, which was read to the senate and house. It was a cheerful but cautious document, expressing gratification at the general prosperity and progress in the country, and urging continued government economy and restraint in the assuming of new obligations unless they are reproductive capital investments or are absolutely necessary at this time. The President gave his approval in principle to the proposed tax-reduction measure. Concerning inland waterways he was not so emphatic as the people of the Middle West hoped he would be. In effect he said:

"For many years our country has been employed in plans and operations for the development of our intracoastal and inland waterways. This work along our coast is an important adjunct to our commerce. It will be carried on, together with the further opening up of our harbors, as our resources permit. Along with the development of navigation should go every possible encouragement for the development of our water power."

Of agriculture the message had this to say:

"No doubt the position of agriculture as a whole has very much improved since the depression of three and four years ago. But there are many localities and many groups of individuals, apparently through no fault of their own, sometimes due to climatic conditions and sometimes to the prevailing price of a certain crop, still in a distressing condition. This is probably temporary, but it is none the less acute. National government agencies, the Departments of Agriculture and Commerce, the farm loan board, the intermediate credit banks, and the federal reserve board are all co-operating to be of assistance and relief. On the other hand, there are localities and individuals who have had one of their most prosperous years. The general price level is fair, but here again there are exceptions both ways, some items being poor while others are excellent. In spite of a lessened production the farm income for this year will be about the same as last year and much above the three preceding years."

Mr. Coolidge had a few words in favor of American adhesion to the World court, and in speaking of our foreign relations he said: "It seems clear that it is the reduction of armies rather than of navies that is of first importance to the world at the present time." He gave praise to the army, navy, marine corps and National Guard and the reserves, and said that while we are not behind in the art of aviation, it is of so great importance that we ought to proceed in its improvement by the necessary experiment and investigation.

Deploring the perennial conflict in the coal industry, the message urged that authority be lodged with the President and the Departments of Commerce and Labor giving them power to deal with an emergency. Also it recommended that congress authorize a system of consolidations of the railroads.

GOVERNOR PINCHOT of Pennsylvania made another attempt last week to end the anthracite coal strike, submitting to both sides a compromise agreement. The representative of the miners accepted the plan as a basis of renewed discussion, but it was rejected entirely by the operators, because, as they said, it would repeat the Jacksonville bituminous agreement mistake of "endeavoring to maintain high prices to pay high wages through the simple formula of writing these terms into a contract." President Lewis of the miners said the operators' attitude "does not represent one whit of concession in the public interest to dispose of a situation that has become alarmingly acute."

REPUBLICAN leaders in the senate last week virtually abandoned all idea of questioning the Republicanism of Senator R. M. LaFollette of Wisconsin and of contesting the appointment of Gerald Nye of North Dakota, an avowed LaFollette supporter. In the house the Republicans decided to let the insurgents decide for themselves whether they wished to be considered as returning to the party fold.

Republicans, Democrats and Farmer-Laborites of South Dakota held their state conventions for congressional and state offices. The Republicans renominated Senator Peter Norbeck and Gov. Carl Gunderson. The Democrats indorsed C. J. Gunderson, a cousin of the governor, for United States senator and W. J. Bulow for governor. George Platt was nominated for the senate by the Farmer-Labor party.

UNCLE SAM is interested in the row in Texas over highway construction contracts, which is one of Gov. Miriam Ferguson's chief troubles just now. Representatives of the federal bureau of public roads are making an investigation and it was said that if irregularities are found in the handling of federal funds the government aid may be withdrawn. Last week "Ma" Ferguson demanded the resignation of Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth publisher, as chairman of the board of regents of the Texas Technological college, strongly intimating that he had violated the prohibition law and had himself been intoxicated. Mr. Carter refused to resign. Whether Speaker Satterwhite should call a special session of the lower house was not decided.

CHILE may yet carry the Tacna-Arica dispute before the League of Nations. Last week her minister to Switzerland laid before the secretary general of the league a memorandum complaining that General Pershing was persistently delaying the plebiscite, thereby playing the game of the Peruvians and frustrating the plan of President Coolidge to restore friendly relations between the two nations. In Santiago, however, the foreign ministry issued a communique which said:

"There is no reason for attributing to the arbiter or the United States government a predisposition against our rights in Tacna-Arica. On the contrary, if in Washington we found justice in making the award, we can have confidence in finding justice if we have to demand it again. The government has confidence that an adequate solution of the present difficulties can be found."

Of course if Chile should appeal to the league and that body should take action, any European intervention would be in direct conflict with the Monroe doctrine, and the result might be serious.

COMMISSIONER BLAIR and Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews issued orders for revocation of all existing permits for sacramental wine, effective December 31, and gave out new restrictions on their reissuance. Only rabbis and ministers will get the permits for withdrawal of wine and they must deliver the wine directly to the worshiper. One gallon per year per adult is the maximum allowed unless it is clearly shown that a greater quantity is necessary. The rabbis must maintain storage places and keep accurate records of distribution.

AN AGREEMENT for funding Rumania's debt to the United States was reached in Washington. Payments will extend over 62 years and will be easy at first. Interest rate is 3 per cent for ten years and 3½ per cent thereafter. The total debt was fixed at $44,590,000.

France intends to resume debt negotiations, according to Louis Loucheur, who has become finance minister in the new government formed by Aristide Briand. He is waiting only to complete his financial program, but this is likely to give him a lot of trouble for it involves a currency inflation that is opposed by many in both wings of parliament.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE'S special aircraft board submitted its report but did not settle the controversy over aviation. Though it does not name Colonel Mitchell, the report advises against his plan for a separate air force co-ordinate with the army and the navy; but it declares the air services have been neglected and unduly subordinated and recommends additional assistant secretaries of the army and navy for military aviation. While some of Mitchell's more sensational charges are contradicted by the report, a good many of his allegations concerning the service are sustained.

City of Los Angeles Loses Two Landmarks

Los Angeles.—Los Angeles' Chinatown and celebrated plaza, each rich in colorful history of the early days, are facing destruction.

The two are within the forty blocks where $50,000,000 will be spent on a civic center and union railroad terminal.

It was on the plaza that the Mexican governor, Felipe De Neve, founded "El Pueblo De Neustra Senora De Reyno Le Los Angeles," September 4, 1781. It was the scene of the marriage of Pio Pico, California's famous Mexican governor.

Here it was the official document was read making Los Angeles, instead of Monterey, the state capital.

In 1849, a road-weary courier shouted from the plaza that gold had been discovered in northern California. Two days later, the dusty throat of Cahuenga pass was choked with wealth seekers, and only twelve persons were left here.

Life about the plaza has not always been happy. Eighteen Chinese were hanged here in 1871 during a race uprising.

Chinatown, adjoining the plaza, contains Ferguson's alley, Apablasa and Marchessault streets, where young Chinese trade with tourists and old men sit silently puffing at long-stemmed pipes.

Ten years will be required to complete the reconstruction program, but already demands are being made to save the plaza.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Owosso—A gift of $10,000 by C. E. Rigley, Sr., of this city, as a nucleus for a fund with which to build a nurses' home was announced recently by the trustees of the Memorial Hospital.

Marshall—Fire due to an over-heated stove destroyed the Pierce Rural school, a wooden building 36 by 42 feet, erected in 1880, in Marengo Township. Twelve students attended the school. The Marshall and Albion fire departments responded to calls and saved the woodshed.

Pontiac—According to an interview with E. Leroy Pelletier, Detroit, Captain Eddie Rickenbacker "is thinking seriously of building a factory in Pontiac" for the manufacture of airplanes. Pontiac Board of Commerce will name a committee to confer with the former World war flying ace.

Port Huron—Capt. Edward V. Rickenbacker, America's flying ace, of Detroit, in an address before the Lions club said that within 25 years commercial aviation will be one of the greatest industries in the world. Competition will force men into aviation, Rickenbacker said, on account of its ability to annihilate time and distance.

Port Huron—The will of Charles G. Young, who was last seen alive drifting out on Lake Huron in a small boat two weeks ago, was filed in the Probate Court Thursday. All hope has been abandoned of finding Young alive. His body has not been recovered. His estate which is listed at $1,000 personal and $1,000 real estate, is left to his widow.

Grand Rapids—With one exception all the officers of the Michigan State Horticultural Society were re-elected for the coming year at the 55th annual convention here. George Friday of Coloma is president, H. D. Hootman of East Lansing, secretary; J. P. Munson, of Grand Rapids, treasurer, and Carl Bushkirk, of Paw Paw, member of the executive committee.

Ann Arbor—More than half of the students of the University of Michigan are members of some church, the annual religious census of the univercity compiled by the Student Christian association shows. Of the 9,142 who indicated church membership or preference, 5,711 are members and an additional 1,472 indicated a preference for some one of the churches; 1,959 stated they did not have either membership or preference and on some of the cards information was not given.

East Lansing—East Lansing youths who have been in the habit of giving the co-eds at Michigan State College a lift from East Lansing to Lansing, will lose many of their patrons if the co-ed students heed the warning issued by Jean Krueger, dean of women, and the Student Women's Self-Government Association. She admitted that daylight rides to Lansing from the college were not so serious, and they have the advantage of quicker transportation, and are economical, but the night rides are another matter.

Lansing—John Baird, director of the Department of Conservation, has informed Frank Collins of Toledo that the State intends to condemn the Collins trout pools along the Pine River, in Lake County, and open them to the public. The announcement was in answer to the decision given this week by Circuit Judge Fred S. Lamb, of Cadillac, in the case of Collins vs. Gearhardt. Gideon Gearhardt, of Reed City, fished the Pine through Collins' holdings and a jury in Justice Court, and then a jury in Judge Lamb's court found him not guilty of trespassing.

Bay City — Insurance firms are blamed as partially responsible for the epidemic of fires in Bay City in a report to the city commission by Building Inspector James Douglas. The report is an answer of the building inspector, and concurred in by Fire Chief Charles S. Crampton, to A. W. Dorbert, representative of the New Zealand Fire Insurance company, who recently criticized these officials. Douglas says that the anxiety of insurance concerns for premiums causes them to write too high valuations on old inflammable buildings.

Lansing—Activities of the Groesbeck administration were both indorsed and condemned in resolutions adopted by delegates to the thirty-third annual meeting of Michigan Farm Clubs. The pro-Groesbeck resolution originally was framed as an anti-Groesbeck resolution; another of the same color was killed outright in the resolutions committee. C. B. Cook of Owosso, was elected president of the Association. Mr. Cook is a former president of the organization. Austin Cole, of Clinton County, was elected vice-president and Mrs. I. R. Johnson was elected for the eighth consecutive year as secretary-treasurer.

Owosso—Difficulty encountered by automobile drivers in the cities in finding places to park has resulted in an increase of 20 per cent in the number of fares paid on street railways in the past year, J. F. Collins, president of the Michigan Electric Railways company, stated before the chamber of commerce here. He predicted a come back by electric lines in 1926. Although his company's holdings are appraised at $33,000,000, the only ones making nay money out of the company were the employes. None of the investors are getting a nickle, he said.

Lansing—A new educational era in which development of eternal qualities, rather than production of freaks like "Red" Grange, will be the aim of universities, is foreseen by Dr. Clarence Cook Little, president of University of Michigan. He expressed his view before the Federated State Farmers' Clubs here. Dr. Little urged that such luxuries as cosmetics and tobacco be taxed to support education, rather than real estate, as now. "The cost of education is small when compared with what women spend for powder and men for their smoking."

Monroe—Rosie Nidek, 3 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Nidek, of Lambertville, near here, was killed instantly when a 12-gauge shotgun discharged after failing from a rack on the wall while the child was at play on the floor. The charge of shot hit the girl in the head.

Hastings—William Easy, 75 years old, a bachelor who had lived alone many years in a log cabin in Assyria township, was found dead in bed. Failing to see a light in the cabin window, neighbors investigated. Death was due to apoplexy, it is believed. Easy leaves a brother, who resides in Bedford.

Ionia—With Henry Ford's assistance, the Ionia Business and Professional Women's Club will sponsor an old-fashioned dancing party some time in February, the plans of which are now being completed. The club officers have received word from Mr Ford of his interest in such a party, and a book published by Mr. Ford which gives a list of the dances suitable for such an affair.

Ann Arbor—Criticising the board of governors of the University of Michigan Union and charging them wtih gross inefficiency, Albert Adams, a law junior student from Kansas City, Mo., president of the Union, circulated petitions to change the constitution of the club to give the students more power in the administration of the affairs of the organization and to give the student president more power than he now has.

Lansing—A two-day meeting of the Michigan State Association of Farmers' clubs opened here Tuesday with delegates from all parts of the state in attendance. Dr. Clarence Cook Little, president of the University of Michigan, and Dr. Kenyon L. Butterfield, president of Michigan State college, have been asked to speak during the sessions. Banquets and various forms of entertainment have been arranged for the visitors.

Grand Rapids—Little hope is held for the recovery of Mrs. Edna Keen, 23 years old, wife of Cecil Keen, who is said to have taken poison following an argument with her husband about a dog. She is being treated at the Butterworth Hospital. According to the police, Keen disposed of the dog Thursday afternoon. During the evening his wife sent him on an errand to a nearby store. She swallowed the poison during his absence he said.

Sault Ste. Marie—Upper Peninsula deer totalling at least 2,500 were killed by Lower Michigan hunters, according to incomplete figures announced by officials of the State ferry at St. Ignace. It was said by ferry officials that more than 10,000 hunters from below the Straits came north. Some cars returning southward had as many as seven deer strapped to them. Nine bears killed in the Upper Peninsula were shipped across the Straits.

Ann Arbor—William E. Sweet, former governor of Colorado, spoke recently at the Hill Auditorium here on "America and the World Court, a reply to Senator Borah." Sweet's address was the principal event on the program of "International Week" sponsored by a number of campus organizations of the university. The former Colorado governor is making a tour of American colleges and universities on behalf of the world court on which he has long been a vigorous champion.

Hastings—Shot accidentally by a companion on a hunting trip Sunday afternoon, Roy Taffee, 40 years old, brother of Chief of Police Benjamin F. Taffee, of Kalamazoo, is lying in a serious condition in a hospital here. The sight of his right eye was destroyed by a shot which penetrated the ball. Tagee received in his right side the full charge of shot one of the party, William Gibson, fired at a rabbit as it jumped up between the huntsman and the brush behind which Taffee was crouching.

Mendon—Cracking open the vault in the Mendon postoffice, without breaking the inner safe, bandits recently escaped after inflicting damage amounting to about $600. They drove out of the village toward the north, as Sheriff Guy Clipfell and three deputies were driving in from the west. The bandits were frightened away when they saw Henry Hasseig, a merchant, enter the telephone exchange to summon the sheriff. There was only a small amount of money and stamps in the safe.

Mt. Clemens—The road construction program for next year is the most comprehensive ever undertaken in the county, according to Chairman Edward Schunemann, of the road commission, who announced that 50 miles of paved highway will be constructed under the Covert act, and state highways. The leading project under consideration is the Grand Trunk highway, which will parallel the Grand Trunk railway into Detroit, making the fifth paved road from this city into the state metropolis.

Ann Arbor—The new University Hospital was opened for inspection by the public Wednesday and Thursday of last week, according to an announcement by Director Harley A. Haynes. Guides were furnished to all those interested who took the guests through the entire plant. The dedication ceremonies, held Nov. 19, 20, and 21, were conducted chiefly by the medical profession, while the formal opening was intended to give others interested in the university an opportunity to inspect the new hospital.

Lansing—Announcement was made at the Lansing chamber of commerce that there is a possibility of Lansing obtaining a large airplane factory. Negotiations already are under way with one of the largest manufacturers of planes and if successfully carried out, the factory obtained will be one to be classed with the city's largest industries, Charles Davis, secretary of the chamber said. Davis' statement was made coincident with the announcement in Detroit that Lansing has been selected as one of the regular stops along the air route.

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Husband—Listen, I don't want to play bridge again tonight.—Life.

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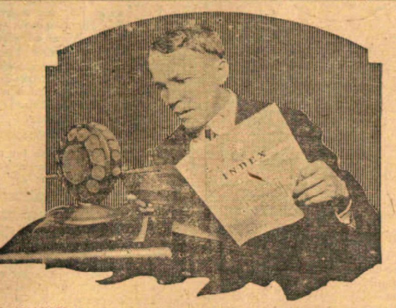
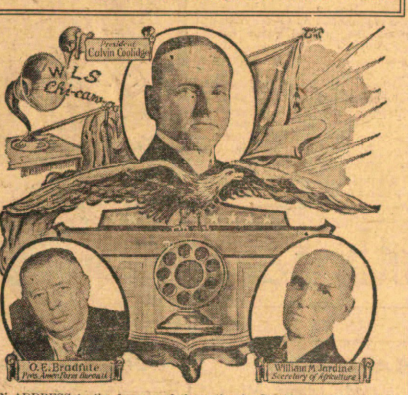


AN ANALYSIS of current agricultural conditions is being issued every month by the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation. This monthly review covers every section of the United States and is based on 3,900 separate reports furnished by the Foundation's field observers, who are all practical, thinking farmers. Working together for farm betterment, these observers reflect in a most practical way a cross-section of the farmer's mind. Each of the observers has been selected because of his ability to observe the application of economic principles to current agricultural problems. The status of agriculture each month is shown by the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation Index.

As soon as issued the results of this agricultural review are broadcast over WLS, the Foundation's station, Chicago, by Perry V. Ewing, who is in charge of the work of the Foundation. Mr. Ewing has had years of experience in agricultural effort. For six years he conducted live stock investigations in Kansas, Georgia and Texas. He also is author of a dozen state and federal bulletins and scientific reports. He is a member of Sigma Xi, the highest honorary scientific fraternity.

Coolidge and Jardine Talk to U. S. Farmers Over WLS



AN ADDRESS to the farmers of the nation by President Calvin Coolidge will feature the Farm Bureau Broadcast from WLS, the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation station at 11 a. m., December 7. The president's agricultural message will open the seventh annual convention of the American Farm Bureau federation at the Hotel Sherman, Chicago. At 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, December 8, Secretary of Agriculture William M. Jardine will speak at the annual banquet of the federation, which also will be broadcast by WLS. O. E. Bradfute, president of the federation, has selected the other speakers for the convention to insure a complete presentation of the farm problems of every section of the United States. It is expected that President Coolidge, in his address, will enunciate the administration's agricultural policies and future programs at this important gathering of the nation's farm leaders, of whom it is expected more than 8,000 will be in attendance at the convention. WLS will broadcast the complete farm bureau convention proceedings, December 7, 8 and 9, inclusive.

A Good Accident Policy

No driver of a vehicle and more especially no driver of an automobile, should ever cross a railroad or interurban track without first looking in both directions to determine whether a train is approaching.

Where there are two or more tracks, never start across after a train has passed without waiting to see whether another train is approaching on another track. Let the first train get by at least 500 feet. If necessary to shift gears, do so not less than 50 feet before reaching track, lest auto stalls on the track.

At crossings protected by flagman, gates, bells or wig-wag, never attempt to cross while flagman is on the crossing, or gates are lowered or bells or wig-wags are in action, for this means that a train is closely approaching.

These are a few suggestions to drivers which occasion no inconvenience, and which if observed will prevent accidents at grade crossings, for a grade crossing is only dangerous when made so by careless driving. In fact, the danger is in the driving, not in the crossing.

Governor Groesbeck Shows A Hand

For at least five years back the Michigan State Fair has been run on a basis of "get all you can and get it quick" with George Dickinson at the helm. Mr. Dickinson has withdrawn most of his advertising in the small country weeklies and placed it in city dailies and as a consequence the State Fair has ceased to be the Farmer's fair but has entered the list of the city attractions mostly, and a dumping ground for the big manufacturers of Detroit and immediate vicinity to display their wares. While attendance up to last fall has been fairly good, the amount of money taken at the gates did not seem to come from the rural class. Dickinson has been accused of padding the attendance rolls and shortly after the Fair closed last fall it was discovered that Mr. Dickinson had been pandering to his own interests pretty heavily. Governor Groesbeck stepped in forthwith and demanded Dickinson's resignation. Some housecleaning is to be indulged in by the management and a new set of directors are to be appointed. It is hoped the new management will endeavor to undo some of the mischief and start the advertising of the fair in country weeklies where it belongs. The Fair is and should be an Agricultural institution for the benefit of the rural population instead of a display ground for rich automobile manufacturers and others with special privileges.

Tells Best Sizes of Lamps

The G-E Farm Book, which has been compiled by electrical experts who have carefully studied farmers' problems, recommends the following sizes of electric lamps on the farm:

Horse barn or cow stable, 25-watt Mazda lamps, behind each stall or not more than twelve feet apart.

Hay mow, a 100-watt Mazda lamp.

Silo and granary, a 75 or 100-watt Mazda lamp with a 25-watt lamp near the chute.

Dairy, garage or carpenter shop, a 75 or 100-watt lamp; if used infrequently, a 25-watt lamp.

Sheds or out-buildings, 25-watt lamps.

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Arrivals At The Stock Show Nov. 29th

Maurene Taylor arrived in Chicago Sunday to join the 1200 other boys and girls who were here to attend the Fourth National Boys and Girls Club Congress during the International Live Stock Exposition last week. Maurene won her educational trip offered by Hillsdale County for excelling in Sewing project.

All of these boys and girls were looking forward with much enthusiasm to their first glimpse of Chicago and to meeting other winning club members who weee coming from forty two states of the Nation. These sturdy young blue bloods of the soil were entertained at a banquet every evening at which men and women of national note were speakers. The twelve hundred boys and girls gave their Club yells, sang their Club songs and had a good time generally. The Moses trophy was awarded at the December first Banqet to the boy who has shown the best leadership in his community. Another interesting feature of the banquet was the style show at which Club girls will model in dresses which they have made as a part of their Club Work during the year.

In order that all Club members might partially enjoy the benefits of the Club Congress, the banquets will be broadcast from Chicago to all parts of the United States by stations KLW, WLS and WMAQ, under auspices of the National Farm Radio Council.

Crazy Boys Nearly Wreck Train

The Engineers on the Lake Shore trains on the main line through Hillsdale will probably now feel considerably easier on the run through Pittsford since the mystery of attempted derail of trains last October has been solved. The officials have for some time suspected boys of the mischief but until recently have been absolutely unable to trace the crime. Four boys ranging in ages from 13 to 15 years have confessed to placing obstructions on the track near Pittsford and wiring them to the rail but as luck would have it on one or two occasions the train passed safely over without accident and in another case the obstacle was found and removed before any damage was done. It has been proved that films of daring train robberies and train wreckers have been shown at Pittsford and also that the lads in question have seen these films.

It would hardly seem possible for a lad of that age these days being so dense he could not comprehend the awful consequences of such a crime, and also one naturally conjectures what kind of parents he must have. More than likely his parents had no knowledge of the boy's disposition for crime and if they did had no desire to curb such instincts.

A degenerate might easily be associated with such work but a real decent well brought-up high school lad who had been taught respect for law and human life could not be suspected of anything of this nature.

Here is a real case for the juvenile court officers, and it is to be hoped the example will be a wholesome one to other lads in this country today. Not so long ago lads at a small district school were found guilty of the same offense.

Consolidated School Burns

The $200,000 Lincoln Consolidated school six miles south of Ypsilanti, completed last February, burned to the ground recently.

The fire was discovered in the upper part of the brick and steel building about 3:00 a. m. There was no water with which to fight the fire and not much could be done to subdue the flames which appeared to eat into the fire proof construction as fast as it would in a common building. After three hours the building was consumed.

This building was the equivocal center of 63 square miles of territory and was regarded as the best rural school in Michigan. As yet there is no clue to the cause of the fire but a basket ball game was indulged in the night previously and it possible some spectator may have thrown down a lighted cigarette, but this is hardly possible. One of the school board was first on the scene and he is of the opinion the fire originated in the gymnasium and then went through the roof.

Building and contents were insured for $190,000 and represented an investment of $244,000. There will be some salvage and the coal bunkers and heating plant in the rear annex, and about half the equipment is available.

Prof. Pittman of the Ypsilanti Normal, who helped establish the school, has reported that a better building would be erected within a year, so the festive students who are presumably figuring on an extended holiday, will find their hopes blasted in the bud.

Radio Tube Price Cut By DeForest

Retail price reductions on all lines of the DeForest radio receiving tubes, as a result of specialized manufacturing processes, increased production, and greater sales, are announced here today by DeForest Dealers upon receipt of telephoned instructions from the DeForest Radio Company offices at Jersey City, N. J.

Clyde S. Wertz, local representatives of the DeForest Radio Company in announcing the new schedule made public a copy of the following statement received from H. L. Lanphear an executive of the DeForest Company at Jersey City: "Our recently inaugurated policy of developing and producing a new and complete line of highly specialized receiving tubes has resulted in such increased sales throughout the country that we are now in the fortunate position of being able to announce forthwith a sweeping price reduction on all lines of our receiving tubes the DV-2 detector, the DV-5 for radio and audio frequency amplification, and the DV-3 and DV-3A, the DeForest specialized tubes for dry battery circuits.

"This tube development by DeForest Engineers has resulted in several points of tube superiority, namely, one the use of an isolantite base by which the electrical losses have been reduced from one eighth to one-fiftieth to those of porcelain, metal, rubber and bakelite. Two is uniformity in quality. Three is much higher vacuum through a new process of eliminating tube gasses by chemical exhaust. Four is prote
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cannot be disturbed.

"It is only natural, of co
that the company holding the or
ginal DeForest tube patents under which all other companies are now manufacturing audions should take a parental pride in this recognition given by the radio public."

The Story of The Greek

A True Yarn

He is a Greek. He does manual labor at 45c an hour, but more often he is spoken of as a "wap" or a "honyok" both of which terms imply scorn, but he does not care that he is thus spoken of. He may not even know it. His thoughts are busy with other things. For has he not a little girl, the "sweetes" little girl, and is not his wife the "sweetes" woman? And if that, along with his work were not enough to occupy the man's thoughts, there is also anxiety. For the "sweetes" woman has tuberculosis and sometimes he wonders whether she is coming back to him

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EASING THE BURDEN OF STATE TAXATION

Banker Points Cut Benefits of Community Property System in Some States.

Favorable aspects of tax systems are now among the most highly prized assets of our states, it is pointed out in the American Bankers Association Journal in connection with an article on how California, which has never had a state income tax, cuts state and Federal death taxes nearly in half by the "community property" system. L. H. Roseberry, Vice President Security Trust and Savings Bank, Los Angeles, author of the article, says that a recent amendment to the tax law enables future residents of the state to take advantage of it. Reference is made to a former article by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Dewey, voicing the need for death tax reform and citing a hypothetical case involving California inheritance taxes which might have been levied in 1920. Since that time the laws have been changed, Mr. Roseberry declares, so that the figures then given do not correctly represent the present situation. He says:

"Ever since its admission California has had the 'community property system. Eight other states have a similar system. 'Community property' is property accumulated by married persons during their marriage except that which is acquired by gift, bequest or inheritance. Approximately 65 per cent of all property in the state is 'community property.' Such property in California enjoys the most favorable position in regard to death taxes, both state and Federal, of any state in the Union (excepting possibly the eight other states having a similar property system) including states boasting of no inheritance tax whatever. The California 'community property' system is recognized for the purpose of levying Federal estate taxes, and only one-half of it is now so taxed, while in Florida the whole estate of a decedent is subject to the Federal levy.

How the Law Works

"California's law expressly provides that upon the death of either husband or wife, testate, only one-half of their net 'community property' shall be subject to inheritance taxes. The same exemption applies upon the death of the husband, intestate, while the whole net 'community property' is totally exempt from all state inheritance taxation upon the death of the wife intestate. The Federal estate tax law now follows precisely the California law in this respect.

"As the result of an amendment made to the California inheritance tax law by the 1925 Legislature, this immunity from state inheritance taxes likewise now extends to 'community property' of non-resident married persons, who hereafter take up their legal residence in the state. This puts 'community property' in a more favorable position regarding death taxes than exists in any other state in the Union, with the possible exception of the other community property states. This extension of the exemption will add 15 per cent to property in the state coming under this definiton, which means that approximately 80 per cent of all property probated in California will enjoy the lightest death taxes in America.

"To illustrate, the following example of a man survived by a wife and two minor children is computed, the estate consisting of 'community property' all left by will to the wife and children. One-half of such property would go under the law to the wife without any death taxes, and the other half only would be subject to both state inheritance and Federal estate taxes.

"As a subject of comparison, take a state which has no inheritance tax, such as Florida. If the comparison were made with the states which impose inheritance taxes but do not have the 'community property' system, the advantage in favor of California would even be more striking.

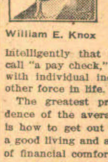
Estate of $100,000	Total Tax
California	None
Non-inheritance-tax state	$500
Advantage in favor of California	500
Estate of $200,000	
California	905
No-inheritance-tax state	3,000
Advantage in favor of California	2,095
Estate of $400,000	
California	5,779
Non-inheritance-tax state	13,000
Advantage in favor of California	7,220
Estate of $10,000,000	
California	1,249,155
Non-inheritance-tax state	2,543,500
Advantage in favor of California	1,294,345

"If the two children were adults, the California tax would be increased only $280 in each case.

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS ASSOCIATION

INDEPENDENCE OF THE FINANCIAL KIND

By WILLIAM E. KNOX
President, American Bankers Association.


William E. Knox

The principle upon which America was founded was Independence. The primary duty of the pioneers of this country was to interpret independence in its political sense, but independence today has another special significance in its financial sense. The ability to apply the primary principles of personal economics, to use intelligently that common thing we call "a pay check," has as much to do with individual independence as any other force in life.

The greatest problem of independence of the average man or woman is how to get out of what they earn a good living and a reasonable degree of financial comforts in old age. We cannot maintain a high standard of national life without an intelligent management of the financial matters that constantly confront the average individual and family. In the accumulation of capital in the hands of the masses lies the hope of the true independence of a nation's people. The chief concern of wage earners is to get a reasonable degree of financial independence out of what they actually earn.

This question of how to attain personal financial independence has not been worked out on the principle of individual responsibility. The most important social needs today are a course of instruction in public education to give young people a practical notion of how to start life on a sound economic basis; and, secondly, a broad co-operative plan in American industry whereby men and women shall be helped to work out a personal financial program that will guide them toward a definite goal of financial independence. There ought to be a way for a man, for every dollar put aside each week now, to get back four or five dollars a week forty or fifty years later, regardless of where he works.

The present policy in American industry of helping employees is based on the assumption that they will ultimately become dependent. Old age pensions and other forms of char'table compensation are to be commended in lieu of a practical alternative, but in principle they are wrong and contrary to the purposes of democracy. What we want is an organized plan that will direct working people toward independence. No system can claim complete success that does not contemplate the financial independence of every employee, according to his ability to earn. It can be shown that American employees, with reasonable prudence on their own part, can reach a fair degree of independence while they are still working.

There must be injected into our industrial policy an additional economic element of mutual benefit and permanent value to both labor and capital, concerned not alone with the amount of wages and profits that are earned but with how these earnings shall be used. I am arguing for an industrial savings policy based upon the principle of independence. I am arguing for a new basis of co-operation in industry, for the elimination of poverty, and for a practical demonstration of economic democracy.

When public education teaches school students how to manage their personal affairs intelligently, and when the heads of firms make it a requirement that every young man and young woman who accepts a position shall be working toward a definite goal in saving money, then we will attack economic illiteracy at the source and begin to save men from the tragedy of financial dependency.

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And that there is now due and unpaid on said mortgage all of the principal sum thereof amounting to twenty four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) and of interest thereon, amounting to two hundred and ten dollars, making a total sum now due and unpaid on said mortgage of twenty-six hundred and ten dollars ($2610) and also an attorney fee of thirty dollars [$30] as is provided by statute and the terms of said mortgage and that no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been had to recover the foregoing amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will on the 8th day of December 1925, at ten o'clock of the forenoon of that day, Central Standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Hillsdale County of Hillsdale, and state of Michigan [said Courthouse being the place of holding court for said county] sell at Public Auction or Vendue to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the interest thereon, and the cost and expenses of this sale and an attorney fee in said mortgage provided. The premises described in said mortgage and which are to be sold by virtue of this notice are described as follows:

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Dated September 3rd, 1925.

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Master of Grange Likes Electricity

Permanent good is sure to come of the present co-operative investigations of the use of electricity on the farm, according to L. T. Taber, master of the National Grange. Mr Taber, in an interview just published says:

"A generation ago it would have been supposed that electrical development and the use of electrical energy was of little concern to the farmer; that those in cities and towns were more vitally interested in this mighty and mysterious power than those who till the soil.

"The last decade has seen a transformation along the lines of the use of electricity in farm homes and farm work. The farm electrical plant has been most valuable. The farmer in many sections will be vitally concerned in the development of high tension power lines and proper transmission of electrical current for rural uses.

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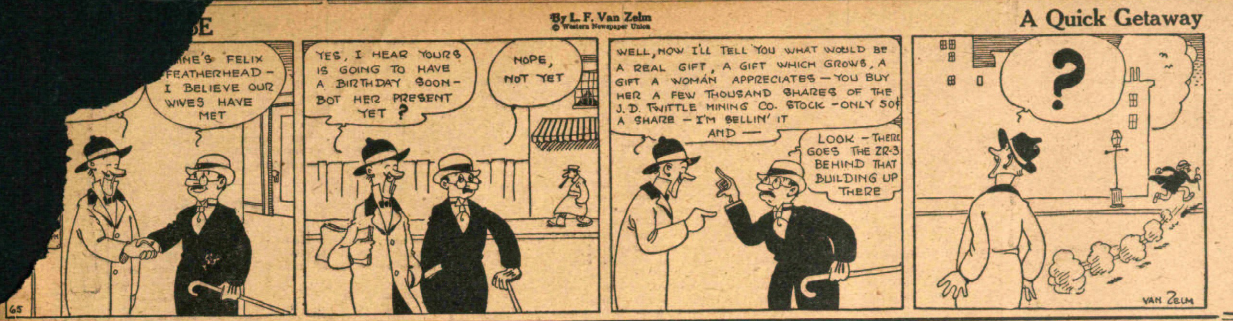
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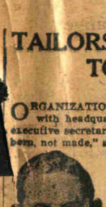
TAILORS' GUILD ORGANIZED TO UPLIFT THE PROFESSION

ORGANIZATION of the Born Tailors' Guild, an association of master tailors, with headquarters in Chicago, was announced today by W. A. Churchill, executive secretary of the new league. The slogan of the Guild is "Tailors are born, not made," and its two-fold object is to lift the tailoring trade to a higher plane of perfection in the art of making clothes for men and establish in the minds of men and boys a definite appreciation of style, fabric and tailorship in men's clothes, just as the Parisian designers have made every woman a connoisseur of feminine fashions. Wage scales, labor controversies and price fixing will have no place in the work of Born Tailors' Guild, according to Mr. Churchill.



W. A. Churchill.

"Our purpose in organizing this Guild," said Mr. Churchill, "is to bind together the master tailors of America, united in an effort of raising the standards of our trade. There is real artistry in the making of clothes and our idea is to place our trade in the class of art. Our objective is for the making of better clothes for men, the perfection of our trade to the very highest point possible."

Back to craft organization of early English times, Mr Churchill and his associates went to get a model for their association. In those times each craft had its own guild and received a charter from the king. Occasionally the kings were members of them. Guild members were bound by oath of brotherliness to uphold the standards of the profession and to pass down from generation to generation the treasured secrets of that craft. Before a man could become a master tailor he had to serve seven years as an apprentice, then as a journeyman for two years, during which time he was taught all the skill and secrets of the trade. After preparing an exceptionally fine piece of work, his masterpiece, which he submitted to the Guild Assembly, the journeyman became a master and was admitted to the Guild. The spirit of this ancient type of craft association has been made the background of the Born Tailors' Guild, according to Mr. Churchill.

Edgar R. Born.

"We seek to bring back into the tailoring craft some f the old-time romance and idealism of Tooley Street," he . "We want our master tailors to reassert their pride rfection of workmanship and to study men's dress ofession. Such an idea should mean better-dressed more economy throughout the industry."

st president of the Guild is Edgar R. Born, of the tailoring Born & Co., established fifty years ago. It was named in his

W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Practical Talk To Practical People, On Law Observance And Law Enforcement

It is not the honor of my position, it is the responsibility of my position that I want you to think about and that I think about. I think you are all more interested in what I am trying to do in the matter of organization than in any thing else. I changed the organization that I found in the prohibition unit, but I did it for a very particular reason. I had the feeling that the men in the field to whom we looked for the enforcement of the law did not have sufficient responsibility. I couldn't find anyone that I could hold responsible for enforcement of the law. Everyone seemed to have a good excuse. So I felt that I must set up an organization in which the officer in charge in the field could honestly and reasonably be held responsible for responsible results in his territory. That meant decentralization. The next condition that I found is this: A policeman is not responsible for law enforcement. Law enforcement is a fruiton of the act of the policeman who arrests the criminal and the court which brings him to justice and punishes him. And there was not that co-operation between the Department of Justice and the prohibition unit that was absolutely essential if we were going to enforce the law. I had to set up machinery which would require co-operation—not only make it possible, but require it. So I took as the fundamental unit for organization the Federal judicial district because the United States is divided up into such districts already. In each Federal judicial district I proposed a group of prohibition agents, and I directed each member of that group to link himself closely with the Federal district attorney so that they shall plan their work together and get results. No one can handle these situations from Washington, so I put them into administrative groups which shall have more or less the same conditions to handle. That eliminates state lines and puts the organization on the basis of a working team with team captains. Now how are we going to get results? Every nation has learned how to get results in war. Business men are learning how to get results by saying to a subordinate, "There's your job. You've got the authority Go and do it," and holding that man responsible for what he accomplishes. So I have said to these administrators, "I give you all the powers of government. I give you an absolutely free hand in the selection of your personnel. Do your job." This I believe is sound and efficient organization. I want to be criticised. I want my administrators criticised. I have set up an organization so that you may criticise it. You can hold any administrator responsible so far as his powers go. You couldn't do it before. But today the administrator is instructed to build a machine in which every man is loyal to him. He has now the opportunity to gather together a group of young men filled with no other purpose than law enforcement. And if he doesn't do it, it is his fault and when I find out that he has not done it I will get a man that will do it. When we shall have that kind of an organization it will do away with much of the bribery and corruption that has been such a blemish in the past. If any man did this sort of thing in this organization his associates would know it and be the first to throw him out. We want to establish an esprit de corps in our organization. And it is in order that I might have that kind of an organization that I have made this change. I've picked all of my captains because I thought they had possibilities of leadership. Of course I will make mistakes. Of course they will make mistakes. The best of us make mistakes. But let us know our mistakes. Do not judge the man by his personality. Judge him by the results.

Another point bearing particularly on the enforcement of the prohibition law, is its effect upon business. We have to issue hundreds of thousands of permits in order that the normal business of the country may proceed, because alcohol in its various forms is essential in many of the products of industry, and I might say in matters of medicine and of religion. That is another reason for decentralization. Washington, in trying to decide whether a man should have his permit, has to decide it on written evidence, and often decides it incorrectly. I want the man in the field to make those decisions. They will be much more nearly true to the facts. If a man in the field judges a druggist unworthy of a whiskey permit, the chances are he knows. So I put that power concerning permits right out in the field. Furthermore, a decision made by the man in the field is often taken into court to be ruled on by a judge. I much prefer, if it has to go to court, that it go to a local court where the judge knows what is going on. And then in the promptness with which decisions can be made, it will be of great benefit to have these decisions made promptly as well as locally. I am not going to spend any time trying to justify the new organization. I will only say as you have been more or less patient five or six years, why not be patient two or three more months? We want to be judged by results. Interest yourself in results. See what we are doing, but give us time to get under way. Barely two weeks ago I finished my part of reorganization so far as the personnel is concerned. I don't think I would ever have taken the job if I had had any conception of what it meant. There are two kinds of valor and one of them is the valor of ignorance, and I believe that's mine. I turned my attention for the first time about two weeks ago to matters of regulations. It takes time, but I have it almost ready to give to the public. It will be in effect on the first of January and it will divert from the bootlegging industry, I should say at least seventy percent of the present supply of sacramental wine. I am finding easy means of regulation to correct several very wide leaks, so that I feel confident that within two or three weeks and without Congressional action my administrators will find themselves standing firmly on their feet, in a position to fight this thing through successfully. I want to take the advantages that the enemy has had and give them to my men. I have got to have Congressional action in order to put the cereal beverage trade under my supervision, and I find the Congressional committees willing to give me help.

(Continued next week)

Foreign Chickens Go On Egg Strike

That change of climate and change of food have disasterous effect upon the egg laying tendencies even of championship contestants is indicated by a review of pens entered in the international egg laying contest which started at M. S. C. on November 1.

Outstanding among illustrations of the need for adjustment to new conditions is the pen of ten "Barnvelder" hens entered by W. Middleman, of Barneveld, Holland. At the close of the first month of the contest, this pen had produced so few eggs as to rank nearly at the bottom of the list of 100 pens in the competition. The long journey across the Atlantic, the marked change in climate, and the food difference are given as explanations for this slow start.

Many of the pens entered from distant points in the United States also show inability to get away to a fast start in the egg marathon, probably for the "changed conditions" reason. Entries from Canada Delaware, New York, Pennsylvania Alabama and other distants points are late starters.

Just to prove that there are exceptions to all rules, however, a few of the pens from out of the state are starting remarkably well, while some of the Michigan entries, without any excuse at all, are making a bad start in the long contest.

The most striking illustration of this variation from the general tendency of the early weeks of the test is shown by the pen of white leghorns entered by the Handon Farm of Corvallis, Oregon, which was leading the entire centest at the end of the first month.

College Livestock Wins At Big Show

Thirty-four ribbons from the International Livestock show last week came back to Michigan when animals from the M. S. C. herds scored in practically all events where they were entered.

Competition in all classes at the big Chicago show was said to be even keener this year than in the past, the pick of leading herds from all over the United States and Canada being entered. The Michigan competitors against this field fared well, entries made by private exhibitors in the state scoring high, in addition to the long list of awards earned by the college stock.

What is said by experienced stock men to be the greatest clean up ever made at the International by a single exhibitor in a single class was credited to the M. S. C. horse string. "Leila", college Percheron, placed first in the aged mare class for her breed and was later returned Senior Champion and then Grand Champion of the show. Then "Utelem", two year old Percheron mare, took down first honors at her age and was returned Junior Champion, giving the M. S. C. string a sweep of the highest awards. The other college entry in this class, Dunham's Marie was third in the aged mare group, while the three together won the award for best three mares by a single exhibitor.

Prizes were also won in other horse classes and on entries of sheep, swine and beef cattle, bringing the M. S. C. total to 34 awards for the 1925 show. Thirteen of these were won in swine classes, seven in sheep, and seven in beef cattle events.

The Roads As Compared To 30 Years Ago

Under no circumstances would the average citizen of Hillsdale County be willing to go back to the mud-bespattered rutted times of 1885 or 86 when it was impossible to get anywhere by wagon road after a heavy storm without wallowing hub-deep in the mud and when from early in October to the first of June Michigan roads were more or less broken and unfit for use, but there is always an under current of dissatisfaction with the state administration because so much of the tax-payers' hard earned dollars go to building splendid gravel or concrete highways. Of course we in North Adams know this effects the sensitive pocket-book of the property holder, and how little he feels he gets in return also how much he has to deny himself in order to maintain he costs of a care-taker on the highway. No doubt when the total cost is reckoned up to the county of the miles of good gravel roads out of this village and its upkeep there will be howl fit to wake the dead, but after all the automobile and its sisters the power trucks have come to stay—and who is there among the least of these kickers who would care to put away his automobile or his truck for all time and never use them again, to save the cost of good highways?

We pondered as we passed along for thirty miles on a road as smooth as railroad, stretching through two counties, how delightful to be able to thus travel in November when under old conditions it would be so rough and humpy the machine would probably be put out of business in short order.

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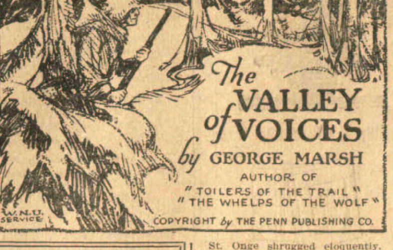

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THE FACTOR

SYNOPSIS.—With David, half-breed guide, Brent Steele, of the American Museum of Natural History, is traveling in northern Canada. By a stream he hears Denise, daughter of Col. Hilaire St. Onge, factor at Wailing River, play the violin superbly. He introduces himself and accepts an invitation to make the post his home during his stay.

CHAPTER I—Continued

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In front of the trade-house, in conversation with David, stood a tall, military-looking man, with iron-gray hair and mustache. Around the door lounged a group of curious company Indians. Advancing and gripping the newcomer's hand, the factor of Wailing River exclaimed:

"Bon jour, Monsieur Steele! Welcome to Wailing River! My daughter and David have told me of our good fortune."

As the old soldier continued, with a slight French accent, Steele was aware of being secretly appraised by the keen eyes of the other.

"You are to be our guest for as long as you will honor us. In this valley, for a man of science, there is much of interest."

"You are very good to a stranger, sir. David and I have been out from Nepigon since May. We need supplies and my stuff should also be overhauled. Some of it got wet bucking this river of yours."

"Too bad! You found it a hard river to pole and track?"

"We certainly did. David has a nose for quick water as keen as a mink's for fish, but we took too long a chance in the big white-water."

At the mention of the rapid the face of St. Onge hardened. He leaned eagerly toward the speaker.

"The Devil's mile! It got you too?"

"Oh, we pulled out of it with a wetting. You see, I was with the best bow-man on the Nepigon, so we saved the canoe and our own skins as well."

Slowly the Frenchman shook his head; then suddenly asked:

"You saw nothing on your way up-river—nothing peculiar, no signs of a canoe?"

Steele wondered at the question as he answered:

"No, we met no one. I imagine the Indians don't travel it, too much strong water, and then there's the taboo—they're shy of the lower river, aren't they?"

At the words, the narrowed eyes of St. Onge shifted to the ground. He made no answer to the man who watched his set face, wondering, as it vitally affected the trade, why the factor avoided this subject of the Indians' fear of the Windigo. Presently St. Onge broke his silence.

"You will pardon me, Monsieur Steele, I am a poor host. If you were in the water you spoiled your flour—you are hungry?"

Steele glanced at the grinning David who plaintively placed a sinewy hand on his stomach.

"Yes, we lost our flour and we saw no game, had to fish our way up the river, so, colonel, we are a bit hungry."

Snapping his fingers with impatience at his seeming lack of hospitality, the factor called to the loungers at the trade-house door:

"Michel! Tete-Boule! Bring up Monsieur Steele's stuff from the foot of the portage; and, Michel, David here will eat with you. See that there's plenty of caribou stew for supper. He's starved out." Turning to Steele, the factor added: "My daughter is now overseeing the cooking of our dinner, monsieur. I trust you will find it to your taste."

"You are mighty kind to a couple of bush-battered strangers, Colonel St. Onge. We are not exactly starved, you know. We travel with a net, but a straight diet of pike and trout grows a bit tiresome. You can sell us supplies to take us through to Nepigon?"

"You will not need to outfit for Nepigon," the factor's eyes grew bitter. "You will pass Laflamme's post at Lake Ogoke."

"Monsieur Steele will desire to be shown his room, father, before we dine," called a woman's voice. Turning, Steele saw, opening the gate in the dog-stockade surrounding the factor's quarters, Denise St. Onge, trim in white serge. Casting an embarrassed look at his frayed jeans, his hand sought his unshaven chin as she joined them.

"Welcome, again, to Wailing River, monsieur," she said cordially, giving him her hand.

"My daughter seems to need no introduction. She has told me of your meeting at the river. Denise, Monsieur Steele is bound for the Nepigon by the Ogoke trail." The eyes of father and daughter met in a significant look. "Laflamme, monsieur, can give you anything you wish—including Scotch whisky."

The girl's dark eyebrows contracted at the mention of the Ogoke trader's name.

"So he's giving the Indians whisky, is he?" said Steele.

"You are surprised?" laughed the factor bitterly. "For Monsieur Laflamme it seems that Canadian law does not exist. With his whisky he will soon have the fur trade of the whole district."

"They said as much at Fort Hope. But the authorities—why don't they act?"

St. Onge shrugged eloquently. "I do not know. He is running things with a high hand—has support of the strongest at Ottawa."

Steele turned with a smile to David who had been an interested listener to the conversation.

"I think that we shall have to pay Monsieur Laflamme a visit, David."

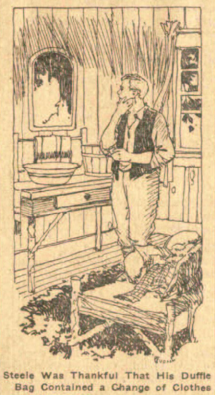
St. Onge and his daughter exchanged glances.

"Daveed like to shake de han' of Mister Laflamme," replied the Ojibway, dryly.

"I pity Laflamme when you do. He'll carry his arm in a sling for a month if he ever falls into that wolf-trap of yours."

"You see, colonel, David is under the impression that Laflamme is an old friend," Steele enlightened his host, whose face reflected acute interest. "Sometimes in meeting old friends he forgets in his joy that his hand-shake is famous from Nepigon to Norway House. In this case, David," he added grimly, "you'll have to remember that we're not on the Nepigon and must not mistake Monsieur Laflamme's throat for his hand."

Steele smiled inwardly as St. Onge's eyes shifted to meet those of his daughter, then focused quizzically on the grinning face of the half-breed. If the situation at Wailing River was a source of mystification to St. Onge's guest, Steele was satisfied that the guests had now balanced the score, to the truth of which surmise the face of the Frenchman patently testified.



Steele Was Thankful That His Duffle Bag Contained a Change of Clothes and Moccasins.

"But come, I forget my manners, monsieur. We have a room and bed for you as long as you will honor us. My head man, Michel, will take care of David."

"Thank you, sir!" And picking up the bag containing his personal belongings, Steele followed his host.

The house of the factor of Wailing River was built of square-hewn spruce logs, carefully chinked against the January winds of the Height-of-Land country. In front, a roofed porch of hewn slabs commanded a view of the river which here gave no intimation of the swift metamorphosis which, a third of a mile below, turned it into a riot of white rapids. Beside the porch a bed of violets and wood anemone were now bloomless, but beyond, in their second flowering, white Canadian violets and the blue of fringed gentian and harebells against a background of northern golden rod bore gay witness to the care of one who loved flowers.

Familiar with the bare and uninviting interiors of the houses at the fur posts, often presided over by an Indian or half-breed, wife of the factor, the living-room Steele now entered bore resemblance to those he had seen solely in its huge sheet-iron stove. The rough walls hung sparingly with small French etchings framed in white birch, the rustic furniture shaped from spruce and cedar poles, the shelves of books, and the rugs of moose and bear and wolf, had, by the alchemy of taste, been fused into a room—a home.

"I did not know there was a room like this north of Winnipeg, mademoiselle," Steele said in frank admiration.

"Oh, monsieur! would you have us live like the Indians? But you are laughing at our poor little home."

"Please don't," he begged. "It is charming—this room. And all the books!"

"It was hard on our packers," broke in St. Onge, "but I insisted on having the books if I was to be marooned up here in this valley. The winter would be long without them—and the violin."

"I envy you the winters here with that violin, sir," said Steele, smiling at his hostess. "I hope to hear it again, mademoiselle—your superb playing."

Her face brightened. "It was only a mood—today at the rapids, monsieur. I go there when lonely, to play to the troubled waters. You thought me sad—I saw it in your face; but I was only homesick for Touraine. Tonight we shall have something gay."

But Steele felt that it was not loneliness which had driven Denise St. Onge to the restless waters.

"Monsieur, you will wish to see your room. Our Ojibway servant, Charlotte, will bring you hot water." And St. Onge led Steele to a room on the second floor of the house, the capacity of which was strained by a cot and washstand, whither a square-built, half-breed woman followed shortly with a steaming bucket.

Steele was thankful that his duffle bag contained a change of clothes and moccasins. Hot water, a shave and fresh clothes speedily worked a miracle in the tattered stranger who had startled Denise St. Onge at the rapids.

When Steele rejoined his hostess he felt more at ease. He even had a suspicion that she approved his changed appearance. At the thought, something like a thrill swept him—to be followed by a shrug of annoyance. He had not seen an attractive woman in months and was paying the penalty. Yet, as he watched her pour the tea while her father dispensed caribou stew and fried trout, a quality—rarer than mere comeliness; an evident fineness of fiber, a savor of personality in this factor's daughter, which meant race and background—impressed itself upon him, and a strong curiosity to know the history of these people whom he had stumbled upon in the bad-lands south of the Albany—to learn the cause of the fear and heartache which this lonely girl had so poignantly revealed in the gorge, possessed him.

"You are collecting Indian relics and utensils for the American museum?" asked the Frenchman. "You are an ethnologist?"

"Yes, I have been in the field four years for the museum."

"You have found much of interest?"

"Last year and this summer, I shipped by Hudson's Bay canoes considerable stuff from Fort Hope and Henley House. Lake Makakibetan on the Albany has some remarkable burial places, unlike anything I've seen. And the Ojibways up there are still very wild and superstitious—medicine men, sorcerers, fear of spirits and the Windigo, and all that."

The factor paused, fork in air. Slowly he replaced it on his plate, untouched; then asked:

"You have never been in this valley before?"

"No," replied Steele, puzzled at his host's tense manner, "but what I heard on the Albany interested me. It seems to be Windigo country among the Albany Ojibways—under a sort of taboo. It must be a serious handicap to your trade, although the very fact that you're here proves that it is not generally considered haunted country by the Indians."

The fine features of St. Onge stiffened. With a glance at his daughter who watched him with parted lips and wide eyes, as though fearful of what he was about to say, he replied bitterly:

"That is our problem, monsieur. The company rashly builds a post on this river which, for a hundred miles below the rapids here, is to the Ojibways a place of spirits; then sends me here to get the fur of the upper country. At Albany, they laugh at this talk of Windigo and spirits keeping the Indians from trading here. They even order me to send hunters to trap the valley below us—when they have avoided it for generations."

"They only betray their ignorance by belittling Indian superstition, sir. I was followed and shot at on the Albany this summer for photographing some Ojibway children. They believed the lens was an evil eye and that the children would be bewitched."

> The factor has his troubles, evidently, and is worried by them. What is the true inwardness?

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Sugar or Candy

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Aunt Harriet's Share in Her Grand "Party"

Aunt Harriet lived in a remote Kentucky village, and was locally famed for kindness of heart and good will toward her neighbors. For many months she had been saving her slender means "to give a grand party," she said.

At last the great event came. All Aunt Harriet's friends, dressed in their best, were present, and the evening was most enjoyable, the only drawback being the mysterious absence of the hostess.

Meeting her the next morning one of the youthful guests of the night before spoke rapturously of the party.

"I'm certainly glad you enjoyed yourself," returned the old lady, beaming with satisfaction. "So it really was a success? Yes? My! I certainly should like to have seen it."

"But why were you not there, Aunt Harriet?"

"My Lord, child," answered Aunt Harriet, her face still shining with delight, "I had to stay in the kitchen and wash the dishes."—Everybody's Magazine.

One of Life's Little Lessons

A young college graduate has learned one important lesson in the stern battle of life when he grasps the fact that his fraternity pin, ever if conspicuously displayed, isn't going to get him anywhere especially. Ohio State Journal.

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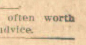

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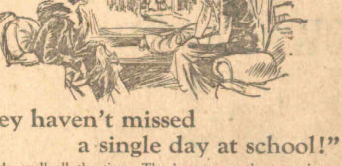
For as the crackling of thorns under a pot, so is the laughter of a fool.—Ecclesiastes.

Girls should never throw kisses unless they really wish to miss the mark.

An old bachelor says that it was Adam's wedding Eve that caused it all.

An ounce of hint is often worth more than a pound of advice.



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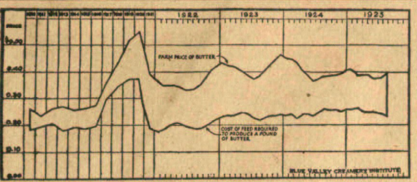
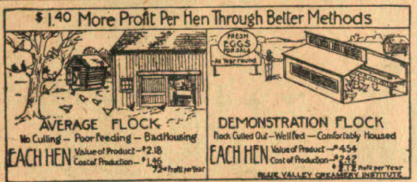
Dairy Cow Good Feed Market, Survey of Costs Discloses



THAT the dairy cow has been a good market for farm feed in the past year is shown in a survey just completed by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. The cost of feeding a dairy cow for the 12 months ending August, 1925, averaged only 25.5 per cent more than in the prewar period from 1910 to 1914. This conclusion is based on farm prices of hay, grain and purchased feeds commonly used for dairy cows, as reported by the United States Department of Agriculture. It was assumed that 18 pounds of hay, 3 pounds of corn, 2 pounds of oats and 1 pound each of bran and cottonseed meal represented a typical balance of roughage and various concentrates in making up the dairy cow's daily menu.

Prices of dairy products have risen farther above the prewar level than is true of feed costs. The price of butter at the farm in the last 12 months was 56 per cent higher than the 1910 to 1914 average. The price paid to producers of fluid milk in the last 12 months was 48 per cent above prewar figures. Allowing equal value to butter and milk, the combined advance in dairy products is 52 per cent. No other farm animal earns as much as a dairy cow in converting feed into cash.

Better Feeding and Care of Hens Net More Profit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THE HEN is one of the best money makers on the farm and the back yards of the country when she is well bred, well fed and comfortably housed, declares the Blue Valley Creamery Institute after a careful study of the 1925 poultry situation. The above chart, prepared by the Institute, tells its own story. It shows the results of culling poor layers from the flock, feeding them a balanced ration and keeping them in a modern type, fresh-air poultry house. Flocks of poultry properly cared for make three times as much profit per hen as flocks handled carelessly, the Institute experts state. Pure-bred fowls of known production ancestry should be used. Chicks should be hatched so they will be matured and laying before the high-price egg season. Only healthy, strong, big-bodied pullets and hens with deep bodies and widespread ribs and pelvic formation should be used in the laying and breeding pens. Skim milk has been found to be the cheapest source of egg-making proteins that can be obtained on the average farm.

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Jerome

The Oddfellows will have a box social at their hall on Friday evening of this week.

The Community Ladies cleared about $23 at the chicken pie supper Saturday evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall.

Mrs. Julia Potter recently entertained Chas O'Neal and wife Somerset Center and Mrs. Carrie Trumbull Hillsdale.

Next Sunday Rev. Scott will deliver a Christmas sermon on the "Meaning of the Cross" at 7.00 R. R. time. A week from Sunday Prof. Goodrich of Albion will speak.

Prof. Bertrand Russell of Cambridge University, England who has been called the "World's greatest Mathematical philosopher" recently said that an education stands in the way of common sense. Ja Wohl, Bertrand.

Rev. Claude Kantner of the Albion College Debating Squad won the debate concerning the desirability of a college education, Saturday evening over Harley Lane by a vote of 28 to 18. Mr. Kantner is a smooth oily tongued speaker of no little ability. Tellers were Mrs. Orson Crapser, Leon Mercer, Nettie Lauer, Lawrence Walworth, Clayton and Robert McGregor. Rev. Scott, May Anson and Donald Frantz told stories for the occasion.

Quite a number of local people have been hurt of late. Wayne Miller ran a hay hook through his hand, D. C. Turnley was unable to be around for a couple of days as a result of being kicked as a joke by a boy, Leon Walworth has been laid up with a bad ankle, Mrs. H. McClanahan fell through a porch the other day hurting herself quite badly, while Jean Wertenberger is recovering from quinsy and another young fellow around town has a darkness beneath one eye.

Jonesville

Mrs. Harry Finnegan is visiting in Detroit this week.

Mrs. M. N. Wood is visiting her parents in Howe, Ind.

Fred Husted of Fort Wayne spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. Avery Brown is seriously ill at her home on Evans street.

Mrs. Laura Miller will spend the winter with her brother in Canton, Ohio.

Mrs. Laurence Mary of Detroit was the guest of her mother Mrs. Adrian Smith last week.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church are holding the Annual Bazaar this Friday and Saturday.

Frank Bently and wife of Chicago were called here last week by the death of his mother Mrs. Barkman.

Harry Turner and wife of Victor New York were here last week for a few days visit with their mother Mrs Joel Benedict

Herbert Clark, who has been ticket agent at the Fort Wayne Depot here for sometime has been transferred to Manchester.

Dr. H. M. Warren left last Thursday with his daughter Mrs. Fred Lewis for California where he will spend an indefinite time.

The card party under the auspices of the Eastern Star last Friday afternoon was attended by 80 ladies. Light refreshments were served.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church met with Mrs. M. J. Ward Wednesday this week. Mrs. Howlett, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Ward, Hostesses.

Friendship Chapter Order of DeMolay went to Coldwater Tuesday evening. A 6 o'clock dinner was followed by class Initiation. The work being done by the Hillsdale County Chapter.

Center Adams

Mrs. Sarah Kinney who is here from Fremont is visiting Mrs. Effie McBain.

Alfred Hawkins and wife of Hillsdale were guests of R. H. Wyman and wife on Tuesday.

Mrs. Will Keith attended the Maccabee Association at North Adams last Thursday.

Nathan Webster and family ate Sunday dinner in Hillsdale with Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Moor.

Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks is spending a few days in Hillsdale with her daughter Mrs. R. W. Bates and family.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court For The County Of Hillsdale,

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Hillsdale in said County, on the 19th day of Nov. A. D. 1925.

Present, Hon. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Arthur N. Westcott, deceased.

Grace L. Westcott having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 23rd day of December A. D. 1925 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered: That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. ARTHUR L. GUERNSEY

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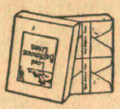

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Mrs. Jennie Fairbanks ate dinner Sunday with E. C. Williams and family of North Adams.

Will Houser of Hudson spent Tuesday with Eugene McBain. They were out for a time with the dogs and guns and brought in a nice number of cotton-tails.

The Coterie club was entertained on Friday evening by Frank Powderly and wife at their home in Hillsdale. A fine program of music, readings and recitation was given, a potluck supper was served.

Charley Reynolds and family of Ypsilanti came Saturday for a visit with the lady's parents, C. A. Skinner and wife. Mr. Reynolds returned home Monday. Mrs. Reynolds and daughter remaining for the week.

Town Line

The young people at the Draper home gave a party Saturday evening to some friends.

Eugene Culbert and wife left home Tuesday morning for Phoenix Arizona to visit their son Earl.

Abner Jennings, Clarence Jennings and wife were at Ann Arbor Monday and Tuesday at the U of M Hospital.

Mr. Denning is shredding corn at the Woolston farm. Jennings, Baker and Fast are planning on having some work done.

Cleve Westcott was very unfortunate Tuesday in cutting his thumb in such a manner that he had to go to Dr. McFarland for treatment.

John Iveson of Wheatland and Mrs. Belle Jennings of Somerset received sad news of the death of their uncle George Abbott of Houghton Lake Michigan.

East Hoxie

Chas Kiel and family were Sunday guests of C. D. Kiel and family

Will Sanford and wife of Addison were callers at Corwin Cox's Monday.

Harry Hayhoe and wife attended the Gleaners Banquet held at the Percy Wells home Tuesday.

George Hurston of Adrian had the misfortune to get his arm cut quite badly under a machine he was operating. After violet-ray-treatments he is convalescing at his fathers B. Hurston's.

West Hoxie

Burl Shambaugh and wife visited relatives in Indiana last week.

Little Phyllis Sutton was a visitor at the Jackson school Tuesday.

Edward Bloemker will give a Christmas program at the Knowles school.

Mrs. Howard Wells and Mrs. Church called at the Pendell home Saturday evening.

Miss Rosene Baker, teacher of the Jackson school is arranging her Christmas program.

Mrs. Sprague, Mrs. Wm Bloemker and Mildred Sprague were Hillsdale Xmas shoppers this week.

Mrs. Keith Schilling is able to be around again after her recent illness. Mrs. Addie Schilling is still there.

Mrs. Bloemker received word that her brother Wm Kreig is in a Chicago hospital seriously ill with cancer of the stomach.

Charles McQuerry and family of Bowling Green Ohio visited at the Ellsworth Sprague home for a few days. Mr. Sprague returned home with them for a visit, he will also visit Charles Sprague and family at Tontogany Ohio.

If your receipt says your time on the Advocate has expired, call in and renew.

Found—A number of articles suitable for Christmas gifts at the Corey Hat Shop.

—Steel die stamped cards for Christmas make a splendid remembrance gift. We have them.

—We have stocked a line of Christmas and New Years Cards which we sell at 5c each. Call in and inspect them.

—Christmas Cards at this office 5c to 10c each according to style and finish. Call and get yours early as they won't last long.

Town Line Grange will meet Friday evening Dec. 11th. Supper at 6:30 followed by a business meeting. All officers are urged to be present.

In last week's issue of this paper we stated that a son was born to Howard C. Wells and wife, whereas we should have said a daughter, weight 7½ pounds and her name is Virginia Grace. May Virginia Grace live long and prosper.

Past President's Day was observed at the Womens Club meeting held at the home of Mrs. Eva Wolcott on Monday last. Program was in charge of Past Presidents and is reported as fine. Music, songs and readings were given and three guests were present Miss Margaret Meeks, Laura Meeks and Etta Pray. Past presidents are Eva Wolcott, Cora Egleston, Rita Sheldon, Fannie Fowler, Grace Williams, Allie Holkins. Next meeting occurs Dec. 21st with Mrs. Addie Baker.

Marion Marsh of Hillsdale formerly of this vicinity might have been undiscovered had he not become talkative and given away the details of a stealing scrape to a boy chum recently. Last August the barn of Fred Sheldon of Woodbridge township was entered by parties unknown and about 100 bushels of wheat stolen in the night hours. The officers of this county up to within a few days past were unable to get any clues as to who committed the crime and it is more than likely never would have known had young Marsh kept his mouth shut, all of which goes to prove that crime will out. Marsh and his companion in crime are out on $2,000 bail furnished by their parents.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank neighbors and friends for their kindness to our mother and sister during her illness and for expressions of sympathy at her death.

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The regular meeting of Adams Lodge F. & A. M. occurred last Monday evening and the following officers were elected: Worshipful Master, Herman Abrogast senior warden, Bert Taylor: junior warden, Robert Young; senior deacon, Park B. Shepard; junior deacon, Herbert Patton; secretary, John Williams; treasurer, Harry Wilcox; tyler. Frank W. Holcomb. Public installation will take place December 28th with pot-luck dinner at noon, installation in the afternoon lecture in the evening.

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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

The net proceeds of the Congregational church Bazaar was $190.

Alonzo Rock who is working in Detroit, was home over the week end.

Mrs. Etta J. Pray spent the week-end at her home in Jonesville.

Mrs. Harvey Shepard recently visited her sister Mrs. Freed, at Marshall.

Mildred Smith of Jackson was a week-end guest of her cousin, Frances Overley.

Mrs. Ann VanAken who has been confined to the bed for some time, is reported as worse.

—Steel die stamped cards fo Christmas make a splendid remembrance gift. We have them.

Mrs. Cecil Waite and daughter Marion. of Hanover were week-end visitors at R. C. Young's.

T. N. Lamb, Kieth Williams and Paul Williams were business callers in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Miss Genevieve Evens was called to Kalamazoo on Saturday to attend the funeral of a friend.

Donna and J. W. Lynch and his friend Neil Oliver of Detroit spent the week end at their home here.

—We have stocked a line of Christmas and New Years Cards which we sell at 5c each. Call in and inspect them.

Mrs. John Fitton and children expect to go to Grand Rapids Monday to spend a couple of months with her relatives.

Miss Eleanor Trumbull of Jackson visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Glenn Mercer last week and part of this.

—Christmas Cards at this office 5c to 10c each according to style and finish. Call and get yours early as they won't last long.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pendell are leaving this morning for Romeo where they will visit their daughter Mrs. George Combs and family.

Mrs. O. G. McFarland and daughters, Kathleen and Jean, and Mrs. Rex Northrup and daughter Helen, were in Jackson on Saturday.

The musical cantata "The Messiah" held at College church last Sunday at 4;00 p. m. was very largely attended. Mrs. Mildred Miner Hunt of this village was the soprano singer. Talent from Chicago was also on the program.

C. H. Manzer and wife left this community shortly after Thanksgiving, having leased of Editor Frank Nevin the Waldron Recorder, and they are located at that place. Here's success to Brother Manzer.

Forest Marvin left on Tuesday for Waukesha, Wisconsin, where he will enter the Veterans Military hospital, expecting to receive treatment for paralysis. He was accompanied by George Ruffner who returned home at once.

Plans for the new International bridge between United States and Canada have been approved by the Canadians and it is probable work will begin in the spring for construction of the same across Detroit River. It will require something like five years and cost $16.000,000.

At the Farmers Institute held in Pinkham & Wright's Garage last week. Lewis Meeks gave a speech on methods of certified potato culture. He is one of the heaviest potato raisers in this county and has been at the business for a number of years. At the same meeting James Meeks gave a demonstration on grading also.

Mrs, H. W. Helmick spent from Friday until Monday visiting Rev Hutton and family, W. C. Chadwick and wife and Mr. and Mrs R. A. Gillett, at Lansing the latter a nephew of Mrs. Helmick. She reports Mr. Hutton and wife as well satisfied with their location and Mr, Hutton is employed in a shoe store.

The Junior Epworth League Choir will give a concert at the Frontier church on Saturday evening, December 19th, and it is hoped there will be a good representation from this village to attend. All the young people and any of the older ones are most cordially invited to be present. A real real musical treat is guaranteed.

Washington, D. C.—Congressman Joseph L. Hooper to-day recommended to the Post Office department the re-appointment of Claude B. VanWert as postmaster at North Adams for a full four year term, upon the expiration of Mr. VanWert's present term in February. The recommendation comes as a recognition of Mr. VanWert's efficient and satisfactory administration of the affairs of this office.

Jacob Lane of Hillsdale was in North Adams Thursday on business.

Lester Ford underwent an operation for removal of tonsils this week.

Don't forget the Christmas program at Grubby Knoll school Wednesday evening December 23rd.

Lawrence Wylie of Albion College will be home to-day (Friday) from his work for the Holiday vacation.

Mrs. Harriet Weeks and daughter, Frances, are spending the Christmas vacation at their home here.

There will be a Christmas tree and exercises at the Jackson school Wednesday evening Dec, 23rd. Everyone invited.

Lucille VanWert, Lynn Ford, Rosene Baker and Clark Pierce attended "Abie's Irish Rose" at Jackson last Saturday evening.

Everett Westcott and Theron Randolph of Hillsdale College returned home on Wednesday to spend the Holiday vacation.

There will be a Christmas entertainment at the Grubby Knoll schoolhouse Wednesday evening December 23rd. Everyone invited.

Last Tuesday evening was the regular monthly council meeting night but no quoram could be gotten together so the meeting had to be adjourned.

Mrs. John Holcomb entertained four generations last Sunday as follows, at her home in this village: Floyd Welper and family, Arthur Holcomb and family.

Margray Hayhoe, Frances Young and Ruth Williams of the Ypsilanti Normal College returned home on Wednesday from their work for the regular Holiday vacation.

Mrs. Ella Bell of Bankers called on Mr. and Mrs. Will Peterson Sunday afternoon. Mr. Peterson knew her years ago and this is the first time they have met in 60 years. They spent a pleasant afternoon recalling old times.

Mrs. C. W. Bleech has returned from a short visit with Mrs. Jay Wilcox at Grand Rapids. She reports Mr. Wilcox and family very nicely situated and having sold their farm will remove soon to another location.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Leon C. Hoffman of this village and Miss Sarah Ferguson of Wheatland township on Wednesday evening Dec. 9th. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Virgil Hunt at the Congregational parsonage. For the present the young people will reside with the groom's mother Mrs. Hattie Hoffman.

On Thursday evening Dec. 24 the Methodist Sunday school will present a Christmas service with song and story entitled "A Christmas Candle." James Meeks will be reader and music will be furnished by the Epworth choir, Frank Perkins director. This will be followed by recitations and music by Junior and Primary pupils and a Christmas tree. Everyone is invited to attend this service.

Program Committee.

The body of Myron Camburn of Battle Creek was brought to North Adams on Monday and interred in the local cemetery, funeral services having been conducted at his home in the above city earlier in the day. Mr. Camburn was formerly a resident of Wheatland township and an uncle of Dean Camburn formerly of this village and great uncle of Mrs. Pansy Borden who was proprietress of our hotel. He was past 80 years of age.

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Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

REV. VIRGIL A. HUNT, Pastor

At the services in the Congregational church next Sunday morning the pastor will deliver a Christmas sermon the theme of which will be "The Dawn of Hope."

Christmas solos will be sung by Jean Young and Mrs. Hunt. A large attendance is expected at this service.

Please don't forget the Christmas tree and exercises to be held in the Church auditorium on Xmas eve. at 7:00 o'clock. Santa will be there and wants to see all the children and you grown ups too.

Sunday December 20 will be the time for the raising of our annual budget for 1926. Teams of men will make a tour visiting all those interested in the welfare of our church and we are pleading for U to help make the budget sufficient to carry us through without difficulties.

Please plan to stay at home next Sunday afternoon to greet the men when they call at your house.

Found—A number of articles suitable for Christmas gifts at the Corey Hat Shop. 28t3

—Dr. C. J. Howe, Optometrist Hillsdale. Comfortable glasses. 24

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For Sale—My house and lot on North side of Wilber street. Inquire of Miss Florence Benson. North Adams Mich. 22t8

On Thursday Town Line grange served dinner to the Co-ops.

Miss Frances Rumsey spent Saturday night and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Sadie Gray.

Rev. H. E. Wylie returns tomorrow (Saturday) from Greencastle Indiana, where he was called to assist in educational work.

Mrs. Will Wright underwent an operation at the Hillsdale hospital on Monday. She is convalescing nicely.

Oray Holcomb returned on Wednesday from the Hillsdale hospital as he is recovering nicely from his recent operation.

Reports from Florida indicate that J. P. Speer who recently arrived there, has secured a position at a good salary. He is located at Holly.

Mrs. Rose Marks underwent an operation for removal of growths from the nose. Dr. Johnson performed the operation in his office at Hillsdale on Monday.

Letters from Michigan people who have been in Florida for a while indicate that traffic is still headed that way. It is said that the East Coast Highway extending from Jacksonville down, is filled with automobiles in a terrific rush to get below the frost line. These machines carry licenses from almost every state north of Mason's & Dixon's line, but a large majority are from Michigan and Illinois. Indications are that Florida will double her population during the winter months, but a lot of these enthusiasts are certain to find only disappointment and dry bones. Among the bunch are hundreds of soldiers of fortune who care little for their future and have a habit of roaming like the wild Bedouins of the desert. Such people never become citizens anywhere, or if they do, are mighty poor ones anyhow. They have no common interest with others, no care for the morrow and are practically hoboes—camping wherever night overtakes them. Thus, they go on through life and at last come to the end—homeless, disconsolate and deserted. A rather gloomy picture we have painted, is it not? We are glad only a few comparatively, come under this head.

Wheatland Tax Notice

I will be at the following places to collect taxes for Wheatland Township; Thompson's Savings Bank, Hudson, Dec. 15th; Citizens Bank, North Adams Dec. 16 and Jan. 16th; Hudson State Savings Bank Jan. 15th.

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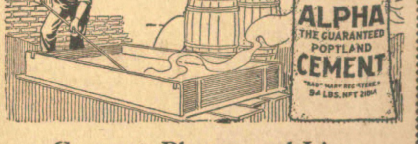

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Rochester—The Rochester postoffice was destroyed by fire early Thursday. The blaze started in the basement and spread rapidly. No mail was destroyed, but much was badly soaked with water.

Albion—Rev. Carl Smith, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., former Albion young man and son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, of this city, has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church of Grand Ledge, Mich.

Albion—Succeeding Harold B. Norman, of Reed City, and George Price of East Tawas, resigned, Allen Renshaw, of Bronson, and Wendell Edwards, of Royal Oak, have been elected editor and business manager, respectively, of the Albion college Pleiad.

Saginaw — Manager J. George O'Brien, of the Automobile Club of Northern Michigan, has announced that B. R. Ricksen of Detroit, former manager of the Detroit branch of the Detroit Auto club, has been named manager of the Bay City club, effective January 1.

Holland—According to Captain C. A. Lippincott, the Holland coast guard is to retain its usual crew, during January and February, during which months the station usually was closed. Since all-year traffic now prevails the station has been ordered to remain open.

Pontiac—C. A. Melick and C. S. Boehler, engineers of the state highway department, with City Manager C. W. Ham and city and county engineers recently inspected the proposed plans for widening Saginaw street to conform to wider Woodward avenue. The city has asked the state to approve the plans.

Lansing—The State Conservation Commission will place augmented corps of trappers in the northern Michigan woods this year in an effort to eradicate wolves and other predatory animals it was announced recently. A number of complaints that wolves are killing deer have been received from Upper Peninsula counties.

Ypsilanti—Mayor Hugh E. Vandewalker, of this city, has set what is said to be a world's record for one month's life insurance work by obtaining applications for 717 policies, totaling $1,370,350. The work was done in the course of a contest conducted by the company in which prizes were offered to the agent doing the greatest amount of business in one month.

Monroe—The city commission has adopted a resolution fixing December 30 as the date for a special election to choose a municipal judge, following the official canvass of the vote polled on December 7 on the question of consolidation of courts. The new judge will assume his duties January 1, and will receive a salary of $6,200. He must be a lawyer, the commission ruled.

Ann Arbor—Dr. Francis W. Kelsey, director of Near East Research and head of the Latin department of the University of Michigan, has been elected a foreign correspondent of the Academy of Inscriptions and Belles Letters, of Paris, according to a report received here. The appointment was made in honor of Dr. Kelsey's work in the excavation of Carthage last spring as a member of the France-American party.

Ypsilanti—Training of the new women's band at the State Normal College here will begin immediately after the reopening of the school following the Christmas holidays, according to an announcement by Prof. John F. Barnhill, faculty manager of the organization. More than 100 students have been enrolled as prospective members. The girls were asked to express a choice as to instruments when enrolling and 32 chose the saxophone.

Port Huron—Leo O'Brien, one of two men bound over to the Circuit Court on a charge of conspiring to defraud three insurance companies by a fire which partially destroyed their grocery store at 2726 Little street, has changed his plea from not guilty to guilty, and has been ordered to appear before Judge Eugene F. Law for sentence. His partner, William Rowland, who also pleaded not guilty, will appear for examination tomorrow.

Battle Creek—A combination of the Postum Cereal company of this city and New York with the Jell-O company, Inc., of Batavia, N. Y., is about to be affected if stockholders of the two concerns will vote approval of plans made by their officers. There have been rumors for the last few days of a deal whereby the Postum Cereal company would acquire a majority of the Jell-O company stock, or vice versa the sum mentioned as the acquiring price being $30,000,000.

Grand Rapids—The directors of the Michigan Bell Telephone company, who met here Thursday, authorized the expenditure of $6,855,000 in extensions to telephone plants throughout the state. Of this amount $2,150,000 is for Detroit. Expenditures in Grand Rapids from this appropriation will total $750,000, which is in addition to the $8,000,000 expended here the last two years. The directors inspected the Grand Rapids plants where progress is being made on the actual merger of the old Citizens' Telephone company's property with the Michigan Bell.

Cass City—The regular monthly meeting and dinner of the Cass City Community club, an organization composed of business men and farmers, was held Thursday for the purpose of discussing ways and means of obtaining better mail service for cities of the thumb district north of Imlay City. These towns are serviced with but one mail train from each direction a day and it was the concensus of opinion that business men and farmers should co-operate with their congressmen in procuring mail service by bus or automobile from Imlay City.

Owosso—Twenty-one employees of the Osburn & Sons' Store here will receive $357.14 each from the estate of the late James L. Osburn, the last of the line of Osburns who conducted the business since 1857.

Homer—Charles Williams, 31 years old, of Albion, was drowned recently when a coupe in which he was riding went over a bridge inside the city limits of Homer. Homer Deming, 16, of Homer, dived into the icy water and recovered the body but efforts at resuscitation were fruitless.

Benton Harbor—A bill asking congress to appropriate $160,000 for the construction of a new postoffice building here was introduced last week by Representative John C. Ketcham. An appropriation of $10,000 for the purchase of a postoffice site at Sturgis was also asked by Ketcham.

Ionia—The Ionia Exchange club will have as its guest and speaker, Mayor John W. Smith, of Detroit, next Tuesday noon. He will come to this city through an invitation of Mayor Fred W. Green, chairman of the club's program committee. The banquet is expected to be the largest ever held by the club and will be staged at Reed Inn.

Lansing—Lansing is to turn back time in its flight and hold an old time dancing party. Through the efforts of the general guild of the St. Paul's Episcopal church, the interest of Mrs. Henry Ford has been enlisted in aiding plans for such a party here the evening of December 18. The affair will be held in the 119th Field Artillery armory.

Lansing—The state conservation commission, meeting here recently, authorized John Baird, director, to set aside from four to eight sections of state-owned land in Montmorency county for a state game reserve. The land is about nine miles from the Turtle Lake hunting club. Territory surrounding the reserve will be open to the public for hunting.

Saginaw—The Saginaw county clerk has received a petition from seven members of the committee on roads and bridges of the Allegan county board of supervisors urging Saginaw supervisors to take action against any repudiation by the state of the state reward monies due the counties amounting to over $6,000,000. The petition was referred to the next session of the supervisors, which will be Monday.

Pontiac—To investigate the possibility of procuring for Pontiac an airplace factory, as suggested in a recent statement from E. Leroy Pelletier of Detroit, R. G. Neal, president of the Pontiac Board of Commerce, has appointed a committee. Pelletier told the board there was a possibility that Eddie Rickenbacker would locate such a factory here. A petition presented by the Pontiac realty board asked that immediate action be taken on the matter.

Menominee—Dead for at least 10 days while his wife and six children awaited his return, the body of Henry Frock, 44 years old was found recently deep in the woods where the man had frozen to death after being injured by a falling tree he had cut down. Frock was accustomed to visit his family every week end and when he failed to come home for two Sundays in succession, his wife became alarmed and started an inquiry which resulted in the finding of the body.

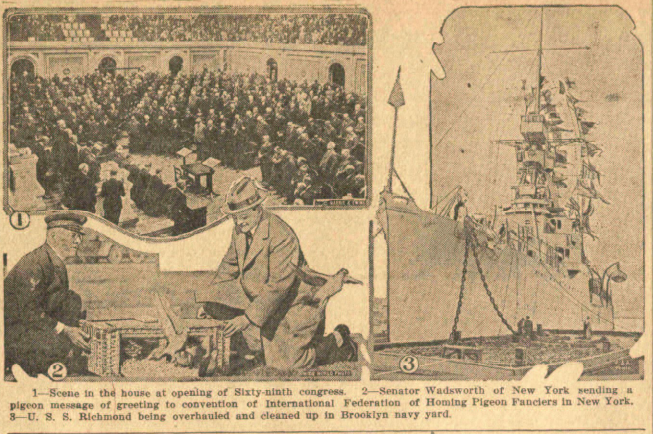
Lansing—Another chapter in the governor's reorganization of the Michigan State Fair was written last Tuesday when the fair board met here. In addition to the announcement of the personnel of committees intended to perform various mangerial functions in connection with the fair, the governor was expected to disclose the findings of the recent administration audit that was made of the fair books He also was expected to make a pronouncement of policy to be followed in future expositions.

Mt. Pleasant—With the ruins of Central Normal's administration building still smoking, following the $500,000 fire which destroyed the main building and library, the faculty and student body were rallying to supply the needs of the moment. All classes were held Monday afternoon as usual. Workmen were razing the few parts of the wall yet standing, so that access may be gained to the large safes which have the records of the school. The fire, of unknown origin broke out early last Monday morning.

Monroe—Dr. Denias Dawe defeated Mayor James S. Gilmore by a vote of 2,130 to 999 in the municipal election held recently. Dr. Dawe, who is a former representative, carried all six precincts of the city. Alexis Navarre, the third candidate for mayor, received 100 votes. It was reported that 60 per cent of the voters were women. Those elected as city commissioners were: George Danz, Arthur Navarre and Charles Curson, while Frank Daiber, Theodore Weisell and William Dusablon did not have opposition.

Lansing—Statistics published recently by the census bureau at Washington, show that farms in Michigan are decreasing in numbers and size. The condition is one that is also reported by most other states in the series of summaries the bureau has been issuing. The number of farms in Michigan, according to the 1925 figures, is 192,334, compared with 196,247 in the census of 1920, and their average area was 93.8 acres this year compared with 96.9 acres five years ago. The value per acre was also declining.

Ann Arbor—The University of Michigan has gone into the theatrical business in all seriousness. "Tambourine," the twentieth annual production of Mimes of the university, played its premiere last Monday night at the Whitney Theater. The usual first night audience of dramatic critics, college professors and students saw a cast of college men play women's parts with the expertness that has brought about engagements at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, and in several Middle West and other Eastern cities.



1—Scene in the house at opening of Sixty-ninth congress. 2—Senator Wadsworth of New York sending a pigeon message of greeting to convention of International Federation of Homing Pigeon Fanciers in New York. 3—U. S. S. Richmond being overhauled and cleaned up in Brooklyn navy yard.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

President Submits National Budget—Echoes of His Farm Bureau Address.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE transmitted to congress Wednesday the annual budget, together with a message in which he disclosed some important policies of the government. The budget calls for a total of $3,156,130,358 for the fiscal year of 1927. This is an increase of $50,000,000 over the current fiscal year, and the President explained that in the cost of administering the government the bed rock had probably been reached and in the future increases commensurate with growth must be expected. The prospectus surplus for 1926 was reduced to $262,000,000 by the cost of the soldiers' bonus above estimates and other unanticipated expenditures; but the surplus for 1927 will be about $330,000,000, thus meeting the proposed tax reduction.

Enforcement of the prohibition law is becoming much more expensive. The budget asks for $21,940,529 for this purpose. Of this total the coast guard is to get $11,634,000 for its activities in preventing rum smuggling. In addition to this, the President proposes that ten new coast guard cutters be built at a cost of $9,000,000 and that the personnel of the guard be increased.

In response to the demands for better air forces the budget includes an increase of $300,000 in the allotment for the army air service and of $4,000,000 for the navy bureau of aeronautics. It asks for new navy planes costing $9,000,000 and new army planes costing $6,000,000. Figures submitted by the President tended to controvert the assertions of Colonel Mitchell that the air forces are being starved. "For the air services the estimates carry a total of $42,447,000, being $16,793,000 for the army, $22,391,000 for the navy, $2,750,000 for the air-mail service of the Post Office department and $513,000 for the national advisory council for aeronautics," the President said.

"These amounts include contract authorization, but do not include funds provided in other budget items for the pay of commissioned air service officers, pay, housing, and general maintenance for the enlisted air service personnel, and certain classes of supplies and services of a general character furnished for air service activities. If we include these items, the total for the air service in 1927 will amount to not less than $76,000,000.

"They propose procurement from the industries of airplanes, engines and accessories to the amount of $20,954,000. The remaining $21,493,000 is for maintenance, operation, experimentation, and research.

"This government is pursuing an orderly policy toward building up its air service. We realize that our national air defense problem is primarily an industrial problem. We also know that the airplane industry today is dependent almost entirely upon government business for its development and growth. We do not contemplate any competition between the government and industry in the production of airplanes."

In line with his warnings against paternalistic tendencies of the federal government, the executive calls for a halt in federal aid legislation, proposing that in the future federal appropriations for highway construction be limited to interstate through routes.

In the interest of saving money on rents the President suggests an appropriation of $10,000,000 a year for the construction of new buildings to house government departments permanently in the District of Columbia.

IN THE nature of a message to congress and the nation was President Coolidge's address before the convention of the American Farm Bureau federation in Chicago. It probably will have its effect on farm legislation in congress, but it was not pleasing to the majority of the farm bureau men who listened to it. This was because Mr. Coolidge took a definite stand against any radical price-fixing legislation or revision of the tariff. He attacked directly the McNary-Haugen bill, which would provide government assisted corporations in taking over the marketing of the United States farm surpluses in foreign countries and thus prevent the dumping of the farm output on the home market, with consequent slumps in price. There was no guarantee that the government always would give a high price, he said, while with the government once established in business it would be a blow at the farmers' own co-operatives.

The President argued that the farmer gets far greater benefit from the tariff than the sum which is added to the prices of manufactured commodities that the farmer buys. On the other hand, all citizens other than farmers pay more for many things, because the agricultural clauses of the tariff assist the farmer to attain higher prices in the American market for his products.

One of the severest critics of the President's address was S. H. Thompson of Quincy, Ill., president of the Illinois Agricultural association, and the federation showed its sentiments by electing Mr. Thompson its president. He defeated O. E. Bradfute of Ohio, head of the federation for the last three years and representative of the conservative farm leaders. The convention also adopted this resolution:

"We indorse the enactment of a federal law based on the principle of a farmers' export corporation, providing for the creation of an agency with broad powers for the purpose of so handling the surplus of farm crops that the American producer may receive an American price in the domestic market and we instruct our officers and representatives to work for the early enactment of such a law, founded on sound economic policies and not involving government subsidy."

The McNary-Haugen bill, modified and given a new name, will come up again in the present session of congress, but in Washington it is believed it will again be defeated.

THE regular Republicans in the lower house easily elected Nicholas Longworth of Ohio speaker. The Democrats cast their vote for Finis Garrett of Tennessee and the insurgent Republican delegation from Wisconsin with one man from North Dakota voted for Henry A. Cooper. Then, with Mr. Longworth in the chair—already being called "czar"—the majority proceeded to nullify the committee discharge rule which was forced on the regulars last year by the LaFollette radicals. This time 22 insurgent Republicans joined with 170 Democrats and four third party men in opposition. The revised rule on committee discharge put through by the Republicans does away with the initiation of discharge by only 150 members and requires 218. Then, on two subsequent votes, 218 are required to instruct a report within 15 days.

Business started in the house with a rush and a flood of bills was introduced. The tax reduction measure was given precedence and general debate on it continued through the week. Minority reports were submitted by Hull of Tennessee and Rainey of Illinois, Democratic members of the committee on ways and means, and both of them spoke against the bill, Rainey declaring it was formulated in the interest of millionaires. Advocates of the measure were numerous and as they included both Republicans and Democrats it was predicted that hostile amendments would not have much chance.

What to do about assignments for young Senator LaFollette, and whether or not to seat Gerald P. Nye as successor of the late Senator Ladd of North Dakota, were the main questions for the Republican senators last week. The respective committees in charge of these problems were divided in opinion. LaFollette himself, meanwhile, in the congressional directory, designated himself as "Republican (Progressive)." The seating of Mr. Nye depended on the legality of Governor Sorlie's action in appointing him.

DRAWING up its report, the Lampert aircraft investigation committee of the house of representatives decided favorably on 19 propositions. First and most important, it recommends the establishment of a department of national defense with unity of command and headed by a civilian secretary with undersecretaries for land, sea, and air; or, if such a department is not immediately possible, either a unified air service or a separate air corps in the army and the navy.

The other propositions are designed to develop aviation with liberal appropriations and legislation and to correct alleged injustices suffered by aviation officers.

Carrying the indorsement of President Coolidge, the annual report of the national advisory committee for aeronautics was submitted to congress. It recommends the creation of a bureau of air navigation in the Department of Commerce to regulate and encourage commercial aviation, continuance of a policy of aircraft development in the light of the loss of the Shenandoah, and extension of the air-mail service to all sections of the country.

IT WAS the army's turn last week to jump on Col. William Mitchell in his court-martial trial, and a score of high officers, including Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, chief of the army air service, and Brig. Ben. J. E. Fechet, assistant chief, were called to rebut the colonel's testimony. General Patrick admitted defects in the service, shortage of planes, lack of training and the like, but laid the blame on congress which had made insufficient appropriations. He said that while antiaircraft fire was "not entirely effective," it was one of the agencies against air attacks that should be used and developed. Capt. R. G. Rath, an army aviator who won the Distinguished Service medal in the war in France, gave testimony that discredited the efficiency of Colonel Mitchell when he commanded the air forces there. Mr. Reid, the colonel's counsel, plied Captain Rath with insulting questions and remarks belittling his courage until the audience hissed and General King, member of the court, protested to its president, General Howze. Major Gullion, assistant judge advocate, angered the defense by again attempting to introduce evidence that Mitchell had cribbed large parts of his book, "Winged Defense." The court once more ruled this out of order.

GREAT BRITAIN'S quarrel with Turkey over the Mosul oil region is fast approaching a climax. The League of Nations council, which according to the advisory finding of the world court is competent to decide the question, was told officially by Turkey that that nation would not admit the world court's competence to give an advisory opinion to the council, and when the council accepted the opinion, the Turkish representative withdrew from the negotiations for the time being. The British insisted that the council proceed to debate and decide the boundary dispute, fearing that if the matter were postponed until the March session Turkey would attempt to seize and occupy the Mosul region by force.

On Thursday General Laidoner of Esthonia, special agent of the league, reported that the Turks were committing atrocious acts of violence along the provisional Mosul frontier, deporting the Christian inhabitants, occupying villages, confiscating arms, imposing heavy fines, demanding women, pillaging houses, and in some cases taking life.

Djabir Bey of Damascus, representing the Syro-Palestine independence organization and the rebellious Druses, tried to get a hearing from the council to tell of French maladministration of the mandate, but the French and British delegates objected successfully.

IN THE Tacna-Arica plebiscitary commission Chile moved that the date of the plebiscite be fixed for February 1. General Pershing opposed this as not giving enough time to arrange for a fair and free vote, and Peru supported him. They agreed the commission should pass the electoral regulations January 15, with February 15 for registrations and April 15 for the plebiscite. Chile then decided to appeal from this decision to President Coolidge, the arbiter.

Unpublished Novel by Hugo Found in Paris

Paris.—The manuscript of a novel written by Victor Hugo ten years before "Les Miserables" appeared has been discovered.

The project is the idea of Gustave Simon, the venerable literary executor of Hugo.

Announcement of the discovery says: "It should be interesting to know that Victor Hugo's literary executor, Gustave Simon, the scholar and bibliophile, is still busy and that after years of research he has discovered the manuscript of 'Les Miseres,' a novel written by Victor Hugo more than ten years before the appearance of 'Les Miserables.'

"Except for the last two chapters, 'Les Miseres' was ready for publication when Victor Hugo was sent into exile, which drove all thoughts of finishing the novel from his mind. The manuscript was thrown aside and not even looked at for ten years. Hugo then took the manuscript, read it, was dissatisfied and decided to rewrite the whole story. 'Les Miserables' was the result.

"Exile had caused changes in Hugo's mind and it had its effect on his story, so that while 'Les Miseres' has the basic theme of 'Les Miserables,' there are essential differences in the two works.

"The earlier novel will read like a new book. In 'Les Miseres' there is none of what is usually called the love interest, and Cosette, one of the famous figures, does not appear."

POULTRY

SUGGESTIONS ON EGG INCUBATION

Incubation is the natural process through which the egg must pass to produce the chick. Our object, when hatching larger numbers of chicks, is to substitute for the natural method of hatching with hens. The incubator has solved the problem. It has grown from the mere hatching boxes to machines that are capable of producing a large percentage of strong, healthy chicks. Some hatching boxes are still on the market; the medium to high priced incubators are the ones to purchase. The initial price is of small consideration when compared with good, livable chicks.

The hen prepares the egg. Her owner generally receives it in good condition. What he does to the egg before it is actually placed in the incubator, greatly influences its hatchability. The fresher the eggs, the larger the percentage of hatch will be and the stronger the chicks.

The proper care of hatching eggs will increase the hatch. They should be turned daily if kept longer than five days. The best temperature is from 50 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit. Germ development starts at 68 degrees, so care should be taken to see that the eggs do not reach that point.

More eggs are ruined by becoming too warm before they are set than by chilling. When an egg is kept in a room where the temperature is 70 to 80 degrees, germ development starts. There is not enough heat to continue incubation; consequently many embryos die then or during the first few days in the incubator. Under such conditions, the eggs will show clear or nearly clear when candled on the eighth day.

When selecting an incubator, be governed to a large extent by the machines that are giving the best results in the community, not only for number of chicks hatched but for the condition of the chicks as well.

There are two general types of smaller incubators—the hot-water and the hot-air. The greatest problem with hot-water machines in general is proper ventilation; moisture is the greatest problem in the hot-air machine. The water in the water-heated incubator does not influence moisture in the egg chamber. Lack of moisture means that there has been too great an amount of evaporation. In the water-heated machines the air does not circulate so freely. With slower moving air, there will be less evaporation. The fact that many of the smaller hot water incubators have very little ventilation, makes it necessary to air and cool the eggs daily.

The hot-air incubators are quite different. The heat is furnished by the air so it is necessary that the air be in more rapid motion. This causes greater ventilation and evaporation, hence moisture usually must be added.

In operating the incubator follow directions. Most incubator companies give very complete directions regarding the operation and control of their machines.

Uniformity of temperature is a great controlling factor. An incubator run at a uniform temperature of 102 degrees will do better than one varying from 101 to 105 degrees, Gradual variation is not detrimental.

Too high temperature lowers the vigor of the chicks. In some machines, it is considered best to start at 101 degrees, increase to 102 degrees the second week, and only allow the standard of 103 degrees to be reached a few days before the hatch. Above everything, the eggs should not get too hot.—Noel Hall, Extension Specialist, Missouri state poultry experiment station, Mountain Grove.

Sanitary Poultry House Is Necessary for Eggs

Chickens will not give adequate returns in eggs or growth when kept under insanitary conditions.

The construction of the poultry house should receive first attention. Sufficient air space, lighting, and ventilation should be provided, and the entire house cleaned at frequent intervals.

While these precautions cannot be depended upon to control mites and lice, they aid the poultryman in determining when these pests are present. Furthermore, the fowls are kept in vigorous condition, which in itself aids in controlling pests. Dirty and insanitary houses provide ideal breeding conditions for insects and germs which are detrimental to poultry. Diseased fowls, or those with malformed bills or feet, fall ready prey to lice, mites, and other insect pests, and should be removed as soon as discovered.

Proper Feed for Pullets

It is a mistake to let the pullets forage for themselves. Grain alone will not supply the necessary feed for building the framework and the body of the birds which are to become a part of the future laying flock. A mash containing a liberal supply of protein and minerals is needed. If the pullets are on good range they will not consume so much mash of this sort as they would without range, but it should be constantly before them.

Correct Food for Eggs

In supplying feed to fowls there are three kinds of constituents which should be present in certain fairly well-fixed proportions if the desired results are to be obtained most economically. These constituents are mineral, nitrogenous, and carbonaceous, all of which are contained in corn, wheat, oats, and barley, but not in the right proportions to give the greatest egg yield. In addition some animal feed and green feed should be supplied.

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THE FUR CANOE

SYNOPSIS.—With David, half-breed guide, Brent Steele, of the American Museum of Natural History, is traveling in northern Canada. By a stream he hears Denise, daughter of Col. Hilaire St. Onge, factor at Wailing River, play the violin superbly. He introduces himself and accepts an invitation to make the post his home during his stay. He finds the factor worried and mystified. The "log chateau" is a real home.

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"But they missed you!" laughed the Frenchman. "Yes! Our inspector, Monsieur Lascelles, in his desire to get fur ignores the conditions here entirely."

At the mention of the name Lascelles, Steele sensed a swift change in Denise St. Onge. His curious eyes caught a faint color in the girl's temples as she avoided his glance. In a moment she had control of herself but he wondered if this then was the cause of her heartache.

"My position is most difficult, you see," continued St. Onge. "Laflamme controls the upper country with his whisky. We get considerable Little Current and Drowning River trade, but Michel and I have to meet them with our goods over at Portage Lake. There are many who fear to come to the House of the Windigo, on the Spirit rapids, as they call it."

"Strange your people at Albany fail to realize this!"

"They will realize it now—this summer, for we have come to an impasse, as we say in French."

"How is that, sir?"

"Why, my Indians, except Michel, who is a hard-headed Iroquois from the Nipissing and laughs at this devil talk, will not now go into the bush alone. They are always seeing and hearing things. Our hunter, Tete-Boule, refuses to leave the post since he found some prodigious tracks in the muskeg and heard screaming at night. Monsieur, our people are panic-stricken." St. Onge gravely shook his head. "And now, as you say in English, the climax is capped."

Steele leaned toward his host, keenly curious of what was coming, as St. Onge finished dramatically:

"Our fur canoe, which left here early in July, with four men, never reached—Albany!"

"Never reached—Albany?" repeated the astonished listener. "They sent you word, by canoe?"

"Yes, they sent a relief party upriver to find my men who were long overdue. They feared they had lost their boat in the Albany rapids and were following the shore."

"And this search party found nothing?"

"Nothing!" St. Onge lifted shoulders and hands in eloquent gesture. "Men, fur, canoe; gone, wiped out, swallowed up!"

"But there must have been something washed up alongshore," vehemently protested Steele, "the shell of the canoe—small stuff—and a paddle always comes ashore."

"Nothing!" repeated the factor. "They searched the Albany and then the lower Wailing, for they had to pole and track most of the way as you know. Above the Devil's mile they found the first camp of our people, but below, not a body, or paddle, or scrap of canoe—nothing!"

To Steele this was incredible—this mysterious tragedy of the fur canoe. He wished he had known what had happened on the Wailing but a few weeks before, when he and David fought day by day its stiff current on the way to the post.

"It's simply unbelievable, colonel," he vigorously objected. "A swamped canoe, broken up in a big rapid, is bound to throw something on the beach below. We noticed nothing, but we were not on the lookout."

That there was more to this story Steele was convinced; but what personal bearing could it have on Denise St. Onge?

"Yet those are the facts, monsieur, and our people are mad with fear. Thank Heaven! Michel had a bad ankle and was not with the boat. He tells the Indians that the canoe and bodies are held in the big eddy, but I doubt it."

Steele stared at the factor, unable to accept the sole inference to be drawn from his host's remark. St. Onge was surely facetious.

"That leaves us the Windigo theory, colonel," he laughed, but to his surprise his pleasantry was met by so grave a face that for an instant Steele was in doubt of the mental balance of the Frenchman, harassed by the misfortunes of the summer. The dark eyes of Denise St. Onge, fixed on the window, were cryptic. Then the factor smiled inscrutably as he said:

"Monsieur, I am a furtrader on a river believed to be haunted. It would be a policy most ruinous for me to admit a belief in the supernatural—in this Indian tradition. Is it not so? But," and the speaker glanced at his daughter, "as well believe it the Windigo; what other solution is left? Men and canoe disappear—like that!" and he snapped his fingers.

It was clear that St. Onge was dissembling—for some reason he was loath to give his guest the whole story. But why? What was there in this tragedy of fear and death that a stranger should not know? Why, since St. Onge had so frankly revealed the crisis he faced at Wailing River—the threatened loss of the trade and abandonment of the post, due to the superstition of the Indians—did he withhold his own solution of the riddle? Certainly there was more, much more, in this strange situation which Steele had accidentally stumbled upon, than the loss of the fur canoe. The furtive glances of father and daughter at Steele's reference to Laflamme, the free-trader; her evident embarrassment at the mention of Lascelles, inspector at Albany; and above all, her mood of despair at the rapids, voiced so poignantly by her violin; these could bear no relation to the tragedy of the fur canoe—to the panic of the Indians at the ill-starred post.

"Were your men trustworthy?" he suddenly asked.

"Absolutely. They could not desert and hope to dispose of the fur. We and the Hudson's Bay people have an agreement. On the Albany at that time they would surely have run into the Fort Hope York boats and the Martin's Falls and Henley House brigades. Besides, two of them left young wives here."

"Still, I'm sure Michel is wrong about the eddy," ventured Steele, hoping to draw out the factor. "The Big Pelican whirlpool, below Lac Seul, the worst I've ever seen, always throws out the stuff sucked into it in the course of a few hours."

St. Onge lifted his heavy eyebrows in a nod of assent. "Oh, Michel is in doubt about it also, but that is what he tells the Indians. A man of parts is Michel, monsieur. He is more than my right hand here."

"Yes, he looks like a good man. Did you notice David, colonel?" Steele's face lighted as he mentioned his swarthy comrade.

"He seemed most intelligent," replied St. Onge, "and looks as if he could pack four hundred over a portage, if he wished."

"He can, colonel." Then Steele gambled with his host's curiosity. "What worries me is how to keep him from wringing Laflamme's neck when we reach Ogoke—and, aside from getting supplies, we wish to stop at Ogoke, Colonel St. Onge."

The factor was palpably interested. His narrowed eyes seemed to search those of his guest in an endeavor to read his thoughts. Then, leaning forward, elbows on table, he asked tensely:

"Why?"

"I am sorry, but that is David's secret."

"Oh, I see! It is right, then, that you do not tell. But I was curious, monsieur, for today when he reached here, he asked at once how many days' travel it was to Ogoke lake."

That St. Onge should be vitally interested in the man, who, by the use of whisky, was winning the fur trade of the whole headwater country of the Wailing, was natural, but the observant Steele sensed more to the story than mere trade rivalry, in the attitude of the factor. However, he dropped the subject and returned to the lost canoe.

"It's by far the strangest case I have heard of—four men in a loaded canoe, wiped out without leaving a scrap of birchbark or a sliver of spruce as a clue, and a wonderful opportunity for the study of this Windigo superstition at first hand."

"Eighteen thousand dollars in fur!" sighed the factor, whose face was drawn and old, as they left the table.

CHAPTER II

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"Will you come with me to the trade-house, monsieur? For a time my daughter will be busy with the dishes. Then we shall have some music, Denise?"

"If you wish," and addressing Steele she added suggestively: "It will be gay music tonight, monsieur, I promise you—in honor of your arrival at the 'House of the Windigo.'"

"But I like your sad music, mademoiselle," he said, "and I am clever at washing dishes, if I could be of service."

There was challenge in her black eyes as she countered: "Ah, monsieur, but you are more clever, I fear, at concealing your thoughts."

As he walked with the factor to the trade-house he wondered precisely to what she had alluded.

St. Onge was writing a lengthy report of the situation at Wailing River to his chief at Albany, three hundred miles downstream, so Steele joined David and Michel seated beside the post canoes on the beach, smoking after-supper pipes. In front of the Indian shacks, a group of shawled women talked in hushed voices. Near them, three men, squatted on their heels, Indian fashion, conversed, heads together. No shrill shouts broke the quiet. Even the play of the dusky children seemed suppressed. Truly, thought Steele, St. Onge had not exaggerated. The air hung heavy with fear. The Indians were in a panic. Dread of the fabled Windigo had wrought its spell. At this rate it would not be long before the foxes would bark in the clearing of the abandoned post—before padded feet would roam at will in what was now a home. And the girl up there—what would become of her?

"Well, David, has Michel told you of the fur canoe?" demanded Steele.

David's broad face wrinkled in a grin. Taking his pipe from his mouth, he spat deliberately before he answered with another question.

"How long we stop here?"

"I don't know. Why?" Steele was interested.

"Wal, Michel an' Daveed lak to drop down to de beeg strong water. We strike back in seven-eight sleep, maybe."

"What's your idea? It's not just to make another search on a mere chance of finding something. There's something else cooking under that black hat of yours."

But David was noncommittal. "We tak a look at de las' camp fur canoe made, an' shore below, for little piece."

Steele was secretly delighted at the excuse this expedition of David's would give him for prolonging indefinitely his stay at Wailing River. As a student of Indian mythology and worship of the supernatural, the probing of this mystery—the study of its effect on the post Indians—demanded his best efforts. It was a rare opportunity for an ethnologist, a student of folklore, to gather data at first hand. But over and beyond that was the riddle of this girl whose hands of an artist were now busy with the dishes up there in the factor's house.

"But what do you expect to find, Michel? There have been two canoes over the ground. The Windigo have swallowed canoe, fur and men."

The small eyes of the Indian snapped. "Daveed and Michel nevaire see M'sieu Windigo. We lak to hav' look at heem. Tete-Boule," with a gesture toward the three men grouped in front of the shacks, "he hear Windigo one, two, many tam. He fin' track een muskeg—ver' beeg. But he hav' fear to tak Michel to de track. Maybe down on de beeg rapids, Daveed an' Michel shake han' wid de Windigo. Maybe we fin' he is hongree—den we feed heem—some lead." And the smile faded, while the swart features of the Indian set stiff with hate.

"Ah, ha!" thought Steele. "These two old foxes have got something in their heads."

But knowing his people, he did not press them for an explanation. Later, alone with David, he would be told. So he filled his pipe and sat down.

"Michel," he asked, "why did the Revillon Freres build this place at the head of these rapids instead of up at Ogoke lake where they could buck Laflamme, face to face, for the trade of the whole country?"

For a space Michel smoked, ignoring the question; then he grunted through the stem of his pipe:

"You see M'sieu Lascelles at Albanee?"

"No, I stopped with the Hudson's Bay people. Why?"

"Wal, eef you see M'sieu Lascelles maybe you know why," was the reply.

"Where were you before you came here?" asked Steele.

"At Albanee."

"You know him, then. But he can't be a good fur man to build here—in the bad-lands, at these Spirit rapids of the Ojibways."

"De man who build dees pos' die Me'sieu Lascelles ees no fool; he not keep eet for fur—he keep eet—for 'noder reason." After which startling statement Michel became a sphinx to Steele's further questioning.

More than ever mystified by what he had heard, he left the men on the river shore, and rejoined his host.

In the warm candle light of the factor's quarters Steele soon lost himself in the playing of Denise St. Onge. There was no trace of the troubled eyes, of the reserve of the girl who had sat mute through the evening meal, listening to the talk of the men, in the gay creature who now conjured with her violin mad dances of the Polish and Hungarian peasants, love songs of Italy, French and German opera. Here was rare temperament, technique, training—all wasted in this wilderness. It was monstrous—inexplicable! What could have brought them here?"

"It is superb, mademoiselle—your playing," he cried impulsively, "you have appeared professionally, of course, in France?"

The culmination of the missing fur canoe is serious for St. Onge. What a mystery!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Jenny Lind, Genial Friend

Jenny Lind came again and yet again to the Taylors' congenial homestead; her kindness, "sensitive, capricious and restless as it is, her humanities and impetuosities" won the affections of mother and boy alike, says the Christian Science Monitor. "Great impulses, a humble Christian heart watching and praying to bring her into subjection of God's will, she is a great addition to my life," wrote Alice Taylor. . . . Nor was it to him (James Spedding) only that the great cantatrice of the world's worship brought her message of beauty and joy. In many a letter of that date we catch glimpses of her shining preseuce in that quiet home.

She Didn't Get It

"You kissed me last night and mother didn't like it."

"How can she dislike what she didn't sample?"

Sports Help Samoans Keep Physically Fit

The Samoans are the finest set-up men physically on this footstool and they keep fit with the open-air life on the sea. In one group of the islands the Samoans are baseballers. In another group they became so devoted to cricket that they knocked off work to play the game, matches between villages lasting weeks at a time playing six out of the seven days—for the Samoans are deeply religious, Christian at that. So obsessed were they with cricket that ordinances had to be passed to limit the time of playing it. They do not box, but they wrestle some—catch-as-catch-can.

The dwellings of the natives are thatch whares or huts; of the whites, lumber. There are neither minerals nor oil in Samoa. Wild pigs are abundant.

The Samoans are of clean habits, mentally and physically, and idolatry has gone out. They have superstitions, of course, and they have native dances.

The principal crops for export are cocoa, copra—the dried kernel of the coconut—and a little rubber.—Mr. Mills, in Adventure Magazine.

Love and Immortality

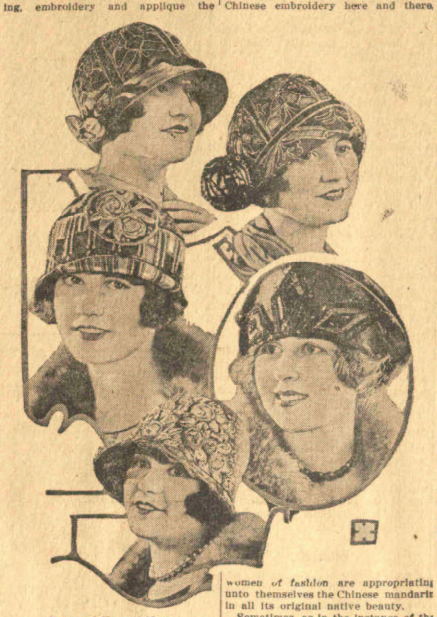
Some one has written that love makes people believe in immortality, because there seems not to be room enough in life for so great a tenderness, and it is inconceivable that the most masterful of our emotions should have no more than the spare moments of a few years.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

PIQUANT DANCE MILLINERY; FAVOR CHINESE EMBROIDERY

GENIUS is lavishing modernistic art on the piquant dress hats which so add to the picture at dinners, dances and various social functions. Nowadays creators of our chapeaux take not only the needle in hand, but the brush as well, for handpainting adds to the glory of present-day millinery.

Even the small sports felt hat departs from its role of simplicity to allow artists to paint a few colorful leaves or a conventional design on its snug fitting crown.

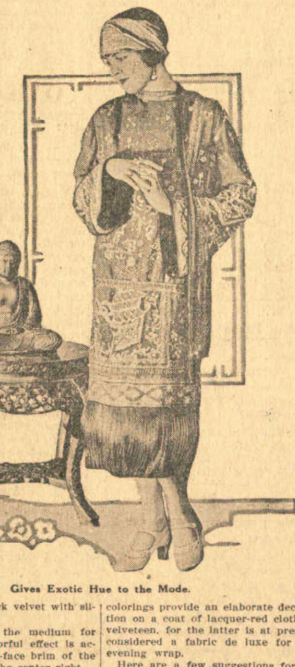
From the standpoint of hand-painting, embroidery and applique the group of hats in the illustration abound in fetching ideas.



Group of Formal Hats.

Both the chapeaux at the top of the picture display a riotous combination of color, gilded leather, and intriguing stitchery. Velvet motifs in gay hues have their edges encrusted with gold paint and there are interworkings of metal thread, with glimpses of gold tissue combined with gold leather.

The plaque of embroidered roses in the hat to the left below supplies brilliant color, the rest of the model being created of black velvet with silvered black ribbon.



Gives Exotic Hue to the Mode.

With chenille as the medium for hand stitchery a colorful effect is acquired on the off-the-face brim of the cunning chapeau to the center right.

A marked adherence to metallic effects is registered throughout the program of dance hats. Gold and silver laces form exotic trimming while tissues of the same form the hat proper. Such is the lovely model shown last in the group a dainty structure of shimmering gold lace and tissue. All the season's most entrancing colors seem to have been gathered up and reflected in handmade French flowers clustered upon the crown.

Fashion continues to revel in an orgy of gay colors. Our wraps, our hats, our frocks and our costume accessories are vibrating with metallic splendor together with exotic hue.

To this era of gorgeousness, Chinese art and stitchery are contributing a magnanimous share. The smartest black satin frocks are very nearly losing their identity embellished as they are in trimmings of Chinese embroideries which are extravagantly colorful. In the matter of evening wraps, not satisfied with "touches" of Chinese embroidery here and there, women of fashion are appropriating unto themselves the Chinese mandarin in all its original native beauty.

Sometimes, as in the instance of the evening wrap illustrated, a band of handsome fur is added, which the more accents the color glories in oriental embroidery.

Of course not every one can afford an all-over embroidered Chinese mandarin wrap. However, this fact need not be discouraging, for somewhere, somehow if we have managed to introduce even a simple motif or so of Chinese inspiration we may congratulate ourselves for having obeyed the mandates of the mode. For instance, embroidered motifs done in Chinese colorings provide an elaborate decoration on a coat of lacquer-red cloth or velveteen, for the latter is at present considered a fabric de luxe for the evening wrap.

Here are a few suggestions for introducing a bit of the Oriental into dress design. Form the full-below-the-elbow portion of one's cloth, velvet or satin frock of a strip of Chinese embroidery; to the ends of a scarf collar attached to a simple dress, add borders of colorful stitchery; a vestee of Chinese, paisley or peasant embroidery will transform the most unpretentious dress into a garment of pronounced style distinction.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Popularity of Jersey

Jersey is attaining an undreamed of popularity, owing to the fact that it is the ideal material for the two-piece jumper and the sports frock. The most careful dressers match the dress with a plain felt hat of the same color.

Where to Wear One's Waist

Practically every woman will have a waistline this winter. She may not know where to put it but she will have one somewhere between her shoulders and hips. This has followed the introduction of the tight bodice and the shaping of the backs of the topcoats. The position of the waistline depends on the designer and on the height and weight of the wearer.

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English Language Heard Everywhere

"The whole world is talking English," writes Doctor Van Rossem in The Hague Post, after a tour through the five continents. "You land in the French colonies in Cochin-China and instead of 'bonjour' you hear 'good morning.' You are introduced in a French club in Madagascar and instead of 'enchante' you are welcomed with the words 'How do you do?' I found that only one clerk spoke French in the French colony of Bichela-Mer in the Pacific. It's the same thing in China and India. And what is the reason?" he asks. "The ships are English, the money is in American hands; custom officers, military attaches, legation officials, everybody speaks English." There is another reason, the French official in the colonies doesn't care a rap about the whole colonial business. He counts the days when he will stroll again on the Boulevard des Capucins. And then there is the well-known English attitude. An Englishman arrives at Corfu or on an island in the South seas and he says: "Henceforth everybody will have to speak English. I will not understand another language." The people might refuse, but pretty soon somebody begins to say "goodby" when he should say "good morning," and the Englishman has won out again.—Pierre Van Paassen, in the Atlanta Constitution.

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Remember Robin Hood Stories

Don and mother went with grandfather to a neighboring town, where grandfather was to preach. After the services a stranger kindly invited them to dine with her at the inn. They accepted, and were just finishing dinner when the hostess turned to Don and asked if he had had all he wanted.

"No," was the prompt reply. And when questioned further, announced he wished a pot of ale.

His amazed mother asked what he meant, well knowing the child did not know what ale meant.

"Isn't this an inn?" asked the child. And when mother said it was, he replied, "When Robin Hood's men went to an inn they always asked for a pot of ale."

Cashed Old Check

Thirty-five years ago, Mrs. Fondelia Wilds of Dover, Del., received a check for $3.10 for services in appearing before a justice of the peace in settling the estate of her husband. Mrs. Wilds kept the voucher, and a short time ago, remembering that she had it, presented it to the county for payment. The check, dated November 4, 1899, was honored at its face value.

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A New Precaution

Many are convinced that the next war will be conducted by radio, in which event persons entering No Man's Land should be careful to avoid the wireless entanglements.—American Legion Weekly.

It is painful to see a woman laugh when she doesn't want to but thinks she ought to.

They Will Talk

The trouble with most dumb-bells is that they aren't dumb.—Ethel Gazette.

Every time the wind raises a disturbance it is sure to blow about it.

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Parent Teachers Meeting

The regular monthly Parent Teachers Meeting was held at the school house and a good crowd was present to listen to a real interesting program of music, readings and solos. Following is the program:

Piano solo, Grace Williams; southern reading, Mrs. Aingie Benge; paper, The Primary Fund and its Apportionment, Mrs. Josephine Jones; paper, Birds, Mrs. Anna Mc Farland; reading in costume; The Oregon Indian Legend, Mrs. Mayme Pendell; vocal solo, Mrs. Virgil Hunt accompanied at the piano by Lucille VanWert.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Laura Meeks; vice president, Mrs. Eva Overly; secretary and treasurer, Mary Wertz. This Parent-Teacher association is becoming one of the most interesting and necessary meetings of our village. The basic idea of a get-together between Patrons and teachers of the high school is one of the best and a long-needed want. Until these problems can be threshed out and the two parties understand each other there will be a broken chain always. We note the work is going on to this end and we hope it will continue.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Jonesville

Miss Loraine Marvin spent the week end in Ann Arbor.

Wm H. Blauvelt is in Rochester, Minn. for medical treatment.

Mrs. Etta Pray of North Adams spent the week end at her home here.

Ray Manning, Floyd Grill and Arlington Rodlam were in Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Oliver Smith, son Walt and daughter Lucile spent Sunday in Jackson.

Mrs. Garrett Walcott visited her son Carver and family in Ypsilanti over Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur L. Massey visited her sister Mrs. George Gilcrist of Quincy from Friday until Sunday.

The Presbyterian Bazaar held Friday and Saturday last week was well attended and the proceeds were $150.

Fred Reed and family of Hastings were guests of his parents J. T. Reed and wife during the week.

The Mother's Club Christmas tree will be held Monday evening Dec. 21st at the home of George Godfrey and wife.

The last meeting of the Culture Club before the Holiday vacation was held Tuesday December 15 with Mrs. Berton E. Poor.

The December meeting of the Investigator Club was held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Wilson on Tuesday evening Dec. 15 instead of the afternoon as has been the custom of the club. Mrs. Harry Liess was the leader.

Mrs. Wm B. Howlett entertained the Wednesday afternoon 500 club last week. Arrangements were made at this time for a special meeting of the club to be held on Wednesday January 30th at the home of Mrs. F. B. Fisk.

East Hoxie

Miss Ruth Steveson came from Kalamazoo Wednesday to spend the Xmas holidays.

Mrs. A. J. Marks underwent an operation on her nose Monday at Hillsdale. Dr. Johnson is attending her and she is getting along as well as can be expected.

The L. A. S. held at the Spratt home Thursday was well attended A Xmas tree of exchange gifts and a fine program was held after a bounteous pot luck dinner.

The Y. W. C. A. held at Mrs. John Iveson's was attended by twelve ladies. Many lovely articles were made in basketry. The next meeting will be held January 12 at L. O. Spratt's.

Chas Chapman had the misfortune to collide with a wagon load of grain last Monday. It damaged the car to some extent but we're thankful Mr. Chapman was not hurt. No damage to the wagon.

Central Moscow

Allen and Lee Kies visited their parents Sunday.

Chas Leatherman was in Detroit Tuesday on business.

Andrew Richards was in Jonesville on Tuesday on business.

Mrs. George Brayton visited her sister Mrs. Bascom one day last week.

Len Dewey and family visited his sister Mrs. Wilbur Blackmer Sunday.

H. F. Adams and family visited his parents John Adams and wife Sunday also Bernie Brail and wife of Pulaski.

John Adams and wife have returned home after a visit with their daughter Mrs. Homer Sturdevant at North Adams.

Jerome

Dr. J. S. Sterling was in Jackson Saturday.

Mrs. Murl Morehead is driving a new coupe.

Chas Lovell and wife of Jackson visited Mrs. M. H, Morris Sunday.

Jay Pullen has been quite ill with asthma during the past three weeks

Glenn Cain of Jackson visited his mother Mrs. Mary Cain Sunday.

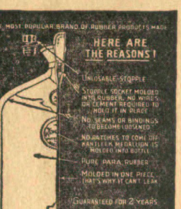
Leon Walworth, son Keith and Mrs. Laney Walworth were in Hillsdale Friday.

Jay Chandler of Jackson visited at the home of H. L. McGregor and wife one day last week.

Prof. Goodrich of Albion will preach at the church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The Professor's sermon will be illustrated by stereopticon slides.

Members of the high school and part of the school faculty were entertained Friday evening by Jane Randolph at the home of Fred Randolph and wife.

Due to other social activities the crowd at the Oddfellow's box social Friday evening was rather small. Grant Sawdey auctioneered the boxes which totaled about$8 .00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The school will present an interesting Christmas program at the M. E. church Thursday evening Dec 24. Most of the program will be composed of an operetta lasting about 1 hour.

Students at Northwestern University are tickled. The tickle is due to the fact that their football team made a good record during the fall. As a result of the tickle, the students committed arson by setting fire to an apartment house, when the firemen came to put out the blaze which might have wiped out the city, the students charged the firemen took the hose away from them and turned it upon the fire fighters themselves. Later, the students "slugged" the mayor of Evanston and it became necessary to call out soldiers to quell the brilliant scholars of Northwestern. Northwestern with its ten thousand students seems to bear a resemblance to many other great universities in that it is a training school for lawlessness and mob violence.

Somerset Centre

Cora Rutan is ill.

C. D. Carl was in Adrian Saturday.

L. A. Mercer has installed a Radio.

Mrs. Thomas Tuckerman is improving.

The Addison Bank was robbed Monday morning, getting $1200

J. M. Parker and daughter Florence were in Jackson Saturday.

L. A. Mercer and wife spent Sunday with Earl Rutan and family.

Elaine Mercer spent Sunday evening with her friend Wavah Higbee.

Cleon Rutan had the misfortune to break his right arm while cranking a car.

Mr. and Mrs. Rigjackson spent Sunday with Thomas Tuckerman and family.

Prof. Goodrich of Albion will speak on the "Man of Galilee" Sunday Dec. 20.

Mrs. John Weatherwax Jr. spent Sunday with her parents J. M. Parker and wife.

Mrs. R. Rutan, Mrs. L. A. Mercer, Mrs. Henry Haas and Mrs. Jesse Giddings were in Jackson recently.

If your receipt says your time on the Advocate has expired, call n and renew.

Mrs. Mira Burr of Somerset township died at the home of her son-in law George B. Smith on Friday last week. She was formerly connected with Mt. Holyoke College and was an instructor in music. Funeral services were held from the home of George Smith on Tuesday at 2:00 p. m. conducted by Rev. McLouth of the Somerset Congregational church and interment was in Somerset cemetery. Prof. Roberts of Hillsdale College read the beautiful and impressive poem "Crossing the Bar." Mildred Miner Hunt of North Adams sang "Abide with Me" and "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." Pall bearers were Colonel Kerr, F. E. Haynes, L. T. Smith, George B. Smith, F. H. Smith and F. S. Smith

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Mud Lake School Notes

The seventh grade History has completed the Revolutionary War and finished outlining it.

The children are selling Christmas seals for the Mich. Tuberculosis Association. At the present time Clarabell Chase has sold the most.

Plans are well under way for our Christmas entertainment which will be given on Thursday night December 24. Everyone is cordially invited.

The General Information Class has had picture study of the Sistine Madonna" and "Madonna of the Chair." Each Monday the class Period is used for studying a picture from some famous artist.

Christmas Suggestions

Silk Handkerchiefs
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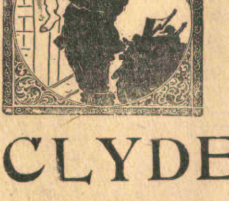

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Local News

Patronize the item box at the post office.

Ruel VanWert was home last Sunday from his work at Sturgis.

Mrs. Carrie Bryant has gone to Toledo to spend Christmas with relatives.

Harley Voorhees of Hanover was in North Adams on Thursday on business.

Postmaster VanWert reports an unusually heavy Christmas business this season.

Ray Barnhart and family of Mascow visited Leonard Harrington and family Sunday.

—We have stocked a line of Christmas and New Years Cards which we sell at 5c each. Call in and inspect the

Fred VanOrthwick, Raymond Barber, Bert Knowles of Litchfield and the editor motored to Detroit on Sunday.

Mrs. Florella Pettit of Litchfield is stopping with E. J. Blackmer and wife this winter. She is a sister of Mrs. Blackmer.

Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Hunt will spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eben Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miner of Hillsdale.

The Intermediate Room and Junior High students were taken in trucks to Hillsdale on Thursday where they witnessed a movie at the Dawn Theatre.

Miss Radah Petrie of Toledo, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Eben Petrie of Bankers, are expected to spend Christmas with Mrs. Delcie Shefelt in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Westcott are the parents of a daughter born Wednesday Dec. 23rd at the Addison Community Hospital. She will be known as Meredeah Westcott.

It is rumored about that motorists are not allowed to put on the new 1926 plates until January 1st but this is not correct. The sheriff of the county has not issued this order.

The Friendship Club met with Mrs. Mary Metcalf December 18th Christmas Exchange. There was 15 members present. Mrs. Metcalf served refreshments. The next meeting will be held January 15th at the home of Mrs. Alice Newman.

The Rebekah Aid Society will meet at the I. O. O. F. Hall Jan. 2. They will dispose of the quilt given by Mrs. J. S. Blackmer by number. They will have a Christmas Exchange and the dinner will be public. Adults 25c and children, 12 and under 15c. 30t2

This office has been turning out some handsome calendars for both Messers Harley Voorhees of Hanover and O. D. Dellinger of Jonesville. You can get one by applying to either one of these gentlemen—that is if you are a customer of theirs'.

Clyde Wertz is advertising the DeForest Radio this week. Read his ad on back page and learn what the DeForest people are giving you for the same money as others. Mr. Wertz sells these machines under a positive guarantee: He also has other makes.

The S. P. I. Class party was held at the home of Mrs. Elfrieda Calhoun last Friday. There was a good crowd to enjoy the pot-luck dinner, program and Christmas tree. The next meeting will be the last of January and a McKinley dinner.

Rural Lodge, I. O. O. F. held an election of officers on Wednesday evening Dec. 9th, and the following officers were chosen for the ensuing term: n. g., Anson Church; v. g., T. N. Lamb: rec. sec., Lynn Ford; finan. sec., Dr. Caswell: treasurer, Fred Payne.

C. G. Ebert and Leonard Beal and wife of Brooklyn, Judson Beal of Onsted and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Marks of Manitou, took Sunday dinner with Mrs. Rose Marks Mable and Ruth Steveson called upon her in the afternoon. Mrs. Marks is recovering nicely from her recent operation.

Frank Boone handed us a copy of the Hillsdale Democrat published in December 1907, eighteen years ago, We could not help noticing the make-up of it. Hiram Blackman was the editor and was at that time in the prime of his newspaper career, It is printed in colors and is well worthy of attention.

A recent letter received from Mrs. Enda Hewitt states she arrived all safe at Ocean Springs, Mississippi last Friday evening and found her two nephews awaiting her. Her trunk also arrived on the same train She also says it was like passing from winter into spring with a regular spring rain. She found her sister Mrs. Benjamin Ellis and family all very well and Mrs. Hewitt likes the pines very much and says the country is delightful.

NOTICE

There are some subscriptions now due on the Advocate and we presume you will attend to it at once. It costs considerably to run a paper, and there are so many of you the Editor cannot see you all personally and I expect to find the most of you coming in to renew your subscriptione before the New Year has proprogressed very far.

Come in and get your Calendar and we want to impress upon your mind the fact that we appreciate the support of the good people of this vicinity. A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

L. V, HARVEY
Publisher

The Sorosis Club met at the home of Mrs. Alice Newman on Tuesday, Dec. 22. Reports of the County convention were given by the delegates. A paper on Nationally known women was read by Mrs. Celia Duguid. A biography of famous literary women was given by Mrs. Mable Purcell. A grab bag was one feature of the meeting.

Seven carloads of petrolium recently were shipped from the Saginaw district to the Canadian refinery at Sarnia, Ontario, for separate distillation. The product being produced in the district has a paraffin base. One well is producing 40 barrels per day. Extensive leasing of land for oil well development is going on at a rapid pace in the Saginaw valley.

The Christmas exercises at the Jackson school Wednesday evening Dec. 23rd were well attended inspite of the stormy weather. The program consisted of recitations, dialogues and songs. The school house was prettily decorated for the occasion. A christmas tree holding gifts for all of the children was a feature of the evening. The teacher, Miss Baker was presented with a cold meat fork the gift of her pupils.

W. Fremont Burger formerly of Adams township, died at his home in Osseo Monday afternoon from a complication of diseases. He was born August 9, 1859, in this township and was a member of Star Lodge F. & A. M. and is survived by his wife, one son and three grand-children, two sisters, Mrs. Nora King of Deerfield, and Mrs. Nettie Moore of Osseo, two brothers, James Burger of Osseo and Myron Burger of Blissfield. Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon by Rev. D. A. Wright of Waldron and interment was in East Hill cemetery, Osseo.

Over at Hillsdale the City councilmen are considerably roiled at the fact that citizens do not pay much attention to the ordinance relative to getting in the way of firemen going to a blaze. It is claimed that last Sunday while a fire was in progress in the city so many private autos were parked near that the fire fighters could not lay hose, therefore there is a good prospect for 29 of said citizens to spend some time in jail or pay a heavy fine, orboth. Threats have been made several times but nothing further done. The city dads mean business this time, boys!

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Methodist Church Calendar

Supplication Period 10:00 A. M
Morning Worship 10:30
Sabbath School 11:45 A. M.
Epworth League 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00

Congregational Church Calendar

Rev. Virgil A. Hunt, Pastor

The First Congregational church extends Christmas Greetings to the other churches of this village.

The services for Sunday morning will be in keeping for New Years day. This is your last chance to come to church this year so let's have everybody end the old year right.

The Pastor extends his thanks and appreciation to all who have helped in making 1925 a prosperous and joyous year.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Williams and daughter Betty Jane are spending Christmas with his mother Mrs. W. C. Chadwick in Lansing.

Found—A number of articles suitable for Christmas gifts at the Corey Hat Shop. 28t3

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Wheatland Tax Notice

I will be at the following places to collect taxes for Wheatland Township; Thompson's Savings Bank, Hudson, Dec. 15th; Citizens Bank, North Adams Dec. 16 and Jan. 16th; Hudson State Savings Bank Jan. 15th.

Ernest Fuller, Treasurer.
28t2

Moscow Township Tax Notice

I will be at Gochanour's Store in Moscow Fridays and the Citizens Bank at North Adams Saturdays until January 1, 1926, for collecting taxes of Moscow township. John Crapser, Treas.
28t3

Death of George Taylor

George Taylor died at his home here Monday, Dec. 21, after a short illness. He was born September 1842. in Pennsylvania, and came to Michigan with his parents when eight years of age settling on the farm in Moscow township where he resided for many years, coming to North Adams eight years ago, where he has since lived.

Mr. Taylor enlisted in the army of the Civil war and served nine months as a member of the 5th and 7th Michigan Cavalry.

He is survived by the wife, one grandson, George Taylor, Jr., one brother, John Taylor, of Moscow township, nephews and nieces.

Funeral services were conducted at the home in this village on Thursday at one o'clock p. m., Rev. Hunt officiating and interment was in the local cemetery.

Gov. Groesbeck Looking After the Roads

As usual, Gov. Groesbeck is at the helm directing matters pertaining to the state highway program which is known as "his program'" and the democrats are somewhat speculative as to what he intends to do with the matter of paying back the state's share of the expense of concrete and gravel road construction to the several counties, There is some talk concerning this matter and it is claimed the state owes the counties $200,000 annually on this indebtedness.

Perhaps the most interesting phase of the gossip is the proposal that, in order to make available more money for trunk line construction and paving, the state's indebtedness to the counties account rewards for roads built under State supervision, be repudiated by legislative enactment.

Not so long ago the State Highway Commissioner was exhorting the people to start an extensive highway building campaign and thus get in on the state aware proposition, and the consequence is a number of counties have gone heavily into debt to do this. Now. if the state refuses to pay to them this award money, where will they come out of the mess? Looks like there might be a storm brewing now don't it?

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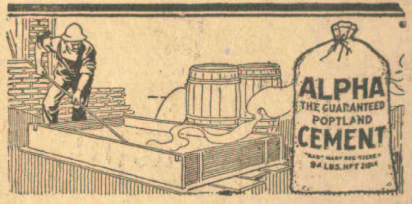

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Port Huron—Building permits for 40 new homes for working men, the average cost of which will be $2,500, have been issued to Otto Fetting, who represents a syndicate. Work on a number of the homes has been started.

Cheboygan—Great disappointment was sustained by members of the coastguard service in this region when it was announced that contrary to past custom, stations will be kept open throughout the winter, instead of closing during the month of January and February as previously.

Paw Paw—Recommendation for appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point, of Bernard Blakeman, Paw Paw, has been forwarded to the war department by Representative John C. Ketcham, Fourth Michigan district. Paul H. Mason was named as first alternate.

Ypsilanti—The Torch club of professional and business women has completed a survey of the city for names of those who wish to attend night school and have given 180 names over to Professor J. Burns Fuller, of Roosevelt high school and Superintendent A. G. Erickson, of the city schools. As soon as organization is made, work will begin.

Mt. Clemens—The request of Postmaster W. C. Hacker, of Mt. Clemens, Mich., for truck service between Detroit and Mt. Clemens to supplement facilities afforded by railroad and electric car service has been granted by the postoffice department for the 10 days preceding Christmas, it was announced by Representative Louis C. Cramton, Seventh Michigan district.

Ypsilanti—U. Stanley Wilson, 45 years old, a resident of this city for the past three years, died recently after an illness of four days. He had been superintendent of schools in Lapeer, Millington and Quincy. He was a graduate of the State Normal College here and of the University of Michigan. While at the latter school he was leader of the men's Glee Club.

Grand Rapids—C. H. Leonard, president of the Grand Rapids Refrigerator company, said that the option for the purchase of the company's plant and business by the Electric Refrigeration corporation, a combination of the Kelvinator and Nizer corporations, has been extended to February 1, and that $50,000 has been paid. The purchase price is approximately $6,000,000.

Ann Arbor— "Tambourine," the twentieth annual Michigan Union opera, including in its personnel 110 men students of the university left at noon last Friday for Chicago, the first city in which the opera will be presented on its tour of 13 cities throughout the Middle West and East. The opera "special" comprises three pullman cars, a dining car and a baggage car.

Lansing—Doubt that oysters served at a church banquet in Eaton Rapids the evening of November 18 caused the typhoid epidemic that is sweeping over Eaton county towns, was expresed by Dr. R. M. Olin, head of the state department of health. Meanwhile, the little town of Eaton Rapids continues its battle against the disease, which has spread to Charlotte and East Lansing.

Ann Arbor—Members of the board of regents of the University of Michigan held their regular monthly meeting here last Friday night. Among other topics scheduled for discussion was the protest received from the League of Catholic Women of Detroit censuring Dr. Clarence Cook Little for his recent Lansing address realtive to birth control. Copies of the letter of protest have been mailed to each member of the board.

Saginaw—Probably the boldest bit of thievery that criminal circles of the state have known in some time was committed here when a new automobile was taken from the sales room floor of the Davision Automobile company and driven out through the service department. It takes half an hour to put a new car on the floor. The company is not open all night and not until a police officer noticed doors of the concern open was there any suspicion.

Mt. Clemens—The tentative plans of Major Thomas G. Lanphier, of the first pursuit group at Selfridge field, are that the mid-winter maneuvers to Camp Skeel, Oscoda, Mich., will begin January 17 and continue for a week, the same as the operations so successfully executed last February. The maneuvers this year, according to the Selfridge commander, will not feature the war game as last year, but will partake more especially of the practice of gunnery, as applied to the air service.

Lansing—Indications are that depositors in the defunct Farmers' and Merchants' State bank at Grand Ledge will not suffer any loss in connection with financial difficulties that closed the doors of the institution is seen in an order just handed down by Judge Russell R. McPeek, of the Eaton County Circuit Court, at Charlotte. The affairs of the bank were taken over by the trust department of the American State Savings bank of Lansing and the chancery case involving receivership was taken before Judge McPeek.

Jackson—A new district office has been opened by the state highway department at 829 Greenwood avenue, it was announced by George C. Brown, district maintenance supervisor. Brown, who was formerly resident road engineer for Jackson, Lenawee, Washtenaw and Hillsdale counties with an office in the county highway commissions building, now has charge of all trunk road maintenance for Jackson, Hillsdale, Branch, Calhoun, Livingston and Eaton counties. With him will be associated Carl Vinton, a resident construction engineer.

Jackson—The loaning and discount department of the newly-formed Jackson Citizens' Finance company will be opened during the latter part of December. More than $100,000 capital has been subscribed, according to officers of the company.

Marshall — The Tekonsha High school debating team has won its second debate, defeating the North Adams team. The question was "Resolved that the proposed child labor amendment to the national constitution be adopted by the United States."

Saginaw—Indications that the state highway department intends to place construction of a permanent road between Saginaw and Bay City in the 1926 program is shown in a request to the county commission to secure right of way on three miles of the proposed route.

Stanton—The town chorus, under the direction of Mrs. John Lewis, wife of the Montcalm county prosecuting attorney, is at work on Christmas music, both for the pageant at the Congregational church and for community singing at the municipal Christmas tree.

Port Huron—Beginning Tuesday the fares on the bus lines operated in connection with the City Electric Railway Co., which in turn is owned by the Detroit United Railway, were increased to 10 cents. Since the buses began operating some months ago, four tickets for a quarter have been sold. School children still will be permitted to ride on the four-for-a-quarter tick-etc.

Monroe—Road "M-10", running from Elm avenue, Monroe, to the Ohio state line, a distance of 14 miles, and the northern extension, 4 1-2 miles, connecting with the Telegraph road at Loranger's corners, has been opened for through traffic from the north, via Flat Rock, to Toledo on the south. The road from Monroe to Toledo, better known as the "New Dixie Highway," was built by state forces with the aid of prison labor.

Grand Rapids—Although no complaint had been made against her, Mrs. Don Avery, of Cedar Springs, appeared before Justice William Totten, of that village, declared she was guilty of having assaulted Mrs. Mavin Town, of Cedar Springs; and asked to be fined. The justice complied and ordered her to pay a "fine" of $1 and costs of $1. Prosecuting Attorney Earl W. Munshaw is pondering over the question of what to do with the money.

Ann Arbor—In response to a petition circulated by 200 members of the Michigan Union demanding a reorganization of the management and board of directors, Richard Barton, recording secretary of the Union, has announced a special meeting for 7:30 p. m., Jan. 14. An insurgent element, supposedly headed by Albert Adams, of Kansas City, president of the Union, is behind the movement, alleging "gross inefficiency" in the management of the club's affairs.

Lansing—The State prison commission has authorized Harry L. Hulbert, in charge of the construction of the new State prison near Jackson, to proceed with the building that will house the heating and power plant, W. H. Porter, the chairman, announced. Modern conveniences will be afforded the inmates of the new institution, acording to present plans. Hot running water will be piped to every cell. This will be made possible by installing a hot water heating plant.

Lansing—The State Conservation Commission, at its meeting last week, approved Director John Baird's plans for an investigation of fish life in the larger lakes of the state and authorized him to have one of the ichtyologists at the University of Michigan accompany the netting crews. These crews are to be headed by Robert Ellsworth, "commodore" of the State's fisheries fleet, and are to be made up of the commercial fishing inspectors whose boats are laid up during the winter.

Ann Arbor—With last Friday evening marking the beginning of Christmas vacation for thousands of University of Michigan students, with the streets leading to railroad, interurban and motor bus stations filled with hurrying crowds and with the backfiring of ancient flivvers homeward bound, sounding the dominant note of campus activity,, the fulminations occasioned by Dr. Clarence Cook Little's determined stand on liquor law enforcement appear to have died away.

Grand Rapids—Fire, which swept the third floor of the Brown-Graff Paper company's paper warehouse Sunday, caused damage of about $20,000, it is estimated. The baled paper and rags burned stubbornly and firemen worked over the stock for nearly 10 hours. Water seeped through the other two floors into the basement. Joe Brown, of this city, is president and general manager of the concern. E. H. Graff and S. L. Graff, both of Kalamazoo, are vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

Lansing—As the result of many recent complaints, Charles J. DeLand, secretary of state, has issued a warning that currency should not be sent to the state department. Many persons, he said, mail bills for automobile licenses. Neither the state deparment nor the sender can verify the amount claimed to have been sent. Some instances have been reported in which applications and other documents disappeared with the money. DeLand recommends that all remittances be by certified check, draft or money order.

Grand Rapids—Last week's bank clearings in Grand Rapids totalled $11,007,061, a new record, according to Chauncey Guest, manager of the Grand Rapids Clearing House association. This total is $3,768,980 greater than the figures of the corresponding week in 1924. The average daily clearings last week were $1,834,510.24. Most bankers attribute the showing to a general increase in business. Clearings throughout 1925 have all along shown a substantial increase over the corresponding periods for the preceding year.

FOREIGN POLICIES TOLD BY KELLOGG

U. S. Willing to Co-Operate in European Rehabilitation—Bars Politics.

New York.—Foreign policies of the Coolidge administration and reasons for them were explained here by Secretary of State Kellogg.

His speech ran the whole scale from the Saklatvala exclusion case to the Locarno security treaties.

Using a meeting of the Council of Foreign Relations as his forum, the secretary addressed these pronouncements to American citizens and to foreign chancellories:

A warning to American bankers against "indiscriminate" loans to German states and municipalities, although the State department "has not felt itself called on to object to such loans as against the public interest."

Reaffirmation of the government's desire to co-operate in European rehabilitation, but keep clear of European politics.

A declaration that he had as much faith "in the spirit of Locarno as in the treaties of Locarno."

An expression of hope that China will realize her aspirations for freedom from unequal treaties.

An exposition and reiteration of the American war debt funding policy.

A defense of his own action in excluding aliens who desire "to teach their pernicious doctrines of communism" in this country.

Mr. Kellogg spoke from a carefully prepared manuscript. It was disclosed the address was regarded as of such importance that the section dealing with foreign debts and that touching upon the American attitude toward European conferences, although it contained no direct reference to the Geneva disarmament movement, has been cabled in full by the State department to American diplomatic missions in Europe.

Attempt Made to Kidnap Son of Countess Salm

West Palm Beach, Fla.—Persistent rumors of attempts to kidnap the infant son of Countess Ludwig Salm-von Hoogstraeten, the former Millicent Rogers, were renewed here when it became known that private detectives guarding Waikii, the countess' Palm Beach home, had fired six shots at two men shortly after one o'clock in the morning.

New York.—The Countess Salm, whose husband, Count Ludwig Salm-von Hoogstraeten, is suing for separation on the grounds of abandonment, will be served with papers in the case at her cottage in Palm Beach, Fla., according to Herman B. Goodstein, the count's lawyer.

Bob LaFollette Held Regular by Senators

Washington.—The senate Republican committee on committees voted to assign "Young Bob" LaFollette to committees as a Republican.

While Senator LaFollette was treated as a Republican and virtually admitted to the inner councils, Gerald P. Nye, North Dakota Progressive, was to all intents and purposes held to be not entitled to a seat in the senate by the privileges and elections committee.

The senate committee on privileges and elections voted in favor of a report against the seating of Gerald P. Nye by a 9 to 2 majority.

Ask Higher Price to Make Chicago Milk Pure

Chicago.—Milk producers supplying Chicago offered to guarantee Chicago pure milk provided a one-cent per quart increase in the price of milk, to 15 cents a quart, is allowed in order to reimburse them for their loss. After an all-day session in the office of their attorney over the controversy between city officials and the farmers regarding the demands for tuberculin tests for cows, that way out was put forward by the farmers, who announced that they would consult with the Chicago distributers.

Alien Property Custodian Dies in Capital Theater

Washington.—Frederick C. Hicks, alien property custodian, died of heart disease while witnessing a performance in the Belasco theater here.

Prior to his appointment as alien property custodian on April 10, last, Mr. Hicks had taken an active part in national Republican politics and had served four terms in congress from the First New York district. His home was in Port Washington, Long Island, N. Y. He was fifty-four years old.

Mexicans Arrest Plotters

Mexico City.—Several members of the Vera Cruz legislature have been arrested after the alleged discovery of a revolutionary plot.

Mellon to Be Rail Director

Washington.—Secretary Mellon will be director general of railroads after January 1, under a proclamation issued by President Coolidge. The duties of the office have virtually been decided.

Heavier Parcels to Canada

Washington.—Postmaster General New announced an agreement with Canada to permit parcel post packages to that country to weigh 15 instead of 11 pounds.

Loses German Property Case

Washington.—The United States lost the suit in the Supreme court to prevent American holders of German treasury notes from satisfying their claims from property seized by the alien property custodian.

Scopes Given to January 10

Nashville.—John T. Scopes, defendant in Tennessee's anti-evolution trial, was given until January 10 to file assignments in error in his appeal before the state Supreme court.

FROM BOOM STATE

Thousands of northerners who have migrated to Florida during the fabulous real estate boom, as well as native Floridans, are represented in this session of congress by a new member, R. A. Green of Starke. He succeeds Frank Clark, who voluntarily retired, after 20 years' service, to live on his citrus fruit grove.

BRITAIN BACKS PLAN FOR LEAGUE ARMY

Favors Military Force to Enforce Decisions of Council.

Geneva.—Great Britain consented in principle to proposals of Belgium and France for an agreement to establish a League of Nations military force to enforce the decisions of the league council.

The agreement, which was prepared by Foreign Minister Benes of Czechoslovakia and which has the support of the "little entente" calls for the examination by the preparatory committee arranging the disarmament conference of the size, population, wealth, geographical position, industrial resources and size of the army and navy of all members of the league. Then lists of the proportionate military aid they should undertake to give the league, in case a member is attacked, are to be prepared.

The accord on the proposal was reached in the name of England by Foreign Minister Austen Chamberlain, who came to Geneva and took over the discussions with Belgium and France from Sir Robert Cecil.

France Opposed to Bills Which Will Boost Taxes

Paris.—The cabinet of Premier Aristide Briand is in a shaky condition after the rejection by the finance committee of the chamber of deputies of Finance Minister Louis Loucheur's entire plan for the financial rehabilitation of France.

All the measures proposed by Loucheur and rejected by the chamber finance committee called for tax increases and would have meant enormously increased taxation. Only the fiscal frauds provisions submitted by Loucheur were acceptable to the deputies. The rejection followed action of several French towns and communes declaring that they would not submit to tax increases.

Mrs. Colby Sails for Europe; Won't Ask Divorce

New York.—"Amicable separation" several months ago of Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state during part of the Wilson administration, and Mrs. Colby was disclosed when Mrs. Colby sailed for Europe on the Mauretania. Although admitting they have lived separately several months, both Mr. and Mrs. Colby denied Mrs. Colby was going to Paris to obtain a divorce.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby were married in Stockbridge, Mass., June 22, 1895.

Indict Nine for Jail Plot

Chicago.—Sheriff Peter M. Hoffman and Wesley H. Westbrook, former warden of the Cook County jail, and seven others, now under indictment for their parts in the Druggan-Lake jail scandal, face the possibility of further sentences of two years each in the penitentiary under the terms of indictments returned by the federal grand jury.

Delano Heads Opium Board

Geneva.—Frederic A. Delano of Washington, formerly of Chicago, was appointed by the council of the League of Nations as president of the special commission to study substitution of other crops for the poppy in Persia.

Irish Guards Seize Barracks

Belfast.—The Prince's dock barracks were seized by members of the special constabulary, who declared that they would hold them until their demands for pay due them before their disbandment are met.

Former Private Becomes Shah

London.—Riza Khan Pehlevi, who rose from the ranks in the Persian army, took the oath of office as shah of Persia before the Mejliss, says a dispatch from Teheran.

Golfer Breaks Neck

Denver.—John McGowan, fifty-five, Denver bond broker and golfer, was fatally injured when a ledge on the Denver Country club golf course caved in and he fell five feet, breaking his neck.

General Chase Dies in Capital

Washington.—Brig. Gen. George F. Chase, retired, died at the Walter Reed hospital. He was appointed to the military academy from Illinois and graduated in 1867.

KILLS INCOME TAX PUBLICITY CLAUSE

House Also Raises Exemptions for Heads of Families to $3,500.

Washington.—Repeal of the publicity provision of the 1924 revenue act was approved by the house by an overwhelming margin.

An amendment by Representative La Guardia (Ind., Rep.) restoring the clause of the present law requiring amounts paid by taxpayers to be open to public inspection was rejected by a viva voce vote so decisively that its sponsor did not even request that a count be made.

The house in committee of the whole also approved provisions of the ways and means committee bill relating to personal exemptions and corporation taxes.

Amendments both increasing and reducing the amount of the exemptions as proposed in the committee bill were beaten. The effect was to approve the increase from an exemption of $1,000 to $1,500 for single persons and from $2,500 to $3,500 for heads of families as provided in the committee bill.

An amendment by Mrs. Mary T. Norton (Dem., N. J.) to increase the exemptions still further to $2,500 and $5,000 respectively was voted down by a vote of 64 to 207. Mrs. Norton in her first speech asked the greater exemptions for the benefit of the working people.

No serious attack was made upon the 12½ per cent tax on corporation earnings of the present law. This was approved after the house had rejected an amendment by Representative McKeown (Dem., Okla.) reducing the rate to 8 per cent.

Battling Siki Murdered After Fight in Gotham

New York.—"Battling" Siki, Senegalese pugilist, whose real name was Louis Phal, was found murdered on the lower West side.

The body was found lying face downward on the sidewalk about 100 feet east of Ninth avenue in the district known as "Hell's Kitchen."

He had been shot twice from the rear. Siki's wife, an octoroon, was notified and she went to the police station, where she identified the body as that of her husband.

It is the theory of the detectives working on the case that he went into one of the numerous night clubs near by and became involved in an argument and that he was followed into the street and murdered.

"Battling" Siki, who first sprang into public notice when he won the world's light-heavyweight championship from Georges Carpentier in 1922 in Paris, had had many escapades which frequently resulted in brawls.

Japan Sends Troops to Guard Manchurian Road

Tokyo.—Thirty-five hundred Japanese troops were rushed to Manchuria to protect the Southern Manchuria railway and other interests in the wide battle area around Mukden. Thousands of soldiers, rushed from Korea, have arrived at Mukden to reinforce the garrison there until four battalions arrive from Kyushu, whereupon the former will return to Korea.

Peking.—The Dutch minister, Oudenijk, dean of the diplomatic corps here, called on President Auan Chi Jui and made a formal protest against the failure of the contending armies to allow the international train to get through to Tientsin.

The further retreat of Gen. Feng Yu-Hsiang's forces before the advance of Gen. Le Ching-Ling's troops in the sector between Peking and Tientsin makes Peking the next stand of the Christian general.

Alexander Moore Resigns as Ambassador to Spain

Washington.—Although anticipated in Washington ever since the inauguration of President Coolidge last March that Alexander P. Moore of Pittsburgh would leave his ambassadorship to Spain this year, the announcement from Madrid that he had informed King Alfonso of his resignation surprised Washington.

The original appointment of Mr. Moore, who married Miss Lillian Russell, was personal with the late President Harding.

Ma Ferguson Cuts Evolution

Austin.—The Texas textbook commission appointed by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson has cut all references to evolution from the biology books, including a statement that man is an animal.

Lissner Quits Ship Board

Washington.—Meyer Lissner has resigned from the shipping board, effective December 31. He was the member from the Pacific coast.

Hears Astor Tax Rebate Suit

New York.—Federal Judge John C. Knox began hearing the suit for recovery of $5,000,000 from the government which the Astor estate alleges was illegally collected as an estate tax from a trust fund left by the late Viscount William Waldorf Astor.

Named U. S. Attorney

Washington.—Roscoe C. Patterson was nominated by President Coolidge to be United States district attorney for the western district of Missouri.

Refuse Oil Rate Increase

Washington. — The interstate commerce commission ruled that rail rates on petroleum from the Smackover-Eldorado fields in Arkansas to New Orleans and surrounding territory may not be increased.

Senate Confirms Mitchell

Washington.—The United States senate on Monday afternoon confirmed the appointment of William D. Mitchell as solicitor general of the United States.

"The Best Laid Schemes"

By MARTHA M. WILLIAMS

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"NO WONDER?" Mrs. Jessup said speculatively, dropping the paper, fresh from the mail box.

Marian, her daughter, on tenterhooks for the sheet ever since it came, asked acidly: "What is it that's no wonder? And are you through reading the news?"

"Here! Take the paper," said the mother, "but don't have a fit when you find out Jim Martin is going to sell out, stock, lock and barrel, and go somewhere—maybe California."

"Don't be scared—he told me all about it yesterday," Marian's accent was triumphant.

"Where? I'd like to know!" Mrs. Jessup cried, sharply.

"Oh! At the Green tea room—we had lunch there—he took me—said he was coming to tell me if we hadn't met in town—"

"And you never told me a word!" Mrs. Jessup ejaculated. "I do hate slyness—"

Marian had vanished, saying over her shoulder: "Don't wait dinner for me—I'm going for a long ride."

Nineteen—and never a free breath all that time—life was as sluggish as waveless, as a mill pond, margined by high green banks. If only her father had lived! He might possibly have dominated her mother. Failing that, Marian was glad he had escaped. Grandpap Dan, who had always held with and up for his daughter, would have made other escape impossible. Else why that will, giving the daughter everything in fee—even forbidding her to provide for her only child if she married to please herself and displease her mother.

A widow indeed for fifteen year, all in a whiffet, Mrs. Jessup had changed—left off mourning, bought a fashionable bonnet, along with garments fitter for her daughter than herself. Psychology might explain it, albeit she lacked something of forty-five. She was not giddy, but whenever Jim Martin had come—Marian flushed a dark red, and set her teeth as she recalled looks of invitation, actions of allure, above all transparent artifices to secure a solitude of two. Yet she had been shaken indeed when Jim had said difficultly: "Honey—I've got to do it—no other way out. It'll all come right—if only you stand fast—and don't rile her—not about anything. You see, I'm leaving you the same as herself. With a clear field I'm dead sure Judge Dandy can make the riffle. Particularly, if you play safe—make out you're so set against a stepfather you're likely to run off with the first man that asks you, as sure as she gives you one. That'll tickle her pink. She knows you won't do it. You can compromise on going off to college. Then when the honeymoon has sobered to a dog-trot—say in a year—I'l come back and tell her she owes you to me as a consolation prize—"

Possibly Jim capitalized public curiosity. Certainly his sale drew a record crowd, also record prices, so he went away, with hope in his heart, and money in both pockets, leaving his namesake Jim-Dandy, the slashing bay, to keep Marian in mind of him. But he made sure the local paper should follow him. A printed announcement of the engagement of Mrs. Jessup and Judge Dancy reached him just a day ahead of wedding cards. A week later there was an anonymous note with these words: "The plot thickens. Watch out." Three weeks later—the deluge. A honeymoon party of three as Jim's uninvited guests.

Behind a glowering bridegroom and bride trailed Marian, frowning, downcast, refusing to raise her eyelids, or do more than nod to him by way of greeting. Jim did the honors of his new environment magnificently.

He asked never a question, save as to old friends and neighbors. Beneath the surface and harmony, he sensed a widening rift. Judge Dancy was always at his wife's elbow. Jim knew she wanted private speech with him, but for three days could not compass it. Marian came to the rescue at last—demanding, upon the fourth morning, to be taken by her stepfather to see some famous views, which only he could properly explain. Jim pleaded important business and went a little way with the pair—then dashed back to Marian's mother, who greeted him with: "Thank the Lord! didn't believe we'd make it."

"Shoot quick! My guess is, he'll be back in an hour," from Jim.

"Sooner maybe," the wife sighed, running on: "Oh Jim! Jim, what made you go away? You're my only hope—you don't even know the mess I'm tangled in. My Marian, all the child I've got, swearing to marry the first that asks her—and he—the judge—scheming to keep her under his eye until he can fetch back from South Africa that no-account grandson of his—make him ask her and get all the money. He wanted it—not me; when he found he could do nothing but let me have it, he hatched up this scheme. And I'd always hoped you'd marry her—and take care of us both—"

"So had I," Jim said heartily: "Not too late for it yet."

"Almost!" cried the mother: "That oaf is comin' home this way. May be her any time now—"

"Don't fret," from Jim: "I'll get busy right away."

That afternoon he swaggered a bit as he said to the Danceys: "Wish me joy. I've struck a gusher—thousand-barrel one. Also I've married Marian."

Short Obituary

A lively western boy, playing with his chum, suddenly interrupted the ball game by saying, "Bet you don't know what happened at 5:30 this morning?" "What?" the other boy asked. "My uncle passed away." "What's that?" "He died." And the ball game was resumed.—Capper's Weekly

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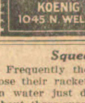

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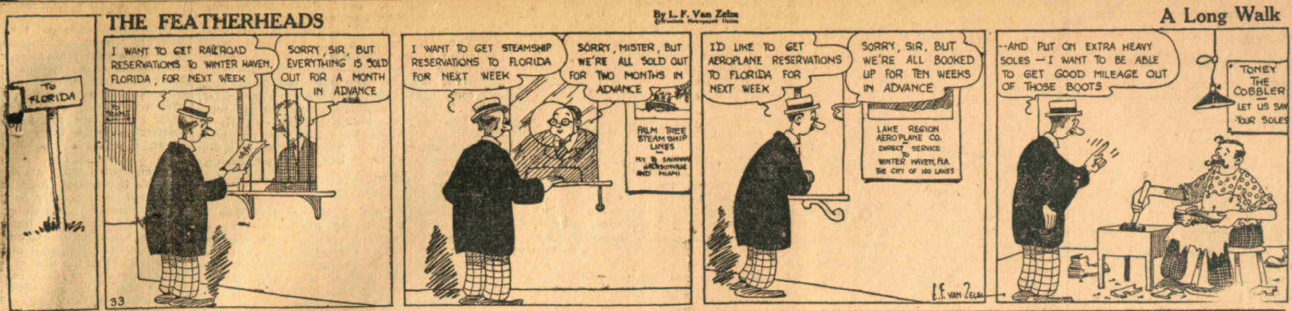
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W. C. T. U. Column

LAURA WALWORTH, EDITOR

Program Of Activities 1925-1926 Slogan Mobilize For Law Observance And Law Enforcement

Prayer has ever been our practice and our source of power. We call upon all members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to pray daily for God's blessing upon our leaders and our entire membership that they may have wisdom in the development and execution of plans to promote law observance and law enforcement. The following are recommended as special activities:

1. A definite plan for increasing membership should be adopted by each state, which will culminate in Membership Week, beginning Mothers' Day, May 9th, 1926, the plan to include an invitation to all women and men to commit themselves to law observance and law enforcement by joining the W. C. T. U. or the Y. P. B.

2. Enlist new women and renew the interest of former members by a campaign of organization that will place a local W. C. T. U. in every community, and will bring into active membership all who have ever been members.

3. Lay strong foundations for total abstinence through renewed presentation of scientific temperance instruction in the schools: win the teachers through the presentation of this subject in normal schools, training schools and at teachers' institutes, thus promoting a knowledge of the scientific fact that total abstinence promotes health, public morals and longevity.

4. Enlist young people by securing signatures to the Patriotic Roll of all between the ages of fourteen and twenty five, using their names as a basis for organizing a Y. P. B.

5. Win a million children through enlisting them as Prohibition Guards. Make each unit of the Prohibition Guards the basis for a loyal Temperance Legion.

6. Enlist the support of all Christian men and women in a citizenship campaign for the election of men and women to public office who observe the law themselves and are really interested in making prohibition a success.

7. Enlist the public through a campaign of education whereby the facts in regard to prohibition will be made known through The Union Signal, through the press, pulpit and platform, and through up-to-date literature.

8. Enlist the co-operation of other organizations: The Council of Jewish Women, the Woman's Catholic Protective Union, and other organizations of women by urging them to adopt a program of their own to promote law observance and law enforcement.

9. Concentrate the work of the departments on their relation to law observance and law enforcement, that those interested in other reforms may see that their progress is promoted by law observance and law enforcement.

10. Carry on a campaign of education to expose the fallacies of the proponents of the sale of beer and wine.

11. Emphasize department work with the recommendation that each local union adopt not less than six departments and appoint superintendents or directors.

12, Enlist the public by placing historic and reference temperance books in public libraries. That the story of the fifty years' work of the Woman's Christmas Temperance Union may be known, see that "Women Torch Bearers" is on the list.

13. Hold a border conference in each border state, this to pave the way for a larger knowlege of the internationol aspects of the liquor problem.

14. Urge the local unions to subscribe for the Monthly Budget of leaflets issued by the National W. C. T. U. This supplies up-to-date material for programs, and from the catalogue of publications which will be furnished free, material on all department work can be ordered.

15. Subscribe for the Union Signal, which is the textbook for state and local leaders. It is indispensable to a knowledge of what is being done for law observance and law enforcement. See that it is placed in libraries and public institutions, and see that three officers in each union have it and that the subscription list in every union is equal to one-sixth of the membership.

16. Broaden our work through education as to the danger in habit forming drugs.

17. Lift moral standards through education in social morality on the basis of the single standard of morals.

18. Carry on a campaign to help outlaw war by promoting a sound public sentiment for world peace. —The Union Signal.

It has been claimed by the pessimists that Michigan had no oil within her borders, but the aforesaid critics will have to come off their roost and admit the case for sure since there are oil producing wells in the Saginaw valley and another will be bored at once. Of course no one has yet been able to strike a "gusher" but the day is coming when Michigan will take rank as an oil producing state, because the stuff is here without doubt and the only question is striking the right location. We presume Osseo is not in the oil producing strata but we believe the day is coming when there will be something doing right in Hillsdale county.

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20 Observation Stations To Test Causes Of Radio Fading

Investigation of "fading" on a scale never before attempted in the United States will be made in mid-January at twenty observation stations, it was announced today by J. K. Smith of the Stewart Warner corporation.

Hitherto such experiments have been carried on in isolated sections of the country between two or at most three stations. The results of such research have been negligible There is still no explanation of why signals should be stronger in the winter when static electricity leaps out of one's hair or sparks out of the rug at one's feet, and weak in summer when there are apparently no static charges in the things about us, according to Mr. Smith.

The Stewart Warner observation posts will chart readings on selected distant stations every two minutes during the period of the tests. The results will be averaged and plotted on a map similar to that issued by the government weather bureau. It is the belief of the engineers conducting the tests that curves which will make possible a comparison of effects and a search for causes will result. If so, the experiment will be repeated at regular intervals throughout the winter.

"By a comparison of 'fading' and the static curves with those of the U.S. weather map it will be possible to determine the effect of weather on such phenomena" said Mr. Smith, "By plotting the curves of 'fading' and static in tests on stations of varying wave length, some tangible progress may be made toward discovering what frequencies are best for broadcast.

"The plan to hold the tests originated in a discovery that Chicago reception this year has failed to follow the accepted rules. There have been several clear, cold nights on which it has been impossible to hear stations 500 miles distant.

"On the other hand, there have been warm, wet nights entirely free from static and perfect for broadcast reception from distant points."

On Monday evening 200 of the elite of Highland Park danced to the old-fashioned strains of "Moneymusk", "The Irish Washerwoman", "Yankee Doodle" and "Captain Jinks" furnished by a special Ford orchestra and sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford. Mr. and Mrs. Ford were guests of the company and took a hand or more properly a foot, in these dances so tis said. The styles which Henry is inaugurating in dancing will probably not find much support among the younger class of semi flappers and others who dance the naughty "Charlestown" and "Bunnyhug" but among real good common folks of the middle age. Mr. and Mrs. Ford's new idea of refining modern dances will undoubtedly gain a hearing. It is becoming obvious that the extreme rawness of the modern dance cannot much longer be endured by right-thinking citizens who would like the young folks to keep somewhere within the bounds of decency.

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And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the North Adams Advocate, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Arthur L. Guernsey
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Ford Sponsoring Air Work

The latest reports via Radio are that Henry Ford has arranged with New York capitalists to prepare an airplane flight from Spitzbergen in the far north to the Pole. This is to be undertaken to establish some facts relative to flying in cold climates and to satisfy the experimental desires of a group of men who expect aviation to cover the entire Globe in a comparatively short time. Mr. Ford is already the principal actor in aeroplane work in this country having established the factory at Dearborn. It occurs to us that more than likely he is figuring on navigating the air fully as generally as his little "Flivvers" have navigated the land, in which case a little block of stock in his aeroplane factory would be more than a "bonanza."

As an example of what stock investments will do and won't do we like to call your attention to this matter. We hear a lot of talk about the anxiety to sell stocks in fox farms and the like and they go begging for customers, but we would like to have our readers notice the difference between these fly-by night jokes and a real good stock. If you ever see any of this aeroplane stock floating around loose begging for a hand out please grab it at once, because you'll never see it again. No! there is no likelihood of any aeroplane stock from Henry's factory being offered for sale among the citizens of this county or any other county but fox farms and such gilt-edged things as that are surely going strong. A fox farm is all right if you could buy these breeding animals for what they are worth. But if you can't you had better side-track it.

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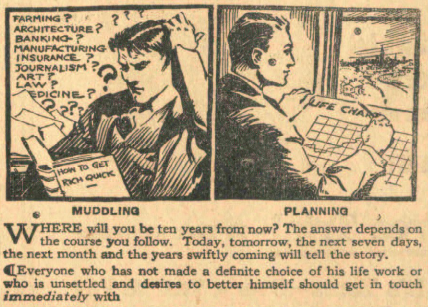
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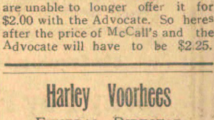

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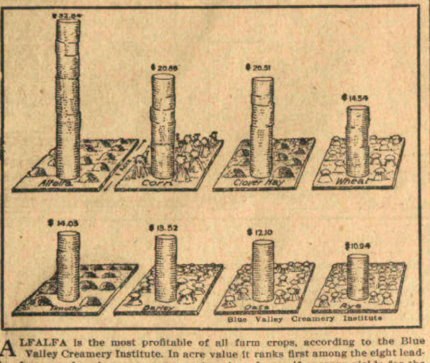

ALFALFA is the most profitable of all farm crops, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. In acre value it ranks first among the eight leading forage and grain crops grown on American farms, if average yields for the United States from 1921 to 1924 and average farm prices during that period may be taken as an index. Its acre value, according to the Institute's experts was $32.84, which is $11.98 higher than that for corn; $12.33 higher than clover hay; $18.30 per acre more than wheat; $18.79 greater than the acre value of timothy hay; $19.32 higher than the acre return from barley; $20.74 more than oats and $21.90, or nearly three times greater return, than the acre yield of rye.

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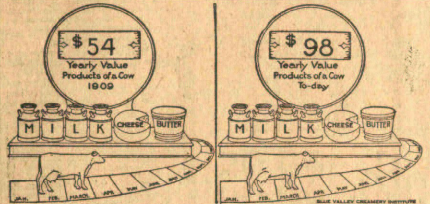

THE VALUE of a cow's yearly production of dairy products in 1909 was $54. Today it is $98, an increase in 15 years of 81 per cent, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute. During the same period, however, total milk production increased 51 per cent, the number of dairy cows 19 per cent and the purchasing power of their products 17 per cent. The average amount of milk produced by each cow increased from 3,434 pounds in 1909 to 4,368 at present, or 27 per cent, which shows that the average production of milk gained with the larger numbers of cows and that both increased at a greater rate than the purchasing power of each cow's production. In other words, the institute points out, the value of each cow's production has not kept pace with the value of commodities the farmer must buy. As cows producing 4,368 pounds of milk a year are low-profit makers, the importance of high-producing animals is emphasized by the institute's experts. Better breeding, better feeding and the elimination of low-producing cows will make more profitable dairy herds and increase the value and purchasing power of each cow's products, the Institute concludes.

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Detroit's Wondreful Growth

There is much said to-day concerning the changing of the country's population from different centers of the land. It is not that we believe the reports are exaggerated but that we have failed to comprehend the trend of the times wherein the cities were picking up momentum and the country was losing its velocity, and we want to say this fact never was so thoroughly impressed upon our mind as when we visited Detroit, the metropolis of Michigan recently and viewed the changes taking place all over the city. Little sub divisions which were out in the country a scant three years ago are now coming to their own, in many ways and not only do prospective buyers flock in but all kinds of capital is centering right in Detroit. These great monied men are seeing the wonderful possibilities of the enlarging of Detroit and are taking the burden of the first investment off the general public. A man can go to Detroit now and find anything he wants in real estate which he can buy to suit himself, and lay the deed aside for two or three years merely keeping up his taxes and go back to the place where he bought and find Lo! a young city of teeming thousands and blocks of splendid brick stores stretching for miles on paved streets sewers being laid in what he supposed were wheat fields, water mains being installed and electricity being added, so that in a short time comparatively, the country like Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde transforms so suddenly that the owner of a lot will be completely upset.

Yet this panorama of life is transpiring every day and every week and every month in Detroit where the great melting pot of three continents is simmering.

One of the best sub-division districts we have ever seen is now in what is known as Grand River District toward Redford and Farmington. Here the land lies very high and slopes gently in all directions. The prospects look better than that in the low-lying river bottom lands about Dearborn and the Ford properties. This new plat is called Brightmoor and contains all that humanity needs to make an ideal residence district. B. E. Taylor & Co. and Knowles Brothers have bought several thousand acres in this place and platted it into business lots also some residential portions which are being rapidly snapped up. Every week sees these sub-divisions filled with satisfied buyers. Just a word concerning B. E. Taylor. The amount of money which is tied up in this deal can hardly be realized, but suffice to say both the Taylors and the Knowles Brothers are behind it with plenty of capital to turn the property into a teeming city. All lots sold here are subject to both sewer and water. Sidewalks and the sewers and water are now being put in, as shown by long lines of big tile awaiting the work of the gigantic ditching machine which works every day in the week. With human precision it digs these trenches for miles if need be, and the work of laying the pipes goes on ceaselessly. To one who has money to invest there is one request which the company wishes to make and that is come and look. Just investigate what has been done in the past three years and then ponder on what it will mean to Detroit with the Great Lakes to Ocean canal completed(and that will be done) and the great International bridge across the River. Then take a casual survey of Henry Ford's activities alone to say nothing of the hundreds of other big industries centered in Detroit and you will want to own a patch of real estate in a spot where values cannot possibly go back but must advance. The only absolutely safe and sure investment that capital knows. The Knowles Brothers and B. E. Taylor control altogether 4,200 acres of this city property, have 80 salesmen and restrictions as to building run from $6,000 to $15,000 If you doubt the increase in property values during the past two or three years, go to the men who own property and want to sell, or have to sell. They'll tell you what they paid to start and tell you what they are expecting to make. Men who have bought in Detroit, have constantly been deluged with offers for their property, which is radically different from some properties in North Adams or Florida. Don't put your money in something which is being taxed far beyond its value to build concrete highways and remains always the cadaver that it was. Leave such things alone and go where the progress is always forward.

Comparing Growth of Cities

Miss Olive Hall of San Diego California (an old Neighbor) who went west some years ago is very enthusiastic concerning the growth of her particular city and sends us some clippings from local papers which shows the comparative advantages and growth of California and Florida cities, the latter where so many of our Michiganders are wintering and will undoubtedly continue to winter as the the years go on. Miami, Florida is the county seat of Dade Co., located 366 miles south of Jacksonville which is the port of entry to the state. Miami is the mushroom town of the state springing up as one might say almost over night, but it owes its popularity mostly to Henry Flagler a millionaire promoter, who built the wonderful railroads on viaducts for many miles over the shallow sand bars of the Gulf of Mexico to Key West. Cynical people sneered at the Flagler enterprise and said it never could be done, but Henry stuck to his text and finally had the pleasure of seeing this wonderful line in operation with regular trains. We have never seen it and do not know how the terrible Gulf storms effect the running schedule of the road but this must interfere at times. Flagler had $30,000 when he struck the state which he invested in orange groves. Finally his resources increased until he became immensely rich which is no sign every amateur investor can ganver in acres of diamonds in the same way.

Miami has a tropical climate being below the frost line and is blessed with a wonderful harbor has through connections with all the principal southern towns of Florida by means of canals traversing the country in every direction, bank deposits of $46,000,000 and the largest newspaper with a circulation of 41,012 and calls itself the "World's Greatest Winter Resort." In 1900 it had a population of only 1681 now it is estimated to have a population of 150,000 souls. In eight months of 1925 the building permits have reached $32,566, 703 and still going stronger. This certainly means something to the permanent population of the state. San Diego, California, county seat of San Diego county, 130 miles south of Los Angeles, Largely built by John D. Spreckles the sugar king, bank deposits $62,610 643. Paper with daily circulation of 44,022, best natural harbor on the Pacific coast, splendid all year climate not so much rain as Florida, population in 1900 17,700 now 140,500. One of the greatest summer resorts of the Pacific coast, attracting all classes of Eastern people, many for consumptive diseases. It might be said that while San Diego does not show a biff and boom as Miami, it yet has a steady healthy normal growth which means permanency and also means it will be the big town of Southern California some day. Miss Hall writes she is much pleased with the location, is as we understand interested in investments there and has only one real worry. Her brother, Watson Hall, is now practically disabled by rheumatism and does not leave his wheel chair. The Halls went there expecting to receive some benefit in health but such has not been the case. Miss Hall sends regards to all inquiring friends in Michigan.

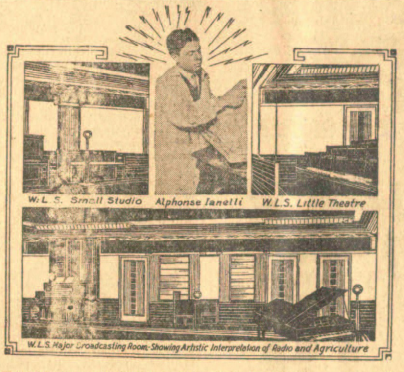
The Tax Situation

As remarked in another column of this issue the lower tax rate is taken quite complacently by a number of our citizens. The good roads and our school system seem to be the principal eaters of municipal money. We don't feel that the school system can be curtailed, in fact in comparison with some others, we need additions and they are bound to come sooner or later, so we may as well smile.

Regarding the miles of splendid highways leading from North Adams in all directions, everybody who drives an automobile, feels they are a wondeful up-lift to the community even though the upkeep at times, may pull heavily on our pocket-books. While the average property holder endeavors to pay his taxes promptly, there are times when some would like to thresh it out with the officials, and this becomes a chronic complaint if persisted in. For the benefit of this class it might be said our tax officials are elected by the largest public vote and must be considered good managers of municipal business, otherwise they would not be placed in authority, so it is well to consider the burden has to be borne jointly—share and share alike, and no tax collector under such circumstances would dare to favor one tax-payer to the detriment of any other or for his own personal interest. In certain back woods, rough and ready communities this is sometimes done, but the ever-watchful eagle eye of the State government at Lansing is fixed on every county and township official with a red-hot candle power though but few of these men realize it. Matters of this nature are much differently watched than they were a short ten years ago. So pay your taxes to build more roads to accommodate more speed buggies to carry more midnight "hooch" to grog more workers to manufacture more speed buggies to carry more farmers to town in 30 seconds to save more time to do more work to raise more potatoes to sell for 50c per bushel, to make more money to pay more taxes to build more——! Here's where we get off the time-worn phrase so plain yet so complex: "The philogeny recapitulates its ontogany."

Frank A. Munsey publisher of the Munsey publications passed away at his home on the Hudson in New York State Monday evening He had been ailing for sometime and a while ago retired to his country home to rejuvenate. His death removes one of the most prominent publishers of modern times in America. The high class magazine periodicals of New York City and other eastern cities owe much of their popularity to Frank Munsey. He was one of the biggest men in the world and his publishing establishments will live long years after him.

New "Radio Art" Studio Has World's Smallest Theater



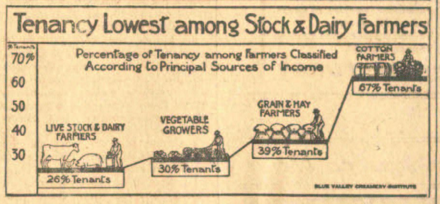
W.L.S. Major Broadcasting Room-Showing Artistic Interpretation of Radio and Agriculture

"RADIO ART," an adaptation of the decorative idea to express broadcasting, has been applied for the first time to the new radio studio of WLS, the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation station, in the Hotel Sherman, Chicago. It is said to be one of the most beautiful radio suites in the world. Radio service is the theme of decoration. Everything gives the impression of motion; the walls, ceiling, and even the furniture.

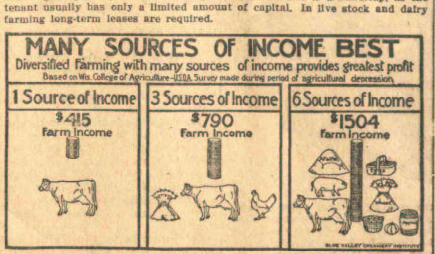
Alphonse Ianelli, one of the country's most noted designers and interior decorators, has succeeded in interpreting radio to fit a decorative scheme portraying modern times. Twin studios have been provided. One is for orchestras, bands and dramatic productions. The smaller one is used for soloists. Separated from the larger studio by a plate glass window is the smallest theater in the world, open to the public. A loud speaker enables the audience to hear the program as it goes on the air while they are watching the actual broadcasting.

Black, red and silver is the color scheme. Ethereal energy and motion, captured by the artist's brush, greet the eye. Representation of sound waves on the walls and ceiling gives the visitor the impression he has stepped inside a dynamo of power. Black and red chenille carpetings also bring out the radio lines of motion. The reception room has a distinctly agricultural background, portraying the "voice of the farm," typifying the educational work of the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation.

Most Dairymen Own Farms, Tenancy Survey Reveals



LESS tenancy is prevalent among dairy farmers than any other type of farmer, is the declaration of the Blue Valley Creamery Institute after a complete study of the percentage of tenancy among farmers classified according to the principal sources of income based upon Census Bureau reports. One alarming element of the survey is that farm tenancy is increasing out of proportion to the total number of farms. According to the census of 1880, 25.6 per cent of all the farms were operated by tenants; in 1890, 28.4 per cent; in 1900, 35.3 per cent. During these forty years the total number of farms increased 61 per cent, while the number of tenant farmers jumped 139.6 per cent. The total number of farms operated by owners only showed a gain of 33.8 per cent. Cotton farming leads in the percentage of tenancy, the Institute finds, because of the large number of "croppers." The percentage is also high in the case of other cash crops, which require only a limited investment. The short term leases do not permit the tenant to engage in dairy, live stock or fruit farming to advantage. And the cream cow is, after all, the greatest friend that the tenant farmer can tie to. She produces ready cash regularly every week. The larger investment also is a handicap, as the tenant usually has only a limited amount of capital. In live stock and dairy farming long-term leases are required.



DIVERSIFIED farming, with many sources of income, provides the greatest profit, according to the Blue Valley Creamery Institute, which has completed a study of farm income data obtained on 262 farms by investigators of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture. Farms with six sources of income had an average yearly income of $1,504; those with three, $790, while those farmers who were dependent upon only one source of income made less than $500. The big lesson to be gained from this study, the Institute explains, is that the farmer who raises products of many kinds makes a living and a reasonable profit, while the one who depends upon a single kind of animal or crop has only a single source of income and small profits for a year's work.

Winter Building

It used to be supposed that the matter of winter construction in cities was almost prohibitive, but late years there is precious little if any difference in the way the firms of such places go about the building program. The Manufacturing News gives the following pointers concerning winter building and it would appear from a casual observation. Labor bonuses are eliminated. Labor turnover is reduced. Contractors lower their margins of profit in order to keep busy. Seasonal discount on materials. Seasonal rates of transport companies. Earlier returns on the investment. If you should inquire you will find that the city of Detroit is keeping up well in the scale of winter building, with approximately one-half of the amount going on regardless of the weather The only method which requires extra precautions is concrete work and even that is taken care of by housing so that concrete pouring by means of hot water and steam keeps the industry moving.

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Sojourners in Florida

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Carrel who left here not long since are located at Lynn Haven Florida, and write very entertainingly of their new home. For the benefit of our readers we are publishing the letter:

Lynn Haven, Florida, Dec. 15, 1925

"We are greatly missing our home paper. Will youkindly change the address to Box 16, Lynn Haven Florida, until further notice. We are here in the land of "Blooms and Booms" as a friend designates in a letter received just the other day. The name is very appropriate. The flowers are everywhere in evidence, not only orange blossoms whose fragrance seems to surpass in unadulterated sweetness any other bloom that blossoms but roses of many varieties are to be seen all about us. The foliage of great magnolia trees and orange and grape fruit trees with their large glossy leaves and trees and shrubs of many varieties look as though they had no dream of "killing frosts."

Few days here are chilly enough to demand a fire for comfort. If the nights are chilly a little turpentine pitch wood kindled in the morning suffices. For the past three or four days before writing we have needed no fire for heating To-day we have had a succession of April showers starting with a thunderstorm some time during the night, and clearing for a pleasant day tomorrow. You would not care to use the space in the North Adams Advocate to tell the little I have learned about the booms in a two weeks' sojourn. They are here; the movement toward Florida is on and what the outcome will be this deponent will not undertake to say. Mrs. Carrel and I rode the other day along the shore of St. Andrews Bay from Lynn Haven to Panama City, the county seat of Bay county. Tourists are everywhere; evidences of an unusual and very intense interest in real estate in all places-

Great tracts of rough and wild pine lands are being cleared by means of mattock and fire and stakes driven to mark boundaries blocks and lots, while showy real estate offices were appealing to passers-by, to examine the marvelous values which they are able to dispense. Shanties of wood and groups of canvas tents indicative of what is being done to relieve the stress and distress of multitudes of tourists pouring into communities already full to overflowing. The proprietress of one of the hotels at Lynn Haven says that she is turning down as high as 15 applications in a day for room and board, and it is very difficult to find needed accommodations along any of the thoroughfares leading toward the south. Inadequate transportation facilities are halting all enterprises looking toward permanent increase of accommodation by placing an embargo on bulding material and merchandise not absolutely essential to life and health. So labor halts and many who have expected to find lots of work at highest wages are greatly disappointed if not in actual need. I think the authoriities are alert and seeking to do all possible to avoid unnecessary suffering among the transient guests but it wouldn't be well for those planning to spend the winter in Florida. to come without some definite arrangements for shelter and food while they are here."

M. D. Carrel

Cider mills around Kalamazoo have gone into the grape juice business on a large scale and report says they have produced this fall right around 382,000 gallons of this delicious Bill Bryan toddy.

For Sale—My house and lot on North side of Wilber street. Inquire of Miss Florence Benson. North Adams Mich. 22t8

The VALLEY of VOICES

by GEORGE MARSH

AUTHOR OF
"TOILERS OF THE TRAIL"
"THE WHELPS OF THE WOLF"

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THE WINDIGO

SYNOPSIS.—With David, half-breed guide, Brent Steele, of the American Museum of Natural History, is traveling in northern Canada. By a stream he hears Denise, daughter of Col. Hilaire St. Onge, factor at Walling River, play the violin superbly. He introduces himself and accepts an invitation to make the post his home during his stay. He finds the factor worried and mystified. The "log chateau" is a real home. From St. Onge he learns of the mysterious creature of evil, the windigo, and the disappearance of a canoe and its crew, with the season's take of furs.

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She shook her head, wistfully. "At the Conservatoire they had planned for me—a career, but father was coming out to Canada—and I could not have him come—alone."

"She was the favorite pupil of the great Mario," announced St. Onge, proudly, "but her love for her old father could not suffer a separation, so she is sharing with me—" the Frenchman rose and nervously paced the room, then, with a gesture of hopelessness, finished, "the loneliness and the—hell of this spirit-ridden valley."

Steele's eyes were on the fine profile of the girl as she followed her father's nervous pacing. Frankly ignoring his presence, she made no effort to conceal the solicitude pictured by her sensitive face. What a sacrfice she had made! To give up career, life—all that people, cities, civilization mean to the artist—how could St. Onge have permitted it? What a tragedy he had stumbled on at Wailing River!

"I've told David he could go down the river with Michel, sir," Steele hastened to change a too painful subject.

"They will find nothing, monsieur."

"Has Michel told you exactly what they are going to look for, Colonel St. Onge?"

The factor stopped his pacing. "Why, what is there to seek, monsieur, except the evidence which has escaped us?"

"Based on a familiarity with the way David's mind works, coupled with an idea of my own, my guess is that they will not spend much time following the shore."

St. Onge's black eyebrows lifted in surprise. "What do you mean; they are going into the back country?"

"Precisely."

"What for?"

"To find a trail!"

"A trail—through the muskeg? But they couldn't get out that way. A trail leading where?"

"That's what puzzles me, colonel."

"Oh, you are wrong! My men never stole that fur. We shall find something yet to prove they were broken up in the big rapid—"

"And then, father, it may be too late," added the low voice of Denise St. Onge.

The bronzed face of the old soldier noticeably reddened at the remark, but he avoided his daughter's eyes.

It was Greek to Steele—this innuendo, and besides, he was hungry for music. "Please, mademoiselle, just a little more—if you are not too tired," he begged.

But the gay mood was not to be recaptured. She shook her head, put aside her bow and violin, and with chin in hand sat with brooding eyes on the bearskin rug at her feet. As the factor talked of the trade, the glance of his guest shifted constantly to the masses of the girl's hair, stray tendrils of which caught and held the light of the candles; to the hand of the artist, with its tapering fingers, which masked her cheek; to the trim foot, in the house moccasin, and rounded ankle; and within him was born the determination to help this girl in her secret trouble, if the aid of a stranger were possible.

Shortly, with a few words of apology, she bade them good night.

With a sigh, as she left the room, the factor went to a cupboard and produced a bottle and two glasses.

"You will honor me, monsieur, by joining me in a glass of cognac? This, and the books, I insisted on having if I were to be exiled to this valley."

Steele poured himself a modest drink. "It is not right, colonel, that you should squander this good stuff upon me. In a few weeks I shall be in New York, while your supply is limited."

"It is not wasted if appreciated," protested St. Onge, "but I fear you have a suspicion of it; you have hardly a taste there," and he deliberately filled his own glass, and raising it with the toast, "Your health, monsieur, and the devil take the Windigo and their friends!" swallowed the brandy.

It was not long before the potent spirits asserted themselves in the Frenchman's manner, which grew appreciably warmer.

"Monsieur Steele," he said, "you doubtless ask yourself why I, a retired colonel, in the army of France, should find myself a trader of fur for the Revillon Freres in Canada—should have brought a girl, educated, refined, to this wilderness?"

"It was, of course, a surprise, sir, to find a woman of the charm—of the remarkable musical talent of your daughter here, in this valley. It is marvelous—her playing. She should have a career, sir."

"Yes, a career!" echoed St. Onge, as he poured himself another drink, "and she has lost it, lost it because she would not leave me."

The liquor had aged the once handsome face of St. Onge. Lines multiplied about the eyes and mouth as he slouched in his chair. All trace of the soldier had vanished; in his place sat a man, broken—conquered by life.

"You have not been in Canada long?" Steele ventured, hoping that the Frenchman would now talk more freely.

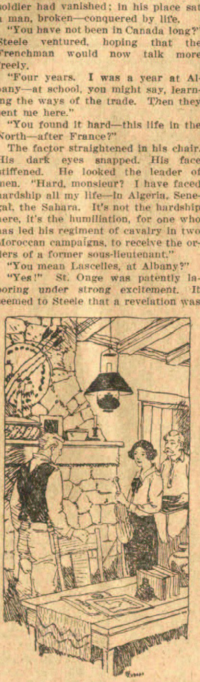
"Four years. I was a year at Albany—at school, you might say, learning the ways of the trade. Then they sent me here."

"You found it hard—this life in the North—after France?"

The factor straightened in his chair. His dark eyes snapped. His face stiffened. He looked the leader of men. "Hard, monsieur? I have faced hardship all my life—in Algeria, Senegal, the Sahara. It's not the hardship here, it's the humiliation, for one who has led his regiment of cavalry in two Moroccan campaigns, to receive the orders of a former sous-lieutenant."

"You mean Lascelles, at Albany?"

"Yes!" St. Onge was patently laboring under strong excitement. It seemed to Steele that a revelation was imminent, but the factor turned to the bottle. "Monsieur," he protested, "you do not flatter my cognac!"



She Shook Her Head Wistfully.

"I am enjoying it, sir," replied Steele, pouring himself a drink to humor his host, to which he added water, for the brandy was powerful. That the cognac habit was an old story with St. Onge was evident, and the younger man wondered what relation a fondness for strong liquor had to St. Onge's presence in Canada. Then he opened abruptly:

"By keeping this post active, under the conditions here in this valley, Lascelles must have realized the chances he took. I cannot understand a fur-trader of judgment doing such a thing."

The face of the Frenchman hardened. "Why this post was built in this place, I do not know; but I do know why Lascelles sent me here." St. Onge leaned toward Steele as he repeated bitterly. "He sent me here—to ruin me."

"To ruin you?" gasped the other. "I don't understand. It is to his interest as an inspector that every post in his district should make a profit." Then he suddenly remembered the mysterious statement of Michel, "M'sieu Lascelles ees no fool; he not keep eet for fur; he keep eet for noder reason." That explained it; the head man knew. "But why?" pressed the curious Steele.

The factor rose and paced the floor, his hands working nervously. Turning impulsively to the man he had met but a few hours before, he exclaimed:

"Why I am telling you this, I do not know. It is an affair the most private, but I am alone with my troubles—and you are a gentleman—a man of heart. You will understand."

Steele tingled with expectancy.

"It surprised you to hear that I was sent here to make a failure of the trade, but that is the truth," went on the factor.

"But for what reason, sir?"

St. Onge shook with emotion. "Because that canaille at Albany desires to marry my daughter!"

Steele wondered, now, why he had not guessed. Of course, the failure of St. Onge as a trader would put him into the hands of his superior at Albany, so he had been sent to the doomed fur post on the Wailing.

"You will leave the company, then?" he hazarded, sick with thoughts of the girl who was the stake in this mad game of Lascelles.

"I must, if I fail here. Up to this year, I have beaten him, in spite of the odds—shown a small profit. And this year, at Portage Lake, we had a good trade—better than ever before—in spite of Laflamme. But the loss of this fur canoe destroys our four years' profits. Monsieur, I am a ruined man."

There was little Steele could say. For a space St. Onge walked the floor with his bitter thoughts, then he began:

"We have been a proud family, the St. Onges. My grandfather fought under the great Napoleon. My father was killed at Sedan. We have always been soldiers, bearing an honored name, but I, the last, am unworthy of it. Cards and this," pointing to the bottle, "have done it. They lost me my old home in Touraine; my poor wife died while I was deep in the Sahara, at Lake Tchad. She is all I have left—Denise." The voice of St. Onge softened as he spoke of his daughter. Then he finished fiercely:

"Give her to that bourgeois? Never!"

Conscious of the fact that the voice of the enraged factor carried to the remotest corner of the house, the embarrassed Steele rose to check further revelations which could prove only a source of pain and mortification to the girl who heard them.

"It is very late, sir—we may be disturbing your daughter," and he offered his hand with a "good-night!" when the pat of moccasins drew the attention of both men.

Clothed in a loose garment, caught at the waist by a Cree sash, her wayward hair in a great coil at the nape of her neck, Denise St. Onge stood in the doorway. She was a figure of peculiar beauty and dignity as she calmly said: "Father, Monsieur Steele doubtless desires to rest after his long journey. It is late."

St. Onge pulled himself together. "Pardon me, monsieur, you are tired. Good-night."

Red with confusion, Steele met the level eyes of the girl who had heard her personal affairs so intimately discussed with a stranger, and marveled to find there no humiliation, no anger, as he murmured a good night and sought his room.

There, for a time, he sat smoking, as he watched the moon drift down to the purple ridge beyond the river. His thoughts traversed the events of the day; the meeting with Denise St. Onge; the news of the loss of the fur canoe and the panic of the post Indians; the startling revelation by the factor of what the future might hold for him and the girl downstairs. As for this fur canoe—St. Onge was palpably holding back something there. But what? And his daughter—had he told the whole story? Could it be that she had already bound herself to Lascelles, to save her father? That would account for the heartache, but not for the fear he had seen in her eyes at the rapids. Fear of whom? Would the old soldier, in spite of his protestations, allow her to sacrifice herself? This Windigo matter—what a rare chance for a first-hand study of the Ojibway superstition! What a monograph it would make for the museum! There was certainly much to do here until they were forced to race the ice down to Nepigon.

Steele undressed and was soon asleep. Presently, from a dream in which timber wolves in full cry were running an old caribou across a frozen lake, he waked to find himself sitting upright in his cot. Across the valley floated a low wail. The man stirred. For a space the hush of the forest night returned. Then from the somber shoulder of the ridge rose sobbing as of a creature in torment.

Wide awake now, nerves tingling, Steele sprang to the window. The voice ceased. The man waited, expectant. Was it a trick of his senses, had he dreamed it, or— Then the eerie wail filled the night with horror, rising in wild crescendo to climax in a demoniacal shriek.

The brain of the excited and mystified man at the window was working swiftly. "Lynx," he muttered, "No! Wolverine? No, not at this time of the year. Wolf? Impossible!" Then his mouth shaped a grim smile. "The Windigo!"

Apparently the Windigo is performing for Steele's benefit. What can the thing be?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

All Ages Poetic

For my part, I can call no age absolutely unpoetic; how should it be so since there are always children to whom the acorns and the swallow's eggs are a wonder, always those human passions and fatalities through which Garrick as Hamlet in bob wig and knee breeches moved his audience more than some have since done in velvet tunic and plume? . . . To be quite fair toward the ages, a little ugliness as well as beauty must be allowed to each of them, a little implicit poetry even to those which echoed loudest with servile, pompous, and trivial prose.—George Eliot.

Claim That Voltaire Invented War "Tanks"

The fact that tanks play an important role in warfare has led one student of history, and Voltaire, to declare that Voltaire was the real inventor of the armored tank.

According to this claimant, Voltaire announced the invention, about 1750, of the "Assyrian Chariot," which was armed like the modern tank. With this invention Voltaire proclaimed that he could crush the armies of Frederick the Great, then waging the Seven Years' war. Marshal de Richelieu, however, turned down the invention and Voltaire, in 1770, offered it to Czarina Catherine of Russia, who was then engaged in war with the Turks.

Catherine ordered a pair of the tanks, but later informed Voltaire that they were useless except against troops in massed ranks, as she personally had seen them tested.

White Gold

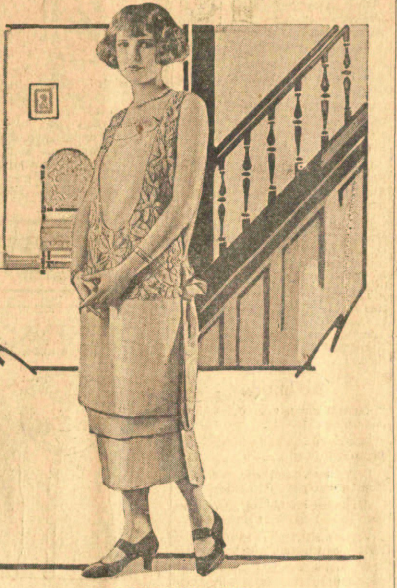
This metal is an alloy of gold, nickel and palladium, a rare metal of the platinum group. Pure gold is 24 carats fine. The fine gold most seen is 18 carat—18 parts of gold and six of palladium and nickel. There are various formulas, in which the proportions of the latter metals differ. Green gold is similarly alloyed with silver, red with copper, and blue and gray with iron.

About the best cure for a swelled head is a dose of common sense.

TRIMS OF METAL LACE POPULAR; SNUG FITTING HATS IN VOGUE

IN KEEPING with the elaborate note metal laces trim many an evening gown. Athwart the sheen of shimmering satin or regal velvet, flounces and embellishments of scintillating laces send their silvery gleam in fascinating manner. Note the word silvery, rather than golden, for, while gold lace is used to some extent, silver effects are preferred.

It is an all-over silver lace which forms the bodice portion of the lovely flesh-colored satin frock in the picture. The satin is handsomely manipulated in three tiers to form the skirt. Of course the frock is sleeveless, as all evening gowns must be.



A Fetching Evening Gown.

So pronounced is the use of metal lace milady is wearing the separate blouse entirely made of metal lace. This fashion is the outcome of the vogue for two-piece gowns, which has become so widespread that our evening dresses, as well as our sports frocks, follow this mode. If one is not partial to solid metal lace there are obtainable handsome laces of silk which are threaded with silver. These are trimmed with silver buttons and loops, and the effect is indescribably lovely. With rippled black velvet skirts, white brocade blouses are worn over-patterned with silver design.

Very effective is a sleeveless sheath-like robe of black velvet, which departs from its simplicity through means of two rippling flounces of metal lace, each edged with fur.

Godets inset about the hemline offer another charming use for silver and gold lace. This method is especially employed in connection with georgette frocks of lovely color.

Speaking of lace in general, the message comes from every authoritative source that lace of every description will be the outstanding feature of frocks for the near future.

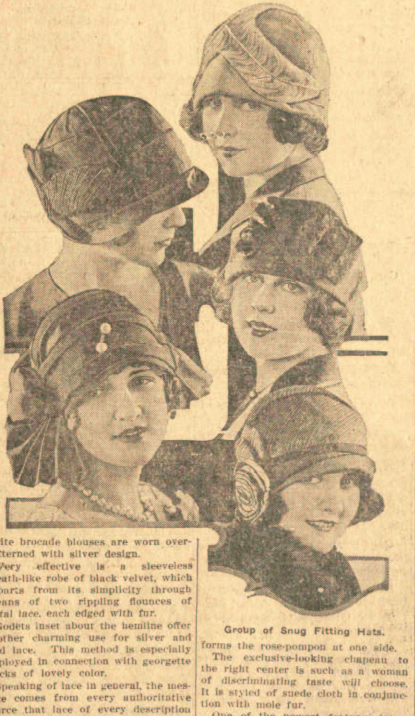
Millinery stylists voice their approval of wide, narrow or no brim at all. It is therefore left for each woman to decide the question for herself. If "actions speak louder than words," the little snug-fitting chapeau wins, for while we enthusiastically discuss graceful wide brims most of us wear small hats of style distinction.

To the woman of elegant mode, the little hat made entirely of wide belting ribbon makes appeal for smart town wear. The model in the lower left corner of the picture is typically high class. It is of black belting ribbon from start to finish. Double pearl with rhinestone pins forms a scintillating trim.

Another belting ribbon model is illustrated to the left at the top. It is hats of this trend which promise a successful vogue for the coming mid-season.

In colors, gray is meeting with extreme favor. The tall-crowned chapeau at the top of the picture to the right is designed entirely in tones of gray. The crown is velours with an inset of heavy georgette for the wee front brim. Flat ostrich in blended tones forms the trimming.

Velvet printed in multicolorings covers the top of the hat shown last in the picture. Fancy metal ribbon forms the rose-pompon at one side.



Group of Snug Fitting Hats.

The exclusive-looking chapeau to the right center is such as a woman of discriminating taste will choose. It is styled of suede cloth in conjunction with mole fur.

One of the newest features introduced in Paris is the box-like turban. Necessarily the crown is very tall and conventional in lines, but it carries style and is decidedly becoming.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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New Scarf

A narrow little crepe de chine scarf of much charm has a band of embroidery in bright colors around the ends, and a cuff of the same embroidery through which both ends of the scarf are slipped to make it fit snugly around the neck.

The Added Touch

The winter frocks would lose half their effectiveness were it not for the scarfs. The latter furnish the touch of brilliant color which the softer colorings need to bring out their full beauty. The silk scarfs are usually worn wrapped tightly around the throat, with the ends hanging over one shoulder, one falling in front and one in back.

Brown Shoes Are Smart

Brown shoes are shown in a number of different combinations of leather. Black shoes, both kid and patent leather, are also smart.

FARM POULTRY

PLAN TO PRODUCE STRONG CHICKS

The condition and health of the parent stock largely determine the condition and health of the offspring. No question is more important than that of constitutional vigor.

The actions of the fowl indicate to a considerable extent its physical condition. A weak bird is usually inactive and droopy. It does not scratch or forage actively. The loudness and frequency of the crow of the male and the cackle of the female are indications of strength. The large, bright-red comb and wattles indicate health. The eye is the mirror of the body and is a good indication of either health or disease, the healthy fowl having a good, bright, clear eye, while the diseased bird's eyelids droop and present a sleepy appearance.

The brightness and brilliancy of the plumage are indications of constitutional vigor. Feathers on a fowl of low vigor usually grow slowly and appear to be dull and ruffled, as compared with the close-fitting, smooth, fully developed, bright plumage of the vigorous fowl. The strong bird also has a good appetite and a large crop.

The causes of loss of vigor may be summed up as follows:

First—Inbreeding without knowledge of the principles of breeding. Poultry raisers sometimes have a bird with exceptionally fine plumage, and for that reason mate the bird in their breeding pens regardless of its vigor or its relation to other birds in the same pen. There is a distinction between line-breeding and inbreeding.

Second—Use of pullets and immature male birds. As a rule, pullets lay more eggs than hens, yet it has been proven by experiments that the chicks from hens are larger when hatched and that they mature more quickly and produce stronger and more vigorous specimens than those hatched from pullets. A half-grown cockerel should never be used for breeding purposes.

Third—Increased egg production. Forcing fowls to lay by continuously feeding heavy, rich foods tells upon the health of the females and often injures their breeding qualities.

Fourth—Crowding. Poultry raisers make a mistake too often of crowding a great number of birds into small quarters and then expecting the best results from the flock.

Fifth—Lack of exercise. If strong, healthy chicks are desired, the fowls in the breeding flock must be required to exercise by being forced to scratch for part of their food in a litter, or by being given plenty of range.

Sixth—Care of eggs for hatching. Eggs for hatching are often kept in places that are too hot or too cold. Clean nests should be provided, eggs gathered daily and kept in a temperature of from 50 to 60 degrees and not held more than ten days before being set.

Seventh—Improper incubation. An incubator which cannot be regulated with any degree of satisfaction, which lacks the proper provision for both ventilation and moisture, which is first too hot and then too cold, should not be used. The germ of the egg is weakened so that it cannot free itself from the shell, and the chicks which hatch are poor and sickly, either dying in less than two weeks after hatching or having very low vigor.

Eighth—Insanitary quarters. Where the poultry house is allowed to become filled with filth, lice and mites, which suck the life blood from the fowls, chickens cannot be strong and healthy.

Ninth—Inferior breeding stock. No one should attempt to raise chickens from drones, from birds that are not true to type, from birds that have been seriously sick with some disease, if he expects to be successful in the poultry business. All these things can and should be avoided.

Tenth—Breeding from a flock indiscriminately. Many flocks contain a great many birds which lay only during the spring season. Breeding should be done with birds which are known to be good winter layers.—T. W. Noland, Director, Missouri State Poultry Experiment Station, Mountain Grove.

POULTRY NOTES

A farm without poultry is a financial mistake.

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A turkey hen can cover from fifteen to twenty eggs during incubation.

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Raising geese, exclusively, would hardly be found profitable. The laying season is too short, lasting only about two months.

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Without a good mash before them all the time your hens will fall short in egg production.

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The free use of kerosene or crude oil on the roost and in the cracks in your poultry house will help to exterminate mites.

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Watch for any bad habits among your layers. If you find any broken egg shells around on the floors, make an effort to locate the guilty one and try to break up the habit or dispose of the offender.

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Market white-shelled and brown-shelled eggs in separate packages. Eggs irregular in shape, those which are unusually long or thin-shelled, or which have shells otherwise defective, should be kept by the producer for home use.

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While ducks are naturally hardy, seldom get sick, and are practically immune from contagious diseases, they do occasionally die from spinal meningitis. Another thing, young ducks bathing in cold water are apt to suffer from cramps.

Pimples

What can I do?

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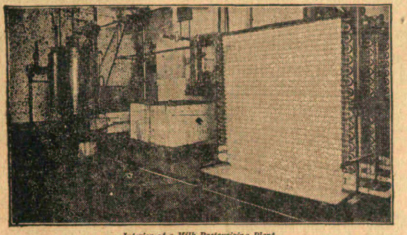
Chief Inspector Sounds Keynote to Purifying Nation's Milk Supply



Interior of a Milk Pasteurizing Plant.

At the 14th annual convention of the International Association of Dairy and Milk Inspectors held at Indianapolis, recently, leading authorities of the United States and Canada submitted interesting and informative papers relative to the purification of the nation's milk supply.

In the closing session of the series of meetings, Dr. Roy F. Leslie, Chief Meat and Dairy Inspector of Cleveland, Ohio, emphasized the great importance of co-operative measures by the producer in the production of clean milk.

"With co-operation on the part of the milk producers," said Dr. Leslie, "much can be done along this line that would otherwise be impossible." He then told of how the public was kept informed of steps taken to control the milk supply with a view to safeguarding the health of all who use milk and dairy products.

"In Cleveland," said Dr. Leslie, "more than 70% of the milk is sold at one or another of a system of chain stores where the customer is given an allowance of 2 cents on the purchase of each quart of milk."

The 2 cents allowed covers the cost of delivery in the home and represents a saving of about 12% to the consumer.

Milk in Cleveland must be sold within 36 hours of pasteurizing.

Mr. J. V. Quigley, dairy adviser, Kansas City Consumers' League, Kansas City, Mo., followed with an account of the work of purifying the milk supply of that city.

He stated that milk produced in dairies where they follow all sanitary regulations such as clean stables, clipped udders and flanks of milk cows, thorough grooming and brushing of the animal before milking, and periodical tests for bacteria, brought to producers in the league 2 cents to 3 cents more per quart of milk than is received by those who were not members of the Kansas City Consumers' League.

Throughout the series of meetings, stress was laid upon the rapid strides being made towards a thorough and comprehensive inspection program of the milk supply of cities throughout the United States and Canada.

It is certain that the results of this work are reflected to a great extent in the increased consumption of milk by the people of the United States, and this increased consumption is sure to be reflected in monetary advantages for both the producer and the distributer. High quality will increase milk consumption and high consumption of milk will keep the milk market steady.

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CORRESPONDECE

Jonesville

R. S. Varnum has been ill the past week.

H. J. Gries was in Toledo on business the first of the week.

Dr. Fisk is now located in the office vacated by Dr. Warren.

There will be a masquerade at K of P. hall New Years night.

Pauline Godfrey is ill at the home of George Godfrey home on West Street.

Perry Kimball and wife were in Fort Wayne last week to visit their son.

Mrs. Harry Tubbs of Detroit is here for a visit with her parents George Sharp and wife.

Roy Howard and family and Mrs. B. E. Poor will leave next Wednesday Dec. 30 for Florida for the winter.

Born to Avery Houseknect and wife at the Doty Hospital on December 16th a daughter Frances Emogene.

Chas Gage, wife and daughter Frances of Adrian were here for the Annual Mothers Club Christmas tree Monday evening this week.

Clifford Walcott and wife are spending the Holiday vacation with Dr. and Mrs. G. Walcott. Mr. Walcott is teaching in the public school of Coldwater.

The Mothers Club Christmas tree was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Harry Phelps. The Fathers, Grandfathers and Grandmothers were guests at this time.

Somerset Centre

Bernard Philips was in Addison on business Monday.

Earl Eggleston and wife were in Jackson Friday.

L. A. Mercer and wife were in Hudson on business Monday.

A number in this vicinity have been shredding corn the past week.

Victoria Eldridge is spending the Christmas vacation with her mother

William Schock and wife are entertaining relatives from Burr Oak.

Lawrence Parish of Jackson was at the home of Rant Rutan Saturday.

Cleon Rutan spent the week end with his sister Mrs. Densel Lyons of Jackson.

Ellsworth Eggleston and Leon Mercer were in Brooklyn on business Friday.

R. H. Tearney of Reading spent Sunday with his mother Mrs. Jennie Tearney.

Mrs. Henry Didama and son spent Monday with her parents George Becker and wife.

L. A. Mercer and family entertained about forty relatives to a Christmas dinner Sunday.

Mrs. L. A. Mercer and family, Wavah Higbee and Alice Dillon were in Jackson Wednesday.

Misses Cecile Rutan and Ruby Schock were absent from school three days on account of sickness.

E. H. Ballard and wife of Auburn, Indiana visited the latter"s sister Mrs. E. A. McGregor Sunday.

Jerome

Cash Sawdey is driving a new Ford.

May Anson is driving a Ford sedan.

Harry Alley was in Jackson Tuesday.

H. McClanahan and wife were in Jackson Saturday.

Lewis Long of Hillsdale was in town one day last week.

I. W. Wertenberger and family were in Hillsdale Saturday.

H. McClanahan and R. O. Sawdey were in Hillsdale Tuesday.

V. C. Green and wife of Pittsford visited at the T. J. Lane home Sunday.

Quite a large number of young people spent Thursday evening at the home of Otto Miller and family

Lola Bishop entertained part of the high school at her home near Moscow Wednesday evening of last week.

Prof. F. S. Goodrich gave an interesting lecture on the "Holy Land" at the church Sunday evening. His lecture was illustrated by about 100 stereoptican views enlarged from photographs.

The people of the community have presented Rev. Scott with $25 as a Christmas present, The money was raised by C. W. McGregor and C. S. Brooks. Mr. Scott appreciates the gift very much.

Dr. Little new president of the University of Michigan is having the time of his life. In the first place the Roman Catholics are after him because he advocated birth control and in the second place the fraternities are after him because he wanted the liquor laws enforced at the university. Dr. Little says he will quit if he does not have the right of freedom of speech and the Dr. has been at the University for only two months. Before long, Mr. Little may come to the conclusion that it is not the duty of a university president to stand for good principles and law enforcement at educational institutions.

West Hoxie

Will Bloemker and family spent Sunday at the Pendell home.

Mrs. Howard Wells and baby attended the Hoxie Ladies aid last week.

Mrs. Burl Shambaugh is able to be be around again after a two week's illness.

The Larkin Club will be entertained at the Andrew Franks home in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Sprague and Clyde and Mildred Sprague spent Wednesday at the Bloemker home.

Gaylord Lewis of Jackson and Iris Sutton of Hillsdale visited at the Bloemker home recently.

Mrs. Addie Schilling has returned home after spending sometime at the home of Keith Schilling.

Wilbur Sprague of Detroit and Gwendolyn McLaughlin will spend Xmas at the Ellsworth Sprague home.

The program given by Edward Bloemker at the Knowles school was much enjoyed by everyone present.

Mr. Howard of Jackson and grandchildren, Larry Marks and Ora Hayes spent Sunday at the Bloemker home.

Jackson School Notes

Report for the month of December

Report cards will be given out the first of the year.

All pupils received gold stars for perfect attendance but three.

Examinations for the first half of the school year were given last Friday.

School closed Thursday noon December 24th. for Christmas vacation.

Mrs. Viola Moore visited our school one day the first part of the month.

The pupils have been busy getting ready for the Christmas program which was held Wednesday evening.

Local News

Myron Davis of Jackson is spending Christmas with his parents in this village.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Stoner of Adrian will spend Christmas with relatives here.

Mrs. William Gray is spending the winter with her son Carl in Cincinnati Ohio.

L. D. Ford and wife were Christmas guests at the F. W. Graves home in Jonesville.

H. L. Schoolcraft of Chicago is Kisiting his cousins, Mrs. C. J. vnapp and J. Jones.

Rex Northrup and family will spend Christmas at the Elmer Northrup home in Reading.

Ralph Wolcott of Detroit will spend Christmas with his parents M. N. Wolcott and wife.

Miss Mildred Rock of Jackson is spending the holidays with her parents F. W. Rock and wife.

Horace Greening and wife of Hillsdale and William Barker and wife of this village will spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Mae Mallory.

Ross Watkins and family of Hamilton Ind. were Christmas guests of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. McFarland. Mrs. Watkins is a sister of Mrs. McFarland.

The semi annual meeting of the Abigail Rebekah Lodge was held last Friday evening at I. O. O. F. Hall with a good attendance of members. The election of officers resulted as follows; Noble grand, Lillian Fuller; vice grand, Martha Horn; recording secretary, Ida Relyea; financial secretary, Addie VanAken treasurer, Sarah Winchell. Installation of officers will be held in January. One of the pleasant features of Friday evening's meeting was the presence of 8 members of Howard Rebekah lodge of Jonesville.

A Christmas meeting of the Woman's Club was held last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Addie Baker. There was a good attendance of members and a few guests. Roll call was answered with Christmas Quotations. A paper, Christmas Carols of all the Nations, was read by Miss Ethel Clement. Music was in charge of Mrs. Elfrieda Calhoun. Songs were sang by the club and Mrs. Mildred Miner Hunt sang a solo. The house was decorated with Christmas colors and a Christmas tree holding gifts for each member was a pleasant feature of the program. The next meeting will be held Monday January 4th at the home of Mrs. Gladys Williams.

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